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2018 GENERAL ENGLISH WITH GENERAL STUDIES DEGREE STANDARD

Time Allowed: 3 Hours [Maximum Marks: 300]

Read the following instructions carefully before you begin to answer the questions

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

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- 2. This Question Booklet contains are there in series and ensure there are no blank pages in the question booklet. In case any defect in the Question Paper is noticed it shall be reported to the Invigilator within first 10 minutes and get it replaced with a complete Question Booklet. If any defect is noticed in the Question Booklet after the commencement of examination it will not be replaced.
- 3. Answer all questions. All questions carry equal marks
- 4. You must write your Register Number in the space provided on the top right side of this page. Do not write anything else on the Question Booklet
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- 7. Each question comprises four responses (A), (B), (C) and (D). You are to select ONLY ONE correct response and mark in your Answer Sheet. In case you fell that there are more than one correct response, mark the response which you consider the best. In any case, choose ONLY ONE response for each question. Your total marks will depend on the number of correct responses marked by you in the Answer Sheet
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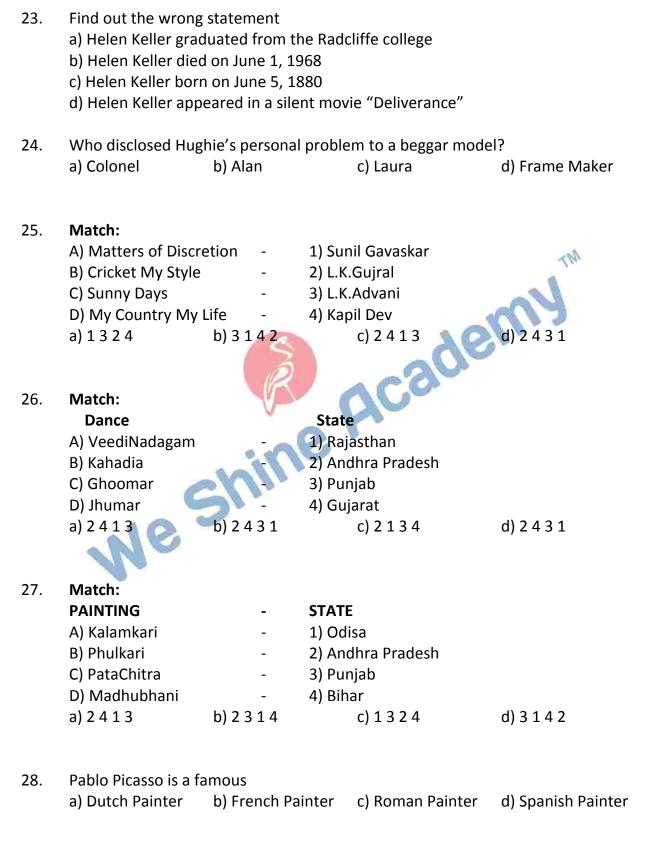
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- 14. Failure to comply with any of the above instructions will render you liable to such action or penalty as the Commission may be decide at their discretion



1.	Match:					
	A) Gratiano	-	1) Portia's Maid			
	B) Nerisa	-	2) Wealthy lady in	Belmont		
	C) Portia	-	3) Wife of Lorenzo			
	D) Jessica	-	4) Friend of Bassar	nio		
	a) 2 3 1 4		b) 2 1 3 4	c) 4 2 1 3	d) 4 1 2 3	
2.	Name the aut		no describes the No	octurnal life of a mo	other bat, in his/her	
	a) Adrey Helle	er	b) Randall Jarrell	c) Grace Nicolas	d) Henry Charles	
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3.	" Bamboo" is	a diet	of which animal?			
	a) Green Mad	aw	b) Howler monkey	c) Gaint Panda	d) Grizzly Bears	
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4.	Name the sho	ort stor	ry written by Cyril A	inthony George		
	a) The fairy cr		V.	e Meaning of Educ	ation	
	c) The colour	ful Swe	eet d) He	er dream Bi – cycle		
			3MG			
5.	"I may have I	oeen a	ffected by polio, bu	ut education has he	elped me to realize my	
	dreams". At what age Rajalakshmi Struck by polio?					
	a) Six		b) Five	c) Four	d) Seven	
6.	Name the sho			aved Hirachand from	m execution and made	
	a) The Unluck	ky Face	b) Bo	oat Song		
	c) With a frie	nd	d) Th	ne Meaning of Educ	ation	
7	"One day Lw	:11 +611 :	mu shildran haw d	ada and I plantad t	his sharm, traa many	
7.	years ago wh		•	ada and i pianted t	his cherry tree many	
			er who said this lin	e		
	a) Nila		b) Malar	c) Saruli	d) Rakhi	

8.	a) Emma Richards c) Dhan Gopal Mukerji	b) Ruskin Bond d) Lakshmi Mukundan	– who said this?
9.	Mabel is the wife of who a) Graham Bell b) Beethover		due to severe fever d) Edison
10.	Name the poem which is taken fr a) Apology c) Earth	om the essay "The eye of b) Tears of the desert d) None of the above	the prophet"
11.	Name the short story which is ext – III" by Carl Sandburg a) Stroke of Genius c) The man who has no eyes	b) One minute Apology d) The fairy crane	The War years volume
12.	Match: A) Oscar Wilde B) Pearl S Buck C) William Wordsworth D) Annie Louisa Walker a) 2 1 4 3 b) 2 4 1 3	1) Lucy Gray 2) An ideal Husband 3) The Night Comet 4) East Wind: West Wind c) 3412	d d) 4 3 2 1
13.	Among the following which is not a) The importance of Being Earne b) House of Pomegranates c) The Rainbow d) A woman of No importance		
14.	"A Canadian Heroine" is the First a) Edger A Guest b) F.Jonna		nnie Louisa Walker

15.	Find the short story, from which t a) Sun Beam		
	c) Ant Eater and Dassie	d) After the storm	
16.	Father of A.P.J. Abdul Kalam visua a) Doctor b) Teacher	alized him as a c) Lawyer	d) Collector
17.	Name the poet who refused to fig the period of Second World War		m labourerduring
	a) John Masefield c) Stephen Vincent Barret	b) James Kirkup d) Vivian Gould	~Y
18.	"Such Problems have to be confr a) Abdul Kalam's father c) Siva Subramani Iyer	conted". Who said this to Abb) Subramaniyam d) PakshiLakshamanaSastri	·
19.	East India Company opened post a) Bombay b) Kolkata	Box first in c) Surat	d) Allahabad
20.	"The Ship Weather'd every rack" Find out the figure of speech a) Personification b) Metaphor		d) Allusion
21.	"And your dress your wounds wi "Balsam" means? a) A bundle of corn c) peacefulness	th oil and balsam" b) chest or heart d) a pleasant smelling liquid	d
22.	"That I walk alone in grow and gl From the above lines I refers to w a) Edger A.Guest c) John Masefield		



29.	Name the poet who in 1990	won Jnanpitl	h Award for his epic "Bharatha Sindhu Rashmi"		
	a) Rabindranath Tag	gore	b) V.K.Gokak		
	c) GayathriPahlajan	i	d) Samuel Johnson		
30.	Find out the wrong				
	a) How To Eat a Poe		1) Eve Merriam		
	b) The Unlucky Face	-	2) Eunice de Souza		
	c) Rain in Summer		3) H.W.Longfellow		
	d) Sorry, Best Friend	d -	4) Colley Odder		
31.	Which is considered	d as America's	most prestigious award fo	r short fiction?	
	a) Anton Checkov p		b) O'Henry prize		
	c) Pearl S.Buck prize	9	d) None of the above	403	
		5	36		
32.	back to the other fi	elds"	es on the bunds at night and red his dialogue in the short		
	a) Kesavan Nair	b) Kuttichova	an c) KuttyMappila	d) Thirumeni	
33.	In the short story "S	Swami and the	e Sum". What is the price o	of Ten mangoes?",	
	a) 10 Annas	b) 12 Annas	c) 15 Annas	d) 20 Annas	
34.	"Is an art, Yet a part Of everybody life"				
	•	from which th	ne above lines where taken		
	a) With a friend	b) Cook		d) The Lover of God	
35.	"Man is a political a	animal". Who	said this:		
55.	a) Tom Peters	b) Aristotle	c) Socrates	d) Kkalil Gibran	

36.		In the short story "Swept Away" , Celine's daughter Amandine was to celebrate her birthday in two weeks time						
	a) tenth	b) fourteenth	c) Sixteenth	d) Twelfth				
37.	-	Labrador on t						
	a) black	b) brown	c) grey	d) blond				
38.	Xenophobia is	a						
	a) fear of close	d area b)	fear of night					
	c) fear of Stran	gers d)	fear of crowd					
				TAN				
39.	"to strike a toı	າ"						
	Find out the fig	gure of speech						
	a) Metaphor	b) Alliteration	c) Personificatio	on d) Allusion				
		R	400					
10.	Milam Glacier	· ·	of Munisyari					
	a) South – Wes		West – East of Muni	•				
	c) North – Wes	t of Munisyari d)	North – East of Mun	isyari				
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		300						
11.		rong statement	II					
	The second secon	m of Big temple is 58m						
		m of Big Temple is12 S		Tampla				
		as celebrated as the 10	Job years of the Big	rempie				
	a) The height c	of Siva linga is 8.7m						
12.	Who published	the poem Beat! Beat!	! Drums, during the	American Civil War				
	a) Thomas Har	•	och c) Walt Whitma					
13 .	What was the	theme for the World E	nvironment day in t	the year 2010?				
13.		: connecting with Nat	•	the year 2010:				
	b) Beat plastic	•	uic					
	c) One planet	politiciti						
	•	f our Environment						
	<i>5.</i> ,							

44.	44. "After all, winners don't do different things. They do things differently". A is the famous quote of				
	a) Abraham Lincolr	1	b) Winston Churchill		
	c) Edwin C. Bliss		d) Ralph Waldo Emerso	on	
45.	"The Sun plays tru short story	ant for most o	f the day" the above ph	rase is derived from the	
	a) After the storm		b) YaanaiMalai		
	c) Unquenhcable		d) To the land of snow		
46.	road to su	ccess is not	he correct articles in the bed of roses. Gandl nill greatest and	ni became leader	
	a) the the the a	b) a a a the	c) the a a thed)	the some a the	
47.	Match the following A) Randall Jarell B) Indira Anandakr C) Tagore D) Rudyard Kipling	ishnan -	1) The Neem Tree 2) Nobel Prize 3) Bombay 4) Bat		
	a) 4 1 2 3	b) 1 4 2 3	c) 4 1 3 2	d) 1 3 4 2	
48.	Mohiniyattam is a	classical dance	form from		
	a) Kerala	b) Bihar	c) Kashmir	d) Tamil Nadu	
49.	Mr. Pneumonia fig a) The Last Leaf b) The Selfish Giant c) The Lottery Ticke d) The Open Windo	t et			

Match the following: 50.

Quote/Line

- A) "I was born a farmer"
- B) "Nations are built by the Imagination and untiring

Enthusiastic efforts of generations"

- C) You cannot believe darling, can you that I lived in such a house
- D) "Into that heaven of freedom, My Father let my country awake"

- Author/Character
- 1) Kamala Surayya
- 2) Kesavan Nair
- 3) A. P. J. Abdul Kalam
- 4) Rabindranath Tagore

- a) 2 1 4 3
- b) 2314
- c) 2 4 1 3

Match the words in Column A with the suffixes in Column B 51.

Column A

- A) astonish
- B) potential
- C) ferocious D) success
- a) 1 4 3 2

1) - ful 2) - ment

3) – ness

Column B

- 4) itv
 - c) 2 4 3 1
- d) 2 4 1 3
- 52. Join the sentences given below. Choosing the correct relative pronoun furnished in brackets:

I know the girl. She is a famous sportsperson(whom/who)

a) I know the girl whom is a famous sportsperson

b) 3 4 2 1

- b)I know the girl who she is a famous sportsperson
- c) I know the girl who is a famous sportsperson
- d)I know the girl whom she is a famous sportsperson

53. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions:

The most popular therapy ----- getting rid ----- hiccups is to have someone to scare you when you least expect it

- a) to, away
- b) on, to
- c) off, for
- d) for, of

54.	Fill in the blank with a suitable question tag: Let's go for a walk,?						
	a) should we?		c) can we?	d) could we?			
55.	Choose the corre		verb to fill in the blank: al months				
	a) have been building	•	b) are building				
	c) will be building	5	d) had been building				
Passa	age:						
		_		rs than extroverts for the			
-				tion to what other people e others to suggest ideas,			
			nus increasing morale a				
	,	0		011			
56.			ecause they are				
	a) interested	b) attentive	c) attention-se	eking d) alluring			
57.	Which one of the a) The flowers sm		ence is incorrect?				
	b) Of Mumbai and Chennai, the former is the wealthiest						
	c) Six miles is a long distanced) As a novelist, Jane Austen is superior to Mrs. Henry Wood						
	d) As a flovelist, s	ane Austen is se	iperior to ivirs. Herity vi	7000			
58.	Identify the sentence which is in the positive degree						
	a) His age is a matter of minor importance						
	b) This is the most perfect specimen I have seenc) The last time I saw him, he was in high spirits						
	d) The longest lar						
59.	Identify the sente	ence which is in	the positive degree				
	a) This is a major						
	b) The latter char	J					
	c) Rama's intellig						
	d) He is junior to all his colleagues						

60.	Which one of the following words is an example of a compound word consisting of an adverb + participle?					
	a) pale blue	b) well defined	c) seafood	d) outsourcing		
61.	Which figure of s	speech does the ex	pression, "the hissing	noise of the snake"		
	a) logopoeia	b) anaphora	c) diaspora	d) onomatoepia		
62.	The figure of spe	ech used by Walt V	nd, its voyage closed Whitman in these line			
	a) Oxymoron	b) Personificati	on c) Simile	d) Metaphor		
63.		ord "Sandwiched" food item b	re sandwiched in bet mean here?) Trapped) Pressed between in	SIL		
64.	H.W. Longfellow a) Prayer	's poem "The Psalr b) Encomium	n of Life" is a piece of c) Appeal	f d) Advice		
65.	You cannot rob ι Nor turn our tho	picture of a 'wome ay reader b	cherish			
66.	a) And you O my b) All human roa	soul where you sta ds are dark and dry has no wealth to w	<i>'</i>	s "A Psalm of Life"		

67.	Who told the following statement?				
	"Tolerance is the highest result of a) Dr. Abdul Kalam				
	c) Helen Keller	b) Mahatma Gandhi d) Subash Chandra Bose			
	c) neien kenei	u) Subasii Cilaliula Bose			
68.	Select the correct sentence				
	a) Cakes are softer than cookies				
	b)Cakes are more soft than cook	ies			
	c)Cakes are softer then cookies				
	d)Cakes are soft than cookies				
CO	Dame of themsi was associated with	. In			
69.	Ram of Jhansi was associated wit	In.			
	a) Battle of Plasseyc) British Government	b) Sepoy Mutiny d) Indian National Congress			
	c) British dovernment	d) Indian National Congress			
		101			
70.	"The Story of My Experiments w	vith Truth" is an autobiographical work written			
	by	100			
	a) Jawaharlal Nehru	b) Mahatma Gandhi			
	c) Abraham Lincoln	d) Subash Chandra Bose			
	•••				
71.	In Oscar Wilde's "The Solfish Gia	nt" the spring season did not come to the giant's			
/ 1.	garden because	the spring season did not come to the giant's			
	a) he built a huge wall around his	s garden			
	b) he was very unkind to the spri				
	c) he did not allow the children in	_			
	d) he liked winter season				
72.		lionaire" Hughie is humane and handsome but			
	a) ineffable	b) a man of no means			
	c) heartless	d) a paranoid			
73.	In Oscar Wilde's "The Selfish Gia	nt", the giant's heart melted when he saw			
	a) the spring season				
	b) the children playing in the gar	den			
	c) the children singing and danci	_			
	d) a little child unable to climb a	tree			

- 74. In Oscar Wilde's "The Model Millionaire" what did Hughie do in Alan Trevor's absence?
 - a) Hughie spoke to the beggar
- b) Hughie gave the beggar some money
- c) Hughie enjoyed a smoke
- d) Hughie was dreaming
- 75. "No matter what happened I always insisted on their being themselves". What does the writer mean by this statement? Choose the right option from the following
 - a) the writer wants human beings to be the day dreamers
 - b) the writer wants human beings to be in their own world
 - c) the writer wants human beings to be calm
 - d) the writer wants human beings to be individuals and not to imitate others
- 76. What is refrain?
 - a) The first line of a poem that is repeated in all stanzas
 - b) The repetition of a line of lines within a poem, at given intervals
 - c) The first line and the last line are one and the same in the last stanza
 - d) The last two lines of the first stanza and the last two lines of the last stanza are one and the same
- 77. Pick out the correct passive form of the verb

We should help the poor

- a) must be helped b) will be helped
- c) should be helped d) shall be helped
- 78. The author who wrote the lesson 'YaaniaMalai' suffered from the disease?
 - a) Chronic Glaucoma
- b) Retinitis Pigmentosa

c) Astigmatism

- d) Myopic Vision
- 79. Identify the pair of British English and American English expression with incorrect spelling:

British		American
A) plough	-	plow
B) cheque	-	check
C) theatre	-	theater
D) skilful	-	skilfull

80.	ivalents:			
	British English		American English	
	A) Jam	-	1) Fall	
	B) nappy	-	2) Antenna	
	C) Aerial	-	3) Jelly	
	D) Autumn	-	4) Diaper	
	a) 3 2 4 1	b) 2 4 3 1	c) 3 4 2 1	d) 1 2 4 3
81.	a) A Soothsayer b) Calpurnia c) Pompey d) Mark Antony	sar about the	"Ides of March"	w. W.
82.	Match Column A w	ith Column B.	Select the correct code Column B	given below
	A) The Ant and the	Grasshopper	- 1) Oscar Wilde	
	B) The Cop and the	Anthem	- 2) Somerset Mau	ıgham
	C) The Happy Prince	· · · · · ·	- 3) Bonnie Chamb	perlain
	D) The Face of Judas	s Iscariot 🛌	4) O'Henry	
	a) 2 4 1 3	b) 1 2 3 4	c) 1 3 4 2	d) 1 4 2 3
83.	Match Column A w	ith Column B.	Select the correct code	given below:
	Column A		Column B	6
	A) My country my li	fe -	1) Sachin	
	B) My Story	-	2) Nehru	
	C) Play It My Way	-	3) Kamala Das	
	D) Toward Freedom	-	4) L. K. Advani	
	a) 2 4 3 1	b) 3 2 1 4	c) 4 3 1 2	d) 2 3 1 4
84.	Which one of the fo a) V. K. Gokak is a To b) V. K. Gokak is a K c) V. K. Gokak is a M d) V. K. Gokak is a G	elugu poet an annada poet a larathi poet a	d novelist and novelist nd novelist	

85.	Saruli figures in a) Farmer b) The Sun Beam c) After the Storm d) Kari, the Elepha					
86.	•	stone implement b	sing a suitable form of these sections of these sections of these sections of these sections of the sections o	•		
87.	Alexander's hope health	the whol	propriate option given be of India was not mate	rialized due to his ill		
	a) to conquer	b) of conquer	c) of conquering	d) conquered		
88.	Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the options We will have to find sources of energy in the failure					
	a) alternate	b) altered	c) alternative	d) adulterated		
89.	Identify the odd w a) delicious	vord among the op b) expensive	ptions c) industrious	d) jubilantly		
90.	Find out the odd word among the following					
	a) sojourn	b) countenance	e c) species	d) recreate		
91.	They failed to add plural form for the a) appendices b) indices c) appendixes d) annexures		he book. Which of the fo	ollowing is the right		

92.	a) He finished his eb) The man enduremaking complaintc) We must eat, or	xercise and put away d all the horrors of t we cannot live	sentences given below the books he campaign without ey, but his mother to	any one of them
93.	"No Nightingale di	d ever chant tes to weary bands" h and be Merry'	or of the following lin	es Thi
	c) Wordsworth in "	The Solitary Reaper" Punishment in the Kir		my
94.	"O judg'ment! Tho	s from the play Julius u art fled to brutish h employed in the al b) Personification	Deasts	d) Oxymoron
95.	In Julius Ceasar, An "For Brutus is an horal Here the tone of A a) Admiration	onourable man"	c) Friendship	d) Hero – worship
96.		-	expressions in Colun options given belov nn B	

Column		colaiiii B		
A)) trash	-	1) faucet		
B) cookie	-	2) candy		
C) sweets	-	3) rubbish		
D) tap	-	4) biscuit		
a) 3 4 2 1	b) 4 2 3 1	c) 3 2 4 1	d) 1 3 2 4	

- 97. 'Car park' in British English is ----- in American English
 - a) Parking space
 - b) Parking fess
 - c) Parking plot
 - d) Parking lot
- 98. Find out the British English equivalent of "fall"
 - a) Winter
 - b) Summer
 - c) Spring
 - d) Autumn
- 99. Which of the following is not a poem?
 - a) Shilpi
 - b) Be the Best
 - c) Off to Outerspace Tomorrow Morning
 - d) Flying with the moon on their wings
- 100. Which of the following is a short story?
 - a) Be the Best
 - b) The Tears of the Desert
 - c) The Flying Wonder
 - d) The Man He Killed