

## **GENERAL AWARENESS QUESTIONS ASKED ON 3<sup>RD</sup> MARCH SHIFT I**

Q1. As of February 2020, who is the President of Sri Lanka?

1. D.M. Jayaratne
2. Chandrika Kumaratunga
3. Maithripala Sirisena
- 4. Gotabaya Rajapaksa**

Q2. As on January 2020, Shri Bhupesh Baghel is the Chief Minister of which of the following states?

1. Odisha
2. Haryana
- 3. Chhattisgarh**
4. Jharkhand

Q3. Name the physicist who is credited with the discovery of the Neutron. This 1932 discovery led to his winning the Nobel Prize.

1. Max Plank
- 2. James Chadwick**
3. Enrico Fermi
4. J.S. Fleming

Q4. For which of the following sports was Dronavalli Harika, conferred with the prestigious Padma Shri award?

1. Cricket
- 2. Chess**
3. Archery
4. Badminton

Q5. Who is the first and currently the only batsman to score double hundreds in four consecutive test series?

1. Brian Lara
- 2. Virat Kohli**
3. A.B. de Villiers
4. Rohit Sharma

Q6. Kolathunadu, Valluvanad and thekkumkooor were ancient small - time kingdoms in which state of India?

1. Bihar
- 2. Kerala**
3. Gujarat
4. Karnataka

Q7. Sir Thomas Roe came as an official ambassador from King James I of England to which Mughal emperor's court?

1. Shah Jahan
2. Akbar
- 3. Jahangir**
4. Aurangzeb

Q8. Name the media company that purchased the legendary studio of 21st Century Fox.

- 1. Disney**
2. Time Warner
3. Sony
4. Viacom

Q9. What is the more common name for solid carbon dioxide?

- 1. Dry ice**
2. Quick Silver
3. Epsom

4. Potash

Q10. Which of these bones is not a part of the human ear?

1. Malleus
2. Incus
- 3. Femur**
4. Stapes

Q11. Which of the following books is not written by Salman Rushdie?

1. Midnight's Children
- 2. An era of Darkness**
3. The satanic Verses
4. Shame

Q12. The World Food Program (WFP) is the food assistance branch of the United Nations. Where is it headquartered?

1. New York
2. Brussels
- 3. Rome**
4. Paris

Q13. What is the uniform GST rate that has been fixed up for lottery prizes by the GST Council?

1. 32%
- 2. 28%**
3. 18%
4. 10%

Q14. From India, who inaugurated the Kartarpur Corridor and flagged off the first set of pilgrims to the final resting place of Sikhism founder Guru Nanak

Dev?

1. Ram Nath Kovind
2. Manmohan Singh
- 3. Narendra Modi**
4. Amarinder Singh

Q15. In which year Sanchi was discovered after being abandoned for nearly 600 years?

1. 1816
2. 1820
- 3. 1818**
4. 1814

Q16. Which of these words refers to the scientific study of domestic dogs?

1. Chrematistics
- 2. Cynology**
3. Craniology
4. Carpology

Q17. The Araku Valley a tourist resort, is located near which of these cities of South India?

- 1. Visakhapatnam**
2. Madurai
3. Mangalore
4. Kochi

Q18. Prolific Indian Painter Maqbool Fida Husain predominantly used which of these animals to depict a lively and free spirit in his paintings?

1. Tigers
- 2. Horses**

3. Elephants
4. Cows

Q19. The ruins of the ancient city of Hampi- capital of Vijaynagara - is located in which present day of Indian State?

1. Bihar
2. Telangana
3. Haryana
- 4. Karnataka**

Q20. Who among the following played the leading lady in the film 'Mission Mangal' that tells the dramatic true story of the women behind India's first mission to Mars?

1. Kareena Kapoor
2. Deepika Padukone
3. Kajol
- 4. Vidya Balan**

Q21. Which of these institutions fixes the Repo Rate and the Reverse Repo Rate in India?

1. Ministry of Finance
2. State Bank of India
3. Comptroller and Auditor General of India
- 4. Reserve Bank of India**

Q22. Red worms have a structure named \_\_\_\_\_ which helps them in grinding their food.

1. Crop
- 2. Gizzard**
3. Esophagus

4. Intestine

Q23. Name the author who won the Sahitya Akademi Award 2019 for his book - An era of Darkness : The British Empire in India.

- 1. Shahsi Tharoor**
2. Romila Thapar
3. Vikram Seth
4. Ramchandra Guha

Q24. Veteran freedom fighter, social reformer and feminist Savithribai Phule hailed from which of the following states of India?

1. Odisha
2. Rajasthan
- 3. Maharashtra**
4. Gujarat

Q25. Sultan Qaboos bin said of \_\_\_\_\_, the Arab world's longest-serving ruler and with a reputation for quiet diplomacy passed away recently(2020).

1. Abu Dhabi
2. Kuwait
3. Dubai
- 4. Oman**