

1. Match List I with List II:
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| List I | List II |
| a. Caste | 1. Modern society |
| b. Class | 2. Ascribed |
| c. Informal Social Control | 3. Achieved |
| d. Formal social control | 4. Primitive society |
| A) a-2, b-3, c-4, d-1 | B) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2 |
| C) a-3, b-4, c-2, d-1 | D) a-1, b-2, c-3, d-4 |
2. Identify the true statement/s:
1. Accommodation is the process whereby individuals or groups once dissimilar become similar and identified in their interest and outlook
 2. Assimilation refers to the process in which man attains a sense of harmony with his environment
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
3. Who is associated with the concept 'habitus'?
- A) Pierre Bourdieu B) Jean Baudrillard
C) Michael Foucault D) Jacques Derrida
4. Identify the true statement/s:
1. Anticipatory socialization refers to the processes of socialization in which a person "rehearses" for future positions, occupations, and social relationships.
 2. Resocialization refers to the process of discarding former behaviour patterns and accepting new ones as part of a transition in one's life
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
5. Which of the following are the objectives of land reforms?
1. Putting a ceiling on land holding and redistributing excess land to the landless
 2. Abolishing the intermediaries who were exploiting the farmers
 3. Consolidation of land holdings and prevention of land fragmentation
- A) 1 only B) 1 & 2 only C) 2 & 3 only D) 1, 2 & 3
6. Match List I with List II:
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| a. Eurocentrism | 1. Immanuel Wallerstein |
| b. World System | 2. EF Schumacher |
| c. High mass consumption | 3. Samir Amin |
| d. Small is beautiful | 4. WW Rostow |
| A) a-3, b-1, c-4, d-2 | B) a-3, b-4, c-1, d-2 |
| C) a-2, b-3, c-4, d-1 | D) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1 |

7. Akhil married his father's only sister's daughter. The only daughter of Akhil's father-in-law is Anupama. Gopal is Anupama's father-in-law. Akhil's father-in-law, Narayanan is married with Gayathri. The relation between Gopal and Gayathri is---- kinship.
 A) Primary B) Secondary C) Tertiary D) Fictitious
8. Structuration theory is associated with:
 A) Lewis Coser B) Luis Althusser
 C) Anthony Giddens D) Antonio Gramsci
9. Identify the true statement/s:
 1. A ratio scale has all the properties of an interval scale and additionally it has an absolute zero
 2. A Fahrenheit Scale is an example for ratio scale
 3. A nominal scale is used for quantitative scaling
 A) 1 only B) 1 & 2 only C) 2 & 3 only D) 1, 2 & 3
10. "Values are general standards and may be regarded as higher order norms". Who gave this definition of social values?
 A) RK Merton B) Young and Mack
 C) HM Johnson D) McIver and Page
11. Assertion (A): Participant observation allows the researcher to observe individual behaviours and situations that may not usually open to scientific observation.
 Reason (R) : Participant observers may sometimes lose their objectivity or may unduly influence the individuals whose behaviour they are observing.
 A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
12. Which of the following is a dissociative social process?
 A) Contravention B) Competition C) Conflict D) All of these
13. Assertion (A): The National Commission for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes is appointed as per the provisions of Article 338.
 Reason (R) : The Article 342 empowers the President of India to declare some groups or communities as "Scheduled Tribes", on the recommendations of the Governor of the State of Union Territory.
 A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true

14. Which of the following does **not** belong to the dimensions of communalism suggested by T.K Oommen ?
 A) Welfarist B) Secessionist C) Nationalist D) Retreatist
15. Below are four characteristics of a social issue. Identify the social issue.
 1. It is against the state or community 2. It uses violence
 3. It has a political purpose 4. It is illegal and unlawful
 A) Communalism B) Terrorism
 C) Sub-nationalism D) Ethnic violence
16. An Indian sociologist who belongs to Marxian tradition:
 A) S.C. Dube B) G.S. Ghurye
 C) M.N. Srinivas D) A.R. Desai
17. Which of the following are considered as the four pillars of democracy?
 A) Legislature, Executive, Judiciary, Media
 B) Legislature, Bureaucracy, Executive, Judiciary
 C) Gramasabha, Village Panchayat, Block Panchayat, District Panchayat
 D) Upper house, Lower house, State Assembly, Judiciary
18. Match List I with List II:

List I	List II
a. Revolution	1. Slow and gradual change
b. Assimilation	2. Dissociative
c. Competition	3. Associative
d. Evolution	4. Sudden and total change

 A) a-2, b-1, c-4, d-3 B) a-2, b-3, c-4, d-1
 C) a-4, b-1, c-3, d-2 D) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1
19. Which of the following was a reason for the changes in caste system?
 A) Legislations B) Modern Education
 C) Urbanisation D) All of these
20. ---- that are **not** related to the purpose of the study, but may affect the dependent variable are termed as....
 A) Dependent variable, independent variable
 B) Independent variable, dependent variable
 C) Independent variable, extraneous variable
 D) Extraneous variable, independent variable
21. Identify the true statement/s:
 1. Arithmetic mean is least affected by sampling fluctuations
 2. Arithmetic mean is least affected by extreme values
 A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2

22. According to-----when conflict is violent and intense, it will generate for each party to the conflict clear-cut group boundaries, centralization power and decision-making authority, and ideological solidarity among the members of the respective conflict groups.
- A) Lewis A Coser B) Robert K Merton
C) Anthony Giddens D) Karl Marx
23. -----is a proposition which can be put to test to determine its validity.
- A) Concept B) Hypothesis C) Variable D) Theory
24. ----- questions allow respondents to express their feelings and opinions in their own words, while ----- questions restrict their choices of responses.
- A) Open-ended, Closed-ended
B) Closed-ended, Open-ended
C) Leading, Loaded
D) Random, non-random
25. Match List I with List II:
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| List I | List II |
| a. Family, Kinship and Marriage in India | 1. T N Madan |
| b. Marriage and Family in India | 2. Patricia Uberoi |
| c. Kinship Organisation in India | 3. K M Kapadia |
| d. Family and Kinship | 4. Iravati Karve |
- A) a-3, b-1, c-4, d-2 B) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1
C) a-2, b-1, c-4, d-3 D) a-2, b-3, c-4, d-1
26. Who is associated with the concept 'hegemony'?
- A) Antonio Gramsci B) Michael Foucault
C) Arnold Toynbee D) Ulrich Beck
27. IGNOAPS stands for:
- A) Indira Gandhi National Old Adult Pension Scheme
B) Indira Gandhi National Orphan Adult Pension Scheme
C) Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension Scheme
D) Indira Gandhi National Open Adult Primary Schooling
28. Thurston Scale is used to measure:
- A) Attitude B) Aptitude C) Intelligence D) All of these
29. Which of the following are the characteristics of dominant caste?
1. High mobility 2. Economic and political power
3. High rank in caste hierarchy 4. Numerical strength
- A) 1 & 4 only B) 2 & 3 only C) 1, 2 & 3 only D) 2, 3 & 4 only

30. Which of the following is **not** an agrarian movement?
 A) Indigo Revolution B) Bardoli Satyagraha
 C) Naxalbari Movement D) Bishnoi Movement
31. Assertion (A): According to Durkheim, mechanical solidarity is based on resemblance resulting out of homogeneity.
 Reason (R): Modern complex industrial societies are characterised by mechanical solidarity.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
32. The Persons with Disabilities Act 1995 was replaced by:
 A) The Protection of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016
 B) The Protection of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016
 C) The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016
 D) None of the Above
33. SRSWR stands for:
 A) Simple Random Sampling With Rationalization
 B) Simple Random Sampling With Replacement
 C) Simple Random Sampling Without Replacement
 D) Single Random Sampling With Representation
34. Scientific method is based on:
 1. Experiments 2. Objectivity
 3. Intuitions 4. Logical reasoning
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) 1,2 &4 only D) 1, 2, 3 & 4
35. Identify the true statement/s:
 1. According to Bourdieu, Cultural capital can exist in three forms; in the embodied state, in the objectified state and in the institutionalized state.
 2. Social capital is the aggregate of the actual or potential resources which are linked to possession of a durable network of more or less institutionalized relationships of mutual acquaintance and recognition.
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
36. What should be avoided in a questionnaire?
 A) Loaded questions
 B) Leading questions
 C) Double-barrelled questions
 D) All the above

37. A group of people pulling a truck stuck in mud is an example for:
 A) Indirect cooperation B) Direct cooperation
 C) Coerced cooperation D) None of the above
38. The British people pioneered sociological analysis of Indian society because:
 A) They were interested in establishing sociology as an academic discipline in India
 B) They wanted to teach Indians about the rich socio-cultural heritage of India
 C) Knowledge of Indian culture and social life was indispensable for the smooth functioning of the colonial administration
 D) All the above
39. Match List I with List II:
 List I List II
 a. Community 1. Voluntary membership
 b. Association 2. Territorial group
 c. Conflict 3. Dynamic
 d. Society 4. Dissociative
- A) a-3, b-1, c-4, d-2 B) a-1, b-3, c-4, d-2
 C) a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3 D) a-2, b-1, c-4, d-3
40. Identify the true statement/s about IPCC:
 1. The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) is an international body established by the United States after the Second World War
 2. The IPCC provides governments with information related to climate change and prepares comprehensive assessment reports about climate change and its impacts
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
41. The set of values which are envisaged by Gandhian Model of Development:
 A) Greed, competition, dependence, swaraj
 B) Humanism, social justice, trusteeship, limitation of wants
 C) Swaraj, trusteeship, greed, selfishness
 D) Self-reliance, selfishness, satyagraha, trusteeship
42. Which of the following are part of Corporate Social Responsibility?
 A) Economic responsibility, philanthropic responsibility, environmental responsibility, ethical/human rights responsibility
 B) Economic responsibility, environmental responsibility, ethical responsibility, educational responsibility
 C) Philanthropic responsibility, community responsibility, corporate responsibility, environmental responsibility
 D) Environmental responsibility, educational responsibility, philanthropic responsibility, human rights responsibility

43. The third stage of development according to Rostow's stages of economic growth is:
 A) High mass consumption B) Drive to maturity
 C) Take-off D) Preconditions of take-off
44. The four basic dimensions of Mc Donaldization are:
 A) Efficacy, Unpredictability, Flexibility & Uncertainty
 B) Efficiency, Calculability, Predictability & Control
 C) Effectiveness, Predictability, Flexibility & Technology
 D) Efficiency, Flexibility, Rigidity & Control
45. Identify the true statement/s about caste system:
 1. Caste system imposes civil and religious disabilities upon the higher castes
 2. Caste system gives civil and religious privileges to the untouchables
 A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
46. Author of "The Decline of the West" :
 A) Edward Said B) Oswald Spengler
 C) Noam Chomsky D) Arnold Toynbee
47. The racial group **not** included in BS Guha's racial classification:
 A) Nordic B) Proto-Austroloid
 C) Turko-Iranian D) Western Brachycephals
48. Who among the following is associated with exchange theory?
 A) Peter Berger B) Peter Blau
 C) Radcliff Brown D) Harold Garfinkel
49. Assertion (A): The Central Government appointed a Committee on 'Prevention of Corruption' in 1962, under the chairmanship of K. Santhanam
 Reason (R): The Central Government established the Central Vigilance Commission in 1964 based on the recommendations of Santhanam Committee
 A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
50. Which of the following is an agency of globalisation?
 A) Media B) International trade
 C) International migration D) All of these
51. -----is a way of life.
 A) Urbanisation B) Urban C) Urbanism D) Urbane

52. Identify the true statements:
1. Digital divide refers to the gap between individuals, households, businesses and geographic areas at different socio-economic levels with regard both to their opportunities to access ICTs and to their use of the Internet for a wide variety of activities
 2. People in the third world countries are better able to enjoy the benefits of the digital revolution
 3. The developed nations with more resources to invest in and develop ICT infrastructure are reaping enormous benefits from the information age
- A) 1 & 3 only B) 2 & 3 only C) 1 & 2 only D) 1, 2 & 3
53. The second stage of demographic transition is characterised by:
- A) High Birth Rate and High Death Rate
 - B) High Birth Rate and Low Death Rate
 - C) Low Birth Rate and High Death Rate
 - D) Low Birth Rate and Low Death Rate
54. Match List I with List II:
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| a. Dysfunction | 1. Talcott Parsons |
| b. Front stage and back stage | 2. G H Mead |
| c. Social Action | 3. Irving Goffman |
| d. 'I' and 'me' | 4. Robert K Merton |
- A) a-2, b-4, c-1, d-3 B) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2
 C) a-4, b-2, c-3, d-1 D) a-1, b-2, c-3, d-4
55. Identify the true statement/s:
1. A pilot study is conducted in order to check the efficiency of the data collection instruments
 2. A pretest is a smaller version of the larger study conducted to check the feasibility of the study
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
56. Assertion (A): A questionnaire is the best tool of data collection if the respondents are illiterate
 Reason (R): It is very difficult to use interview schedule if the sample is very large and geographically scattered.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - C) A is true but R is false
 - D) A is false but R is true

57. Who among the following is associated with the concept 'Global Village'?
- A) Michael Foucault B) Marshall McLuhan
C) George Ritzer D) Anthony Giddens
58. Identify the true statement/s:
1. When population elements are selected for inclusion in the sample based on the ease of access, it can be called convenience sampling.
 2. If the researcher's judgement is used for selecting items which he considers as representative of the population, it is called judgemental sampling
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
59. ----- research aims at finding a solution for an immediate problem.
- A) Action research B) Applied research
C) Fundamental research D) Sample research
60. Identify the true statements:
1. Attitude or opinion research is an example for qualitative research
 2. All social phenomena can be quantitatively measured
 3. Case study is an example for qualitative method
 4. Qualitative research is concerned with subjective phenomena
- A) 1, 2 & 3 only B) 2 & 4 only C) 1, 3 & 4 only D) 1, 2, 3 & 4
61. Which of the following is a work of GH Ghurye?
- A) Caste and Race in India B) Indian Sadhus
C) Cities and Civilisation D) All the above
62. Which of the following represents the correct order in the stages of research?
- A) Literature survey, formulation of the problem, hypothesis formulation, preparing research design
B) Hypothesis formulation, literature survey, formulation of the problem, preparing research design
C) Formulation of the problem, literature survey, hypothesis formulation, preparing the research design
D) Problem formulation, preparing research design, hypothesis formulation, literature review
63. Identify the true statement/s:
1. Ethnomethodology is the study of the methods by which human beings attempted to make meaning from their environment
 2. Conversation analysis, which is a variety of ethnomethodology, is "the detailed understanding of the fundamental structures of conversational interaction"
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2

64. Who is associated with reflexive sociology?
 A) Pierre Bourdieu B) Karl Marx
 C) Max Weber D) Jacques Derrida
65. Identify the true statement/s about Likert Scale:
 1. Likert scale is designed to measure people's attitudes, opinions, or perceptions.
 2. Likert scale normally includes the responses "strongly agree," "agree," "neutral," "disagree," and "strongly disagree."
 A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
66. Which of the following is **not** a reason of communalism?
 A) Secular politics B) Educational backwardness
 C) Communal politics D) Divide and rule
67. ITES stands for:
 A) Information Technology Enhancing Software
 B) Information Technology Enabled Services
 C) Information Technology Education Services
 D) International Technology Extension Services
68. Assertion (A): Dominant cultures rely upon mass media and communications technologies to expand and shore up their economic, geopolitical, and cultural influence over other countries.
 Reason (R): Corporatisation of media helps poor countries to spread their culture across national boundaries.
 A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
69. Which of the following is **not** related to Parson's action system?
 A) Social System B) Cultural System
 C) Personality System D) Power System
70. The Peoples' Plan Campaign was launched in:
 A) 1996 B) 1992 C) 2006 D) 1991
71. Which among the following is an example for core country?
 A) India B) USA C) Pakistan D) Sudan
72. Identify the true statement/s about migration:
 1. The 'oil boom' in Gulf countries created large number of employment opportunities
 2. Nationalisation policies of Gulf countries resulted a boom in Gulf migration
 A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2

73. -----refers to the variations in, or modifications of, any aspect of social process, social patterns, social interaction or social organisation.
 A) Social change B) Social evolution
 C) Social progress D) Social development
74. Identify the true statement/s:
 1. A clerk attaining the position of a Branch Manager is an example for horizontal mobility
 2. Vertical mobility is possible in caste system
 A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 &2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
75. According to ----“A religion is a unified system of beliefs and practices relative to sacred things, that is to say, things set apart and forbidden”
 A) Emile Durkheim B) Ferdinand Tonnies
 C) James G. Frazer D) Max Weber
76. The Arithmetic Mean of a series of 8 numbers is 30. If 17, 32, 41, 52, 22 and 36 are the six numbers in the series, which of the following are the remaining 2 numbers in the series?
 A) 20, 25 B) 15, 25 C) 30, 40 D) 10, 20
77. Fraternal Polyandry is a type of marriage where:
 A) The wives are sisters
 B) The wives are from same Gotra
 C) The husbands are brothers
 D) Brothers of one family marry sisters of another family
78. Match List I with List II:

List I	List II
a. Eight-fold path	1. Jainism
b. Digambara and Swetambara	2. Judaism
c. Semitic Religion	3. Sikhism
d. Guru Granth Sahib	4. Buddhism

 A) a-1, b-2, c-3, d-4 B) a-1, b-3, c-2, d-4
 C) a-2, b-1, c-4, d-3 D) a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3
79. Author of “Positive Polity”:
 A) Max Weber B) Wilfredo Pareto
 C) Aguste Comte D) Karl Marx
80. Statement 1. Stage 1 is marked with high birth rate and high death rate
 Statement 2. In stage 2 death rate falls but birth rate remains high
 A) Both 1 &2 are true B) 1 only is true
 C) 2 only is true D) Neither 1 nor 2 is true

81. Identify the correct statements:
 1. Sanskritization is a process of cultural change towards twice-born castes
 2. Sanskritization is helpful in the social mobility of lower caste
 3. Sanskritization process is not only confined to the caste people of Hindu society, it is also found among the tribal society.
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 1 & 3 only
 C) 1, 2 & 3 D) 2 & 3 only
82. Assertion (A): The long series of political revolutions ushered in by the French Revolution and carrying over through the nineteenth century was the most important factor in the rise of sociological theorizing
 Reason (R): The social thinkers of that time were disturbed by the resulting chaos and disorder.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
83. Match List I with List II:
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| a. Community Development Programme | 1. 1978 |
| b. Indira Awaaz Yojana | 2. 1952 |
| c. Mahatma Gandhi NREGA | 3. 1985 |
| d. IRDP | 4. 2005 |
- A) a-1, b-4, c-3, d-2 B) a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3
 C) a-1, b-2, c-3, d-4 D) a-2, b-3, c-4, d-1
84. Author of “Buffalo Nationalism: A Critique of Spiritual Fascism” :
 A) Kancha Ilaiah B) A.R. Desai
 C) B.R. Ambedkar D) DP Mukherji
85. Assertion (A): Green Revolution resulted in tremendous increase in crop production
 Reason (R): Green Revolution converted agriculture as an industrial system and adopted modern methods and technology.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
86. Who among the following is associated with public sociology?
 A) Michael Burawoy B) George Ritzer
 C) Howard Becker D) Jean Baudrillard

87. Match List I with List II:
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| a. Ceiling on holdings | 1. Landlord |
| b. Muthanga agitation | 2. Land right |
| c. Kanam | 3. Land struggle |
| d. Janmi | 4. Land reforms |
- A) a-1, b-4, c-3, d-2 B) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1
C) a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3 D) a-3, b-4, c-1, d-2
88. Which of the following is **not** a characteristic of Kerala model development?
- A) High economic growth B) Low population growth
C) High health standards D) Low infant mortality rate
89. According to Auguste Comte, the order of social and mental development is:
- A) Positive, theological, metaphysical
B) Metaphysical, theological, positive
C) Theological, metaphysical, positive
D) Positive, metaphysical, theological
90. ----- rejects metaphysics, intuition and introspection.
- A) Objectivism B) Verstehen
C) Phenomenology D) Positivism
91. Assertion (A): A Phratry is a grouping of clans which are related by traditions of common descent
Reason (R) : Phratry is a system of social groupings found only among matrilineal descent groups
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
C) A is true but R is false
D) A is false but R is true
92. In management principles, the formal lines of authority from the highest to lowest is called:
- A) Bureaucracy B) Scalar chain C) Glass ceiling D) Hierarchy
93. Which of the following is/are the characteristics of residues, according to Pareto?
- Residues are, more or less, permanent motivators of human behaviour
 - Residues are neither instincts nor sentiments though they bear close relation to these
 - Residues are not based on any reason
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 1 & 3 only C) 2 only D) 1, 2 & 3

94. Match List I with List II:
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| a. Ramsar Convention | 1. 1992 |
| b. Rio Summit | 2. 1971 |
| c. Stockholm Conference | 3. 2000 |
| d. Millennium Summit | 4. 1972 |
- A) a-2, b-1, c-4, d-3 B) a-3, b-1, c-2, d-4
 C) a-3, b-2, c-1, d-4 D) a-2, b-3, c-4, d-1
95. Assertion (A): The peasant movements in pre-independent India were not only social unrest against landlords and money lenders but also civil unrest against the British
 Reason (R): The British policies protected the landlords and moneylenders and exploited the peasants
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
96. Identify the correct order of the hierarchy of sciences, according to Comte:
- A) Mathematics, Astronomy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Sociology
 B) Biology, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Sociology and Astronomy
 C) Physics, Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry, Astronomy and Sociology
 D) Mathematics, Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Sociology and Physics
97. POCSO stands for:
- A) Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act
 B) Prohibition of Crimes and Sexual Offences Act
 C) Protection of Children from Serious Offences Act
 D) Protection of Child Sexual Offences Act
98. Which of the following is a source of greenhouse gas emission?
- A) Burning of fossil fuels B) Agriculture
 C) Transportation D) All of these
99. Which of the following is the correct chronological order of Micheal Foucault's works?
1. Madness and Civilisation 2. The Birth of the Clinic
 3. Discipline and Punish 4. The History of Sexuality
- A) 1, 2, 4, 3 B) 1, 2, 3, 4 C) 4, 3, 2, 1 D) 3, 2, 1, 4
100. Mahatma Gandhi is an example for---- authority.
- A) Rational legal B) Traditional
 C) Charismatic D) All of these

101. Which of the following practice(s) is / are **against** research ethics?
1. Obtaining informed consent of the respondents
 2. Deceiving or defaming the participant
 3. Compelling participants to commit acts that diminish their self-respect
 4. Causing mental or physical stress to the participants
- A) 1 only B) 1 &2 only C) 1 &3 only D) 2, 3&4 only
102. Identify the true statement/s:
1. Reliability refers to the extent to which a measure adequately represents the underlying construct that it is supposed to measure.
 2. Validity refers to the degree to which the measure of a construct is consistent or dependable.
 3. Validity and reliability are two crucial concepts in research that ensure the quality and accuracy of research finding
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 3 only C) 2 &3 only D) 1,2 & 3
103. Assertion (A): International agencies have a vital role in protecting environment and formulating environmental policies
Reason (R): Pollution, resource depletion, extinction of species, climate change and other environmental issues transcend national boundaries
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - C) A is true but R is false
 - D) A is false but R is true
104. An international agency working for environmental protection:
- A) UNEP B) IPCC C) IUCN D) All of these
105. Match List I with List II:
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| a. Auguste Comte | 1. English |
| b. Herbert Spencer | 2. German |
| c. Vilfredo Pareto | 3. French |
| d. Max Weber | 4. Italian |
- A) a-4, b-2, c-1, d-3 B) a-3, b-1, c-4, d-2
C) a-1, b-4, c-3, d-2 D) a-2, b-4, c-3, d-1
106. Zoroastrianism originated in:
- A) Greece B) Persia C) India D) Iraq
107. -----slow and gradual change.
- A) Progress B) Evolution
C) Development D) Revolution

108. Which of the following statements are true about an interval scale?
1. It has all the qualities of a nominal and ordinal scale
 2. It has an absolute zero point
 3. There is an equal distance between each value
 4. A temperature scale is an example for interval scale
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 2 & 3 only C) 1, 3 & 4 only D) 1, 2, 3 & 4
109. Match List I with List II:
- | List I | List II |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| a. Cultural hegemony | 1. Jacques Derrida |
| b. Deconstruction | 2. Louis Althusser |
| c. Power-knowledge | 3. Antonio Gramsci |
| d. Ideological State Apparatus | 4. Michael Foucault |
- A) a-4, b-1, c-3, d-2 B) a-3, b-1, c-4, d-2
 C) a-3, b-2, c-4, d-1 D) a-2, b-4, c-1, d-3
110. The '3R's in the context of waste management:
- A) Reduce, Reproduce, Resist
 - B) Recover, Reproduce, Regenerate
 - C) Reduce, Reuse, Recycle
 - D) Refuse, Recycle, Reproduce
111. Assertion (A): Gender Development Index is considered as a gender sensitive extension of Human Development Index
 Reason (R): It measures gender inequalities in the achievement of key dimensions of HDI, viz. life expectancy, education and income
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - C) A is true but R is false
 - D) A is false but R is true
112. Identify the true statement/s:
1. Critical theory is the product of a group of German neo-Marxists who were dissatisfied with the state of Marxian theory particularly its tendency toward economic determinism.
 2. The prominent thinkers of critical school include Alfred Schutz, Peter Blau and GH Mead
- A) 1 only B) 2 only
 C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2

113. Which of the statement/s is / are true?
1. The Member States of the United Nations adopted ‘The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development’, in 2015.
 2. The 2030 Agenda consists of 17 Sustainable Development Goals
 3. The Sustainable Development Goals were adopted at the Earth Summit, Rio De Janeiro in 2015
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) 1 &2 only D) 1, 2 & 3
114. Which of the following statement is **not** true about a Multinational Corporation?
- A) A Multinational Corporation has its headquarter in home country and it operates branches and subsidiaries in many other countries
 - B) A Multinational Corporation is owned and managed by the government of the home country where it is headquartered
 - C) It has huge financial assets and utilise modern technology and management principles
 - D) Coca Cola is an example for a Multinational Company
115. Assertion (A): Globalisation has widened the gap between the rich and poor countries
Reason (R): Globalisation and trade liberalisation ensures equal distribution resources across nations and communities
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - C) A is true but R is false
 - D) A is false but R is true
116. Identify the true statement/s:
1. Indo-Aryan is the largest language family in India
 2. India has a three-language policy consisting of Hindi, English and regional language
 3. Bodo, Dogri, Maithily and Santhali were added to the 8th Schedule of the Constitution in 2004
- A) 1 only B) 3 only C) 2 &3 only D) 1, 2 &3
117. Which of the following is **not** an indicator of Human Development Index?
- A) Life Expectancy at birth
 - B) Population Density
 - C) Average years of schooling
 - D) Gross National Income

118. ----is the principle that Internet Service Providers should not discriminate among providers of content.
- A) Internet ethics B) Net neutrality
C) Net equity D) Net monopoly
119. Identify the true statement/s:
1. Indology studies Indian society and culture through the Indian texts
2. MN Srinivas is an Indologist
- A) 1 only B) 2 only
C) Both 1 &2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
120. Assertion (A): The concept 'dramaturgy' was introduced in to sociology by Alfred Schutz in his work 'The Presentation of Self in Everyday Life'.
- Reason (R) : Dramaturgy uses the metaphor of theatre to explain human behaviour, where individuals perform actions in everyday life as if they were performers on a stage.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
C) A is true but R is false
D) A is false but R is true
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