

CULTURAL HISTORY AND TOURISM RESOURCES OF KERALA

BTS (I YEAR SEM - 2)

Multiple choice questions

1. The first Malayalam dictionary was compiled by
 - a. Mariyas
 - b. Admiral Van Rheede
 - c. Herman Gundert
 - d. Itti Achuthan
2. Who wrote 'Thirukural'
 - a. Avvayar
 - b. Thiruvalluvar
 - c. Nakkinar
 - d. Tolkappiar
3. Bolgatti Palace was built by
 - a. The Dutch
 - b. The French
 - c. The English
 - d. The Portuguese
4. Who was the first viceroy of the Portuguese in the East
 - a. Francisco de Almeda
 - b. Pedro Alvarez cabral
 - c. Albuquerque
 - d. Vasco da Gamma
5. Who was first Dutch Admiral to reach Kerala
 - a. Admiral van Raheede
 - b. Albuquerque
 - c. Francisco de Almeda
 - d. Stevan van Der Hagen
6. The Malabar Rebellion was started in
 - a. 1925
 - b. 1921
 - c. 1917
 - d. 1930
7. Who was first author of "Kerala Simham"?
 - a. Sardar K.M.Panikar
 - b. Sahodaran Ayyappan
 - c. Sree narayana Guru
 - d. Mannathu Padmanabhan
8. What was the real name of *Chattambi Swamikal*
 - a. Ayyappan
 - b. Kunjan pillai
 - c. Nanu
 - d. None of these
9. Salt Satyagraha was started in Kerala from

- a. Kollam
 - b. Kannur
 - c. Kozhikode
 - d. Pathanamthitta
10. The first General Election in Travencore was held in
- a. 1941
 - b. 1948
 - c. 1881
 - d. 1888
11. Velu Thampi Dalawa, who Proclaimed, Kundara Proclamation in the year 1809 committed suicide at
- a. Ponnani
 - b. Mannadi
 - c. Kollur
 - d. Kaladi
12. When was Kozhikode city established?
- a. 1340
 - b. 1240
 - c. 1295
 - d. 1440
13. Which was the first authoritative work in Malayalam Grammar?
- a. Kerala Pananiyeem
 - b. Kerala Pazhama
 - c. Nalacharitham
 - d. None of these
14. What is the importance of 1836 in the History of Travancore
- a. Submitted Malayali Memorial
 - b. The first census was conducted
 - c. Temple entry proclamation
 - d. Submitted Ezhava Memorial
15. Who was the head of the Navy Force of Zamorin
- a. Kurichiyar
 - b. Kunjalimarakkar
 - c. Both of them
 - d. None of these
16. Who was popularly known as the “Jhansi of Travancore”
- a. Sorojoni Naidu
 - b. Anna Chandi
 - c. K.K. Usha
 - d. Accama Cheriyan
17. The first stock exchange of Kerala was started at Kochi in
- a. 1968
 - b. 1990
 - c. 1978
 - d. 1930
18. Who introduced coconut Cultivation Commercially in Kerala

- a. French
 - b. Dutch
 - c. Portuguese
 - d. British
19. Father of Library Mvt. In Kerala
- a. Chithira Thirunal
 - b. P.N Panikar
 - c. Sardar K.M Panikar
 - d. Joseph Mundaserri
20. The Mvt. That led to the formation of the first PSC in the state of Travancore was
- a. Vaikom Satyagraha
 - b. Malayali Memorial
 - c. Civil Disobedience
 - d. Nivarthana Agitation
21. Devadasi System in the temple in south Travancore was abolished the regency of
- a. Chithira Thirunal Balarama Varma
 - b. Sethu Lakshmi Bai
 - c. Ayiliam Thirunal
 - d. Uthradam Thirunal Marthandavarma
22. The London Mission Society (LMS) at Nagarcoil established in 1816 under the Patronage of
- a. Sethu Lakshmi Bayi
 - b. Gouri Parvathi Bayi
 - c. Dharmaraja
 - d. Gouri Lakshmi Bayi
23. Janmi kudiyan Proclamation was made in which year
- a. 1888
 - b. 1898
 - c. 1867
 - d. 1865
24. Who was the founder of Fithya Jana Samuham
- a. K Kelappan
 - b. V.K Krishnamenon
 - c. Pattom A. Thanupillai
 - d. V.T Bhattathiripadu
25. Who published the monthly Al-Islam
- a. Malik Dinar
 - b. Abdul Khadar Moulavi
 - c. Muhammed Abdul Rehman
 - d. Shaik Zainuddin
26. Who was the most celebrated king of the early Zamorin of Calicut?
- a. Mangat Achan
 - b. Manavikraman
 - c. Rajasinha
 - d. Rajasekhara Varma
27. Who was the first Venad Rular

- a. Sri Vallabhan Kothai
 - b. Govardhan Marthanda
 - c. Ayyan Atikal Thiruvatikal
 - d. Sethu Ravivarma
28. Who was known as Vanavarmabas or the beloved of the Gods?
- a. Utiyan Cheralathan
 - b. Nedum Cheralathan
 - c. Perum Cherathan
 - d. Illam Cheralathan
29. Who assumed the title as Perum Chottutiiyan Cheralathan
- a. Nedum Cheralathan
 - b. Palayani Senkuttavan
 - c. Narmundi Cheralathan
 - d. Utiyan Cheralathan
30. Which place is known as the “Gate of Ancient India”
- a. Mahodayapuram
 - b. Muziris
 - c. Kozhikode
 - d. Quilon
31. The Augustin Age of Kerala Music was during the period of
- a. Marthandavarma
 - b. Vishakam Thirunal
 - c. Swathi Thirunal
 - d. Ayyillium Thirunal
32. Who was known as the pioneer English-man?
- a. Keeling
 - b. Sir Thomas Roe
 - c. Master Ralph Fitch
 - d. William Howkins
33. Who was the first foreign traveller who noted about Marumakkataya System in Kerala
- a. Francisco de Almeda
 - b. Kabral
 - c. Ralfitch
 - d. Frair Jordhans
34. Who was the founder of Samutva Samajam
- a. Raja Ram Mohan Roy
 - b. Sree Narayana Guru
 - c. Chattambi Swamikal
 - d. Vaikunda Swamikal
35. The Krishnapuram Palace near Kayamkulam built by
- a. Dharmaraja
 - b. Marthandavarma
 - c. Ayyilliam Thirunal
 - d. Sree Chithira Thirunal
36. The Travencore Diwan who deported Swadesabhimani Ramakrishnapillai

- a. Ramakrishna Rao
 - b. C.P Ramaswami Iyar
 - c. Manro
 - d. P. Rajagopalachari
37. Who regarded as the Political Agitation in Travencore
- a. Pattom Thanupillai
 - b. G. P. Pillai
 - c. R. Sankar
 - d. T.M Varghese
38. Who presided over the first all Kerala Conference of Congress held in Ottapalam in 1921.
- a. EMS
 - b. K.Kelappan
 - c. T. Prakashan
 - d. T.K Madhavan
39. Which gold coin is said to be the oldest indigenous coin in Kerala
- a. Pazhayapanam
 - b. AnaiKasu
 - c. Ezhakasu
 - d. Rassi
40. Which Copper Plate testifies the enlightened policy of religious toleration followed by the rulers of ancient Kerala
- a. Terisappilli Copper plate
 - b. Mampalli Plate
 - c. Cyrion Christian Copper Plate
 - d. Jerish Copper Plate
41. The minister for Tourism in Kerala
- a. A.P Anilkumar
 - b. K Babu
 - c. V. K Ibbrahim Kunji
 - d. None of these
42. The first dam in Kerala
- a. Malambuzha
 - b. Mullaperiyar
 - c. Sabarigiri
 - d. Peechi
43. The largest National Park in Kerala
- a. Eravikulam
 - b. Silent Valley
 - c. Pambadum Chola
 - d. Mathikettan Chola
44. In Travencore “the Temple Entry Proclamation” was made in
- a. 1930
 - b. 1935
 - c. 1936
 - d. 1932

45. Who is known as the “Grand old man of Kerala”
- K.P Kesavan Menon
 - V.K Krishna Menon
 - V.P Menon
 - None of these
46. Where is the famous Bekal Fort situated
- Kozhikode
 - Kasargode
 - Wayanad
 - Kannur
47. The district ruined by the Chemical Pesticide Ednosulfan
- Kannur
 - Kozhikode
 - Wayanad
 - Kasaragode
48. The birth place of Kunjan Nambiar
- Kanjikode
 - Malampuzha
 - Lakkidi
 - Kalpathy
49. When did the govt. of Kerala declared tourism as an Industry
- 1985
 - 1986
 - 1987
 - 1988
50. The place that is known as “Vridhavan of Kerala”
- Malampuzha
 - Silent valley
 - Kollam
 - Thiruvananthapuram
51. KITTS(Keral Institute of Tourism & Travel) is in:
- Thrissur
 - Ernakulam
 - Kollam
 - Thiruvananthapuram
52. The year when the name KTDC was adopted
- 1971
 - 1970
 - 1966
 - 1965
53. The person who made primary education compulsory in Travencore
- Rani Gouri Lakshmi bai
 - Rani Gouri Parvathi Bai
 - Swathi Thirunal
 - Rev. Dasan
54. Which place is known as “The God’s own Capital”?

- a. Thrissur
 - b. Kollam
 - c. Thiruvananthapuram
 - d. Wayanad
55. Which is the first Eco-Tourism destination in India
- a. Thattekadu
 - b. Eravikulam
 - c. Thekkadi
 - d. Thenmala
56. The smallest district in Kerala
- a. Wayanad
 - b. Alappuzha
 - c. Malappuram
 - d. Kollam
57. The old name of Kodungallur
- a. Mahodayapuram
 - b. Kara
 - c. Thrishivarperur
 - d. None of these
58. Who was the founder of “Kerala Kalamandalam”
- a. ONV Kurup
 - b. Cilloppilly
 - c. Ezhuthachan
 - d. Vallathol Narayana Menon
59. Malik Dinar Mosque is situated in
- a. Kannur
 - b. Malappuram
 - c. Kasaragode
 - d. Wayanad
60. Which is the first Polio-Free district in India
- a. Thiruvananthapuram
 - b. Thrissur
 - c. Pathanamthitta
 - d. Kollam
61. The district in Kerala with no forest
- a. Alappuzha
 - b. Wayanad
 - c. Kollam
 - d. Thiruvananthapuram
62. First Coir Factory was established in
- a. Kollam
 - b. Alappuzha
 - c. Kochi
 - d. Thiruvananthapuram
63. Which place known as “rice bowl of Kerala”
- a. Kundera

- b. Kuttanad
 - c. Thekkadi
 - d. Kayamkulam
64. Santa Cruz Basalica, the specimen of Portuguese architecture situated in
- a. Ernakulam
 - b. Kollam
 - c. Malapuram
 - d. Wayanad
65. The oldest European Church St. Francis CSI church situated in
- a. Kochi
 - b. Kozhikode
 - c. Kakkanad
 - d. None of these
66. Famous Art form of Ernakulam
- a. Bharathanatyam
 - b. Mohiniyattam
 - c. Kalaripayattu
 - d. Chavittu Nadakam
67. The architect of Thrissur town
- a. Sakthan thamburan
 - b. Marthandavarma
 - c. Dharmaraja
 - d. None of these
68. Which district is known as “The granary of kerala
- a. Ernakulam
 - b. Thrissur
 - c. Palakad
 - d. Alapuzha
69. Parambikulam wildlife sanctuary is situated in
- a. Palakad
 - b. Kottayam
 - c. Wayanad
 - d. Kasarkode
70. Thirunavaya famous for Mamangam is in
- a. Palakad
 - b. Malapuram
 - c. Kottayam
 - d. Idukki
71. Which place is known as Mecca of kerala?
- a. Ponnani
 - b. Ponnudi

- c. Kayamkulam
 - d. Kakkanad
72. Birth place of Thunjan ramanujan ezhuthachan?
- a. Lakkidi
 - b. Ponnani
 - c. Tirur
 - d. None of these
73. Birth place of the great Mappila poet Moyinkutty vaidyar
- a. Kondotty
 - b. Tirur
 - c. Ponnani
 - d. None of these
74. Highest coconut producing district
- a. Thrissur
 - b. Kollam
 - c. Alappuzha
 - d. Kozhikode
75. Crocodile centre in the kozhokode district
- a. Vadakara
 - b. Peruvannamuzhi
 - c. Kuttiyadi
 - d. None of these

Answers

1.c	2.b	3.a	4.a	5.d	6.b	7.a	8.b	9.a	10.b
11. b	12.c	13.a	14.b	15.b	16.d	17.c	18.c	19.b	20.d
21.b	22.b	23.c	24.a	25.b	26.b	27.c	28.a	29.d	30.b
31.c	32.c	33.d	34.d	35.b	36.d	37.b	38.c	39.d	40.a
41.a	42.b	43.b	44.c	45.a	46.b	47.d	48.c	49.	50.a
51.d	52.b	53.	54. b	55.d	56.b	57.a	58.d	59.c	60.c
61.a	62.b	63.b	64.a	65.a	66.d	67.a	68.c	69.a	70.b
71.a	72.c	73.a	74.d	75.b					