

# HP HIGH COURT CLERK QUESTION PAPER 1 MAY 2022

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1. **The Oldest rock-cut architecture is found in:-**  
(A) Rajasthan (B) Bihar  
(C) Himachal Pradesh (D) Maharashtra
2. **Milk sugar is:-**  
(A) Sucrose (B) Glucose  
(C) Maltose (D) Lactose
3. **Echo is produced due to:-**  
(A) Reflection of sound (B) Refraction of sound  
(C) Resonance (D) None of these
4. **The Union Council of Ministers is collectively responsible to:-**  
(A) Rajya Sabha (B) President  
(C) House of the People (D) Prime Minister
5. **Who can appoint a Judge of High Court as an acting Chief Justice of High Court?**  
(A) President (B) Governor  
(C) Chief Minister of State (D) Chief Justice of India
6. **Who coined the slogan 'Swaraj' is my birth right'?**  
(A) Vinayak Damodar Savarkur (B) Vasudev Balwant Phadke  
(C) Balkrishna Chapekar (D) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
7. **Mahatma Gandhi was referred to as 'The Father of the Nation' first by:-**  
(A) Vallabhbhai Patel (B) Jawaharlal Nehru  
(C) Subhash Chandra Bose (D) C Rajagopalachari

**Which one of the following Indian States has no international boundary?**

- (A) Bihar (B) Chhattisgarh  
(C) Uttarakhand (D) Meghalaya

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9. National Girl Child day is celebrated annually on:-  
(A) 23 January (B) 25 January  
(C) 24 January (D) 27 January
10. Where National Defence Academy is situated at?  
(A) Kharagpur (B) Khadakwasla  
(C) Dehradun (D) Jabalpur
11. The Retirement age for High Court Judge is \_\_\_\_\_  
(A) 60 (B) 63  
(C) 62 (D) 65
12. Who is known as 'Missile Woman' of India ?  
(A) Mc Mary Kom (B) Indira Nooyi  
(C) Tessy Thomas (D) Geeta Phogat
13. Tides in the sea are caused by:-  
(A) Effects of the moon (B) Effects of the sun  
(C) Sun and the moon (D) Gravitational centrifugal or centripetal forces
14. Common Salt is:-  
(A) Sodium Chloride (B) Sodium Carbonate  
(C) Calcium Chloride (D) Calcium Bicarbonate
15. Chemically vinegar is:-  
(A) Methyl alcohol (B) Ethyl alcohol  
(C) Solid carbon dioxide (D) Acetic acid
16. Which is a social insect ?  
(A) Ant (B) Cockroach  
(C) Scorpion (D) None of these

17. The original name given to the follower of Mahavira was?  
(A) Arhants (B) Nirgranthas  
(C) Jainas (D) Kevalins
18. The famous Chaturbhuja temple at Khajuraho was built by?  
(A) Paramardi (B) Dhanga  
(C) Jayasakti (D) Yasovarmans
19. Which of the following emperor's tomb is outside India?  
(A) Akbar (B) Aurangzeb  
(C) Shah Jahan (D) Jahangir
20. India leads the world in the export of:-  
(A) Coffee (B) Manganese  
(C) Mica (D) Cotton
21. The Largest continent of the world is:-  
(A) Africa (B) Asia  
(C) Australia (D) Antarctica
22. Who discovered the phenomenon of Radioactivity?  
(A) Madam Curie (B) Pierre Curie  
(C) Henry Becquerel (D) All of these
23. World's Largest Metro Rail Line opened in which of the following cities?  
(A) New Delhi (B) Shanghai  
(C) Singapore City (D) Tokyo
24. Which desert known for hot and dry climate recently witnessed snowfall?  
(A) Thar (B) Kalahari  
(C) Mojave (D) Sahara

25. World's first Hydrogen-powered Flying Boat 'The Jet' is set to be launched in which city?  
(A) Dubai  
(C) Istanbul  
(B) Berlin  
(D) Paris
26. World Cancer day observed every year on:-  
(A) 02 February  
(C) 04 February  
(B) 03 February  
(D) 05 February
27. Renkoji temple is in news in connection with Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose. Where is the temple located?  
(A) Indonesia ✗  
(C) Myanmar  
(B) Japan ✗  
(D) Thailand ✗
28. Who won the Australian Open Women's Single 2022?  
(A) Ash Barty  
(C) Kristina Mladenovic  
(B) Danielle Collins  
(D) Jaimee Fourlis
29. Which author's translated Hindi novel "Tomb of Sand" has been nominated for International Booker Prize?  
(A) Reena Patel  
(C) Geetanjali Shree  
(B) Ritika Bhardwaj  
(D) Ahuti Sharma
30. NATO stands for:-  
(A) North Arctic Treaty Organization  
(C) North Antarctica Treaty Organization  
(B) North Atlantic Treaty Organization  
(D) North Asian Treaty Organization
31. Irawati is ancient name of river:-  
(A) Beas  
(C) Sutlej  
(B) Ravi  
(D) Parvati

32. 'Govind Sagar Lake' is related to river:-  
 (A) ✓ Sutlej (B) Beas  
 (C) Giri ✗ (D) Yamuna ✗
33. In which District of Himachal Pradesh 'Prashar Lake' is situated:-  
 (A) Kullu (B) ✓ Mandi  
 (C) Kinnaur (D) Shimla
34. Pir Panjal is a famous range of which part of Himalayas ?  
 (A) ✓ Greater Himalayan range (B) Middle Himalayan range  
 (C) Outer Himalayan range (D) Lesser Himalayan region
35. Spiti river is a tributary of which major river of H.P. ?  
 (A) Chenab (B) Yamuna  
 (C) ✓ Satluj (D) Beas
36. Chadwick water fall is located near which place in H.P.?  
 (A) Bharmaur (B) Dharamshala  
 (C) Nadaun (D) ✓ Summerhill
37. Jayanti Mata temple is located at which place in H.P. ?  
 (A) Sujanpur (B) ✓ Kangra  
 (C) Jogindernagar (D) Manali
38. Jorna fair is celebrated at which place in H.P. ?  
 (A) ✓ Chopal (B) Sarkaghat  
 (C) Chail (D) Salooni
39. The Old name of Udaipur in Lahaul in H.P. was:-  
 (A) Baned (B) Hindur  
 (C) Kirgram (D) ✓ Mrikul

40. The writer of the book "The Himalayan District Kullu, Lahaul and Spiti" is:-  
(A) Dr. Y.S. Parmar (B) M.S. Radhawa  
(C) A.P.F. Harcourt (D) ✓ T.S. Negi
41. Suketi Fossil Park is Located in which district of H.P. ?  
(A) Una (B) ✓ Sirmour  
(C) Bilaspur (D) Hamirpur
42. When did Mahatma Gandhi visit Dharampur and delivered a speech ?  
(A) 1938 (B) 1939  
(C) 1940 (D) ✓ 1941
43. Who took possession of the books of Kangra Library and got them translated into Persian ?  
(A) Feroz Shah Tughlaq (B) Mahmud Gaznavi  
(C) ✓ Izzudin Khalid (D) Nadir Shah
44. Markanda Khad flows in which district of H.P. ?  
(A) Kangra (B) ✓ Bilaspur  
(C) Chamba (D) Sirmaur
45. 'Nako lake' is located in which district of H.P. ?  
(A) ✓ Kinnaur (B) Lahaul & Spiti  
(C) Kangra (D) Chamba
46. Which of the following towns does not fall in the Shiwalik Hills ?  
(A) ✓ Chamba (B) Joginder Nagar  
(C) ✓ Palampur (D) Manali
47. Cattle breeding farm is not located at?  
(A) ✓ Kamand (B) Palampur  
(C) Naudaun (D) ✓ Bhangrotu

48. Who founded the Suket State?

(A) Ajber Sen

(B) Giri Sen

(C) ✓ Ban Sen

(D) ✗ Bir Sen

49. Thana Plaun Hydro Electric Project is located in which District?

(A) ✗ Chamba

(B) Sirmaur

(C) Shimla

(D) Mandi ✗

50. Who wrote the book "H.P. its shape and state"?

(A) Rahul Sankritayan

(B) ✓ Dev Raj Sharma

(C) Nicholas Roerich

(D) ✗ Y.S. Parmar

51. Which of the following water fall is not located in Chamba?

(A) Dhanchno

(B) ✓ Rahla

(C) Kali ka kund

(D) Satdhara

52. Who was the first President of Himalayan Hill States Regional Council?

(A) Shiva Nand Ramaul ✗

(B) ✓ Pt. Padam Dev

(C) Bhaskara Nand ✗

(D) Swami Purnanand ✗

53. Which Pass lyes between Lahaul and Spiti?

(A) Pin Parbati

(B) Kugti Pass

(C) ✓ Kunzumla

(D) Animal Pass

54. Kalka Shimla Railway line was inaugurated in the year:-

(A) 1906

(B) ✓ 1903

(C) 1907

(D) 1905

55. Soil testing labs have been established in all districts, except  
(A) Sirmaur (B) Lahaul Spiti  
(C) Solan (D) ✓ Kinnaur
56. Which monastery is also known as "Ajanta of Himalayas"?  
(A) Kee (B) Tayul  
(C) Khardang (D) ✓ Tabo
57. Who was the first Speaker of Vidhan Sabha in HP:-  
(A) Sheela Kaul (B) Surender Nath  
(C) ✓ Pandit Jaiwant Ram (D) M.R. Thakur
58. Himachal Pradesh beat which State to lift maiden Vijay Hazare Title?  
(A) Maharashtra (B) Karnataka  
(C) Gujrat (D) ✓ Tamil Nadu
59. Which of the following is the highest peak in Shimla district?  
(A) Pishu (B) Nag Tikkar  
(C) Hatu (D) ✓ Chanshal
60. Salooni maize to get GI tag, it is from which district of HP?  
(A) Shimla (B) ✓ Solan  
(C) Chamba (D) Kullu
61. Complete the given series by finding the missing term:-  
28, 33, 31, ?, 34, 39  
(A) 34 (B) 35  
(C) ✓ 36 (D) 37



62. Pointing to a boy, a man said to a woman, "His mother is the only daughter of your father." How was the boy related to the woman?  
(A) ✓ Brother  
(B) Uncle  
(C) Husband  
(D) Son

63. Which word amongst the following is different?  
(A) Index  
(B) ✓ Glossary  
(C) Chapter  
(D) Book

64. Choose the number which is different from others.  
(A) 27  
(B) 64  
(C) 125  
(D) ✓ 144

65. Which is different from the rest?  
(A) BC  
(B) FG  
(C) PQ  
(D) ✓ TV

66. Choose the word different from the rest: -  
(A) Cap  
(B) Turban  
(C) Veil  
(D) ✓ Helmet

67. Manoj is heavier than Rajat but not than Raman. Rajat is heavier than Jayesh. Krishnan is heavier than Suresh, but lighter than Raman. Who is the heaviest?  
(A) Rajat  
(B) Jayesh  
(C) ✓ Raman  
(D) Krishnan

Choose the Correctly spelt word (in Q. 68 to 72):-

68. (A) ✓ Compassionate  
(B) Compasionate  
(C) Compationate  
(D) Competionate

69. (A) ✓ Institution  
(B) Instichution  
(C) Institiution  
(D) Insetitution

70. (A) Defiance (B) Defyance  
 (C)  Defiance (D) Difiance
71. (A)  Dicipline (B) Decipline  
 (C)  Disipline (D) Discipline
72. (A)  Maintenance (B) Maintennance  
 (C) Manteinance (D) Maintenacce

73. How many meaningful words can be formed from the word, 'GENTLEMEN' without changing the order of letters?

- (A) One (B)  Two  
 (C) Three (D) Four

74. 'Naked' is related to 'Cloth', in the same way 'Thirsty' is related to which ?

- (A) Drinking (B)  Water  
 (C) Juice (D) None of these

75. Mother of Q is sister of P and daughter of M. S is the daughter of P and sister of T. What is the relation of M with T?

- (A) Father (B)  Mother  
 (C) Son (D)  None of these

**Direction for Questions 76 to 80**

Read the following information carefully and answer the questions given below

P, Q, R, S, T, U and V are sitting around a circular table facing the centre. R is next to the left of U and V is second to the left of R. P is sitting third to the left of T. Q is between S and T.

76. Which of the following is false?

- (A) P is fourth to the right of T (B)  U is the immediate right of R  
 (C) Q is the immediate left of S (D)  U is the third to the right of S

77. Which of the following is True?

(A) P is to the immediate right of V

(B) S is second to the left of T

(C) R is the fourth to the right of T

(D) Q is second to the right of V

78. Which of the following pairs has the first person sitting to the immediate left of the second person?

(A) RP

(B) VS

(C) QT

(D) SV

79. In which of the following options, the middle person is sitting between the other two?

(A) TUQ

(B) URT

(C) STQ

(D) None of these

80. What is the position of U?

(A) Immediate right of P

(B) Immediate left of R

(C) Fourth to the right of S

(D) Between P and T

81. Which of the following operation is performed automatically when the computer turns on?

(A) Processing

(B) Booting

(C) Saving

(D) Editing

82. Which of the following mouse action is used to access the properties of any object?

(A) Click

(B) Double Click

(C) Right Click

(D) Drag and Drop ✓

83. Which among the following is the shortcut key for slideshow in Microsoft Power Point?

(A) F5

(B) F7

(C) F4

(D) F12

84. Which among the following is the smallest unit of data in a computer system?  
(A) Nibble (B) Bit  
(C) Byte (D) KB
85. Which among the following is not an extension of a picture file?  
(A) .jpg (B) .gif  
(C) .png (D) .tpf
86. In Excel to protect a worksheet, you can choose Protection and the Protect Sheet from which of the following menu?  
(A) Data (B) Tools  
(C) Edit (D) Format
87. What is the term used for a prescribed set of well-defined instructions for solving the mathematical problems?  
(A) Code (B) Algorithm  
(C) Syntax (D) Compiler
88. The feature in Microsoft Word allows to change the color of the selected text?  
(A) Change Color (B) Text Color  
(C) Font Color (D) Background Color
89. Which of the memories has the shortest access time?  
(A) Cache Memory (B) Magnetic Bubble Memory  
(C) Magnetic core Memory (D) RAM
90. What is the maximum Zoom Percent allowed in Microsoft PowerPoint 2007?  
(A) 100% (B) 200%  
(C) 300% (D) 400%

91. Shortcut key used to check spelling and grammar in MS-Word:-

(A) F4

(B) F6

(C) F7

(D) F9

92. Which one of the following is not an e-mail service provider?

(A) Hotmail

(B) Gmail

(C) Outlook

(D) Bing

93. Select the odd one out :-

(A) Interpreter

(B) Operating System

(C) Compiler

(D) Assembler

94. What is a note or an annotation that an author or reviewer adds to a document?

(A) Footer

(B) Header

(C) Caption

(D) Comment

95. In CRT, T Stands for:-

(A) Text

(B) Table

(C) Tube

(D) Technology

96. In Word, the mailing list is known as the \_\_\_\_\_

(A) Data Sheets

(B) Sources

(C) Data Source

(D) Sheets

97. Speed of supercomputer measured in:

(A) Kbps

(B) Mbps

(C) FLOPS

(D) MIPS

98. Which of the following is a video format?

(A) BMP

(B) GIF

(C) PNG

(D) FLV

99. What type of technology allows you to verbally speak with someone over the Internet?

(A) Social Media

(B) VoIP

(C) E-Phone

(D) Blog

100. Generally, web address is located by:-

(A) Hyperlink

(B) HTTP

(C) URL

(D) Locator

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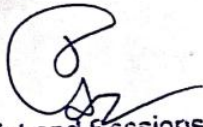
Q (P)

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**REVISED ANSWER KEY**

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2	D	22	C	42	B	62	D	82	C
3	A	23	B	43	A	63	D	83	A
4	C	24	D	44	D	64	D	84	B
5	A	25	A	45	A	65	D	85	D
6	D	26	C	46	D	66	C	86	B
7	C	27	B	47	C	67	C	87	B
8	B	28	A	48	D	68	A	88	C
9	C	29	C	49	D	69	A	89	A
10	B	30	B	50	D	70	C	90	D
11	C	31	B	51	B	71	D	91	C
12	C	32	A	52	D	72	A	92	D
13	D	33	B	53	C	73	C	93	B
14	A	34	D	54	B	74	B	94	D
15	D	35	C	55	B	75	D	95	C
16	A	36	D	56	D	76	D	96	C
17	B	37	B	57	C	77	A	97	C
18	D	38	A	58	D	78	D	98	D
19	D	39	D	59	D	79	D	99	B
20	C	40	C	60	C	80	C	100	C

  
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