

BSW-044
Certificate in Tribal Studies
CTRBS

Tribals in Northeastern and Northern India

Marks per Question-1

Total Marks-50

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1. Which tribe inhabits the south western part of the Tirap district bordering Nagaland, and a fond of wearing decorated headgear?
 - A) Wonchos
 - B) Noctes
 - C) Tanshangs
 - D) Singphos

2. By nature, _____ are democratic and have a unique sense of history. They have a well-organized village council called Kebangs.
 - A) Nyishi
 - B) Apatani
 - C) Adis
 - D) Abor

3. Who are often referred to as ‘Sardarji’s’ of Arunachal Pradesh?
 - A) Nyishi
 - B) Apatani
 - C) Adis
 - D) Noctes

4. One of the most important ceremonies of noctes is called _____?
- A) Zu
 - B) Chum
 - C) Jauban Chowom
 - D) Gautama
5. Assam was known as Pragjyotisha or the place of eastern astronomy during the epic period and later named as Kamrupa.
- A) The statement is true
 - B) The statement is false
 - C) The statement is vague
 - D) The statement is irrelevant
6. The Rabhas community is branched into two main group 1. _____ 2. _____
- A) Goalpara and Kamrupand
 - B) Rishi and Mahakal
 - C) Baikho and Bhaikhu
 - D) Maitoria and Randaniya
7. 'The Lalungs from the plains and those from the hills differ in their dressing pattern'
- A) The statement is accurate
 - B) The statement is irrelevant
 - C) The statement is vague
 - D) The statement is biased

8. (i)The Bodos had been demanding a separate Bodoland during the last three decades and more.
(ii)The struggle was marked by lot of bloodshed and factional feuds.
(iii)The creation of BTAD brought a ray of hope among the mishing tribes of Assam.
- A) (i)and (iii) are correct
 - B) (i)and (ii) are correct
 - C) (ii)and (iii) are correct
 - D) (i), (ii) and (iii) are all correct
9. For the Chin-Kuki-Mizo group of tribals, the village chief is the authority over the village land.
- A)The statement is true
 - B)The statement is false
 - C)The statement is vague
 - D)The statement is irrelevant
10. _____ has been threatened by insurgencies ever since India got Independence from the British.
- A)Meghalaya
 - B)Tripura
 - C)Manipur
 - D)Nagaland

11. Successfully controlling the spread of HIV and AIDS in Manipur will need both the intervention from the government and non-governmental organizations.
- A) The statement is valid
 - B) The statement is invalid
 - C) The statement is incomplete
 - D) The statement is biased
12. _____ has been one of the most potent forces that have contributed to the change that has taken place among the tribal customary laws and practices in Manipur.
- A) Hinduism
 - B) Christianity
 - C) Jainism
 - D) Ancestor worship
13. Name the two main class of land in Khasi Hills.
- A) Ri Raid and Ri Kynti Land
 - B) Ri Kur and Ri Nongtymmen land
 - C) Ri Maw and Ri Sang land
 - D) Ri Ram Syiem and Ri Phlang land
14. _____ is the name for the compensatory divorce process. It is decided by village Elders.
- A) PynhiarSynjat
 - B) Ka Mynrain
 - C) Ksiang
 - D) Rap Iing

15. In Jaintia hills traditionally, inheritance of real property passes from mother to the youngest daughter called as _____
- A) Raj land
 - B) U Blai Trekirod
 - C) Khon Wasdiah
 - D) Lakadong Elaka
16. Garos bear resemblance to the Kacharis and the Nagas who descended from the great Bodo race which migrated from western China via Tibet to Burma.
- A) The statement is true
 - B) The statement is false
 - C) The statement is an assumption
 - D) The statement is irrelevant
17. (i) In Mizoram majority of ST population are Christian
(ii) The term Mizo is a combination of two words Mi (people) and Zo (highland/hill)
(iii) Chakmas are the main followers of Buddhism.
- A) (i), (ii) and (iii) are all correct
 - B) (ii) and (iii) are correct
 - C) (i) and (ii) are correct
 - D) (i) and (iii) are correct
18. The Chakmas of Mizoram as of today are entirely Christians and Christian rites and ceremonies have replaced almost all the traditional Chakma religious rites and ceremonies.
- A) The statement is true
 - B) The statement is false
 - C) The statement is an assumption
 - D) The statement is irrelevant

19. The migration of the _____ can be traced with some degree of certainty and the original homeland of Hawthai, Sabeu etc can be posited.

- A) Lakhers
- B) Pawi
- C) Lushai
- D) Chakma

20. A church building among the Mizo tribe is known as _____

- A) Buk pi
- B) Biak in
- C) Rawkha Tlak
- D) Phawngpui

21. (i) A Naga child is born not just into a nucleus family but also into a large family – the clan

(ii) For Nagas the clan is an important part of an individual's self-identity

(iii) The Nagas first owe allegiance to the Naga community.

- A) (i), (ii) and (iii) are all correct
- B) (i) and (ii) are correct
- C) (ii) and (iii) are correct
- D) (i) and (iii) are correct

22. _____ and _____ are among the 14 major Naga tribes in Nagaland.
- A) Mokukchung and Garos
 - B) Ao and Thadou
 - C) Angami and Lotha
 - D) Maker and Zeliang
23. The Ao's considered _____ to be the seat of their civilization and it is from here that its history can be traced.
- A) Lungterok
 - B) Chungliyimti
 - C) Kezei
 - D) Konyak
24. _____ is a very important festival of the Chang Naga tribe which falls before the harvest.
- A) Naknyulum
 - B) Khezha
 - C) Sukrenyi
 - D) Sangtam
25. Tripuri tribe is divided into two groups namely _____ and _____
- A) Reang Tripuri and Jamatia Tripuri
 - B) Bachhal Tripuri and Siuk Tripuri
 - C) Puran Tripuri and Deshi Tripuri
 - D) Sera Tripuri and Julai Tripuri

26. _____ tribal community of Tripura are also found in Mizoram along the valleys of the rivers Lengai and Teirei
- A) Reang
 - B) Lunglei
 - C) Achai
 - D) Jamatia
27. (i) The Halam are one of the earliest settlers in Tripura
(ii) The Halam are reported to have been ferocious people who kill strangers
(iii) The Halam settlements have a maximum concentration in the south Tripura district.
- A) (i) and (ii) are correct
 - B) (i) and (iii) are correct
 - C) (ii) and (iii) are correct
 - D) All the points are correct
28. The Kuki are also called _____ in Tripura.
- A) Khowai
 - B) Darlong
 - C) Kmalpur
 - D) Sardar
29. The Lepcha are often referred to as _____ which means 'ravine people'
- A) Kuki-Thadou
 - B) Lap-Che
 - C) Mutachirong
 - D) Rong pa

30. _____ is one of the Nepali tribes found in Sikkim
- A) Lepcha
 - B) Magar
 - C) Lama
 - D) Bhutia
31. (i) The Lepcha are the original inhabitants of the Sikkim and Darjeeling hills.
- (i) They lived in Sikkim much before the Bhutia and the Nepalese.
 - (iii) They still have a majority in their own state and need no reservation.
- A) All the points are correct
 - B) (i) and (ii) are correct
 - C) (ii) and (iii) are correct
 - D) (i) and (ii) are correct
32. Among the Bhutia, the Tondu Rus-shi groups are superior to Bebtsengye groups.
- A) The statement is true
 - B) The statement is false
 - C) The statement is an assumption
 - D) The statement is desirable
33. _____ Tribal community of Jammu and Kashmir are special nomadic tribes, mainly found in Pir Panjal range located between the two states of Jammu and Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh.
- A) Balti
 - B) Bakarwal
 - C) Dogri
 - D) Bakri

34. The Changpa tribe is another tribal community from Jammu and Kashmir who have been enlisted legally as one of the scheduled tribes of India.

- A) The statement is true
- B) The statement is false
- C) The statement is vague
- D) The statement is irrelevant

35. (i) There are people of several caste in the whole of Gaddi tribal society.

(ii) The people of this tribal community are oriented towards religion and spiritualism.

(iii) Both religion-Hinduism and Islam are practiced by a large section of the Gaddi tribal community.

- A) (i)(ii) and (iii) are correct
- B) (i) and (ii) are correct
- C) (ii) and (iii) are correct
- D) All the points are false

36. _____ Which is also called Afganihat is worn by the aged Gujjar men.

- A) Shawl
- B) Poshak
- C) Gojri
- D) Topi

37. (i)The Bhil people have a rich indigenous culture.
(ii)Ghoomar dance is one of the popular aspect of Bhil culture.
(iii)Angrakha is a popular form of entertainment among the Bhil tribes.
- A)(i)(ii) and (iii) are correct
B) only (i) and (ii) are correct
C) only (ii) and (iii) are correct
D)only (i) and (iii) are correct
38. _____ Tribe claim noble descent from the Matsya Avatar or also known as the fish incarnation of Vishnu.
- A)Meena
B)Garasia
C)Sehria
D)Bhil
39. The language used by the tribal people of Tharu tribe is similar to that of Sanskrit which requires excessive use of the tongue.
- A)The statement is vague
B)The statement is illogical
C)The statement is correct
D)The statement is incorrect
40. The Buksa tribe ancestors were believed to have owned long beards similar to that of a he-goat (Bok) and hence they got the name Buksa.
- A)The statement is hearsay
B)The statement is false
C)The statement is irrelevant
D)The statement is true

41. Gonds worship a high God known as _____
- A) Baradeo
 - B) Persa Pen
 - C) Pardhan
 - D) Diety
42. (i) In the Tharu society Shamans hold a place of prominence.
(ii) These Shamans act as doctors and are called Guruba. The Guruba make use of buddhist medicines for curing disease.
- A) All the statement is true
 - B) All the statement is false
 - C) only (i) and (ii) is true
 - D) only (i) and (ii) is false
43. The entire society of Jaunsari tribe is divided into several caste namely:
- A) Mahasu and Devta
 - B) Raji and Devnagiri
 - C) Choli and Kutki
 - D) Koltas and Khasas
44. Development should have a more representative character. There should be a _____ development.
- A) Nation-oriented
 - B) People-oriented
 - C) State-oriented
 - D) community-oriented

45. 'Rehabilitation' is still not an integral part of any displacement plan.
- A) The statement is true
 - B) The statement is false
 - C) The statement is an assumption
 - D) The statement is vague
46. _____ recognizes the right of every Indian to a life with dignity.
- A) Art. 18
 - B) Art. 19
 - C) Art. 20
 - D) Art. 21
47. Migration is considered to be a function of labour reallocation in response to market demand so that the demand and supply of labour are always in equilibrium.
- A) The statement is true
 - B) The statement is false
 - C) The statement is desirable
 - D) The statement is an assumption
48. _____ is the study of how people of a particular tribe and region make use of indigenous plants.
- A) Tribal medicine
 - B) Ethnobotony
 - C) Anthropology
 - D) Folk medicine

49. In the Indian epics such as Ramayana, Mahabharata and Puranas there are many references to interactions and wars between the forest or hill tribes and the Hindus.

- A) The statement is true
- B) The statement is false
- C) The statement is an assumption
- D) The statement is vague

50. Our _____ and culture promotes scientific spirit and temper.

- A) Tribal view
- B) Nation View
- C) World view
- D) Individual view