

Karnataka PDO Exam Papers 2015 exams

Panchayat Raj And Rural Development - 30 Questions - 30 Marks

1, The national rural employment gurantee act and scheme is funded by:

a, world bank b, state government c, central government d, Centre and State jointly **Ans: d**

2, Ramesha applied for employment under REGS and was allotted work at the local canal, However, the agency responsible for the work did not commence the work even after 20 days. Ramesh should first approach the:

a, program officer b, District programme coordinator c, Taluka Panchayat Adhyaksha d, None **Ans: a**

3, Venkatesh family consist of himself, his wife and three sons aged 24, 19 and 16 and his unmarried sister aged 45. His eldest son is married and stays with his wife and daughter in a nearby village in the same panchayat. Who all from Venkatesh's family can registry for RGES as a Household:

a, Venkatesh, his wife and unmarried sons b, Venkatesh, his wife, sister and second son c, Venkatesh, his wife, sister and elder two sons d, Everyone in the family **Ans: b**

4, Raghu and his family moved to another district in January and returned in september. When he appraoched the Gram Panchayat for registering for REGS, he was told that:

a, his family was not covered under REGS b, his family was covered under REGS c, his family was covered only for 50 days as he was not in the area for 6 months d, only one person from his family could apply **Ans: b**

5, Ramu was issued a job card in march 2008, His son completed 18 years in May 2008. In order for his son to be eligible for employment, Ramu:

a, should immediately inform the Gram Panchayat b, should wait for the annual updation by Gram Panchayat c, should approach the program officer d, need not to

take any action as his son's name will be automatically included when he completes 18 years **Ans: a**

6, Under the NREGA scheme, of the total sanctioned work in a Panchayat area:

a, at least 20% in terms of cost should be allotted to Gram Panchayat b, at least 50% in terms of cost should be allotted to Gram Panchayat c, 100% can be allotted to outside agencies d, at least 20% must be allocated to NGOs in the area **Ans : b**

7, construction and maintenance of a community sanitary complex is the responsibility of :

a, Gram panchayat b, state govt c, Central govt d, all f these **Ans: a**

8, which of the following is not true:

a, every school must have separate toilets for boys and girls b, every anganawadi must have separate toilets for boys and girls c, every school must have one teacher trained in Hygiene d, school toilets are funded jointly by central govt, state govt and parent teachers **Ans : d**

9, Lakshmi has been allotted a home under Indira Awas Yojane, Since she is not skilled in construction work she should:

a, Approach contractors appointed by the state Govt b, Take help from govt departments involved in construction c, arrange for local labour and raw material herself d, None **Ans: c**

10, Central assistance for Indira Awas Yojane is provided to state on the basis of:

a, Ratio of Rural Poor in the state to Total Rural Poor in the country b, Ratio of Rural area in the state to Rural area in the country c, Ratio of women to men in the state d, all the above **Ans:A**

11, Rajiv Gandhi Rural housing corporation limited is a govt company established :

a, by the Central govt b, by the govt of Karnataka c, Jointly by the centre and state govt of all states d, None **Ans:b**

12, The minimum contribution of a beneficiary of urban Ashraya housing scheme is :

a, Rs 5000 b, Rs 10000 c, 10% of the total cost of construction d, not specified **Ans:a**

13, Under Ambedkar housing scheme, the beneficiary:

a, has to pay interest on loan at the rate of 11% b, has to pay interest on loan at the rate of 10% c, has to repay the cost of the house in 180 monthly installments d, does not have to repay anything as the entire amount is a subsidy **Ans: d**

14, The constitution Amendment to Article 73 deals with:

a, The establishment of a 2-tier system of Panchayati Raj b, The establishment of a 3-tier system of Panchayati Raj c, Establishment of a District planning committee d, all the above **Ans: b**

15, All the provisions of The Karnataka Panchayat Raj Act 1993 came into force from:

a, 1 Nov 1993 b, 1 May 1993 c, 10 May 1993 d, 1 May 1994 **Ans: c**

16, The plans of Municipalities and Panchayats are consolidated by:

a, State Govt b, District Planning Committee c, Ministry of Health d, None **Ans: b**

17, The Grama Sabha is expected to meet at least once in :

a, six months b, three months c, two weeks d, Not specified **Ans: a**

18, The Gram Panchayat is responsible for:

a, Providing sanity latrines to not less than ten percent of the household every year and achieve full coverage as early as possible b, ensuring universal enrollment of children in primary school c, construction, repair and maintenance of public streets d, all of the above **Ans: d**

19, One of the duties of Grama Panchayat is to ensure that water meant for drinking or bathing is not used for washing animals or polluted. if convicted, the penalty imposed by the Grama panchayat is:

a, Arrest and Jail b, Fine of Rs. 50 c, The offender is asked to leave the area d, None of the above **Ans: b**

20, The responsibility of repair and maintenance of private drains, sewers and house-gullies in the grama panchayat's area is:

a, with the owner of the house or land in which it is located b, with the ward panchayat c, with the gram panchayat d, shared by all the above **Ans: a**

21, The official who submits the monthly accounts and keeps records of the Grama Panchayat Standing committees is the:

a, Secretary b, Adhyaksha c, Upadhyaksha d, None **Ans: a**

22, The terms of office of the Upadhyaksha is:

a, five years b, two years c, as long as he or she is a member of the grama panchayat d, decided by the Adhyaksha **Ans:b**

23, The quorum(minimum attendance) in a Grama Panchayat meeting is:

a, 10 b, one tenth the total number of members c, one half the total number of members d, not specified **Ans: c**

24, The Gram Panchayat has authority to collect:

a, Taxes b, Tolls c, Duties d, all the above **Ans:d**

25, The financial position of the Gram Panchayat is reviewed by a finance commission constituted by the,

a, Taluka Panchayat b, Chief Minister of the state c, Governor of the state d, None **Ans:c**

26, The Govt gives a grant for Establishment expenses to:

a, Taluka Panchayat b, Gram Panchayat c, Zilla Panchayat d, All the above **Ans: d**

27, The Gram Panchayat is expected to establish standing committee for :

a, Agricultural Production b, Education and Public health c, Welfare of Women and Children d, All the above **Ans:d**

28, The Upadhyaksha performs duties and activities of the Adhyaksha:

a, When the Adhyaksha is absent or on leave b, along with Adhyaksha c, In special meetings of the gram panchayat d, all the above **Ans:a**

29, The Abdul Nazeer Sab State Institute of Rural Development is in:

a, Mysore b, Bengalure c, Gulbarga d, Hassan **Ans: a**

30, The recommendations of the Eleventh Finance Commission on Functional and financial devolution of the Panchayats cover the period:

a, 1993-1994 to 1998-1999

b, 2000-2001 to 2004-2005

c, 2003-2004 to 2008-2009

d, All the above

Ans: b

General English 30 Questions - 30 Marks

1, Novels adapted for the stage have **never really been my cup of tea**, The idiom means

a, Not to one's taste b, something which is mediocre c, to be odd in taste d, never a treat **Ans:a**

2, "Patience and perseverance lead to achievement" means:

a, There are two sides to every question b, slow and steady wins the race c, practice makes perfect d, there's no time like present **Ans:b**

3, My neighbour along with her two dogs, across the pasture daily:

a, walks b, walking c, walk d, is walking **Ans:**

4, Pick out the odd word,

a, preserve b, conserve c, engage d, protect **Ans:c**

5, Kiran is intelligent boy, He got best student award. The appropriate words to be filled in the blanks are:

a, the:an b, a:the c, an:the d, an:a **Ans:c**

6, The noise frightened the horse. This can also be written as:

a, the horse had been frightened by the noise b, the horse has been frightened by the noise c, the horse was being frightened by the noise d, the horse was frightened by the noise **Ans: d**

7, "To give means a piece of your mind" means

a, To clear mind of doubts b, to give a sound scolding c, to calm your temper d, to break the ice **Ans:**

8, The synonym of "Ameliorate" is :

a, Decay b, improve c, die d, Success **Ans:**

9, the opposite of "Ephemeral" is :

a, spiritual b, ethical c, permanent d, stable **Ans:c**

10, choose the correctly spelt word:

a, Homogenus b, Homogenius c, Homagenous d, Homogeneous **Ans:d**

11, of impending danger, he will not anticipate it

a, if you have warned him b, Unless you warn him c, Until you have warned him d, Unless you warned him **Ans: b**

12, The negative prefix for the word "glorious" is

a, Un b, Dis c, In d, Im **Ans: b**

13, Which one of the given pair of words is similar to the following? Apathy : Indifference

a, In total : partially b, Pleasure : torture c, Sound : light d, Bonafide : genuine

14, "Reverently" means

a, To annoy deeply b, To love deeply c, To irritate deeply d, To respect deeply **Ans: a**

15, choose the correctly spelt word,

a, Perseverence b, Perceveerence c, Perseverance d, Perceiverance **Ans: c**

16, There are four flyovers coming up in our area, with three soon to open and more "IN THE PIPELINE". quoted words mean,

a, On the way b, following each other c, far away from each other d, ready for inauguration **Ans: a**

17, The "TENACITY" demonstrated by the youngster was appreciated by all. The quoted word means,

a, Courage b, Intelligence c, Determination d, Audacity **Ans: c**

18, Pick the odd word out,

a, Humble b, Greedy c, Meek d, Unassuming **Ans:**

19, The scissors on the desk,

a, was b, are c, is d, has been **Ans: b**

20, which of the following is arranged in alphabetical order

a, Arun, Aishwarya, Arya, Amartya

b, Amartya, Aishwarya, Arun, Arya

c, Aishwarya, Amartya, Arun, Arya

d, Arya, Amartya, Aishwarya, Arun

Ans: c

21, Find the pair that is similar to Goose: Gander

a, Ox:Oxen b, Mouse:Rat c, Peahen:Peacock d, Moose:Snake **Ans:d**

Moose : a type of large deer found in North America, and also in northern Europe where it is known as the elk

22, Income Tax is generally ASSOCIATED FOR ONES annual income, Identify the grammatically correct phrase for the underlined words,

a, dependent on ones b, associated with ones c, related to ones d, no correction required **Ans: c**

23, Vinod had all along kind to Jagan; so he by being loyal to him,

a, Reprimanded b, remanded c, reciprocated d, retaliated **Ans:**