

Assam University B.Ed. Admission Test-2021

Booklet No: 4059

Time: 1½ hours

Full Marks: 50

SECTION-A: Teaching Aptitude (20 Marks)

1. 'Learning by doing' helps to

- (A) create interest among children
- (B) keep children busy
- (C) promote rote learning
- (D) maintain discipline

2. If a normal student, all of a sudden behaves improperly in the class, the teacher should

- (A) ask the student to leave the class
- (B) ask the student for an immediate explanation
- (C) talk to the student after the class
- (D) ignore it since the student usually remains normal

3. The most important purpose of education is

- (A) personal development
- (B) modification of behaviour
- (C) getting an employment
- (D) gaining social and political awareness

4. A written answer should not be evaluated based on the

- (A) ability to reproduce whatever is read
- (B) ability to express ideas in good language
- (C) ability to present ideas logically
- (D) ability to comprehend the subject

5. The primary duty of a teacher is to

- (A) raise the intellectual standards of students
- (B) improve the physical standards of students
- (C) help in the all-round development of students
- (D) imbibe value system in students

6. Which of the following is the main objective of teacher training?

- (A) To provide the knowledge and information
- (B) To improve teacher's professional capacity
- (C) To abide by the rules of the institution
- (D) None of the above

7. Continuous and comprehensive evaluation (CCE) has been introduced for

- (A) assessing cognitive development comprehensively
- (B) assessing the pass-fail status of students
- (C) assessing the growth of children in all aspects of their personality
- (D) assessing non-cognitive development of children

8. The most important characteristic of open book examination system is that

- (A) it compels students to think
- (B) students become serious
- (C) it improves attendance in the classroom
- (D) it reduces examination anxiety amongst students

9. The function of NCTE is to regulate

- (A) higher education
- (B) teacher education
- (C) technical education
- (D) elementary education

10. The best way to deal the gifted child in the classroom is

- (A) giving them double promotion
- (B) making them class monitor/leader/class representative
- (C) giving them liberty to find the things of their own interest
- (D) providing them more homework

11. Physical punishment in schools has been banned by the verdict of the Supreme Court, because

- (A) it may cause panic/trauma among students
- (B) students do not like it
- (C) parents do not like it
- (D) it has negative impact on learning

12. The best way to develop value-cooperation among the learners is to

- (A) organize a camp for one month
- (B) organize a lecture on the topic
- (C) organize a cultural programme
- (D) organize an exhibition

13. Effectiveness of teaching has to be judged in terms of

- (A) course coverage
- (B) students' interest
- (C) learning outcomes of students
- (D) use of teaching aids in the classroom

14. What will you do to develop the quality of discipline among the students?

- (A) Allow them to take responsibilities
- (B) Get the rules of conduct
- (C) Get the rules obeyed
- (D) Punish them

15. What will you do to inculcate the feeling of cooperation in students?

- (A) Give them good reading material on cooperation
- (B) Show pictures and movies on cooperation
- (C) Organize a class on cooperation
- (D) Put them to group work

16. The development of a student's personality is affected the most by

- (A) discipline at institute
- (B) emotional climate at home
- (C) inherited assets and liabilities
- (D) social orientation of peers and elders

17. Which of the following is Doordarshan's educational television channel?

- (A) Gurukul
- (B) Gyan Bharati
- (C) Gyan Darshan
- (D) Vidya

18. If you want to improve the ability of observation in children, which of the following would you recommend?

- (A) Generating interest in subject
- (B) Developing a framework for experiences
- (C) Sharpening the senses
- (D) Training mental faculties

19. What are the characteristics of continuous and comprehensive evaluation? It increases the workload on students by taking multiple tests. It replaces marks with grades. It evaluates every aspect of the student. It helps in reducing examination phobia.

- (A) 1, 2, 3 and 4
- (B) 2 and 4
- (C) 1, 2 and 3
- (D) 2, 3 and 4

20. The Yashpal Committee Report (1993) is entitled as

- (A) ICT in Teacher Education
- (B) Quality in Teaching-Learning
- (C) Learning without Burden
- (D) Curriculum Development

SECTION-B: Current Trends and Issues in Education (10 Marks)

21. The establishment of DIETs was the result of the recommendation of

- (A) the Indian Education Commission (1882)
- (B) the University Education Commission (1948-49)
- (C) the National Policy on Education (1986)
- (D) the Secondary Education Commission (1952-53)

22. Magna-Carta of English education in India is

- (A) Wood's Despatch (1854)
- (B) Hunter Education Commission (1882-83)
- (C) Hartog Committee (1928)
- (D) Wardha Scheme of Education (1937)

23. The main purpose of Navodaya Vidyalaya is to give education to

- (A) urban talented students
- (B) rural talented students
- (C) talented girl students
- (D) talented poor students

24. In NEP 2020, the current 10+2 system is to be replaced by a new curricular structure. What is the new curricular structure?

- (A) 3+4+4+5
- (B) 5+3+3+4
- (C) 4+3+3+5

(D) 5+4+3+3 25. Which is not a place of location for the Regional Institute of Education (RIE)?

- (A) Kolkata
- (B) Bhopal
- (C) Mysore
- (D) Ajmer

26. Who advocated for craft-centred basic education?

- (A) Lala Lajpat Rai
- (B) B. R. Ambedkar
- (C) Mahatma Gandhi
- (D) Swami Vivekananda

27. Who was the Chairman of the NEP 2020 Drafting Committee?

- (A) Kailasavadivoo Sivan
- (B) Dr. K. Kasturirangan
- (C) Prof. Yashpal Sharma
- (D) Prof. G. Rajagopal

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28. What is the age group covered in school education according to NEP 2020 new curricular structure?

- (A) 16-18
- (B) 3-18
- (C) 6-18
- (D) 5-18

29. _____ is a women's university in India.

- (A) Banasthali Vidyapith
- (B) Jamia Millia Islamia
- (C) Ahilya Bai University, Indore
- (D) Prayag Vidyapeeth

30. NIEPA is concerned with

- (A) school curriculum
- (B) educational unity
- (C) educational evaluation
- (D) educational planning

SECTION-C: General English (10 Marks)

31. The early monsoon rain brought RESPITE to the people. Find out the word, nearest in meaning to the word written in capital letters.

- (A) Despite
- (B) In spite of
- (C) Rest
- (D) Interval of relief

32. Even a cursory glance will reveal the idea expressed in the article.

- (A) crude
- (B) careful
- (C) cursory
- (D) critical

33. India is committed _____ a policy of peaceful coexistence.

- (A) in
- (B) to
- (C) for
- (D) with

34. Which part of the following sentence contains a grammatical error? His aim is (1) / provided cheap and (2) / reliable internet facilities (3) / to every village within five years (4).

- (A) 1
- (B) 2

(C) 3

(D) 4

35. Rearrange the following parts (P, Q, R, S) to produce a correct sentence: P: by an emperor named Shah Jahan Q: the Taj Mahal is a R: in memory of his wife Mumtaz Mahal S: beautiful monument built in 1631

(A) QPRS

(B) QSRP

(C) PQRS

(D) QSPR

36. Select the combination of numbers so that letters arranged accordingly will form a meaningful word: J C O P T E R 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

(A) 1345672

(B) 2645137

(C) 4731625

(D) 7645132

37. Find one word for 'A sleeping room for a number of people'.

(A) Dump

(B) Dormitory

(C) Fireside

(D) Office

38. Choose the correct antonym of the given word 'Churlish'.

(A) Coarse

(B) Courteous

(C) Niggardly

(D) Modest

39. Choose the correctly spelt word:

- (A) Ommission
- (B) Ommision
- (C) Omission
- (D) Omision

40. Choose the one which conveys the meaning of the sentence correctly.

- (A) He came in too quickly to avoid waking his father.
- (B) He came in very quickly so that he might avoid waking his father.
- (C) Having not to wake his father, he came in quickly.
- (D) He entered in quickly, so as not be waking his father.

SECTION-D: General Knowledge (10 Marks)

41. Pobitora Wildlife Sanctuary is located in

- (A) Sivasagar
- (B) Morigaon
- (C) Tinsukia
- (D) Sonitpur

42. India's first 'Oxygen Express' carried oxygen to

- (A) Maharashtra
- (B) Delhi
- (C) Gujarat
- (D) Uttar Pradesh

43. Which Personality/Institution won the Nobel Peace Prize, 2020?

- (A) Jacinda Ardern
- (B) Greta Thunberg
- (C) World Health Organization
- (D) UN World Food Programme

44. If in a certain language, REMOTE is coded as ROTEME, which word would be coded as PNIICC?

- (A) NPIICC
- (B) PICCIN
- (C) PINCIC
- (D) PICNIC

45. India's first National Sports University has been launched in

- (A) Sikkim
- (B) Manipur
- (C) Kerala
- (D) Punjab

46. Which film won the Best Picture Award in Oscar in the year, 2021?

- (A) Nomadland
- (B) The Father
- (C) Minari
- (D) Sound of Metal

47. A training program for school children named 'Yuvika' is being conducted by which Indian Organization?

- (A) Defence Research and Development Organization
- (B) Bhabha Atomic Research Centre
- (C) Indian Space Research Organization
- (D) Council of Scientific and Industrial Research

48. The Union Minister for Human Resource Development launched which campaign on 10th April, 2020 for crowdsourcing ideas for improving online education?

- (A) India Padhe Online
- (B) Desh Padhe Online
- (C) Bharat Padhe Online

(D) Sab Padhe Online

49. Which vaccine candidate has been recommended for Phase 2 and Phase 3 trials in India for those aged from 2 to 18?

- (A) COVISHIELD
- (B) COVAXIN
- (C) COWIN
- (D) SPUTNIK

50. After walking 6 km, I turned right and covered 2 km, then turned left and covered 10 km. In the end, I was moving north. From which direction did I start?

- (A) North
- (B) South
- (C) East
- (D) West

ANSWER KEY 2021

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| 1. (A) | 11. (A) | 21. (C) | 31. (D) | 41. (B) |
| 2. (C) | 12. (D) | 22. (A) | 32. (C) | 42. (A) |
| 3. (B) | 13. (C) | 23. (B) | 33. (B) | 43. (D) |
| 4. (A) | 14. (A) | 24. (B) | 34. (A) | 44. (D) |
| 5. (C) | 15. (D) | 25. (A) | 35. (D) | 45. (A) |
| 6. (B) | 16. (B) | 26. (C) | 36. (C) | 46. (A) |
| 7. (A) | 17. (C) | 27. (B) | 37. (B) | 47. (C) |
| 8. (A) | 18. (C) | 28. (B) | 38. (B) | 48. (C) |
| 9. (B) | 19. (D) | 29. (A) | 39. (C) | 49. (B) |
| 10. (C) | 20. (C) | 30. (B) | 40. (B) | 50. (B) |