



# AL HABIB ACADEMY

## Test Preparation For NTS, STS, SPSC, FPSC, Etc

### English Portion MCQs (Prepositions)

1. Books are a great source \_\_\_\_\_ happiness.  
a) for  
**b) of**  
c) with  
d) by
2. This flying coach is bound \_\_\_\_\_ Karachi.  
**a) for**  
b) to  
c) on  
d) in
3. Green pepper is very rich \_\_\_\_\_ vitamin C.  
a) with  
**b) in**  
c) by  
d) from
4. I am worried \_\_\_\_\_ the exam.  
a) on  
**b) about**  
c) of  
d) for
5. Please wait for me. I will be finished \_\_\_\_\_ five or ten minutes.  
a) at  
**b) in**  
c) within  
d) after
6. I'm getting late \_\_\_\_\_ office.  
a) at  
**b) for**  
c) on  
d) from
7. The club usually empties \_\_\_\_\_ about two in the morning.  
a) off  
b) over  
**c) out**  
d) from
8. Usman was broken \_\_\_\_\_ from his old friends.  
a) off  
b) out  
**c) away**  
d) in

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9. I am not acquainted \_\_\_\_ her father.

- a) by
- b) to
- c) **with**
- d) for

10. Sana is not known \_\_\_\_\_ me.

- a) **to**
- b) with
- c) for
- d) in

11. Do not bother me 3 o' clock \_\_\_\_ night.

- a) on
- b) **at**
- c) in
- d) of

12. My sister is bad \_\_\_\_\_ maths.

- a) in
- b) for
- c) **at**
- d) with

13. He is accustomed \_\_\_\_\_ hot weather.

- a) for
- b) of
- c) **to**
- d) in

14. I was amazed \_\_\_\_\_ his misbehavior.

- a) to
- b) **at**
- c) for
- d) by

15. He is superior \_\_\_\_\_ me.

- a) **to**
- b) than
- c) from
- d) over

16. I would like to thank you \_\_\_\_\_ your support.

- a) to
- b) **for**
- c) of
- d) in

17. The workers were protesting \_\_\_\_\_ low wages.

- a) on
- b) **for**

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- c) **against**
- d) upon

18. He prevented me \_\_\_\_\_ entering the hall.

- a) of
- b) for
- c) **from**
- d) in

19. She is married \_\_\_\_\_ a wealthy businessman.

- a) with
- b) to
- c) **to**
- d) in

20. I am fond \_\_\_\_\_ classical music.

- a) in
- b) at
- c) **of**
- d) for

21. He is capable \_\_\_\_\_ doing this work.

- a) in
- b) with
- c) **of**
- d) for

22. Ali is confident \_\_\_\_\_ his success.

- a) in
- b) **of**
- c) for
- d) with

23. He is addicted \_\_\_\_\_ drinking.

- a) with
- b) in
- c) **to**
- d) for

24. You should be ashamed \_\_\_\_\_ your rude behavior.

- a) to
- b) **of**
- c) at
- d) in

25. His parents were angry \_\_\_\_\_ his bad habits.

- a) on
- b) to
- c) **with**
- d) in

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26. They are anxious \_\_\_\_\_ the result.

- a) **about**
- b) for
- c) of
- d) to

27. This area is abundant \_\_\_\_\_ natural resources.

- a) with
- b) **in**
- c) of
- d) from

28. My brother is afraid \_\_\_\_\_ the dark.

- a) from
- b) with
- c) **of**
- d) by

29. She was annoyed \_\_\_\_\_ her son's misbehavior.

- a) **at**
- b) by
- c) in
- d) to

30. He is blind \_\_\_\_\_ one eye.

- a) from
- b) **in**
- c) on
- d) with

31. The child is weak \_\_\_\_\_ mathematics.

- a) in
- b) on
- c) **at**
- d) with

32. He is tired \_\_\_\_\_ work.

- a) with
- b) by
- c) **of**
- d) on

33. She was amazed \_\_\_\_\_ the magician's tricks.

- a) to
- b) **at**
- c) on
- d) in

34. The student was attentive \_\_\_\_\_ the lecture.

- a) on
- b) **to**

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- c) for
- d) in

35. The boss was furious \_\_\_\_\_ the delay.

- a) in
- b) on
- c) **about**
- d) to

36. The boy is clever \_\_\_\_\_ playing chess.

- a) of
- b) on
- c) **at**
- d) with

37. The man is greedy \_\_\_\_\_ money.

- a) of
- b) at
- c) **for**
- d) to

38. He is loyal \_\_\_\_\_ his country.

- a) on
- b) at
- c) **to**
- d) in

39. The girl is jealous \_\_\_\_\_ her friend's success.

- a) from
- b) on
- c) **of**
- d) by

40. The police are suspicious \_\_\_\_\_ the man.

- a) at
- b) **of**
- c) to
- d) with

41. He is proud \_\_\_\_\_ his achievements.

- a) at
- b) with
- c) **of**
- d) on

42. This book is full \_\_\_\_\_ interesting stories.

- a) from
- b) **of**
- c) with
- d) in

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43. She is interested \_\_\_\_\_ learning French.

- a) at
- b) on
- c) in**
- d) with

44. The manager is responsible \_\_\_\_\_ the company's losses.

- a) at
- b) for
- c) for**
- d) of

45. They were engaged \_\_\_\_\_ a serious discussion.

- a) in
- b) at
- c) in**
- d) on

46. He is weak \_\_\_\_\_ English grammar.

- a) on
- b) in**
- c) of
- d) by

47. She was successful \_\_\_\_\_ her efforts.

- a) at
- b) in**
- c) for
- d) by

48. He is skilled \_\_\_\_\_ carpentry.

- a) at
- b) in**
- c) with
- d) to

49. He was tired \_\_\_\_\_ waiting in the queue.

- a) to
- b) with
- c) of**
- d) for

50. She is efficient \_\_\_\_\_ her work.

- a) on
- b) at
- c) in**
- d) with

51. He is hopeful \_\_\_\_\_ his future.

- a) with
- b) about**

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- c) at
- d) for

52. We were deprived \_\_\_\_\_ our rights.

- a) from
- b) of**
- c) with
- d) in

53. He is famous \_\_\_\_\_ his paintings.

- a) for
- b) for**
- c) with
- d) on

54. The old man was absorbed \_\_\_\_\_ deep thought.

- a) on
- b) in**
- c) with
- d) by

55. I was disappointed \_\_\_\_\_ the results.

- a) for
- b) with**
- c) at
- d) of

56. He is indifferent \_\_\_\_\_ praise or blame.

- a) to**
- b) with
- c) of
- d) for

57. She was overwhelmed \_\_\_\_\_ emotion.

- a) by
- b) with
- c) with**
- d) at

58. They were delighted \_\_\_\_\_ the news.

- a) on
- b) at**
- c) by
- d) with

59. The teacher was impressed \_\_\_\_\_ the student's performance.

- a) at
- b) by**
- c) on
- d) with

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60. He is famous \_\_\_\_\_ his honesty.

- a) in
- b) for**
- c) by
- d) with

61. She is conscious \_\_\_\_\_ her appearance.

- a) for
- b) with
- c) of**
- d) by

62. The boy was punished \_\_\_\_\_ his mistakes.

- a) for
- b) for**
- c) at
- d) with

63. The judge was pleased \_\_\_\_\_ the evidence.

- a) on
- b) to
- c) with**
- d) for

64. The room was crowded \_\_\_\_\_ people.

- a) by
- b) with**
- c) of
- d) in

65. He is known \_\_\_\_\_ his honesty.

- a) with
- b) for**
- c) to
- d) of

66. She was accused \_\_\_\_\_ theft.

- a) for
- b) of**
- c) with
- d) in

67. The manager is annoyed \_\_\_\_\_ the delay.

- a) on
- b) at**
- c) with
- d) to

68. They are tired \_\_\_\_\_ the long journey.

- a) with
- b) of**



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- c) in
- d) on

69. He is jealous \_\_\_\_\_ his friend's success.

- a) from
- b) at
- c) **of**
- d) in

70. The girl was afraid \_\_\_\_\_ the dog.

- a) for
- b) **of**
- c) in
- d) by

71. She was angry \_\_\_\_\_ the child.

- a) **with**
- b) at
- c) on
- d) to

72. He is famous \_\_\_\_\_ his bravery.

- a) with
- b) by
- c) **for**
- d) in

73. The house is made \_\_\_\_\_ bricks.

- a) from
- b) **of**
- c) by
- d) in

74. He is married \_\_\_\_\_ a doctor.

- a) with
- b) in
- c) **to**
- d) by

75. The man is tired \_\_\_\_\_ his routine work.

- a) on
- b) in
- c) **of**
- d) by

76. The girl is engaged \_\_\_\_\_ a software engineer.

- a) with
- b) **to**
- c) by
- d) at

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77. The work was divided \_\_\_\_\_ the students.

- a) among
- b) among**
- c) between
- d) within

78. The garden is full \_\_\_\_\_ flowers.

- a) from
- b) of**
- c) with
- d) by

79. The teacher is angry \_\_\_\_\_ him.

- a) with**
- b) on
- c) to
- d) at

80. She was pleased \_\_\_\_\_ the results.

- a) on
- b) with**
- c) for
- d) in

81. We are waiting \_\_\_\_\_ the bus.

- a) for**
- b) on
- c) with
- d) in

82. He was brought \_\_\_\_\_ in a village.

- a) with
- b) at
- c) up**
- d) in

83. The fire broke \_\_\_\_\_ at midnight.

- a) out**
- b) in
- c) on
- d) up

84. He ran \_\_\_\_\_ money in the end.

- a) out of**
- b) down
- c) over
- d) off

85. They called \_\_\_\_\_ the meeting due to rain.

- a) off**
- b) in

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- c) at
- d) up

86. She looks \_\_\_\_\_ her grandmother.

- a) over
- b) after**
- c) for
- d) on

87. I came \_\_\_\_\_ this book in the library.

- a) through
- b) across**
- c) upon
- d) with

88. He took \_\_\_\_\_ his father's business.

- a) on
- b) over**
- c) up
- d) off

89. The plane took \_\_\_\_\_ on time.

- a) over
- b) off**
- c) out
- d) up

90. Please carry \_\_\_\_\_ with your work.

- a) on
- b) on**
- c) at
- d) to

91. The bomb went \_\_\_\_\_ with a loud bang.

- a) off
- b) off**
- c) up
- d) out

92. He turned \_\_\_\_\_ the offer politely.

- a) in
- b) up
- c) down**
- d) off

93. The thief broke \_\_\_\_\_ the house at night.

- a) up
- b) into**
- c) through
- d) down

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94. The meeting has been put \_\_\_\_\_ until next week.

- a) off
- b) off**
- c) up
- d) aside

95. I'm looking \_\_\_\_\_ a new apartment.

- a) for
- b) for**
- c) into
- d) at

96. He gave \_\_\_\_\_ smoking last year.

- a) up
- b) up**
- c) off
- d) out

97. The child was brought \_\_\_\_\_ by his grandmother.

- a) on
- b) up**
- c) in
- d) with

98. She turned \_\_\_\_\_ late for the meeting.

- a) off
- b) up**
- c) on
- d) out

99. Please fill \_\_\_\_\_ this form.

- a) up
- b) in**
- c) on
- d) out

100. We set \_\_\_\_\_ early to reach the destination by noon.

- a) out
- b) out**
- c) in
- d) on

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## Active and Passive Voice

### 1. Who wrote this book?

- A. By whom this book wrote?
- B. By whom was this book written?
- C. By whom is this book written?**
- D. By whom has this book written?

### 2. He does not abuse the servants.

- A. The servants are not abused by him.
- B. The servants are not being abused by him.**
- C. The servants are not abusing him.
- D. The servants are not abused.

### 3. People speak English all over the world.

- A. English is spoken all over the world by people.
- B. English has spoken all over the world.
- C. English is spoken all over the world.**
- D. English was spoken all over the world.

### 4. I shall help you.

- A. You shall helped by me.
- B. You shall be helped by me.**
- C. You should be helped by me.
- D. You shall have helped by me.

### 5. The dog bit the boy.

- A. The boy bitten the dog.
- B. The boy has been bitten by the dog.
- C. The boy was bitten by the dog.**
- D. The boy is bitten by the dog.

### 6. They will not do the work.

- A. The work is not done by them.
- B. The work will not be done by them.**
- C. The work was not done by them.
- D. The work has not been done by them.

### 7. She is watching a movie.

- A. A movie is watched by her.
- B. A movie has been watched by her.
- C. A movie is being watched by her.**
- D. A movie was being watched by her.

### 8. They were repairing the road.

- A. The road has been repaired.
- B. The road is being repaired.
- C. The road was being repaired.**
- D. The road had been repaired.

### 9. The manager had signed the cheque.

- A. The cheque had been signed by the manager.

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**B. The cheque was signed by the manager.**

C. The cheque is signed by the manager.

D. The cheque has been signed by the manager.

**10. Someone is knocking at the door.**

**A. The door is being knocked at.**

B. The door is knocked at by someone.

C. The door was being knocked by someone.

D. The door has been knocked at.

**11. I found my books on the table.**

A. My books were found on the table by me.

**B. My books were found by me on the table.**

C. My books found by me on the table.

D. My books has been found by me.

**12. The teacher punished the boys.**

A. The boys have been punished by the teacher.

**B. The boys were punished by the teacher.**

C. The boys are punished by the teacher.

D. The boys had been punished by the teacher.

**13. The child is feeding the pigeons.**

A. The pigeons fed by the child.

B. The pigeons have been fed by the child.

**C. The pigeons are being fed by the child.**

D. The pigeons had been fed by the child.

**14. He has sent the letter.**

A. The letter is sent by him.

B. The letter is being sent by him.

**C. The letter has been sent by him.**

D. The letter had been sent by him.

**15. I was teaching a lesson.**

A. A lesson is taught by me.

**B. A lesson was being taught by me.**

C. A lesson has been taught by me.

D. A lesson is being taught by me.

**16. I shall have finished the work by evening.**

A. The work has been finished by evening.

**B. The work will have been finished by evening.**

C. The work is finished by evening.

D. The work was finished by evening.

**17. She is singing a song.**

A. A song is sung by her.

B. A song has been sung by her.

**C. A song is being sung by her.**

D. A song had been sung by her.

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**18. They have completed the project.**

- A. The project was completed by them.
- B. The project has been completed by them.**
- C. The project had been completed by them.
- D. The project is completed by them.

**19. We had finished the work.**

- A. The work had been finished by us.**
- B. The work was finished by us.
- C. The work is finished by us.
- D. The work has been finished by us.

**20. Someone stole my purse.**

- A. My purse was being stolen.
- B. My purse had been stolen.
- C. My purse was stolen.**
- D. My purse has been stolen.

**21. You must obey your parents.**

- A. Your parents must obey you.
- B. You must be obeyed your parents.
- C. Your parents must be obeyed by you.**
- D. Your parents must have been obeyed.

**22. Who designed a car?**

- A. Who a car was designed by?
- B. By who a car was designed?
- C. By whom a car was designed?**
- D. A car was designed by whom?

**23. When the men coughed he realized that the men were quite near to him.**

- A. It was realized by him the men coughed.
- B. He realized it when the men were coughing.
- C. When the men coughed it was realized by him that the men were quite near to him.
- D. It was realized by him that the men were quite near when they coughed.**

**24. Active Voice of "He was being chased by the dogs".**

- A. The dogs are chasing him.
- B. The dogs have been chasing him.
- C. The dogs were chasing him.**
- D. The dogs chase him.

**25. Passive Voice of "The boy did not break the glass".**

- A. The glass was not broken by the boy.**
- B. The glass is not broken by the boy.
- C. The glass had not broken by the boy.
- D. The glass was not being broken by the boy.

**26. Have you taken a rest?**

- A. Have a rest been taken by you?
- B. Has a rest been taken by you?

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**C. Has rest been taken by you?**

D. Have rest been taken by you?

**27. He was driving a car, when accident occurred.**

A. A car was drove by him.

B. A car was driven by him.

C. A car has been driven by him.

**D. A car was being driven by him, when the accident occurred.**

**28. Passive Voice of "The baby has lost her doll"?**

A. Her doll is lost by the baby.

B. Her doll was lost by the baby.

**C. Her doll has been lost by the baby.**

D. Her doll had been lost by the baby.

**29. Passive Voice of "The teacher may punish you".**

A. You may punished by the teacher.

B. You may have punished by the teacher.

C. You might be punished by the teacher.

**D. You may be punished by the teacher.**

**30. Passive Voice of "None likes him".**

A. Him is liked by none.

B. He is like by none.

**C. He is liked by none.**

D. He is being liked by none.

**31. Why does an officer neglect duties?**

A. Why duties are neglected by an officer?

**B. Why are the duties neglected by an officer?**

C. Why are duties neglect by an officer?

D. Why duties neglected by officer?

**32. They probably won't attend lecture tomorrow.**

A. The lecture will be probably not attended by them.

B. The lecture probably will not be attended by them.

**C. The lecture probably won't be attended by them.**

D. Probably the lecture won't be attend by them.

**33. Passive Voice of "She will build this house"?**

A. This house shall be built by her.

**B. This house will be built by her.**

C. This house will have been built by her.

D. This house would be built by her.

**34. Passive Voice of "Sajid gave the beggar an old shirt".**

A. The beggar was given an old shirt.

**B. An old shirt was given to the beggar by Sajid.**

C. An old shirt is given to the beggar by Sajid.

D. The beggar has been given an old shirt by Sajid.

**35. — (Question missing)**



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**36. Did you visit a zoo?**

- A. Did a zoo visit by you?
- B. Is a zoo visited by you?
- C. Was a zoo visit by you?
- D. Was a zoo visited by you?**

**37. I said to her, "Why are you sleeping"?**

- A. I asked her why she was sleeping.**
- B. I told her why are you sleeping.
- C. I told her why she is sleeping.
- D. I asked her why are you sleeping.

**38. Passive voice of "They broke up the table for firewood"?**

- A. The table is broken for firewood by them.
- B. The table was broken up for firewood by them.**
- C. The table has been broken by them.
- D. The table was broke up by them.

**39. Passive Voice of "Has someone made all the necessary arrangements?"**

- A. All the arrangements had been made.
- B. Have all arrangements made?
- C. Have all the necessary arrangements been made by someone?**
- D. Are all the arrangements being made?

**40. — (Missing)**

**41. She will invite me.**

- A. I shall be invited by her.**
- B. I will invited by her.
- C. I am invited by her.
- D. I am being invited by her.

**42. Afridi plays the Harmonium and the sitar is \_\_\_\_\_ also.**

- A. Plays by him
- B. Played by him**
- C. Is playing by him
- D. Being played by him

**43. Passive Voice of " She has completed two courses".**

- A. Two courses have been completed by her.**
- B. Two courses are completed by her.
- C. Two courses were completed by her.
- D. Two courses has been completed by her.

**44. Passive Voice of "The boy has rung the bell".**

- A. The bell is rung by the boy.
- B. The bell was rung by the boy.
- C. The bell has been ringing.
- D. The bell has been rung by the boy.**

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**46. I take exercise daily.**

- A. Exercise is took daily by me.
- B. Exercise is taken daily by me.**
- C. Exercise was taken daily by me.
- D. Exercise is being taken daily by me.

**47. He did not give up the fight even though he was badly bruised.**

- A. The fight was not giving up by him.
- B. The fight was not given up by him even though he was badly bruised.**
- C. The fight was not given up.
- D. The fight had not been given up by him.

**48. Active Voice of "Movies are not watched by him".**

- A. He hasn't watched movies.
- B. He does not watch movies.**
- C. He didn't watch movies.
- D. He is not watching movies.

**49. Passive Voice of "Someone pulled the bull violently".**

- A. The bull is pulled violently.
- B. The bull was being pulled violently.
- C. The bull was pulled violently.**
- D. The bull has been pulled violently.

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## Synonym

1. **Synonym of ARROGANT is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
**A. Conceited**  
B. Humble  
C. Progressive  
D. Noble
2. **Synonym of DELEGATE is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
**A. Representative**  
B. Officer  
C. Member  
D. Servant
3. **Synonym of VAGRANT is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
**A. Roving**  
B. Stable  
C. Honoured  
D. Stubborn
4. **Synonym of PUERILE is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
A. Mature  
**B. Immature**  
C. Purity  
D. Power
5. **Synonym of CAMEO is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
A. Funny character  
**B. Minor role**  
C. Type of Fiction  
D. Sharp tool
6. **Synonym of “Mano a Mano” is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
**A. Hand to hand**  
B. Street to street  
C. District to district  
D. City to city
7. **Synonym of “DORMANT” is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
A. Animated

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**B. Hibernating**

C. Active

D. Vigorous

8. Synonym of "PEER" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Foe

B. Connote

**C. Fellow**

D. Recluse

9. Synonym of "EXPUNGE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Drain

B. Lie

C. Distort

**D. Obliterate**

10. Synonym of "CENTRIFUGAL" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. The exact center

B. Rapid

**C. Moving away from the centre**

D. Consolidated

11. Synonym of "REFORMATION" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Repetition

**B. Change**

C. Revelation

D. Retreat

12. Synonym of "ERRATA" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Antiques

B. Suggestive literature

C. Odd behaviour

**D. List of errors**

13. Synonym of "ENVISAGE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Visualize**

B. Inspect

C. Surround

D. Idealize

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14. Synonym of "INTERPOLATE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Flee
- B. Explain
- C. Reverse

**D. Insert**

15. Synonym of "OMNIPRESENT" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. All-knowing

**B. Ubiquitous**

- C. Threatening
- D. Hovering

16. Synonym of "BOWDLERIZE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Censor**

- B. Seize literally
- C. Add to
- D. Become rowdy

17. Synonym of "IMPUGN" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Attribute

**B. Attack verbally**

- C. Press
- D. Hold back by force

18. Synonym of "AMEND" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Alter**

- B. Suggest
- C. Bring together
- D. Subscribe

19. Synonym of "AMNESTY" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. International agreement

B. Cease-fire

**C. Pardon**

- D. Exchange of prisoners

20. Synonym of "SUPERFLUOUS" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Flowing
- B. Disdainful

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

C. Ornate

**D. Unnecessary**

21. Synonym of "BENCHMARK" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Exhibition

**B. Reference point**

C. Label

D. Repute

22. Synonym of "BARRAGE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Quarters for troops

B. Dispute

**C. Bombardment**

D. Large boat

23. Synonym of "VERMIN" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Welcome guests

B. Fur wraps

C. True accounts

**D. Objectionable pets**

24. Synonym of "HEW" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. To obey

**B. Chop**

C. Cry out

D. Tinge

25. Synonym of "OVERTURE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Disclosure

B. Apology

C. Request

**D. Proposal**

26. Synonym of "NOMENCLATURE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Terminology**

B. Pseudonym

C. Claque

D. Title

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

27. Synonym of "ESCHEW" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. To avoid
  - B. Argue
  - C. Forget
  - D. Spit out
28. Synonym of "REDOUBT" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Fortification
  - B. Rearguard
  - C. Trench
  - D. Camp
29. Synonym of "LEGION" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Distance
  - B. Rampage
  - C. Multitude
  - D. Motto
30. Synonym of "RETICENCE" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Reserve
  - B. Hostility
  - C. Regret
  - D. Brazenness
31. Synonym of "PHLEGMATIC" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Stolid
  - B. Aroused
  - C. Animated
  - D. Pneumatic
32. Synonym of "DEMISE" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Residence
  - B. Death
  - C. Accident
  - D. Act
33. Synonym of "INTRACTABLE" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Hard to manage
  - B. Barbaric

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

C. Flawless

D. Elusive

34. **Synonym of "CELIBATE" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

**A. Single**

B. Hypocritical

C. Married

D. Bald

35. **Synonym of "NEPOTISM" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

**A. Favoritism**

B. Hedonism

C. Philosophy

D. Rule of despot

36. **Synonym of "INCULCATE" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Corroborate

B. Avenge

**C. Teach**

D. Destroy

37. **Synonym of "SUMPTUOUS" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Swampy

B. Irritable

C. Meager

**D. Splendid**

38. **Synonym of "OUTCLASS" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

**A. Surpass**

B. Defect

C. Incur

D. Detest

39. **Synonym of "OBSCENE" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Dirty

B. Indecent

C. Unhealthy

**D. Both A & B**



# AL HABIB ACADEMY

40. Synonym of "ABJECT" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Disgusting
- B. Squalid
- C. Contemptible
- D. All of these**

41. Synonym of "ACCOST" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Solicit
- B. Confront
- C. Both A & B**
- D. Scorn

42. Synonym of "FLANK" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Side of a person (right or left)**
- B. In an open, honest, and direct manner
- C. Hidden
- D. Far away

43. Synonym of "DEARTH" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Necessity
- B. Luck
- C. Lack**
- D. Abundance

44. Synonym of "YOB" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Annoyed
- B. Intelligent
- C. Humble
- D. Aggressive**

45. Synonym of "GAUCHE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Awkward**
- B. Elegant
- C. Sophisticated
- D. Decent

46. Synonym of "INDUBITABLE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Certain
- B. Undeniable**

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

C. Fraudulent

D. Doubtful

47. **Synonym of "YOKEL" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Crafty

B. Canny

**C. Bumpkin**

D. Crave

48. **Synonym of "OBSOLESCENT" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Useless

B. Glittering

**C. Fustiness**

D. Modernity

49. **Synonym of "ALERT" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Intelligent

B. Energetic

C. Observant

**D. Watchful**

50. **Synonym of "PRECARIOUS" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Safe

B. Brittle

**C. Perilous**

D. None of these

51. **Synonym of "WARY" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Heedless

B. Negligent

**C. Prudent**

D. Reckless

52. **Synonym of "ABATE" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Postpone

B. Abandon

**C. Diminish**

D. Increase

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

53. Synonym of "TRITE" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Minor
  - B. Sad
  - C. Commonplace**
  - D. Swindler
54. Synonym of "PERPETUAL" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Garrulous
  - B. Sneak
  - C. Everlasting**
  - D. Liberal
55. Synonym of "ESCARPMENT" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Warning
  - B. Cliff**
  - C. Campsite
  - D. Tomb
56. Synonym of "SUNDRY" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Aged
  - B. Supply
  - C. Various**
  - D. Tremendous
57. Synonym of "IMPREGNABLE" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Vulnerable
  - B. Full
  - C. Unconquerable**
  - D. Stern
58. Synonym of "GARRULOUS" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Affable
  - B. Noisy
  - C. Quarrelsome
  - D. Talkative**
59. Synonym of "DAFT" is \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Breezy
  - B. Awkward

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

**C. Silly**

D. Nimble

60. Synonym of "HOMILY" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Pension

B. Household

C. Suburb

**D. Sermon**

61. Synonym of "WHORL" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Excitement

B. Rare gem

**C. Spiral arrangement**

D. Focus

62. Synonym of "UNEQUIVOCAL" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Fearless

**B. Unmistakable**

C. Incomparable

D. Variable

63. Synonym of "SEDATE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Shy

B. Impressive

**C. Calm**

D. Melancholy

64. Synonym of "CAPRICIOUS" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Impulsive**

B. Amusing

C. Instinctive

D. Carefree

65. Synonym of "AFFIX" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Complete

B. Withstand

**C. Fasten**

D. Repair

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

66. Synonym of "IMMERSE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Conceal
- B. Float
- C. Saturate

**D. Plunge into**

67. Synonym of "SYMPOSIUM" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Musical composition
- B. Honorary award
- C. Amphitheater

**D. Conference**

68. Synonym of "CUISINE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Overall atmosphere
- B. Table setting
- C. Style of cooking**
- D. Light luggage

69. Synonym of "MANGY" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Sleek
- B. Long-limbed
- C. Shabby**
- D. Voracious

70. Synonym of "SERENE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Musical
- B. Patient
- C. Happy
- D. Calm**

71. Synonym of "HALCYON" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Turbulent
- B. Shimmering
- C. Exhausting
- D. Calm**

72. Synonym of "CHURLISH" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Brave
- B. Foolish

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

**C. Boorish**

D. Shy

73. Synonym of "ACUMEN" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Keenness**

B. Brilliance

C. Swiftiness

D. Greediness

74. Synonym of "SORDID" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Lazy

B. Cruel

C. Regrettable

**D. Dirty**

75. Synonym of "COMELY" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Peaceful

**B. Attractive**

C. Fun-loving

D. Modest

76. Synonym of "IOTA" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Something owed

B. Ancient coin

**C. Small amount**

D. Punctuation mark

77. Synonym of "BROACH" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. To decorate

B. Bridge

C. Offend

**D. Introduce**

78. Synonym of "CHAGRIN" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Chamber

**B. Mortification**

C. Elation

D. Intuition

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

79. Synonym of "FRUSTRATION" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Lethargy

B. Facility

**C. Thwart**

D. Nostalgia

80. Synonym of "FASTIDIOUS" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Slow

B. Precise

**C. Squeamish**

D. Hungry

81. Synonym of "INCORRIGIBLE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Commendable

B. Incorruptible

**C. Unchangeable**

D. Overbearing

82. Synonym of "BLISSFUL" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Modish

B. Dour

**C. Beatific**

D. Moot

83. Synonym of "CHICANERY" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Poultry

B. Aroma

C. Chastity

**D. Trickery**

84. Synonym of "TORTUOUS" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Winding**

B. Sadistic

C. Cruel

D. Like a turtle

85. Synonym of "BLUSH" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Taunt

B. Detain

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

**C. Redden**

D. Inter

86. **Synonym of "VIE" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

**A. Compete**

B. Kowtow

C. Censure

D. Sanction

87. **Synonym of "GAINSAY" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Suppress

**B. Oppose**

C. Yielding

D. Animation

88. **Synonym of "ABATE" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Diminish

B. Halt

C. Decline

**D. All of above**

89. **Synonym of "ACERBITY" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Tartness

B. Astringency

C. Sourness

**D. All of these**

90. **Synonym of "INFRINGE" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

**A. Breach**

B. Escape

C. Hard

D. Bound

91. **Synonym of "INTREPID" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Timid

B. Affable

**C. Bold**

D. Lazy



# AL HABIB ACADEMY

92. Synonym of "AMNESTY" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Assistance
- B. Security
- C. Judicial
- D. Pardon**

93. Synonym of "OBSCURE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Confusing**
- B. Reveal
- C. Clear
- D. Bright

94. Synonym of "ABYSMAL" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Dreadful
- B. Awful
- C. Atrocious
- D. All of them**

95. Synonym of "SOPORIFIC" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Meteoric
- B. Phlegmatic
- C. Sadistic
- D. Hypnotic**

96. Synonym of "JEER" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Scoff**
- B. Magnanimity
- C. Applaud
- D. Avoid

97. Synonym of "EMBEZZLE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Remunerate
- B. Clear
- C. Balance
- D. Misappropriate**

98. Synonym of "PREVARICATE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Truth
- B. Early

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**C. Lie**

D. Delay

99. Synonym of "WANE" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Employ

**B. Decline**

C. Rise

D. Revive

100. Synonym of "CORDIAL" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Unpleasant

**B. Pleasant**

C. Heart

D. Love

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

## Antonyms

1. **Antonym of EXPAND is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
A. Congest  
B. Conclude  
C. Convert  
**D. Condense**
2. **Antonym of DEVIANT is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
A. Bent  
B. Devious  
**C. Regular**  
D. Atypical
3. **Antonym of FALLACIOUS is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
A. Credit  
B. Clean  
**C. Truthful**  
D. Dishonest
4. **Antonym of ELATED is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
A. Roused  
B. Blissful  
**C. Sad**  
D. Happy
5. **Antonym of TACITURN is \_\_\_\_\_?**  
A. Judge  
**B. Garrulous**  
C. Immense  
D. Silent
6. **Antonym of "recondite" is \_\_\_\_\_.**  
A. give  
B. obscure  
**C. patent**  
D. hardy
7. **Antonym of "effluvium" is \_\_\_\_\_.**  
A. land

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B. essential

**C. fragrance**

D. solid

8. **Antonym of "Meticulous" is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Fussy

B. Conscientious

C. Scrupulous

**D. Sloppy**

9. **Antonym of FALLACY is \_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Abandon

B. Blunder

**C. Truth**

D. Error

10. **Antonym of ATTRACT is \_\_\_\_\_?**

**A. Repel**

B. Demote

C. Expel

D. None of these

11. **Antonym of Abstruse?**

A. Obvious

B. Lucid

C. Plain

**D. All of these**

12. **Antonym of "Mordant" while others are synonyms?**

A. acerbic

B. caustic

C. corrosive

**D. pleasant**

13. **Antonym of "Raucous" while others are synonyms?**

A. Hoarse

**B. Subdued**

C. Strident

D. Discordant

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

14. Antonym of "filthy" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Clean
- B. Grimy
- C. Grubby
- D. Putrid

15. Antonym of ARTIFICIAL is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Red
- B. Solid
- C. Truthful
- D. Natural**

16. Antonym of DUCTILE is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Docile
- B. Pliable
- C. Stiff**
- D. Supple

17. Antonym of FOREMOST is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Unimportant**
- B. Hindmost
- C. Disposed
- D. Mature

18. Antonym of DENIGRATE is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Asperse
- B. Besmirch
- C. Boost**
- D. Vilify

19. Antonym of SINGULAR is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Common**
- B. Social
- C. Dull
- D. Ancient

20. Antonym of "brazen" is \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. bashful**
- B. boisterous

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

C. noisy

D. heated

21. Antonym of "conversant" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. inexperienced**

B. unprepared

C. shy

D. unpretentious

22. Antonym of "Heartfelt" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Heartly

**B. Insincere**

C. Unhealthy

D. Humorous

23. Antonym of "Pessimistic" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Defeatist

B. Cheat

C. Despondent

**D. Hopeful**

24. Antonym of Credulous is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Respectful

B. Hardworking

**C. Skeptical**

D. Frugal

25. Antonym of Accessible?

A. Inaccessible

B. Limited

C. Restricted

**D. All of these**

26. Antonym of "Perdition" while others are synonyms?

**A. Heaven**

B. Doom

C. Hell

D. Infernal

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

27. Antonym of "Prosaic" while others are synonyms?

- A. Pedestrian
- B. Prosy
- C. Tedious

**D. Interesting**

28. Antonym of Vagrant is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Derelict
- B. Wayfarer

**C. Stable**

D. Vagabond

29. Antonym of ENORMOUS is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Fragile
- B. Weak

**C. Tiny**

D. Soft

30. Antonym of FRIVOLOUS is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Trivial
- B. Silly
- C. Petty

**D. Wise**

31. Antonym of QUIESCENT is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Asleep
- B. Active**
- C. Deactivated
- D. Fallow

32. Antonym of Stale is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Old
- B. Fresh**
- C. Tale
- D. Break

33. Antonym of PACIFIC is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Aggressive**
- B. Peaceful

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

C. Hawkish

D. Discordant

34. Antonym of "awe" is \_\_\_\_\_.

A. borrow

B. shallow

C. low

**D. contempt**

35. Antonym of "penurious" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. generous**

B. lenient

C. injurious

D. relaxed

36. Antonym of "Perspicacious" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Sagacious

B. Discerning

C. Astute

**D. Dull**

37. Antonym of "Lenient" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. easy-going

B. longsuffering

**C. Strict**

D. Moderate

38. Antonym of Felicity is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Sadness**

B. Powerful

C. Narrow

D. Opaque

39. Antonym of Accost?

A. Avoid

B. Neglect

C. Scorn

**D. All of these**



# AL HABIB ACADEMY

40. Antonym of "Epitome" while others are synonyms?

- A. antithesis
- B. abridgment
- C. abstract
- D. compendium

41. Antonym of "Apocryphal" while others are synonyms?

- A. Genuine
- B. Mythical
- C. Obscure
- D. Unsubstantiated

42. Antonym of Amicable?

- A. Friendly
- B. Hostile
- C. Haughty
- D. Arrogant

43. Antonym of RECONDITE is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Hermetic
- B. Manifest
- C. Pedantic
- D. Occult

44. Antonym of WEAN is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Attach
- B. Detach
- C. Discourage
- D. Halt

45. Antonym of PHILISTINE is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Smutty
- B. Uncultured
- C. Uncultured
- D. Cultured

46. Antonym of Mammoth is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Big
- B. Giant

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**C. Small**

D. Low

47. Antonym of DWARF is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Giant**

B. Tiny

C. Huge

D. Enormous

48. Antonym of "matutinal" is \_\_\_\_\_.

A. paternal

**B. crepuscular**

C. maritime

D. marsupial

49. Antonym of "impervious" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. kind

B. disastrous

**C. prone**

D. perfect

50. Antonym of "Astute" is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Stupid**

B. Discerning

C. Canny

D. Whirlwind

51. Antonym of "Applicable" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Upset

B. Minimifidian

**C. Irrelevant**

D. Cynical

52. Antonym of Abate?

A. Enhance

B. Foster

C. Augment

**D. All of above**

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

53. Antonym of Acerbity?

- A. Sweetness
- B. Mellowness
- C. Mildness
- D. All of these**

54. Antonym of "Flummox" while others are synonyms?

- A. Baffle
- B. Confound
- C. Perplex
- D. Enlighten**

55. Antonym of REVEALED is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Denied
- B. Concealed**
- C. Ignored
- D. Overlooked

56. Antonym of Friend is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Enemy**
- B. Brother
- C. companion
- D. None

57. Antonym of GUMPTION is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Apathy**
- B. Nerve
- C. Initiative
- D. Sagacity

58. Antonym of PRODIGAL is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Spendthrift
- B. Squandering
- C. Thrifty**
- D. Wanton

59. Antonym of NIGGARDLY is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Generous**
- B. Chintzy

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C. Closefisted

D. Skimpy

60. Antonym of Elastic is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Yielding

**B. Rigid**

C. Mold-able

D. Supple

61. Antonym of "famous" is \_\_\_\_\_.

A. poor

**B. obscure**

C. untalented

D. boring

62. Antonym of "impecunious" is \_\_\_\_\_.

**A. wealthy**

B. cautious

C. hungry

D. tardy

63. Antonym of "bemuse" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. depress

B. inspire

**C. clarify**

D. desire

64. Antonym of "Incur" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Attract

B. Invite

C. Earn

**D. Avoid**

65. Antonym of BRUSQUE is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Corrupt

B. Brash

C. energetic

**D. Courteous**

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

66. Antonym of Aberrant?

- A. Steadfast
- B. Persistent
- C. Devious

**D. Both a&b**

67. Antonym of Addendum?

- A. Detriment
- B. Lessening
- C. Subtraction

**D. All of above**

68. Antonym of "IMPOVERISHED" while others are synonyms?

- A. broke
- B. destitute
- C. impecunious

**D. wealthy**

69. Antonym of PATHOLOGICAL is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Healthy**
- B. diseased
- C. morbid
- D. None of these

70. Antonym of "Apposite" is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Liable
- B. Connected
- C. Inappropriate**
- D. None

71. Antonym of PIQUE is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Hurt
- B. Irk
- C. Joy**
- D. Huff

72. Antonym of NEBULOUS is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- A. Misty
- B. Apparent**

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

C. Murky

D. Shadowy

73. **Antonym of GARBLED** is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Slant

**B. Unscramble**

C. Obscure

D. Pervert

74. **Antonym of Harmonious** is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Peaceful

**B. Hostile**

C. Dominant

D. Tuneful

75. **Antonym of "labor"** is \_\_\_\_\_.

A. amuse

B. surrender

**C. rest**

D. strive

76. **Antonym of "quiescent"** is \_\_\_\_\_.

A. lackadaisical

**B. active**

C. dull

D. prescient

77. **Antonym of "accelerate"** is \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. delay**

B. risk

C. monitor

D. deny

78. **Antonym of "Provoke"** is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Arouse

B. Induce

C. Evoke

**D. Allay**

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

79. Antonym of PATHOLOGICAL is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Sick
- B. Healthy**
- C. Chemicals
- D. Selective

80. Antonym of Abject?

- A. Commendable
- B. Exalted
- C. Excellent
- D. All of above**

81. Antonym of "Paucity" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Scarcity
- B. Surplus**
- C. Presence
- D. Shallow

82. Antonym of "Minuscule" while others are synonyms?

- A. Diminutive
- B. Lilliputian
- C. Miniature
- D. Majuscule**

83. Antonym of Torture is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Third Degree
- B. Twinge
- C. Peace**
- D. Stick

84. Antonym of pardon is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Punish**
- B. forgive
- C. praise
- D. Reward

85. Antonym of SARTORIAL is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Homespun**
- B. Cheerful

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C. Inelegant

D. Sincere

86. Antonym of MITE is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Bit

B. Bug

C. Insect

**D. Whole**

87. Antonym of SENILE is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Doting

B. Anile

**C. Alert**

D. Ancient

88. Antonym of Facetious is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Teasing

**B. Serious**

C. Tongue-in-check

D. Copy

89. Antonym of "Revenge" is \_\_\_\_\_.

A. vengeance

B. reprisal

**C. pardon**

D. payback

90. Antonym of "sartorial" is \_\_\_\_\_.

A. cheerful

B. sincere

C. inelegant

**D. homespun**

91. Antonym of "earnest" is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. cheap

**B. frivolous**

C. release

D. civilized



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92. Antonym of "Dismantle" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Vie
- B. Build**
- C. Outclass
- D. Level

93. Antonym of Abridge is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Subdue
- B. Augment**
- C. Encourage
- D. Elaborate

94. Antonym of Abjure?

- A. Espouse
- B. Support
- C. Both a&b**
- D. Disavow

95. Antonym of HYPOCRISY \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Doubt
- B. Uprightness**
- C. Burdensome
- D. Fluent

96. Antonym of "Eclat" while others are synonyms?

- A. Eminence
- B. Esteem
- C. Plaudit
- D. Dullness**

97. Antonym of Selfish is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Helpful
- B. Altruistic**
- C. Egocentric
- D. Acquisitive

98. Antonym of "Foe" is \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Friend**
- B. Enemy

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C. classmate

D. None of these

99. **Antonym of DOCILE** is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Pliable

B. Pliant

C. Quiet

**D. Unyielding**

100. **Antonym of TACIT** is \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Punish

**B. Dictated**

C. Grand

D. Small

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## Word Pairs or Analogy

1. **LIQUID : HYDRAULICS ::**

- A. motion : dynamics
- B. water : hydroponics
- C. data : statistics
- D. music : eurythmics**

2. **FILTER : WATER ::**

- A. curtail : activity
- B. expunge : book
- C. edit : text
- D. censor : play**

3. **Hiss : Snake ::**

- A. Notes : Music
- B. Splash : Water
- C. Trumpet : Elephant**
- D. Cat : Mew

4. **SKETCH : ARTIST ::**

- A. Secret : Confident
- B. Lawyer : Courtroom
- C. Palette : Painter
- D. Draft : Writer**

5. **TILE : MOSAIC ::**

- A. wood : totem
- B. stitch : sampler**
- C. ink : scroll
- D. pedestal : column

6. **EXORBITANT : MODERATION ::**

- A. dispassionate : equanimity
- B. lavish : extravagance
- C. perfidious : loyalty**
- D. brilliant : gullibility

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7. **CONTRACT : IMplode ::**

- A. expand : swell
- B. descend : plummet**
- C. add : accelerate
- D. cool : solidify

8. **AGENDA : MEETING ::**

- A. Programme : Function**
- B. Performance : Ticket
- C. Map : Scale
- D. Footnote : Article

9. **Caravan : desert ::**

- A. Boat : Cruise**
- B. Book : Library
- C. Midnight : Noon
- D. NONE

10. **CIRCUITOUS : ROUTE ::**

- A. profound : depth
- B. devious : argument**
- C. elliptical : brevity
- D. judicious : selection

11. **GRAVITY : PULL ::**

- A. iron : metal
- B. north pole : directions
- C. magnetism : attraction**
- D. dust : desert

12. **Joke : Laughter ::**

- A. Cry : Sorrow
- B. Disease : Medicine
- C. Death : Life
- D. Miracle : Surprise**

13. **KNIFE : CUT ::**

- A. Winter : Summer
- B. Sword : Sharp

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C. Run : Fast

**D. Drill : Hole**

14. **REDOUBTABLE : AWE ::**

A. venerable : renown

B. tacit : solitude

**C. despicable : contempt**

D. engrossing : obliviousness

15. **BLANDISHMENT : COAX ::**

**A. medal : honor**

B. budget : save

C. diary : reminisce

D. concert : play

16. **COHABIT : RESIDE ::**

**A. conspire : plot**

B. coincide : contradict

C. secrete : conceal

D. infiltrate : influence

17. **EMBROIDER : CLOTH ::**

A. Patch : Quilt

B. Stain : Glass

C. Carve : Knife

**D. Chase : Metal**

18. **HOPE : ASPIRES ::**

A. love : elevates

B. film : flam

**C. fib : lie**

D. fake : ordinary

19. **ARMY : LOGISTICS ::**

**A. business : strategy**

B. soldier : students

C. war : logic

D. team : individual

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20. **Day : Night ::**

- A. Dark : Black
- B. Good : Rough
- C. Kind : Cruel**
- D. Shining : Bright

21. **FISH : TROUT ::**

- A. Hair : Black
- B. Bird : Aviary
- C. Tiger : Carnivorous
- D. Mammal : Cow**

22. **COMPLAIN : CARP ::**

- A. supply : donate
- B. argue : debate
- C. grumble : accuse
- D. drink : guzzle**

23. **REQUEST : COMMAND ::**

- A. propose : stipulate**
- B. enlist : support
- C. relegate : consign
- D. select : reject

24. **STRATAGEM : DECEIVE ::**

- A. epithet : correspond
- B. oration : publish
- C. conservation : expend
- D. sentence : prosecute**

25. **PESTICIDE : PLANT ::**

- A. Injection : Disease
- B. Vaccination : Body**
- C. Medicine : Cure
- D. Teacher : Student

26. **CORPOREAL : SPIRITUAL ::**

- A. mesa : plateau
- B. moron : savant**

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C. foreigner : immigrant

D. pedagogue : teacher

27. **MUNDANE : SPIRITUAL ::**

A. common : ghostly

**B. worldly : unworldly**

C. routine : novel

D. secular : clerical

28. **Cobbler : Leather ::**

A. Shirt : Boutique

B. Television : Engineer

C. Woodcutter : Furniture

**D. Mason : Stone**

29. **GILL : FIN ::**

A. Cockroach : Antenna

B. Instrument : Pencil

**C. Hard Disk : Keyboard**

D. Bread : Butter

30. **SKIRMISH : INSIGNIFICANCE ::**

A. crusade : remoteness

**B. duel : formality**

C. feud : impartiality

D. bout : sparring

31. **RENOUNCE : PLEDGE ::**

**A. rescind : order**

B. desecrate : shrine

C. recriminate : hero

D. redeem : honor

32. **INDUSTRIOUSNESS : ACTIVITY ::**

**A. fastidiousness : selectivity**

B. anxiousness : apathy

C. boldness : strength

D. purposefulness : enthusiasm

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33. **CROWN : ROYAL ::**

- A. Throne : Regal
- B. Wrap : Ermine
- C. Pen : Author
- D. Crucifix : Religion**

34. **SYMPHONY : COMPOSER ::**

- A. Leonardo : music
- B. Fresco : painter**
- C. Colours : pallet
- D. Art : appreciation

35. **TEN : DECIMAL ::**

- A. seven : septet
- B. four : quartet
- C. two : binary**
- D. five : quince

36. **Words : Poetry ::**

- A. Dictionary : Letters
- B. Notes : Music**
- C. Wheat : Food
- D. Planet : Sun

37. **FISH : SCHOOL ::**

- A. Puppy : Dog
- B. Novel : Story
- C. Cocks : Pride**
- D. Ear : Nose

38. **MERCENARY : MONEY ::**

- A. vindictive : revenge**
- B. scholarly : library
- C. belligerent : invasion
- D. thirsty : water

39. **COWARD : CRAVEN ::**

- A. liar : facetious
- B. dupe : gullible**



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C. criminal : hostile

D. judge : impartial

40. **EXTRAVAGANCE : EXPENDITURE ::**

A. bias : judgment

B. exaggeration : deception

C. distortion : paraphrase

**D. loquaciousness : talk**

41. **STARE : GLANCE ::**

**A. Gulp : Sip**

B. Confide : Tell

C. Hunt : Stalk

D. Step : Walk

42. **GRAIN : SALT ::**

A. shard : pottery

B. shred : wood

C. blades : grass

**D. chip : glass**

43. **WAN : COLOUR ::**

A. corpulent : weight

**B. insipid : flavour**

C. pallid : complexion

D. enigmatic : puzzle

44. **Mask : Disguise ::**

A. Clothes : Necessity

B. Building : Offices

**C. Make-up : Beautify**

D. Radio : News

45. **COUNSELOR : ADVICE ::**

A. Artist : Musician

**B. Patron : Support**

C. Honesty : Charity

D. Bank : Banker

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46. **TROUBLED : DISTRAUGHT ::**

- A. annoyed : disillusioned
- B. disturbed : interrupted
- C. covetous : rapacious**
- D. tranquil : placid

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## One Word Substitution

1. An office or post with no work but high pay:  
A. Honorary  
**B. Sinecure**  
C. Gratis  
D. Ex-Officio
2. Secretly listening to a conversation is called \_\_\_\_\_?  
**A. Eavesdrop**  
B. Overhearing  
C. Pigeonholing  
D. Spying
3. A long poem narrating achievements of a hero or legendary figures is known as \_\_\_\_\_?  
**A. Epic**  
B. Elegy  
C. Ode  
D. Sestina
4. The offence of marrying someone while already married to another person is known as \_\_\_\_\_?  
**A. Bigamy**  
B. Coupe  
C. Bigot  
D. Biped
5. Action of killing a king is called \_\_\_\_\_?  
**A. Regicide**  
B. Suicide  
C. Patricide  
D. Parricide
6. Violation of something holy or sacred is?  
A. Profanity  
B. Sedition  
**C. Sacrilege**  
D. Slander

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7. **Hard to understand is?**
- A. Punctilious
  - B. Obtuse
  - C. Absurd
  - D. Abstruse**
8. **One who has obstinate and narrow religious views is \_\_\_\_\_?**
- A. Fanatic
  - B. Theologian
  - C. Bigot**
  - D. Egotist
9. **One who does not follow the usual rules of social life is called \_\_\_\_\_?**
- A. Egoist
  - B. Frank
  - C. Bohemian**
  - D. Reveille
10. **A disease that spreads over a large area:**
- A. Academic
  - B. Epidemic**
  - C. Incurable
  - D. Invincible
11. **International destruction of racial groups:**
- A. Matricide
  - B. Regicide
  - C. Genocide**
  - D. Homicide
12. **Story of old-time gods or heroes is:**
- A. Lyric
  - B. Epic
  - C. Legend**
  - D. Romance
13. **Through which light cannot pass?**
- A. Dull
  - B. Dark

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C. Obscure

**D. Opaque**

14. A disease that is liable to be transmitted to people through the environment is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Contagious

**B. Infectious**

C. Fatal

D. Incurable

15. A form of written language for blind people is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Braille**

B. Elysium

C. Epicure

D. Arson

16. A large enclosure for confining birds is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Aviary**

B. Columbarry

C. Volary

D. All of the above

17. Fear of closed places:

**A. Claustrophobia**

B. Misogynist

C. Ambidextrous

D. Philanthropy

18. Living at the same time is?

A. Concurrent

**B. Contemporary**

C. Coincident

D. Concomitant

19. The study of ancient writings is?

A. Annals

**B. Paleography**

C. Calligraphy

D. Archeology

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20. Specialized in nose disease is?

- A. Rhinologist
- B. Philologist
- C. Endocrinologist
- D. Gerontologist

21. One who walks on ropes is called \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Aviator
- B. Acrobat
- C. Funambulist
- D. Upholsterer

22. That which can never be believed:

- A. Irrevocable
- B. Inevitable
- C. Incredible
- D. Irritable

23. A remedy for all diseases:

- A. Narcotics
- B. Antiseptic
- C. Panacea
- D. Lyric

24. A lady's umbrella is:

- A. Parasol
- B. Granary
- C. Epitaph
- D. Aviary

25. A lady who remains unmarried?

- A. Bachelor
- B. Misanthrope
- C. Spinster
- D. None of these

26. A disease spreading from one person or organism to another by contact is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Contagious
- B. Infectious

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

C. Unanimous

D. Fatal

27. A medicine taken or given to counteract a particular poison is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Antidote

B. Antitoxin

C. Adderall

**D. A & B**

28. Items of business to be considered at a meeting is called \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Agenda**

B. Bulletin

C. Elysium

D. Epicture

29. Having a tendency to break the law to do socially unacceptable things is?

**A. Delinquent**

B. Frank

C. Juvenile

D. Guilty

30. Branch of medicine dealing with the health and care of old people is?

A. Obstetrics

B. Pediatrics

C. Calisthenics

**D. Geriatrics**

31. One who promotes the idea of absence of government of any kind, when every man should be a law unto himself is?

A. Agnostic

B. Iconoclast

C. Belligerent

**D. Anarchist**

32. Animals who live in herds are?

A. Sociable

**B. Gregarious**

C. Carnivorous

D. Social

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33. A person who wastes his money on luxury is\_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Luxuriant
  - B. Luxurious
  - C. Extravagant**
  - D. Stingy
34. One who is able to use the right and left hands equally well:
- A. Sinister
  - B. Ambidextrous**
  - C. Ambivalent
  - D. Amateur
35. A man who rarely speaks the truth:
- A. Crook
  - B. Liar
  - C. Scoundrel
  - D. Hypocrite**
36. Person who does not believe in the existence of God:
- A. Theist
  - B. Heretic
  - C. Atheist**
  - D. Fanatic
37. The original inhabitants of a Country.
- A. Aborigines**
  - B. Citizens
  - C. Natives
  - D. Primitive
38. Something that is hard but liable to break easily is known as \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Brittle**
  - B. Flexible
  - C. Resilient
  - D. Supple
39. One who eats everything indiscriminately is known as \_\_\_\_\_?
- A. Albumen
  - B. Adept



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**C. Omnivorous**

D. Amphibian

40. A Game in which no one wins is called \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Tie

**B. Draw**

C. Loss

D. Toss

41. One who criticizes popular beliefs which he/she thinks is a mistake or unwise is?

**A. Philistine**

B. Iconoclast

C. Imposter

D. Cannibal

42. The time when two people have a romantic relationship before they get married is?

A. Snobbery

**B. Courtship**

C. Estrangement

D. Polyphony

43. Responsible according to law is?

A. Eligible

B. Legitimate

C. Legalised

**D. Liable**

44. An unexpected piece of good fortune is?

**A. Windfall**

B. Philanthropy

C. Benevolence

D. Turnstile

45. A doctor who treats children is called \_\_\_\_\_.

A. Pedophile

B. Fatalist

**C. Pediatrician**

D. Pedagogue

# AL HABIB ACADEMY

46. **Government by the rich:**

- A. Oligarchy
- B. Aristocracy
- C. Pantisocracy
- D. Plutocracy**

47. **A disease which spreads by contact:**

- A. Incurable
- B. Infectious
- C. Contagious**
- D. Fatal

48. **Commencement of words with the same letter:**

- A. Pun
- B. Alliteration**
- C. Transferred epithet
- D. Oxymoron

49. **A Group of birds or a flock flying together in hundreds or even in thousands is called \_\_\_\_\_?**

- A. Startling
- B. Murmuration**
- C. Both A and B
- D. None of these

50. **A person fluent in two languages is known as \_\_\_\_\_?**

- A. Bilingual**
- B. Bigot
- C. Bigamy
- D. Brittle

51. **One who is present everywhere is known as \_\_\_\_\_?**

- A. Omnipotent
- B. Omniscient
- C. Omnipresent**
- D. None of the above

52. **The killing of one's mother is called \_\_\_\_\_?**

- A. Matricide**
- B. Parricide

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C. Regicide

D. Patricide

53. Practice of employing spies in war is?

A. Esplande

B. Espadrille

C. Estrangement

**D. Espionage**

54. That which never fails is?

A. Irrelevant

**B. Infallible**

C. Indelible

D. Inaudible

55. Which is bound to be done is?

A. Soliloquy

**B. Indispensable**

C. Sinecure

D. Indelible

56. An emolument over and above fixed income or salary is?

A. Honorarium

B. Sinecure

C. Prerogative

**D. Perquisite**

57. A person who is unable to pay his debts is called \_\_\_\_\_.

A. Borrower

**B. Insolvent**

C. Lender

D. Allen

58. An independent person or body officially appointed to settle a dispute:

A. Arbiter

B. Mediator

C. Agent provocateur

**D. Arbitrator**

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59. A person who is indifferent to pains and pleasures of life:

- A. Stoic
- B. Sadist
- C. Psychiatrist
- D. Aristocrat

60. A hater of knowledge and learning:

- A. Bibliophile
- B. Philologist
- C. Misogynist
- D. Misologist**

61. One who lacks knowledge \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Intelligent
- B. Ignorant**
- C. Credulous
- D. Colleague

62. The action or practice of persuading someone to do something by using force or threats is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Coercion**
- B. Conviction
- C. Confession
- D. Cajolement

63. Something which is incapable of being seen through is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Non-transparent
- B. Blurred
- C. Opaque
- D. All of the above**

64. Killing of a large group of people is called \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Filicide
- B. Fratricide
- C. Genocide**
- D. Homicide

65. A broad road bordered with trees is?

- A. Boudoir

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**B. Boulevard**

C. Avenue

D. Façade

66. **That which is out of place is?**

A. Anachronistic

**B. Obsolete**

C. Incongruous

D. Archaic

67. **Matter written by hand is?**

A. Handwritten

**B. Manuscript**

C. Proof

D. Amnesty

68. **The doctor known as an eye-specialist is?**

A. Orthodontist

B. Orthopedist

**C. Ophthalmologist**

D. Obstetrician

69. **Fear of heights is\_\_\_\_\_?**

A. Highphobia

B. Altophobia

C. Heliophobia

**D. Acrophobia**

70. **One who has good taste for food:**

**A. Gourmet**

B. Curator

C. Parasite

D. Stoic

71. **The murder of a brother:**

A. Homicide

B. Regicide

**C. Fratricide**

D. Suicide

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72. **One who abandons his religious faith:**

- A. Apostate**
- B. Prostate
- C. Profane
- D. Agnostic

73. **A part of a word that can be pronounced separately?**

- A. Particle
- B. Sibilant
- C. Syllable**
- D. Letter

74. **A narrow piece of land connecting two large masses of land is known as \_\_\_\_\_?**

- A. Gulf
- B. Isthmus**
- C. Peninsula
- D. Continent

75. **Something which is capable of being seen through is known as \_\_\_\_\_?**

- A. Opaque
- B. Coarse
- C. Ambiguous
- D. Transparent**

76. **A community of people smaller than a village:**

- A. Hamlet**
- B. Aviary
- C. Apiary
- D. None of these

77. **Detaining and confining someone is?**

- A. Interruption
- B. Interrogation
- C. Internment**
- D. Intermittent

78. **An odd, atypical or eccentric trait is?**

- A. Harangue
- B. Hyperbole

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**C. Idiosyncrasy**

D. Elegy

79. **A statement that can have a double meaning is?**

A. Verbose

B. Ambivalent

C. Epigraph

**D. Ambiguous**

80. **The practice of pretending to have feelings that one does not really have is?**

A. Treachery

B. Villainy

**C. Hypocrisy**

D. Inundate

81. **An act of speaking one's thoughts aloud when by oneself or regardless of any hearers, especially by a character in a play:**

A. Sinecure

**B. Soliloquy**

C. Pessimist

D. Philanthropist

82. **An unmarried woman, typically an older woman beyond the usual age for marriage:**

**A. Spinster**

B. Artist

C. Bachelor

D. Misanthrope

83. **One who cannot easily be pleased:**

A. Cosmopolitan

B. Frightening

**C. Fastidious**

D. Feminist

84. **A person who renounces the world and practices self-discipline in order to attain salvation:**

A. Sceptic

**B. Ascetic**

C. Devotee

D. Antiquarian

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85. One who travels from place to place?

- A. Itinerant
- B. Mendicant
- C. Journeyman
- D. Tramp

86. Government by a small group of all-powerful persons is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Dictatorship
- B. Monarchy
- C. Oligarchy
- D. Anarchy

87. One who is unable to pay debts owed is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Foreclosed
- B. Insolvent
- C. Bankrupt
- D. All of the above

88. A person who is controlled by his wife is called?

- A. Henpeck
- B. Connoisseur
- C. Somnambulist
- D. None of these

89. One who offers his service without charging for it is?

- A. Philanderer
- B. Volunteer
- C. Mercenary
- D. Missionary

90. A dogmatic person is?

- A. Nomadic
- B. Elite
- C. Zealot
- D. Swashbuckler

91. Money paid to a man for his labour is?

- A. Sacrilege
- B. Rent



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C. Bunting

**D. Remuneration**

92. To run away with a lover is?

A. Deceive

B. Cheat

C. Escape

**D. Elope**

93. One who collects coins as a hobby:

A. Philatelist

B. Ornithologist

C. Statistician

**D. Numismatist**

94. A person who pretends to have more knowledge or skill than he really has:

A. Crook

B. Apotheosis

C. Renegade

**D. Charlatan**

95. A person who loves everybody:

A. Cosmopolitan

B. Fratricide

**C. Altruist**

D. Aristocrat

96. The practice of taking someone else's work or ideas and passing them off as one's own is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

A. Cuckold

B. Despotism

**C. Plagiarism**

D. Epicure

97. A person who helps another commit a crime is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

**A. Accomplice**

B. Amateur

C. Cuckold

D. Changeling

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98. A person who collects or has a great love of books is known as \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Bibliophile
- B. Pluviophile
- C. Cosmopolitan
- D. Changeling

99. A small enclosure for cattle, sheep, poultry etc. is called as \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Cellar
- B. Sty
- C. Pen
- D. Lair

100. A person who is indifferent to pleasure or pain is called?

- A. Stoic
- B. Sadist
- C. Psychiatrist
- D. Ascetic

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## Idioms and Phrases MCQs

1. What is the meaning of the idiom "To be at loggerheads"?

- A. To cooperate with enemies
- B. To be in strong disagreement or dispute**
- C. To face stiff opposition
- D. To tax one's mind and body

2. "Have an Axe to Grind" means:

- A. To use axe frequently
- B. Selfish motive**
- C. To have a dispute with someone
- D. To be fair with someone

3. What is the meaning of "Banton"?

- A. Afresh
- B. Good manners**
- C. Farewell
- D. Authority

4. The idiom "To bury the hatchet" means?

- A. To make peace**
- B. To make a foolish choice
- C. To make a wrong decision
- D. To lose something

5. "To make clean breast of" means:

- A. To gain prominence
- B. To praise oneself
- C. To destroy before it blooms
- D. To confess without reserve**

6. "A litmus test" means:

- A. A decisively indicative test**
- B. False sense of happiness or success
- C. Something that is not understandable
- D. To show dislike through facial expressions

7. "Get your goat" means:

- A. To pacify someone

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**B. To irritate someone**

C. To soothe someone

D. To hug someone

8. **"Achilles' heel" means:**

A. To action a task; to initiate work

**B. A metaphor for a fatal weakness despite overall strength**

C. A hidden or secret strength

D. To endure a painful situation

9. **"Tipped off" means:**

A. Toppled over

B. Bribed

**C. Given advance information**

D. Threatened

10. **"To have an axe to grind" means:**

**A. A private end to serve**

B. To fail to arouse interest

C. To have no result

D. To work for both sides

11. **"Alter ego" means:**

**A. Intimate friend**

B. Harsh enemy

C. Allies

D. None of these

12. **"Beat about the bush" means:**

A. Try to meet George Bush

**B. To avoid the main topic**

C. To make noise

D. To accompany someone in a jungle

13. **"Up to the hilt" means:**

A. Inns and out

B. Up to neck

**C. Completely occupied**

D. Kith and kin

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14. "Hell hath no fury like a \_\_\_\_\_?"

- A. A woman scorned
- B. A burned woman
- C. A woman forgotten
- D. A devil's advocate

15. "Cock and bull story" means:

- A. A true story
- B. A lengthy tale
- C. Story told by an idiot
- D. An unbelievable story**

16. "Icing on the cake" means:

- A. An ugly but essential addition
- B. An ugly & inessential removal
- C. Be very expensive
- D. An attractive but inessential addition**

17. "Drop a dime" means:

- A. To be an informant**
- B. Almost free; very cheap
- C. To stop something at early stage
- D. To leave

18. "Ace in the hole" means:

- A. A hidden or secret advantage**
- B. A fatal weakness
- C. Anything causing trouble
- D. Without hesitation

19. "To set one's face against" means:

- A. To oppose with determination**
- B. To judge by appearance
- C. To get out of difficulty
- D. To look steadily

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**C. To confess without reserve**

D. To destroy before it blooms

21. **"To egg on" means:**

A. To advise

B. To ask

**C. To urge**

D. To warn

22. **"Spick and span" means:**

A. Wisdom and foresight

B. Watch the weather

**C. Spotlessly clean**

D. Deceive somebody

23. **"All hours" means:**

A. At regular times

**B. At irregular times**

C. Every hour

D. None of these

24. **"De Jure" means:**

**A. By law**

B. Successful

C. Illegal

D. Compromising

25. **"Turn heads" means:**

A. Too pleased

B. Get angry

**C. Attract a lot of attention**

D. Get acquainted

26. **"When pigs fly" means:**

A. Something easy to do

B. Raining heavily

**C. Something that will never happen**

D. Miss the chance

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27. "Chew the fat" means:

- A. To initiate work
- B. To become silent
- C. To take offense

**D. To chat idly**

28. "A hot potato" means:

- A. One tiny drawback
- B. To go to bed
- C. To find fault

**D. A controversial issue**

29. "To hit the nail on the head" means:

- A. To say something exactly right**
- B. To destroy reputation
- C. To announce fixed views
- D. To teach a lesson

30. "Hornet's nest" means:

- A. A bee's house
- B. A violent situation**
- C. A good situation
- D. A dangerous place

31. "Mala fide" means:

- A. Bad intention**
- B. Genuine
- C. Trustworthy
- D. Generous

32. "Novel" means:

- A. Short prose
- B. A long fictional prose**
- C. A short narrative prose
- D. A literary work on stage

33. "A slap on the wrist" means:

- A. Hard punishment
- B. Beating someone

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## **C. Warning or small punishment**

D. Make someone sad

34. **"Tie the knot" means:**

A. Friendship

**B. Getting married**

C. Enmity

D. Criticism

35. **"Couch potato" means:**

A. Active person

B. Busy person

**C. Lazy person**

D. Angry person

36. **"Raining cats and dogs" means:**

**A. Raining very heavily**

B. Easy option

C. Very rarely

D. One who presents counter argument

37. **"Bird brain" means:**

**A. A person who acts stupid**

B. A person who acts sharp

C. A person who acts dull

D. A person who acts hastily

38. **"A bitter pill" means:**

A. Anything causing trouble

B. A controversial issue

**C. Unpleasant but must be accepted**

D. When attempt fails

39. **"To smell a rat" means:**

A. To see signs of plague

B. To get bad smell

**C. To suspect foul dealings**

D. To be in bad mood



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40. "Never-never land" means:

- A. An ideal place
- B. Dream land
- C. A worthless place
- D. A useless situation

41. "Weal and woe" means:

- A. Up & down
- B. Joys & sorrows**
- C. Whole heartedly
- D. Extreme hate

42. "Short story" means:

- A. A long prose fiction
- B. A story of figurative language
- C. A story of many characters
- D. A short prose fiction**

43. "To cut long story short" means:

- A. Tell the story briefly
- B. Come to the point**
- C. Miss main points
- D. None of above

44. Government by women is called:

- A. Petticoat government**
- B. Corporatocracy
- C. Patriarchy
- D. None of these

45. "At sea" means:

- A. Happy
- B. Sad
- C. Puzzled**
- D. Triumphant

46. "Keep at bay" means:

- A. Keep in mind
- B. Keep at a distance**

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- C. Keep thinking
- D. Keep at seashore

47. **"Best of both worlds" means:**

- A. Never satisfied
- B. Judge by actions
- C. Enjoying two different opportunities**
- D. Limited information

48. **"Like a sitting duck" means:**

- A. Lazy
- B. Fat
- C. Sleepy
- D. Ignorant**

49. **"A man of straw" means:**

- A. A man of no substance**
- B. A very active person
- C. A worthy fellow
- D. An unreasonable person

50. **"Cap it all" means:**

- A. To cover everything
- B. To seize everything
- C. To finish**
- D. To occur

51. **"Rides the high horse" means:**

- A. Went gambling
- B. Bought horse
- C. Superior**
- D. None

52. **"To jazz up" means:**

- A. Go faster
- B. Make more exciting**
- C. Make noise
- D. Be strong

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53. **"De novo" means:**

- A. Calm in arm
- B. New**
- C. Prominent
- D. To any extent

54. **"One-trick pony" means:**

- A. Person with one special talent**
- B. Dishonest work
- C. Unlawful propaganda
- D. Clever planning

55. **"Off and on" means:**

- A. Frequently
- B. Rarely
- C. Occasionally**
- D. Sometimes

56. **"At the drop of a hat" means:**

- A. As soon spoken
- B. Done easily without preparation**
- C. Done instantly
- D. After done

57. **"Beating a dead horse" means:**

- A. Uselessly dwell on resolved subject**
- B. Unaddressed sensitive issue
- C. Speak blunt truth
- D. Work late

58. **"Put a spoke in my wheel" means:**

- A. Cause accident
- B. Help execution
- C. Thwart execution**
- D. Destroy plan

59. **"To leave someone in the lurch" means:**

- A. Compromise
- B. Annoy constantly

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C. Put at ease

**D. Desert in difficulties**

60. **"Pull your socks up" means:**

A. Get ready

B. Finish

C. Start

**D. Improve**

61. **"Eat anyone's salt" means:**

**A. To be one's guest**

B. Cook tasty dishes

C. Infectious disease

D. None

62. **"Rank and file" means:**

**A. Ordinary members**

B. Official machinery

C. Majority

D. Cabinet ministers

63. **"Inter alia" means:**

**A. In between**

B. By the fact

C. Under concentration

D. At end

64. **"Apple-pie order" means:**

**A. Neat & tidy**

B. Disordered

C. Mismanaged

D. Ornamental

65. **"Feel blue" means:**

**A. Feel sad**

B. Feel happy

C. Feel energetic

D. Feel angry

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66. "Your guess is as good as mine" means:

- A. Join trend
- B. Hear from authority
- C. Know answer
- D. Have no idea**

67. "Basket case" means:

- A. Area of vulnerability
- B. Narrow escape
- C. Omit main points
- D. One made powerless**

68. "Blows his own trumpet" means:

- A. Flatters
- B. Praises others
- C. Admonishes
- D. Praises himself**

69. "To pick holes" means:

- A. Find reason to quarrel
- B. Destroy something
- C. Criticize someone**
- D. Cut part of item

70. "Let the grass grow under feet" means:

- A. Loitered around**
- B. Stayed out
- C. Sat unmoving
- D. Moved away

71. "The salt of the earth" means:

- A. Kind**
- B. Rich
- C. Educated
- D. Quarrelsome

72. "Swan song" means:

- A. Last work**
- B. First work

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C. Middle work

D. Early work

73. **"En-route" means:**

A. One way direction

**B. On the way**

C. Long distance

D. None

74. **"Hold one's horses" means:**

A. Keep expectations

B. Keep gift

**C. Have patience**

D. High energy

75. **"Fender bender" means:**

A. Mammoth accident

B. Huge accident

**C. Small accident**

D. Major accident

76. **"Far cry from" means:**

A. Present counter argument

B. Take too big task

C. Show ended

**D. Very different from**

77. **"Apple of discord" means:**

**A. Anything causing trouble**

B. Person acting stupid

C. Worsen unfavorable situation

D. Speak blunt truth

78. **"Die in harness" means:**

A. Die horseback

B. Die battlefield

**C. Die while still working**

D. Die with honor

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79. "To put one's hand to plough" means:

- A. Take farming
- B. Take difficult task**
- C. Get entangled
- D. Interest in technical work

80. "To face the music" means:

- A. Greeted rudely
- B. Offered hospitality
- C. Front concert seat
- D. Bear consequences**

81. "Clique" means:

- A. Group animals
- B. Group birds
- C. Group people**
- D. None

82. "To make amend for" means:

- A. Make effort
- B. Compensate damage**
- C. Bring change
- D. None

83. "Give cold shoulder" means:

- A. Support
- B. Cold meat
- C. Ignore**
- D. Shiver

84. "Go Dutch" means:

- A. One pays all
- B. Share cost equally**
- C. Enjoy two opportunities
- D. Do badly/cheaply

85. "Wild goose chase" means:

- A. Foolish hopeless pursuit**
- B. Take credit others' work

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C. Don't take seriously

D. Not proficient

86. **"An arm and a leg" means:**

A. Full speed

B. Very cheap

**C. Very expensive**

D. Powerless

87. **"Passed himself off" means:**

A. Regarded as

**B. Pretended to be**

C. Thought to be

D. Looked upon

88. **"To end in smoke" means:**

A. Make understood

**B. Ruin oneself**

C. Excite applause

D. Overcome

89. **"Rule of thumb" means:**

A. Thumb mark

**B. Rough estimate**

C. Easy choice

D. Unknown rule

90. **"Prosaic" means:**

A. Good

**B. Dull**

C. Beautiful

D. None

91. **"Brain Drain" means:**

A. Mad person

**B. Migration of skilled persons**

C. Emigration intellectuals

D. None



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92. "To catch a tartar" means:

- A. Meet disaster
- B. Catch dangerous person**
- C. Deal with stronger person
- D. None

93. "Black and blue" means:

- A. Full of bruises**
- B. Poor plan
- C. False happiness
- D. Not understandable

94. "Spill the beans" means:

- A. Perform simple task
- B. Reveal secret**
- C. Stop early
- D. Perform simple

95. "Elephant in the room" means:

- A. Obvious unaddressed issue**
- B. Good health
- C. Perceive outside vision
- D. Learn through rumor

96. "Give cold shoulder" means:

- A. Scolded
- B. Insulted
- C. Abused
- D. Ignored**

97. "To cry wolf" means:

- A. Listen eagerly
- B. Give false alarm**
- C. Turn pale
- D. Keep off

98. "A hot potato" means:

- A. Tiny drawback
- B. Go to bed

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C. Find fault

**D. Controversial issue**

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**B. Violent situation**

C. Good situation

D. Dangerous place

Best of Luck