

Question Bank for General Knowledge – SSC CHSL 2017

Q1. What is the capital of Afghanistan?

- a. Kandahar
- b. Islamabad
- c. Kabul
- d. Fayzabad

Ans: Kabul

Q2. Name the person who won the prestigious Dan David Prize.

- a. Indian Social Worker Kailash Satyarthi
- b. Indian scientist Shrinivas Kulkarni
- c. Indian Social Worker Baba Amte
- d. Indian Scientist APJ Abdul Kalam

Ans: Indian scientist Shrinivas Kulkarni

Q3. Who has taken charge as the Chairperson of the National Commission for Scheduled Tribes Chairperson (NCST) in New Delhi?

- a. Shri Nand Kumar Sai
- b. Shri Tapir Gao
- c. Shri Rameshwar Oraon
- d. Shri Maurice Kujur

Ans: Sri Nand Kumar Sai.

Q4. Who has been appointed as India's permanent representative to World Trade Organization (WTO)?

- a. Suni Bharati Mittal
- b. J S Deepak
- c. Nirmala Sitharaman
- d. Ratan Tata

Ans: J S Deepak

Q5. Who is the newly appointed Prime Minister of Republic of the Sudan?

- a. Omar Al-Bashir
- b. Gaafar Nimeiry
- c. Ahmed Al-Mirghani
- d. Bakri Hassan Saleh

Ans: Bakri Hassan Saleh

Q6. Who is appointed UNICEF and Cricket for Good Ambassador for the ICC Women's World Cup 2017?

- a. Virat Kohli
- b. MS Dhoni
- c. Sachin Tendulkar
- d. Harbhajan Singh

Ans: Sachin Tendulkar

Q7. Which Governor-General abolished Sati in India?

- a. Lord Dalhousie
- b. Lord Mountbatten
- c. Lord Warren Hastings
- d. Lord William Bentick

Ans: Lord William Bentick

Q8. Who took oath as the Chief Justice of Kerala High Court.

- a. Jasti Chelameshwar
- b. Navniti Prasad Singh
- c. Ashok Bhushan
- d. Manjula Chellur

Ans: Justice Navniti Prasad Singh

Q9. Iron Deficiency lead to which disease?

- a. Rickets
- b. Measles
- c. Anemia
- d. Beriberi

Ans: Anemia

Q10. Who has launched “Swachh Shakti Saptah” to raise awareness on sanitation and cleanliness in Gurugram, Haryana.

- a. Bhupinder Singh Hooda
- b. Om Prakash Chautala
- c. Manohar Lal Khattar
- d. Narendra Singh Tomar

Ans: Narendra Singh Tomar

Q11. The International Yoga festival 2017 has started in the state?

- a. Maharashtra
- b. Jharkhand
- c. Uttarakhand
- d. Uttar Pradesh

Ans: Uttarakhand

Q12. Under the recommendations of the Bill, 2016, working women in all establishments either public or private sector will be entitled to ____ weeks of paid maternity leave.

- a. 22 Weeks
- b. 24 Weeks
- c. 26 Weeks
- d. 28 Weeks

Ans: 26 Weeks

Q13 Name the first tiger reserve in India to officially introduce a mascot "Bhoorsingh the Barasingha" to have a better connection with the visitors.

- a. Kanha tiger reserve
- b. Melghat tiger reserve
- c. Ranthambore tiger reserve
- d. Corbett tiger reserve

Ans: Kanha tiger reserve

Q14. Which state govt. has made Aadhaar mandatory to farmers for availing crop insurance schemes?

- a. Punjab
- b. Madhya Pradesh
- c. Haryana
- d. Maharashtra

Ans: Maharashtra

Q15. Which day is celebrated as world environment day?

- a. 10 May
- b. 5 June
- c. 31 December

d. 8th July

Ans: 5 June

Q16. 12th March 1930 is known in Indian History for which event.

- a. Jallianwala Bagh Massacre
- b. Partition of Bengal
- c. Chauri Chaura incident
- d. Dandi March

Ans: Dandi March by Mahatma Gandhi

Q17. Name the lightest metal.

- a. Platinum
- b. Lithium
- c. Sodium
- d. Nitrogen

Ans: Lithium

Q18. Vinegar is used as a condiment, and in the pickling of vegetables and other foods.

What is the constituent of vinegar?

- a. Citric Acid
- b. Lactic Acid
- c. Ethanoic Acid
- d. Ethanol Acid

Ans: Ethanoic acid

Q19. Who discovered the Hydrogen?

- a. Henry Cavendish
- b. Joseph Priestley
- c. Carl Wilhem Scheele

d. Alexander Graham Bell

Ans: Cavendish

Q20. What is the theme of World Environment Day 2017?

- a. "Seven Billion Dreams; One Planet; Consume with Care."
- b. "Connecting People to Nature"
- c. "Many Species. One Planet. One Future"
- d. "Think. Eat. Save"

Ans: "Connecting People to Nature".

Q21. Who invented Tuberculosis Vaccine?

- a. Albert Calmette and Camille Guerin
- b. Louis Pastuer and Emily Roux
- c. Claude Bernard
- d. Pierre Robiquet

Ans: Albert Calmette and Camille Guerin

Q22. Which is known a Liquid metal?

- a. Steel
- b. Copper
- c. Aluminum
- d. Mercury

Ans: Mercury

Q23. What is the SI unit of luminous intensity?

- a. Steradian
- b. Candela
- c. Ampere
- d. Horse power

Ans: Candela

Q24. Fat can be separated from milk in a cream separator because of?

- a. Centrifugal Force
- b. Centripetal Force
- c. Mass Force
- d. Ionic Force

Ans: Centrifugal Force

Q25. Hydrogen bomb work on the principle of?

- a. Atomic Fusion
- b. Nuclear Fusion
- c. Nuclear Emission
- d. Atomic Emission

Ans: Nuclear fusion

Q26. The ozone layer in the atmosphere is at a height?

- a. 50 km from the earth
- b. 60 km from the earth
- c. 70 km from the earth
- d. 80 km from the earth

Ans: 50 km from the earth

Q27. Newton is the unit of?

- a. Power
- b. Force
- c. Velocity
- d. Dimension

Ans: Force

Q28. The technique used by bats to find their way or to locate food is known as?

- a. Homeostasis
- b. Prostaglandin
- c. Echolocation
- d. Automation

Ans: Echolocation

Q29. A rocket works on the principle of conservation of ?

- a. Linear momentum
- b. Static momentum
- c. Strategic momentum
- d. Inverted momentum

Ans: Linear momentum

Q30. Sound of frequency below 20 Hz is called?

- a. Ultrasonic Waves
- b. Infrasonic Waves
- c. Infrared Waves
- d. Ultraviolet Waves

Ans: Infrasonic Waves

Q31. Who settled the dispute regarding the election of President of India.

- a. International Court
- b. Supreme Court
- c. Lok Sabha
- d. Rajya Sabha

Ans: Supreme Court

Q32. The “Zero Hour” in the Parliament of India starts at?

- a. At 12 AM
- b. At 1.00 AM
- c. At 1.00 PM
- d. At 12. PM

Ans: At 12-00 PM

Q33. In the constitution of India, the residuary powers are entrusted to?

- a. State Government
- b. Cabinet of Ministers
- c. Central Government
- d. President

Ans: Central Government

Q34. Who nominates the 12 members for Rajya Sabha in India?

- a. Prime Minister
- b. President
- c. Chairperson of Rajya Sabha
- d. Governor of States

Ans: President

Q40. Who is the chairman of Rajya Sabha?

- a. Vice President
- b. Deputy Prime Minister
- c. Elected member of Rajya Sabha
- d. Head of cabinet of Ministers

Ans: Vice President

Q41. The Indian parliament constitutes of?

- a. Lok Sabha
- b. Rajya Sabha
- c. Both
- d. None

Ans: Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha, both.

Q42. What is Maximum strength of Lok Sabha?

- a. 550
- b. 552
- c. 554
- d. 556

Ans: 552

Q. 43. What is Maximum strength of Rajya Sabha?

- a. 225
- b. 250
- c. 235
- d. 265

Ans: 250

Q44. The objective to Indian Constitution is reflected in?

- a. Introduction to the Constitution
- b. Summary of the Constitution
- c. Condensed Version of the Constitution
- d. Preamble of the Constitution

Ans: Preamble of the Constitution

Q45. Who wrote the Communist Manifesto?

- a. Immanuel Kant and Karl Marx

- b. Karl Marx and Friedrich Engel
- c. Friedrich Engel and Socrates
- d. Socrates and Immanuel Kant

Ans: Karl Marx and Friedrich Engel

Q46. Which words were not in the actual Preamble of the Indian Constitution?

- a. Sovereign & Socialist
- b. Socialist & Secular
- c. Secular & Democratic
- d. Democratic & Republic

Ans: Socialist & Secular

Q47. Which is the first country in the world to ban metal mining?

- a. Croatia
- b. Russia
- c. Netherlands
- d. El Salvador

Ans: El Salvador

Q48. Which country is the largest exporter of Uranium to India?

- a. Kazakhstan
- b. Baluchistan
- c. Kyrgyzstan
- d. Uzbekistan

Ans: Kazakhstan

Q49. What is the name of Indian Navy's indigenous developed Surveillance Ship?

- a. INS Ashwini
- b. INS Vikrant

- c. INLCU L51
- d. INLCU F78

Ans: INLCU L51

Q50. Which bill decriminalizes Suicide attempts by mentally ill people?

- a. NGMI 2006
- b. GBMI 2002
- c. Mental Healthcare Bill 2016
- d. Psychiatric Bill 2014

Ans: Mental Healthcare Bill 2016

Q51. Largest freshwater Lake in the world?

- a. Lake Baikal
- b. Lake Superior
- c. Lake Balkhash
- d. Lake Titicaca

Ans: Lake Superior

Q52. What is the other name for Black Soil?

- a. Indian soil
- b. Regular soil
- c. Local soil
- d. Punjab soil

Ans: Regur Soil

Q53. Khangchendzonga Biosphere Reserve is situated in which state?

- a. Manipur
- b. Assam
- c. Tripura

d. Sikkim

Ans: Sikkim

Q54. Nokrek Biosphere Reserve is situated in which state?

a. Sikkim

b. Assam

c. Meghalaya

d. Arunachal Pradesh

Ans: Meghalaya

Q55. What is the name of the instrument used to measure an earthquake?

a. Richter Scale

b. Seismograph

c. Cresco graph

d. Stenograph

Ans: Seismograph

Q56. Chanderi fabric is the geographical indicator of

a. Punjab

b. Karnataka

c. Rajasthan

d. Madhya Pradesh

Ans: Madhya Pradesh

Q57. Which country has the largest area under Ramsar Wetlands Protection?

a. Belgium

b. Bolivia

c. Barbados

d. Belize

Ans: Bolivia

Q58. Where is Loktak Lake located?

- a. Tripura
- b. Arunachal Pradesh
- c. West Bengal
- d. Assam

Ans: Manipur

Q59. Where is Keoladeo National Park located?

- a. Gujarat
- b. Madhya Pradesh
- c. Jharkhand
- d. Rajasthan

Ans: Rajasthan

Q60. Where can you find Jarawa tribe in India?

- a. Little Andaman
- b. Car Nicobar
- c. Aberdeen Bazaar
- d. Katchal Island

Ans: Little Andaman

Q61. What is the full form of CRR?

- a. Cash Repo Rate
- b. Cash Reserve Ratio
- c. Cash Residuary Rate
- d. Cash Regulatory Ratio

Ans: Cash Reserve Ratio

Q62. What is the new name for CBEC (Central Bureau of Excise & Customs)?

- a. Central Bureau of Indirect Taxes & Customs
- b. Central Bureau of Excise
- c. Central Bureau of Custom Orders
- d. Central Bureau of Tax Control

Ans: CBIC (Central Bureau of Indirect Taxes & Customs)

Q63. On which day is the World Earth Hour celebrated?

- a. 22nd June
- b. 22nd October
- c. 25th March
- d. 21st December

Ans: 25th March

Q64. What is the name of Indian Navy's sole aircraft carrier?

- a. INS Vikramaditya
- b. INS Vikramsila
- c. INS Vikrant
- d. INS Vijaya

Ans: INS Vikramaditya

Q65. When is the World Tuberculosis Day observed?

- a. April 27th
- b. May 7th
- c. March 24th
- d. December 8th

Ans: March 24th

Q66. Kuchipudi dance form belongs to which state?

- a. Kerala
- b. West Bengal
- c. Tamilnadu
- d. Andhra Pradesh

Ans: Andhra Pradesh

Q67. What is the other name for the Manipuri dance form?

- a. Bihu
- b. Jogai
- c. Cheraw
- d. Hojagiri

Ans: Jogai

Q68. What does the word 'Sufi' mean?

- a. Wool
- b. Peace
- c. Meditation
- d. Islam

Ans: Wool

Q69. What is the other name for The God Particle?

- a. Higgs Nutrino
- b. Higgs Ginter
- c. Higgs Gluon
- d. Higgs Boson

Ans: Higgs Boson

Q70. Where are the world's most active volcanoes found?

- a. Bermuda Triangle
- b. Pacific Ring of Fire
- c. Fuji Mountain, Japan
- d. Bali, Indonesia

Ans: Pacific Ring of Fire

Q71. What is the upper-most layer of earth called?

- a. Lithosphere
- b. Endosphere
- c. Petrosphere
- d. Atmosphere

Ans: Lithosphere

Q72. Who won the Vijay Hazare Trophy in 2017?

- a. Maharashtra
- b. Tamil Nadu
- c. Goa
- d. Karnataka

Ans: Tamil Nadu

Q73. What is India's Rank in the World Happiness Report?

- a. 92
- b. 107
- c. 122
- d. 51

Ans: 122

Q74. Who is known as the Father of Macroeconomics?

- a. Adam Smith

- b. John Meynard Keynes
- c. Amartya Sen
- d. Milton Friedman

Ans: John Meynard Keynes

Q75. What is the name of the latest Anti-Tank Missile launched by DRDO?

- a. Akash
- b. Prithvi
- c. Shaurya
- d. Nag

Ans: Nag

Q76. NASA has named a new bacteria found on the International Space Station. On which Indian Scientist has it been named?

- a. Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam
- b. Vikram Sarabhai
- c. C. V. Raman
- d. Shrinivasan Ramanujan

Ans: Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam

Q77. Which island in Odisha has been renamed to Abdul Kalam Island?

- a. Nasi island
- b. Havelikati Island
- c. Wheelar Island
- d. Babubali Island

Ans. Wheelar Island

Q78. What is the name of the Water Jet Fast Attack Craft commissioned by the Indian Navy?

- a. INS Ashwini
- b. INS Vikrant
- c. INS Tillanchang
- d. INS Chora

Ans. INS Tillanchang

Q79. What is the name of the Indo - Nepal joint Military Exercise?

- a. Mitr Shakti
- b. Hand in Hand
- c. Indra
- d. Surya Kiran

Ans. Surya Kiran

Q80. In which block of the Periodic Table is Uranium found?

- a. C- block
- b. F - block
- c. D - block
- d. E - block

Ans: f-block

Q81. Under which river is the India's first rail tunnel?

- a. River Brahmaputra
- b. River Godavari
- c. River Hoogly
- d. River Narmada

Ans: River Hoogly

Q82. What is the name of NASA's Spacecraft that discovered Earth sized storm on Jupiter?

- a. Voyager
- b. Kepler
- c. Opportunity
- d. Juno

Ans: Juno

Q83. Where is India's tallest flag post?

- a. Faridabad
- b. Ranchi
- c. Attari
- d. Hyderabad

Ans: Attari

Q84. What is the name of Asia's longest tunnel?

- a. Chenani-Nashri tunnel in Jammu & Kashmir
- b. Beijing Subway Line tunnel in Beijing
- c. Iwate Ichinohe tunnel in Japan
- d. Shin Kanmon tunnel in Japan

Ans: Chenani-Nashri tunnel in Jammu & Kashmir

Q85. What is the name of India's only active volcano?

- a. Mt. Etna
- b. Mt. Santa Maria
- c. Mt. Vesuvius
- d. Mt. Fuji

Ans: Barren Island

Q86. What is the name of the world's only 'floating' National Park?

- a. Keoladeo

- b. Keibul Lamjao
- c. Jim Corbett
- d. Ranthambore

Ans: Keibul Lamjao

Q87. Who is the writer of 'Gitanjali'?

- a. Dr. B. R. Ambedkar
- b. Jhumpa Lahiri
- c. Premchand
- d. Rabindranath Tagore

Ans: Rabindranath Tagore

Q88. On whose Birth Anniversary is National Youth Day observed?

- a. Sachin Tendulkar
- b. Swami Vivekananda
- c. Rabindranath Tagore
- d. Jawaharlal Nehru

Ans: Swami Vivekananda

Q89. In which state is the Hornbill Festival celebrated?

- a. Jammu & Kashmir
- b. Himachal Pradesh
- c. Nagaland
- d. Assam

Ans: Nagaland

Q90. What is the location of Harike Wetlands?

- a. Chennai, Tamil Nadu
- b. Amritsar, Punjab

- c. Cochin, Kerala
- d. Pushkar, Rajasthan

Ans: Amritsar, Punjab

Q91. World's largest River Island 'Majuli' is in which state of India?

- a. Gujarat
- b. West Bengal
- c. Haryana
- d. Assam

Ans: Assam

Q92. Name the recent addition from India in the UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage List.

- a. Yoga
- b. Kalbelia
- c. Chhau Dance
- d. Ramlila

Ans. Yoga

Q93. Who won the Canadian Grand Prix for the 6th time this year?

- a. Sebastian Vettel
- b. Valtteri Boltas
- c. Daniel Ricciardo
- d. Lewis Hamilton

Ans: Lewis Hamilton

Q94. Who is the winner of French Open 2017?

- a. Andy Murray
- b. Rafael Nadal

- c. Novak Djokovic
- d. Roger Federer

Ans: Rafael Nadal

Q95. Who won the French Open Women's Singles Crown for 2017?

- a. Jelena Ostapenko
- b. Martina Hingis
- c. Maria Sharapova
- d. Serena Williams

Ans: Jelena Ostapenko

Q96. Name the duo who won French Open Mixed Doubles in 2017.

- a. Hingis - Paes
- b. Bopanna - Dabrowski
- c. Gronefeld - Farah
- d. Mirza - Dodig

Ans. Bopanna - Dabrowski

Q97. What is the name of NASA's Spacecraft which discovers Earth-like planets?

- a. Soyuz
- b. Luna
- c. SpaceX
- d. Kepler

Ans. Kepler

Q98. Who is the new chief of National Stock Exchange?

- a. Chanda Kocchar
- b. Ashish Chauhan
- c. Vikram Limaye

d. J. Ravichandran

Ans: Vikram Limaye

Q99. Which liquid proponent is used in a Cryogenic Engine?

- a. Nitrogen & Oxygen
- b. Hydrogen & Nitrogen
- c. Carbon & Hydrogen
- d. Hydrogen & Oxygen

Ans: Hydrogen & Oxygen

Q100. What is the main component in making Aluminum?

- a. Lead
- b. Tin
- c. Bauxite
- d. Cadmium

Ans: Bauxite

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