Introduction to Indic Knowledge System (IKS) Question Bank Semester1

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- 1. Full form of IKS is _____
 - a. India Knowledge System
 - b. Iran Knowledge System
 - c. Indic Knowledge System
 - d. Intensive Knowledge System
- 2. Foundational building blocks of any civilizational knowledge system (CKS)) are
 - a. Truth
 - b. Goodness
 - c. Beauty
 - d. All of the above
- 3. WKS stands for
 - a. West Knowledge System
 - b. Western Knowledge System
 - c. World Knowledge System
 - d. Whole Knowledge System
- 4. Limitations of western knowledge system are
 - a. Diversity
 - b. Incomplete in its outlook and worldview
 - c. Definitions are vague
 - d. All of the above
- 5. Indic Knowledge System define Truth, Goodness and Beauty in one word that is
 - a. SamChittaAnand
 - b. SatChittaAnand
 - c. SatChittaAhankar
 - d. None of the above
- 6. According to IKS Anand is ____
 - a. Experience Material World
 - b. Experiencing Inner Bliss
 - c. Experience Happiness
 - d. All of the above
- 7. According to IKS Chitta is _____
 - a. Moving from Satva to tamas
 - b. Moving from Rajas to Satva
 - c. Moving from Tamas to Rajas to Satva
 - d. None of the above
 - e.
- 8. From the following _____is major text of sociology
 - a. Natya Shashtra
 - b. Arth Shashtra
 - c. Dharm Shashtra
 - d. None of the above
- 9. India is _____Centric Civilization.
 - a. Knowledge
 - b. Material
 - c. Science
 - d. None of the above

10. World's largest collection of ancient Manuscripts is in _____

- a. India
- b. USA
- c. Germany
- d. England

11. ______ is one of the largest epics – roughly 10 times the size of the Iliad and

- Odyssey combined.
 - a. Ramayana
 - b. Mahabharat
 - c. Kiratarjuniya
 - d. Kumarasambava
- 12. _____called Srotriyas(श्रोत्रिय) as "Living Libraries".
 - a. Macule
 - b. Max Plank
 - c. Max Muller
 - d. None of the above
- 13. Ved means to _____
 - a. To exist
 - b. To make known
 - c. To Know
 - d. All of the above
- 14. Word Ved was derived from the Sanskrit dhatu _____
 - a. विध
 - b. विद
 - c. विध्या
 - d. वद
- 15. Vedas are compiled by _____
 - a. Rishi Gautam
 - b. Rishi Kanad
 - c. Rishi Bharadwaj
 - d. Rishi Ved Vyasa
- 16. Dhanurveda is Upved of _____
 - a. Yajurved
 - b. Rigved
 - c. Samved
 - d. Atharvaved
- 17. Yajurveda priest known as _____
 - a. Hotr
 - b. Adhvaryu
 - c. Maharshi
 - d. All of the above
- 18. Gandharva veda is Upved of _____
 - a. Yajurved
 - b. Rigved
 - c. Samved
 - d. Atharvaved

- 19. Rigveda priest is known as _____
 - a. Hotr
 - b. Adhvaryu
 - c. Maharshi
 - d. All of the above
- 20. There are _____ vedangas
 - a. 2
 - b. 4
 - c. 6
 - d. 5
- 21. From the following which is not the Vedanga
 - a. Kalp
 - b. Yukti
 - c. Vyakran
 - d. Jyotish
- 22. Four vedas are

a. Rigved, Yajurved, Samved, Atharvaved

- b. Rigved, Yajurved, Dhanurved, Atharvaved
- c. Rigved, Yajurved, Samved, Ayurved
- d. Rigved, Yajurved, Gandharvved, Atharvaved
- 23. Ancient Indian Knowledge is preserved in/by
 - a. Guru Shishya Parampara
 - b. Inscriptions on Temples
 - c. Manuscripts
 - d. All of the above
- 24. Chaturdasa VIdyas include_____
 - a. Veda
 - b. Vedangas
 - c. Upangas

d. All of the above

- 25. Upangas are _____
 - a. Itihas & Purana
 - b. Dharma Shastra
 - c. Nyay & Mimamsa
 - d. All of the above

26. There are _____ purushartha

- a. 3
- b. 5
- c. 4
- d. 2
- 27. There are _____kala
 - a. 55
 - b. 64
 - c. 33
 - d. 20
- 28. Yukti Kalptaru is the ancient text for _____
 - a. Architecture

- b. Yantra
- c. Mantra
- d. Ship Building
- 29. Darshan are _____ in numbers
 - a. 4
 - b. 5
 - c. 6
 - d. 7

30. _____Darshanas are related to Logic and Epistemology

a. Nyaya & Vaisheshik

- b. Nyaya & Miamsa
- c. Vaisheshik & Sankhya
- d. Vaisheshik & Yoga
- 31. _____ Darshana is related to health
 - a. Nyaya
 - b. Sankhya
 - c. Vaisheshik
 - d. Yoga
- 32. Rasratnakar is the text related to _____
 - a. Alchemy
 - b. Botany
 - c. Maths
 - d. Physics
- 33. Amarkosa is the text for _____
 - a. Alchemy
 - b. Linguistics
 - c. Astronomy
 - d. Health
- 34. Connect the right
 - a) Manu Smriti Public Administration
 - b) Chandah Shastra Metrical Pattern, Prosody
 - c) Astadhyayi Linguistic
 - d) Samrangana Sutradhara Architecture
 - a. A-c, b-d, c-a,d-c
 - b. A-a, b-b, c-c, d-d
 - c. A-d, b-c,c-b,d-b
 - d. A-b,b-a,c-d,d-a
- 35. From the following which is not the text of Architecture
 - a. Kasyapa Silpa Sastra
 - b. Mayamata
 - c. Manasara
 - d. Narada Sukta
- 36. Find the odd one out
 - a. Sulba Sutra
 - b. Astang-hrdaya
 - c. Brahat Samhita
 - d. Surya Siddhanta

- 37. The meaning of Sruti is _____
 - a. What is heard
 - b. What is seen
 - c. What is felt
 - d. None of the above
- 38. _____ is the oldest, largest and main Veda

a. Rigveda

- b. Yaajurveda
- c. Samveda
- d. Atharvaveda
- 39. Vedas are expressed in 3 modes
 - a. Prose
 - b. Verse
 - c. Song

d. All of the above

- 40. _____ can be considered as the origin of Indian Classical Music
 - a. Atharvaveda
 - b. Rigveda
 - c. Samveda
 - d. Yajurveda
- 41. Major part of Atharvaveda is connected with
 - a. Building Construction
 - b. Trade and Commerce
 - c. Disease and their cure
 - d. All of the above
- 42. Each Veda is consist of
 - a. Samhita
 - b. Brahmana
 - c. Aranyak

d. All of the Above

43. ______explains in various mantras praising the elements of nature and cosmos

a. Rigveda

- b. Atharva Veda
- c. Yajurveda
- d. Samveda

_____explains in various mantras different procedures of worshiping the

- nature and cosmos
 - a. Rigveda
 - b. Atharva Veda
 - c. Yajurveda
 - d. Samveda

_____gives a music driven canonical format to other Vedas for ease of

recitation

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- a. Rigveda
- b. Atharva Veda
- c. Yajurveda
- d. Samveda

- 46. ______sets the rule for a stable mind and daily life activities
 - a. Rigveda

b. Atharva Veda

- c. Yajurveda
- d. Samveda
- 47. _____ contain commentaries on the mantras of Veda

a. Brahamana Granth

- b. Upanishada
- c. Vedang
- d. Aranyak Granth

48. _____are considered as bridge between Brahmanas and Upanisadas

- a. Aranayka Granth
- b. Upaveda
- c. Samhita
- d. None of the above

49. _____are the philosophical treaties dealing with the ultimate problems of life that every one of us confronts.

- a. Aranyak
- b. Upaveda
- c. Upanisada
- d. Brahmana
- 50. Total _____upanisadas are there
 - a. 107
 - b. 108
 - c. 106
 - d. 18
- 51. Rigveda has _____Upanisadas
 - a. 10
 - b. 16
 - c. 31
 - d. 51
- 52. Yajurveda has _____Upanisadas
 - a. 10
 - b. 16
 - c. 31
 - d. 51
- 53. Samveda has _____Upanisadas
 - a. 10
 - b. 16
 - c. 31
 - d. 51

54. Atharvaveda has _____ Upanisadas

- a. 10
- b. 16
- c. 31
- d. 51

55. The science of pronunciation in Vedang known as _____

- a. Siksa
- b. Vyakran
- c. Nirukta
- d. Kalpa

56. The rules of grammar in Vedanga known as _____

- a. Siksa
- b. Vyakran
- c. Nirukta
- d. Kalpa

57. The text of etymology in Vedang known as _____

- a. Siksa
- b. Vyakran
- c. Nirukta
- d. Kalpa
- 58. In Vedanga ______can be considered as a user manual that provides instructions and directions to lead all aspect of life.
 - a. Siksa
 - b. Vyakrana
 - c. Jyotish
 - d. Kalpa
- 59. The knowledge of the movement of stars and planetary bodies is called _____in Vedanga
 - a. Siksa
 - b. Vyakrana
 - c. Jyotish
 - d. Kalpa

60. Indian Philosophical system can be classified in to ______ systems

- a. Vedic
- b. Non Vedic
- c. Both a and b
- d. None of the above
- 61. _____is the author of Samkhya Darshan
 - a. Kapil
 - b. Gautam
 - c. Kanad
 - d. Vyasa
- 62. Yoga Darshan founded by _____
 - a. Kapil
 - b. Gautam
 - c. Patanjali
 - d. Kanad
- 63. Nyaya Sashtra developed by _____
 - a. Gautam
 - b. Kanad
 - c. Kapil
 - d. Patanjali

64. Vaisheshik Darshan was propounded by _____

- a. Gautam
- b. Kanad
- c. Kapil
- d. Patanjali
- 65. Purva Mimamsa was established by
 - a. Gautam
 - b. Vyasa
 - c. Jaimini
 - d. Shankaracharya
- 66. Uttar Mimamsa is also known as _____
 - a. Vedanta
 - b. Upveda
 - c. Mimamsa sutra
 - d. None of the above
- 67. _____was the founder of Advaita Vedanta

a. Shankaracharya

- b. Madhavacarya
- c. Ramanuja
- d. Jaimini
- 68. _____was the founder of Visistadvaita Vedanta
 - a. Shankaracharya
 - b. Madhavacarya
 - c. Ramanuja
 - d. Jaimini
- 69. _____was the founder of Dvaita Vedanta
 - a. Shankaracharya
 - b. Madhavacarya
 - c. Ramanuja
 - d. Jaimini
- 70. _____are the non Vedic Darshanas
 - a. Carvaka
 - b. Jain
 - c. Budhha
 - d. All of the above
- 71. _____school of thought closely maps to the trait of materialism
 - a. Carvaka
 - b. Jain
 - c. Budhha
 - d. Advaita
- 72. _____school of thought focuses on the means of ending the suffering of the individuals
 - a. Carvaka
 - b. Jain
 - c. Budhha
 - d. Advaita
- 73. _____school of thought closely maps to the trait of materialism, which emphasises a life of enjoyment based on certain principles and assumptions about life.

- a. Carvaka
- b. Jain
- c. Budhha
- d. Advaita
- 74. Approach of ______darshana is to valid knowledge of the "Reality"
 - a. Samkhya Yoga
 - b. Nyaya Vaisheshik
 - c. Mimamsa Vedanta
 - d. All of the above
- 75. Approach of ______darshana is to understand the properties of "matter" and its "role"
 - a. Samkhya Yoga
 - b. Nyaya Vaisheshik
 - c. Mimamsa Vedanta
 - d. All of the above
- 76. Uttar Mimamsa also known as _____
 - a. Samkhya
 - b. Nyaya
 - c. Vedanta
 - d. All of the above
- 77. From the following which is the major Upanisada of Rigveda
 - a. Aitareya
 - b. Taittiriya
 - c. Chandogya
 - d. Mandukya
- 78. From the following which is the major Upanisada of Yajurveda
 - a. Aitareya
 - b. Taittiriya
 - c. Chandogya
 - d. Mandukya
- 79. From the following which is the major Upanisada of Samveda
 - a. Aitareya
 - b. Taittiriya
 - c. Chandogya
 - d. Mandukya
- 80. From the following which is the major Upanisada of Atharvaveda
 - a. Aitareya
 - b. Taittiriya
 - c. Chandogya
 - d. Mandukya
- 81. There are 4 mahavkyas from 4 vedas, तत् त्वम् असि is the Mahavakya from _____
 - a. Rigveda
 - b. Yajurveda
 - c. Artharvaveda
 - d. Samveda
- 82. There are 4 mahavkyas from 4 vedas, प्रज्ञानं ब्रहम is the Mahavakya from _____

- a. Rigveda
- b. Yajurveda
- c. Artharvaveda
- d. Samveda

83. There are 4 mahavkyas from 4 vedas, अहम् ब्रहमास्मि is the Mahavakya from

- a. Rigveda
- b. Yajurveda
- c. Artharvaveda
- d. Samveda

84. There are 4 mahavkyas from 4 vedas, अयम आत्म ब्रहम is the Mahavakya from

- a. Rigveda
- b. Yajurveda
- c. Atharvaveda
- d. Samveda
- 85. There are _____smriti texts and _____ puran texts
 - a. 17,18
 - b. 14,18
 - c. 18,18
 - d. 108,18
- 86. _____-are the established principles in various branches of science

a. Siddhanta

- b. Vedanga
- c. Upanisada
- d. Aranyaka

87. There are ______Siddhantas related to field of Astronomy & Mathematics

- a. 12
- b. 18
- c. 8
- d. 10

88. Rishi Bharadwaj was known as father of _____

- a. Yantra Sashtra
- b. Nauka Sasthra
- c. Bhaashaa Sashtra
- d. Natya Sashtra
- 89. Vaimanik Sashtra is the part of ______
 - a. Yuktikalptaru
 - b. Rasendramanagalam
 - c. Yantrasarvasva
 - d. Bhaskaracarya
- 90. _____ is the major text on Public Administration
 - a. Arthsashtra
 - b. Siddhanta siromani
 - c. Nyaya Sutra
 - d. Manasara

- 91. ______is the major text on Metal Technology
 - a. Rasratnashala

b. Rasa-ratna-samuccaya

- c. Manasara
- d. Aryabhatiya
- 92. _____is the major text on Agriculture
 - a. Krishi Vigyan
 - b. Krishi Parashara
 - c. Krishi Veda
 - d. None of the above
- 93. _____ is the backbone of Indian astrology and calendar system
 - a. Siddhanta
 - b. Panchang
 - c. Amarkosh
 - d. Arthsastra
- 94. The truths which are told through mantras in Vedas and Upanishads, the same truths are told through traditional stories in _____
 - a. Upnisada
 - b. Purana
 - c. Upveda
 - d. None of the above
- 95. Sanskrit is _____language
 - a. Well-constructed
 - b. Accurate
 - c. Cultivated
 - d. All of the above

96. In Sanskrit Language we have vargiya and avargiya _____

- a. Vyanjana
- b. Svara
- c. Sur
- d. Vibhakti
- 97. Who gave approximation of the square root of 2 and the statement of a version of the Pythagorean Theorem
 - a. Baudhayan
 - b. Katyayana
 - c. Shalya
 - d. None of the Above

gave the THEORY OF binary numeral system, arithmetical

triangle.

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- a. Baudhayan
- b. Pingala
- c. Shalya
- d. None of the Above
- 99. Who gave the explanation of lunar eclipse and solar eclipse, rotation of Earth on its axis, reflection of light by moon
 - a. Baudhayana
 - b. Katyayana

c. Aryabhata

- d. Shalya
- 100. Which are the famous mathematicians in ancient India
 - a. Varah Mihira
 - b. Brahmgupta
 - c. Shridhara
 - d. All of the above
 - 101. Following are the authors of Sulba Sutra
 - a. Apastambha
 - b. Katyayana
 - c. Manava

d. All of the above

102. The known oldest manuscript for mathematics was found in ______Pakistan

a. Bakshali

- b. Mihira
- c. Bhanushali
- d. None of the above

103. Types of ______are the most complex aspect in Sulba Sutra

- a. Chithi
- b. Akruti
- c. Vruti
- d. All of the above
- 104. Fire Altars in ancient times known as _____
 - a. Akruti
 - b. Chithi
 - c. Vrutti
 - d. None of the above

105. _____proided very clear guidelines to construct the various Chithis

- a. Sulba Sutra
- b. Aryabhatiya
- c. Surya Siddhanta
- d. None of the above
- 106. _____ Sutras are rules for performing the Yajna.
 - a. Siddhanta
 - b. Srauta
 - c. Sulba
 - d. None Of the above
- 107. As per Sulba Sutra basic vedic unit of measurement is ______

a. Angula

- b. Meter
- c. Stupi
- d. None of the above
- 108. In ______ number system number associated with the being.
 - a. Katapayadi Sankhya
 - b. Aryabhatiya
 - c. Bhut Sankhya
 - d. All of the above

- 109. _____ number system is based on the letters of Sanskrit alphabets
 - a. Katapayadi Sankhya
 - b. Aryabhatiya
 - c. Bhut Sankhya
 - d. All of the above
 - 110. ______ introduces a formal definition of the word "Sunya" to denote the zero.
 - a. Agam Sashtra
 - b. Chandah Sashtra
 - c. Panchtantra
 - d. None of the above
 - ______is the first famous text on astronomy in India.
 - a. Siddhanta

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- b. Panchratna
- c. Aryabhatiya
- d. Rasendramalika
- 112. Sukla Paksha is considered from ______

a. Amavasya to Purnima

- b. Purnima to Amavasya
- c. Ekam to Amavasya
- d. Ekam to Purnima
- 113. Krsna Paksha is considered from _____
 - a. Amavasya to Purnima
 - b. Purnima to Amavasya
 - c. Ekam to Amavasya
 - d. Ekam to Purnima

114. In Indic System, the ecliptic is divided in to 27 equal divisions, known as _____

- a. Graha
- b. Nakshatra
- c. Tara
- d. b and c
- 115. Aryabhatiya Bhasya was written by _____
 - a. Manav
 - b. Apstambha
 - c. Nilkantha Somayaji
 - d. Mihira

116. In ancient India astronomical instruments water clock known as _____

- a. Ghati Yantra
- b. Sanku
- c. Gola Yantra
- d. Kapala Yantra
- 117. Panca Siddhantika written by _____
 - a. Aryabhata
 - b. Brahmgupata
 - c. Varah Mihir
 - d. Lalla
- 118. In Shiva Purana's describes about human anatomy in details.
 - a. Uma Samhita

- b. Rudra Samhita
- c. Vyaviya Samhita
- d. Koti Rudra Samhita

119. Plant cell structure, the process of photo synthesis, plant taxonomy described in

a. Vrksha Ayurveda

- b. Gavya Ayurveda
- c. Mantra Sarvasva
- d. Panchtantra
- 120. _____can be defined as the extraction, purification, alloying and application of

metals.

a. Metallurgy

- b. Alchemy Technology
- c. Yantra Technology
- d. None of the above
- 121. _____ age civilization also known as Harappan Civilization
 - a. Iron
 - b. Bronz
 - c. Stone
 - d. All of the above

122. The famous Damascus swords were made out of ______

- a. Zinc
- b. Rust free Iron
- c. Wootz Steel
- d. All of the above
- 123. Wootz steel, produced in _____ India from about 300 BCE.
 - a. North
 - b. East
 - c. West
 - d. South
 - 124. In ancient India Soft Iron was known as _____

a. Kanta Loha

- b. Tiksna Loha
- c. Munda Loha
- d. All of the above
- 125. _____ was very known alchemist

a. Nagarjuna

- b. Mihira
- c. Aryabhata
- d. Manav
- 126. The ______texts discuss many chemical substances and their interactions
 - a. Aryabhatiya
 - b. Panchsiddhantika
 - c. Rasmalika
 - d. Rasaśāstra
- 127. _____ was known as Amruta Dhatu or immortal metal
 - a. Mercury

- b. Iron
- c. Dimond
- d. Zinc

128. The ______ was used for the extraction of 'essences' of metals, consisting of two rimmed vessels, with fire urged from above and a side blower; besides the metals, the vessels would be filled with charcoal

- a. Musa Yantra
- b. Koshthi Yantra
- c. Svedani Yantra
- d. Dola Yantra
- 129. The _____, a big earthen vessel used for steaming in ancient India.
 - a. Musa Yantra
 - b. Koshthi Yantra
 - c. Svedani Yantra
 - d. Dola Yantra

130. The_____, used for fumigation of gold leaves or silver foils with fumes of sulphur or other substances.

- a. Musa Yantra
- b. Koshthi Yantra
- c. Dhupa Yantra
- d. Dola Yantra

131. The ______ includes various recipes, for instance for the preparation of a glutinous material to be applied on the roofs and walls of houses and temples.

- a. Brhat Samhitā
- b. Rasmalika
- c. Rasendraratna
- d. None of the above
- 132. Studies on the ______ provide rich insights in to Zinc mining in ancient India
 - a. Dariba
 - b. Zawar
 - c. Chitradurga
 - d. Khetri
- 133. Ancient Indians adopted a novel technique of downward drift reduction distillation process for _____production
 - a. Copper
 - b. Iron
 - c. Gold
 - d. Zinc

134. ______mentions the relative properties of iron-carbon alloys produced in different regions of India

- a. Brhat Samhitā
- b. Rasmalika
- c. Rasendraratna
- d. Yuktikalptaru
- 135.Sthapatya includes ____
 - a. Architecture and Planning

- b. Architecture and Designing
- c. Planning and Execution
- d. None of the above
- 136. _____ was a planned city with the streets generally oriented along with the cardinal directions.
 - a. Lothal
 - b. Rakhi Gadhi
 - c. Harappa
 - d. None of the above
- 137. The architectural legacy of India can be understood from the archaeological excavations pointing to town planning and a large number of monuments maintained by
 - a. Architecture Society of India
 - b. Archaeological Survey of India
 - c. Monument Society of India
 - d. Both b and c
 - 138. ______ are the well-developed towns of ancient India
 - a. Lothal
 - b. Mohenjo-Daro
 - c. Dholavira
 - d. All of the above
 - 139. ______ is the oldest live dam in the world located on the river Kaveri, Tamil Nadu
 - a. The Grand Anicut
 - b. Qattinah Dam
 - c. Cornalvo Dam
 - d. None of the above
 - _____is a knowledge related to architecture and planning.
 - a. Chaturdasa Vidya
 - b. Vastu Vidya

140. ____

143. ____

- c. Sthapatya Vidya
- d. None of the above
- 141. In Vastu Sashtra ______ domains are discussed
 - a. Town Planning
 - b. Temple Architecture
 - c. Civil Architecture
 - d. All of the above
- 142. Vastu Sashtra provides
 - a. an order for construction;
 - b. creating sacredness
 - c. Integrating architecture with nature and the cosmos utilizing geometrical alignment, geometric patterns, rhythm, and symmetry
 - d. All of the above
 - _____ discussed treatise on architecture and iconography.
 - a. Kasyapa Silpa
 - b. Narada Silpa sastra
 - c. Visvakarma Prakasa
 - d. Manasara

- 144. ______ discussed about general roads, wate resources, village and
 - town planning
 - a. Kasyapa Silpa
 - b. Narada Silpa sastra
 - c. Visvakarma Prakasa
 - d. Manasara
- 145. ______ discussed the orientation of sites, men & materials to be

employed in Vastu examination

- a. Kasyapa Silpa
- b. Narada Silpa sastra
- c. Visvakarma Prakasa
- d. Manasara
- 146. ______ discussed the system of measurement, classification of architecture, the ground plan etc.
 - a. Kasyapa Silpa
 - b. Narada Silpa sastra
 - c. Visvakarma Prakasa
 - d. Manasara
- 147. Parallel set of streets crossing each other at 90 degrees with lesser density of houses known as _____
 - a. Dandaka
 - b. Swastika
 - c. Padmaka
 - d. Prastara

148. Design with Swastika shaped: Temple at the centre; has 8 gates known as

- a. Dandaka
- b. Swastika
- c. Padmaka
- d. Prastara

149. Space divided in 4,9 or 16 wards with Chessboard system of roads known as

- a. Swastika
- b. Padmaka
- c. Prastara
- d. Dandaka

150. The design best for seashore having semi-circular like a bow like structure is known

as ____

- a. Swastika
- b. Padmaka
- c. Karmuka
- d. Dandaka

151. _____type of division of the site has 64 number of squares.

- a. Pitha
- b. Manduka
- c. Asana
- d. Sakala

- 152. The planning and architectural aspects detailed in Vastu can be viewed using part classification of the concepts.
 - a. 9
 - b. 10
 - c. 8
 - d. 4
- 153. In Vastu building or any infrastructure depends up on certain characteristics of the Yajmana, like.....
 - a. Horoscope
 - b. Profession
 - c. Varna
 - d. All of the above
- 154. According to ______four types of silpi (technicians) work on a building.

a. Mayamata

- b. Narad Sthaptya sukta
- c. Kasyap stapatya
- d. None of the above
- 155. The master of architect is called ______ in Vastu sastra
 - a. Sthapati
 - b. Vardhaki
 - c. Taksaka
 - d. Sutragrahin
- 156. A good Stapati must be endowed with
 - a. Sastra, Karma, Prajna, Sila
 - b. Sastra, Karma, Sila
 - c. Sastra
 - d. Prajna

157. The _______ is the draftsman, who does the layout with Sutra (Cord) for all measurements.

- a. Sutragrahin
- b. Taksaka
- c. Vardhaki
- d. Sthapati

158. ______is an accurate measurer and sculptor who carves stone, wood, clay

etc.

- a. Sutragrahin
- b. Taksaka
- c. Vardhaki
- d. Sthapati
- 159. There is a specific chapter in Brhat-samhita, Vajra-lepa-laksanadhyaya on the preparation of ______ which helps in making the building or architecture adamantine.
 - a. Brick
 - b. Glue
 - c. Door
 - d. All of the above

- 160. In Vastu _______deals with two aspects: interior and exterior design of a building and repair and modification.
 - a. Vastu
 - b. Alankarana
 - c. Padvinyasa
 - d. Sthapatya

161. In Vastu Texts market for main artisans known as _____

- a. Durga
- b. Nigama
- c. Kheta
- d. Gram

162. In Vastu Texts Residential University village known as _____

- a. Vihara
- b. Durga
- c. Nigam
- d. Sthaniya

163. In India two cities named _____& ____have borrowed ideas from ancient Indian town planning concepts.

- a. Jaipur, Delhi
- b. Jaipur, Chandigadh
- c. Udaipur, Chandigadh
- d. Hyderabad, Jaipur
- 164. Jaipur city is built of the _____model of town planning
 - a. Prastara
 - b. Svastika
 - c. Dandaka
 - d. Sarvatobhadra

165. Chandigadh city is built of the _____ model of town planning

- a. Prastara
- b. Svastika
- c. Dandaka

d. Sarvatobhadra

166. The North Indian style of temple architecture is known as ______& the South Indian style of temple architecture is known as ______

- a. Dravida & Nagara
- b. Nagara & Dravida
- c. Padma, Nagara
- d. Padma, Dravida

is the womb of the temple, where the presiding deityis to be placed.

- a. Garbhgrha
- b. Mandapa
- c. Prastara
- d. Stupi

167. ____

168. ______ is the pavilion structure in front of garbhagrha.

- a. Garbhgrha
- b. Mandapa
- c. Prastara

- d. Stupi
- 169. Main pavilion is known as _____
 - a. Mukha Mandapa
 - b. Maha Mandapa
 - c. Ardha Mandapa
 - d. Stupi

170. The Mandapas in South Indian temples are classified according to the number of

- a. Bricks
- b. Steps
- c. Pillars
- d. Deity

172. ____

173. __

171. ______ is the open space for Pradakshina around the garbhgrha

- a. Garbhgrha
- b. Mandapa
- c. Prastara
- d. Prakara

is the base platform on which the entire super structure rests.

- a. Garbhgrha
- b. Adhisthana
- c. Mandapa
- d. Prastara
- is the entablature in the temple structure.
- a. Garbhgrha
- b. Mandapa
- c. Prastara
- d. Stupi
- 174. Khajuraho temple is built in style Temple Architecture
 - a. Nagara
 - b. Dravida
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. None of the above

175. The Sun temple of ______ was built of stone in the form of gigantic chariot dedicated to the Sun God.

- a. Modhera
- b. Odisha
- c. Konark
- d. None of the above
- 176. The famous Kailas temple of Ellora is the largest cave temple built from single stone.
 - a. Kailas
 - b. Angkorvat
 - c. Modhera
 - d. Lepakshi
- 177. The Hampi Temple is famous for its ______
 - a. Hanging Pillar
 - b. Musical Pillars
 - c. Rotating Pillars

- d. All of the above
- 178. Types of Vidya
 - a. Para
 - b. Apara
 - c. Para & Apara both
 - d. None of the above
- 179. Para vidya is also known as

a. Adhyatma Vidya

- b. Bhautik Vidya
- c. Both a & b
- d. None of the above
- 180. Apara Vidya is also known as
 - a. Sansarik Vidya
 - b. Adhyatma Vidya
 - c. Both a & b
 - d. None of the above
- 181. Main objectives of Indic Education System was
 - a. Purusharth Chatushtay
 - b. Panch Koshiya Vikas
 - c. Both a & b
 - d. None of the above
- 182. From the following which are Shaikshik Sanskar?
 - a. Vidyarambh
 - b. Upnayan
 - c. Samavartan
 - d. All of the above
- 183. In Gurukul various departments were known as Sthan, Department of Architecture known as
 - a. Indra Sthan
 - b. Vishvakarma Sthan
 - c. Mahendra Sthan
 - d. Garuda Sthan
- 184. In Gurukul various departments were known as Sthan, Department of Medicine known as
 - a. Indra Sthan
 - b. Sushrut Sthan
 - c. Dhanvantari Sthan
 - d. Garuda Sthan
- 185. According to Dashvaikalik Sutra there are ______steps for Learning
 - a. 4
 - b. 5
 - c. 7
 - d. 3
- 186. In ancient India various educational Institutes known as _____
 - a. Gurukul
 - b. Parishad
 - c. Sammelan

d. All of the above

- 187. The Natya sastra is a Sanskrit treatise on _____
 - a. Fine Art

b. Performing Art

- c. Both a & b
- d. None of the above
- 188. In Natya Sasthra Bhava means _____portrayed by a dancer-actor
 - a. Emotion
 - b. Expression
 - c. Movement
 - d. All of the above

189. Who wrote the Natyashastra?

a. Bharatamuni

- b. Chanakya
- c. Kalhana
- d. Sudraka

190. Natyasastra is structured in _____ chapters and 6000 poetic verses

- a. 34
- b. 26
- c. 36
- d. 28

191. There are _____rasa in Natya Sashtra

- a. 8
- b. 4
- c. 9
- d. 7
- 192. Natya Sashtra also refereed as
 - a. Panch Malika
 - b. Pancham Veda
 - c. Pancham Kavya
 - d. Mahakavya
- 193. According to Natyasastra _____ produces poetic contents through words, gestures, and movements, and psycho-physical representation.
 - a. Bhava
 - b. Rasa
 - c. Abhinay
 - d. Anubhava
- 194._____ are more prominent towards creating the sentiments.
 - a. Bhava
 - b. Vyabhichari Bhava
 - c. Vibahva
 - d. Satvik Bahva

195. _____ has the sense of cause or stimulant, instrument of intention.

- a. Bhava
- b. Satvik Bhava
- c. Vibhava
- d. Abhinaya

- 196. The four-fold acting techniques of Natya includes
 - a. Aharya, Angika, Wachik and Sattvik
 - b. Bhava, Angika, Wachik and Sattvik
 - c. Rasa, Bhava, Angika, Wachik
 - d. None of the above
- 197. Which are interlocutor elements of Nataya

a. Kaksha, Dharmi, Pravrti

- b. Bhavas,Rasa,Agnika
- c. Kaksha,Rasa,Wachikam
- d. None of the above
- 198. The realistic representation in Natya known as _____
 - a. Lokvarta
 - b. Lokdharmi
 - c. Natyadharmi
 - d. Alankara
- 199. The symbolical representation in Natya known as _____
 - a. Lokvarta
 - b. Lokdharmi
 - c. Natyadharmi
 - d. Alankara
- 200. 'Tiraskarini' is a Sanskrit word which denotes
 - a. Mask
 - b. Movement
 - c. Screen
 - d. Ornament
- 201. The first ever play performed by Bharatamuni in classical Indian style, according to Natyashastra, is named as
 - a. Anand Paarva
 - b. Amrit Manthan
 - c. Vinod Chudamani
 - d. Samudra manthan
- 202. Sangeet Ratnakar was written by _____
 - a. Sarangdev
 - b. Abhinaygupata
 - c. Bhoja
 - d. None of the above
- 203. Following are the famous universities of ancient India
 - a. Nalanda
 - b. Takshshila
 - c. Vikramshila
 - d. All of the above
- 204. Vikramshila university was located in _____
 - a. Bihar
 - b. Bangladesh
 - c. Ujjain
 - d. Kashi
- 205. Valabhi University was located in _____

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- a. Gujarat
- b. Bangladesh
- c. Ujjain
- d. Kashi
- _____is the first University in the World
- a. Nalanada
 - b. Takshshila
 - c. Valabhi
 - d. Vikramshila
- 207. Ayurveda means _____
 - a. Knowledge of Life
 - b. Life
 - c. Knowledge of medicine
 - d. Knowledge of anatomy
 - _____. has called Ayurveda as Pancham Veda.
 - a. Vedavyas
 - b. Rishi Bhrigu
 - c. Maharishi Pantajali
 - d. Rishi Kasyapa
- 209. Which literature is the essence of Charaka-Sushruta work?
 - a. Bhavprakasha
 - b. Charaka Samhita
 - c. Ashtanga Hridaya
 - d. Gherd Samhita
 - 210. _____. is the main text of medicine preparation?
 - a. Ashtanga Hridaya
 - b. Madhavanidan
 - c. Bhavprakash
 - d. Sharangadhar Samhita
 - 211. Who is the disciple of Dhanvantari?
 - a. Vishwamitra
 - b. Sushruta
 - c. Gherand
 - d. Goraksnath
 - 212. Pandit Bhavmishra is the author of _____ Granth.
 - a. YoVayuutra
 - b. Bhavprakasha
 - c. Hatha Yoga Pradipika
 - d. Charaksamhita
 - 213. The world is made up of ______ elements.
 - a. two
 - b. six
 - c. five
 - d. ten
 - 214. ______ is Achal Tatva of the human body.
 - a. Vayu
 - b. Earth

- c. Fire
- d. Water
- 215. Location of Vata in the body
 - a. In the head
 - b. In the abdomen
 - c. In the navel
 - d. Below the navel
- 216. Location of Pitta in the body
 - a. Between the Heart and the navel
 - b. In the chest
 - c. Below the navel
 - d. In the lungs
- 217. Location of Kapha in the body
 - a. In the head
 - b. Between the Hridaya and the navel
 - c. From the Heart to the upper part
 - d. From the knee
- 218. How many types of Vayus are there in the body?
 - a. three
 - b. five
 - c. one
 - d. seven
 - 219. Vayu that helps in the act of speaking
 - a. Pran Vayu
 - b. Udan Vayu
 - c. Angar Vayu
 - d. Ozone Vayu
 - 220. What does Samanvayu help with?
 - a. Digestion
 - b. Respiration
 - c. Circulation
 - d. Speech
 - 221. A Vayu that helps in excretion process of the body.
 - a. Vyan Vayu
 - b. Apan Vayu
 - c. Udan Vayu
 - d. Angar Vayu

222. In the human body, all the functions of the organs are carried out by _____...

- a. Pran Vayu
- b. Vyan Vayu
- c. Angar Vayu
- d. Udan Vayu
- 223. How many types of Pitta in the body?
 - a. 6
 - b. 2
 - c. 1
 - d. 5

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- 224. Red colour of blood is due to _____.
 - a. Haemoglobin
 - b. Iron
 - c. Pachak Tatva
 - d. Ranjak Pitta
 - _____Pitta balances eyesight.

a. Aalochak

- b. Sadhak
- c. Kapha
- d. Digestive
- Types of Kapha present in the body.
- a. ten
- b. five
- c. two
- d. three
- 227. _____is the location of the Avlambak Cough.
 - a. Head
 - b. Stomach
 - c. Chest
 - d. Lungs
- 228. Taste of Tongue is due to _____ Kapha.
 - a. Kapha
 - b. Bodhak
 - c. Paramanka
 - d. Lung Kapha
- 229. ____keeps body warm and energetic
 - a. Vata
 - b. Pitta
 - c. Kapha
 - d. Blood
- 230. Kapha gives ______to the body

a. Strength and beauty

- b. Heat and brightness
- c. Excitement
- d. Sleep
- 231. How many types of Rasa(Swad) are there?
 - a. five
 - b. three
 - c. four
 - d. six

232. Madhur rasa increases ______ in the body

- a. Vata
- b. Pitta
- c. Kapha
- d. Blood
- 233. _____ rasa increases the Pitta.
 - a. Sweet

- b. Sour
- c. Salty
- d. Pungent
- 234. Which rasa pacify the cough?
 - a. Bitter
 - b. Sour
 - c. Sweet
 - d. Pungent
- 235. _____. Foods pacify the Pitta dosha.
 - a. Astringent
 - b. Sour
 - c. Salty
 - d. Pungent
- 236. Which rasa increase Vayu dosha?
 - a. Tikt
 - b. Amla
 - c. Kashay
 - d. Katu

237. _____. rasa pacify the Vayu dosha.

- a. Bitter
- b. Sour
- c. Salty
- d. Pungent

238. Which dosha increases in rainy season?

- a. Vata
- b. Pitta
- c. Kapha
- d. Blood

239. In old age _____dosha increases

- a. Pitta
- b. Vata
- c. Kapha
- d. Blood

240. _____. Dosha increases in winters.

- a. Pitta
- b. Vata
- c. Kapha
- d. Blood
- 241. Increase in Kapha is more common in _____.
 - a. Childhood
 - b. Adolescence
 - c. Old age
 - d. Puberty
- 242. Accumulation of phlegm in the human body is more in _____... season.
 - a. Sharad
 - b. Grishma
 - c. Varsha

- d. Shishir
- 243. Which dosha increases in spring?
 - a. Pitta
 - b. Abdominal pain
 - c. Kapha
 - d. Blood
- 244. The Vayu accumulated in the body during summer will give trouble in season.
 - a. Vasant
 - b. Hemant
 - c. Shishir
 - d. Varsha
- 245. In winter_____ increases
 - a. Pitta
 - b. Vata
 - c. Kapha
 - d. Blood
- 246. ______ is effective for Pitta shamana.
 - a. Virechan
 - b. Basti
 - c. Vaman
 - d. Kapalbhati
- 247. Vamana kriya is useful for?
 - a. Vayu shaman
 - b. Kapha shaman
 - c. Pitta Shaman
 - d. diarrhoea
- 248. From which month does Hemant ritu begin?
 - a. Posh
 - b. Fagun
 - c. Maha
 - d. Kartak
- 249. From which month does monsoon begin?
 - a. Vaishakh
 - b. Chaitra
 - c. Phagan
 - d. Ashadha
- 250. Ashadha to Shravan is ______season.
 - a. Spring
 - b. Fall
 - c. Summer
 - d. Varsha
- 251. In the months of Bhadravo and Aaso the ______ season starts.
 - a. Spring
 - b. Autumn
 - c. Summer

- d. Fall
- 252. How many seasons are there according to Ayurveda?
 - a. 6
 - b. 2
 - c. 1
 - d. 5

253. In which season does the Gujarati new year starts?

- a. Spring
- b. Fall
- c. Summer
- d. Varsha
- 254. Sesame seeds, dates and jaggery are eaten in which festival?

a. Makar Sankranti

- b. New Year
- c. Diwali
- d. Holi

255. Panjari prasad is taken in which festival?

a. Janmashtami

- b. Nag Panchami
- c. Diwali
- d. Paryushan

256. Shraddha Parva starts in which month?

- a. Bhadarvo
- b. Posh
- c. Baisakh
- d. Jeth

257. Excess of Amla and Katu Rasa increase_____

- a. Kapha
- b. Vayu
- c. Pitta
- d. Faeces

258. Kapha increases due to excess of salty and _____rasa.

- a. Sweet
- b. Spicy
- c. Sour
- d. Red

259. An excess of Katu, Kashay and Tikta Rasa increases ______.

- a. Pitta
- b. Vayu
- c. Kapha
- d. Blood
- 260. Quality of tikt (bitter) Rasa is_____
 - a. Cold
 - b. Warm
 - c. Rough
 - d. Short

261. Quality of katu (pungent) Rasa is ______.

- a. Cold
- b. Warm
- c. Rough
- d. Short

262. Quality of Madhura (Sweet) rasa is _____

- a. Heavy
- b. Warm
- c. Dry
- d. All of the above
- 263. Quality of Amla (Sour) Rasa is _____.
 - a. Snigdh
 - b. Usna
 - c. Ruksha
 - d. laghu

264. The quality of Kashay(Astringent) rasa is ______.

- a. Laghu
- b. Usna
- c. Ruksha
- d. Shit

265. Food that is digested immediately is called ______.

- a. Laghu
- b. Usna
- c. Ruksha
- d. Snigdha
- 266. Ayurveda has ____branches?
 - a. 5
 - b. 2
 - c. 6
 - d. 8

267. In Ayurveda it is suggested to treat ______.

- a. Disease
- b. Patient
- c. Medicine
- d. Nature
- 268. In Ayurvedic medicine _____... theory plays an important part.
 - a. Shadkarma
 - b. Prakruti
 - c. Tri-dosha
 - d. Tri-guna

269. The process of removing doshas from the body is called _____.

- a. Shaman
- b. Langan
- c. Sodhan
- d. Waman

270. The act of pacifying the access doshas is called _____...

- a. Shaman
- b. Search

- c. Vaman
- d. Niruh
- 271. Panchakarma means five types of ______. Treatment.
 - a. Vaman
 - b. Niruh
 - c. Sodhan
 - d. Shaman
- 272. Which of the following actions is not a part of Panchakarma?
 - a. Vaman
 - b. Niruh
 - c. Search
 - d. Shaman
- 273. Proper digestion of food produces _____. Dhatu.
 - a. 5
 - b. 2
 - c. 6
 - d. 7

274. How many types of disease are there?

- a. 3
- b. 4
- c. 8
- d. 5

275. A medical practice for animals like cows, horses and elephants is called

a. avayurveda

- b. Vrukshayurveda
- c. Ayurveda
- d. Lokaryuveda
- 276. Match the Following.
 - a. Shalya Chikitsa Pediatrics
 - b. Kaya Chikitsa Surgery
 - c. Jar chikitsa Internal Medicine
 - d. Bal chikitsa Gerontology
 - a. [a c], [b d], [c b], [d a]
 - b. [a b], [b c], [c d], [d a]
 - c. [a − a], [b − c], [c − b], [d − d]
 - d. [a d], [b a], [c b], [d c]
- 277. Which of the following methods for examining a patient can be known as Inspection.
 - a. Darshan
 - b. Touching
 - c. Dasavidhya
 - d. Prashanan
- 278. Match the Following.
 - a. Swarasa Medicinal pastes
 - b. Kalka Juicy extraction

- c. Kavatham cold infusions
- d. Hima decoctions
- a. [a c], [b d], [c b], [d a]
- b. [a-b], [b-a], [c-d], [d-c]
- c. [a − a], [b − c], [c − b], [d − d]
- d. [a − d], [b − a], [c − b], [d − c]
- 279. Sattvajay means today's ______ treatment.
 - a. Physiotherapy
 - b. Psychotherapy
 - c. Allopathy
 - d. Homeopathy
- 280. The method of treatment through mantra, yajna, stone etc. is called ______

a. Daivavyayashraya

- b. Prakritvyayashraya
- c. Achar Rasayan
- d. Swarasa
- 281. In ______. festival, it is customary to eat sweets to welcome of Hemant Ritu.
 - a. Eighth
 - b. Shitla satam
 - c. Diwali
 - d. Makarsankranti
- 282. Srauta Sutra serve as a guide for _____
 - a. Vedic Rituals
 - b. Rules for measurement
 - c. Construction of fire altars
 - d. All of the above
- 283. Grhya Sutra deals with _____
 - a. Vedic Rituals
 - b. Rules for measurement
 - c. Construction of fire altars

d. Household ceremonies

- 284. In Vedanga, Jyotisha is divided in to _____
 - a. Siddhanta
 - b. Samhita
 - c. Hora
 - d. All of the above
- 285. The ancient Indian University known as the main centre for advanced and specialised studies in Nyaya or Logic was _____
 - a. Jagaddala University
 - b. Mithila University
 - c. Nadia University
 - d. Valabhi University
- 286. To receive the degree of Vasu, a learner should learn for _____years in Gurukula.
 - a. 12
 - b. 24
 - c. 8

- d. 4
- 287. _____are the famous Rishikas (Women Scholars) of ancient India.
 - a. Maitreyi
 - b. Gargi
 - c. Apala
 - d. All of the above
- 288. The phrase "Satyamev jayate" is mentioned in which of the following Upanishads?
 - a. Katho Upanishad
 - b. Mandukya Upanishad
 - c. Chhandogya Upanishad
 - d. None of the Above
- 289. According to Siddhanta Shiromani _____ was used for finding the distance from the meridian and the declination of a planet/ star and of the Sun.
 - a. Bhitti Yantra
 - b. Yantra-Samrat
 - c. Phalaka Yantra
 - d. Cakra Yantra
- 290. _____built the famous observatories in several parts of Northen India
 - a. Sawai Jai Singh
 - b. Kamlakara
 - c. Lalla
 - d. Chandrashekahra
- 291. Journey of Jiva after death, rites to be performed during and after death etc. are mentioned in ______purana
 - a. Garud
 - b. Vishnu
 - c. Shiva
 - d. Bhavisya
- 292. The subjects of creation, geography of earth and Bahratvarsa, 14 loka etc.

mentioned in _____purana

- a. Garuda
- b. Brahmanda
- c. Vishnu
- d. Bhavisya
- 293. Stages of human foetal development mentioned in _____ purana
 - a. Bhagavata
 - b. Matsya
 - c. Kurma
 - d. Garuda
- 294. Rules for worship of various deities and installation of their idols in the temples etc. mentioned in _____purana
 - a. Bhavisya
 - b. Agni
 - c. Brahma
 - d. Bhagvta

295. Time of different Manus in Purana known as _____

a. Manvantara

- b. Sarga
- c. Vamsa
- d. Vamsanucarita
- 296. Rigvedic mantra are known as _____
 - a. Riks
 - b. Yajus
 - c. Shloka
 - d. None of the above
- 297. The puranic repository can be divided in to three categories- _____, ____and Sthal Purana

a. Maha Purana, Upa Purana

- b. Brahma purana, Upa Purana
- c. Vishnu Purana, Kal purana
- d. None of the above
- 298. In Panca Kosha ______represents mental layer.
 - a. Annamaya Kosha
 - b. Manomay Kosha
 - c. Vigyanmaya kosha
 - d. Pranamaya Kosha
- 299. In Panca Kosha ______ represents pure consciousness level.
 - a. Annamaya Kosha
 - b. Manomay Kosha
 - c. Vigyanmaya kosha
 - d. Anandmaya Kosha
- 300. Pancanga has 5 components, those are _____
 - a. Tithi,Var, Nakshatra,Karana,Yoga
 - b. Tithi, Disha, Nakshatra, Karana, Yoga
 - c. Tithi, Var, Nakshatra, Karma, Yoga
 - d. None of the above