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**DIRECTIONS for questions 1-40:** Mark the best option:

1. United Nations Security Council had imposed sanctions on Iran in view of its defiance to continue its nuclear programme against Council's resolution. Which of the following sanctions had been imposed on Iran?
  - A) Travel Bans
  - B) Financial Restrictions
  - C) Ban on purchase of heavy weapons, Fighter Helicopters and Missiles
  - D) All of these
  
2. The Prime Minister of the UK is
  - A) Boris Johnson
  - B) John Major
  - C) George Osborne
  - D) Theresa May
  
3. The first woman Prime Minister of Australia was
  - A) Angela Merkel
  - B) Iveta Radicova
  - C) Mari Kiviniemi
  - D) Julia Gillard



4. 12 Pacific Rim countries signed Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) agreement on 6 October 2015. Which covers about 40 per cent of the world economy. Which of the following is not a member :
- A) China    B) USA    C) New Zealand    D) Peru
5. When did the UN General Assembly amend Article 23 of the UN Charter to extend the number to 15 members in the Security Council?
- A) 17th December, 1963  
B) 18th December, 1963  
C) 19th December, 1963  
D) 21st December, 1963
6. Match List I (Defence Institute) with List II (Location) and select the correct answer using the codes given below the Lists :

List I	List II
A. Defence Services Staff College	1. Mhow
B. College of Defence Management	2. Secunderabad
C. Army War College	3. Wellington
D. Military College of Electronics and Mechanical Engineering	

- A) A-2 B-1 C-2 D-3      B) A-3 B-2 C-1 D-2  
C) A-2 B-2 C-1 D-3      D) A-3 B-1 C-2 D-2



7. The International Anti-Corruption Academy (IACA) is based in
- A) Switzerland                      B) Sweden  
C) Austria                              D) US
8. India is a regular/permanent member of :
1. Association of South-East Asian Nations  
2. Shanghai Cooperation Organization  
3. South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- A) 1 and 2 only                      B) 3 only  
C) 2 and 3 only                      D) 1, 2 and 3
9. Which is the only Asian country represented in G-7 Group?
- A) India    B) China    C) Japan    D) South Korea
10. Soft Bank has proposed to offer free electricity after 25 years to International Solar Alliance member countries that sign power purchase agreements. Where are the headquarters of Soft Bank?
- A) Japan    B) China    C) US                      D) UK



11. Which is the Sunshine policy of South Korea ?
  - A) To tap solar energy
  - B) Develop beaches
  - C) Send food and financial aid to the poor people of North Korea
  - D) None of these
12. The North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (NATO) is headquartered in
  - A) Camp David, Maryland USA
  - B) Geneva
  - C) Brussels
  - D) Sweden
13. The headquarter of the International Committee of Red Cross are at
  - A) Geneva
  - B) Paris
  - C) Rome
  - D) Stockholm
14. Famous 'Oscar Awards' are presented by the
  - A) American Motion Pictures Association
  - B) World Film Society
  - C) American Film Society
  - D) Academy of Motion Pictures, Arts and Sciences
15. The headquarters of International Red Cross are at
  - A) Geneva
  - B) New York
  - C) Stockholm
  - D) Paris



16. Setting up of a Development Bank was arrived at the meeting of:  
A) BRICS    B) ASEAN    C) NATO    D) EU
17. What is the purpose of SAARC?  
A) To promote the welfare of the people of South Asia  
B) To improve the environment of security in the region  
C) To accelerate economic growth and cultural development  
D) All of the above
18. Who is the Secretary General of SAARC ?  
A) Ban Ki-moon                      B) Dr. Karan Singh  
C) Q.A.M;A. Rahim                  D) None of these
19. Which country is the biggest contributor to the BRICS currency reserve pool?  
A) India    B) Russia    C) China    D) Brazil



20. What is the role of WTO (World Trade Organization)?
- A) To settle trade disputes between nations
  - B) To widen the principal of free trade to sectors such as services and agriculture
  - C) Both (a) and (b)
  - D) None of the above
21. The “World Population Prospects” report is released by\_\_\_\_\_?
- A) World Health Organisation (WHO)
  - B) United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF)
  - C) International Labour Organization (ILO)
  - D) United Nations (UN)
22. Which among the following matches is incorrect ?
- A) World Health Organisation (WHO) –Washington
  - B) Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) – Rome
  - C) International Telecommunication Union (ITU) – Geneva
  - D) United Nations International Children’s Emergency Fund (UNICEF) – New York







- 26.** The World Bank normally gives :
- A) short-term loans
  - B) medium-term loans
  - C) long-term loans
  - D) medium and long-term loans
- 27.** The International Monetary Fund (IMF) came into existence with :
- A) Berlin Conference
  - B) London Conference
  - C) Brettonwoods Conference
  - D) Rome Conference
- 28.** Structural adjustment loans given by the World Bank are meant for :
- A) increasing employment in agriculture
  - B) increasing export-earning capacity of the borrower country
  - C) reducing inequalities of income distribution
  - D) encouraging capital-intensive industries



29. Three of the following pairs are wrong. Find out the correct one :
- A) Written Constitution – England
  - B) Unitary State – USA
  - C) UN Security Council – Veto power
  - D) SAARC – No bilateral issues
30. The Landmines Treaty became a global law in September 1998 with the approval of :
- A) Norway
  - B) Burkina Faso
  - C) Thailand
  - D) Ethiopia
31. The Bandung Conference was a major milestone in the history of:
- A) The Non-aligned movement
  - B) Indo-Chinese relationship
  - C) U.S.-Vietnam War
  - D) Creation of ASEAN
32. Who were made the permanent members of the U.N. Security-Council?
- A) One representative from each continent



- B) Five major powers of the Allied Forces in the Second World War
- C) Five members elected by the U.N. General Assembly at the initial Constitution
- D) Funding members of the U.N.
- 33.** SAARC was founded in
- A) New Delhi                      B) Geneva
- C) Dhaka                          D) Thimpu
- 34.** Where is the Head-Quarters of the Botanical Survey of India located?
- A) Lucknow                      B) Darjeeling
- C) Kolkata                        D) Oottaccamund
- 35.** According to the UN convention on the rights of the child which amidst the following is NOT a right?
- A) Social security
- B) Employment
- C) Protection from exploitation
- D) Education
- 36.** In which year did the UN General-Assembly adopt the Universal Declaration of Human Rights ?
- A) 1945      B) 1948      C) 1952      D) 1955



37. Who were the three eminent statesmen who started the Non-aligned Movement ?
- A) Jawaharlal Nehru, Anwar Sadat, Soekarno
  - B) Jawaharlal Nehru, Chou En-lai, Kwame Nkrumah
  - C) Jawaharlal Nehru. Fidel Castro, Marshal Tito
  - D) Jawaharlal Nehru. Gamal Abdul Nasser, Marshal Tito
38. Decisions of the Security Council on procedural matters shall be made by an affirmative votes of members.
- A) Eleven
  - B) Ten
  - C) Eight
  - D) Nine
39. Which African nation is NOT a member of the African Union?
- A) Algeria
  - B) Morocco
  - C) Lesotho
  - D) Comoros
40. The headquarter of OAU (Organization of African Unity) are at
- A) Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
  - B) Washington DC
  - C) Paris
  - D) Jakarta, Indonesia



## Answer Key

Q. No.	Key	Q. No.	Key
1.	D	21.	D
2.	A	22.	A
3.	D	23.	A
4.	A	24.	A
5.	A	25.	B
6.	B	26.	C
7.	C	27.	C
8.	C	28.	C
9.	C	29.	C
10.	A	30.	D
11.	D	31.	A
12.	C	32.	B
13.	A	33.	C
14.	D	34.	C
15.	A	35.	B
16.	A	36.	B
17.	D	37.	D
18.	D	38.	D
19.	C	39.	B
20.	C	40.	A