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Question Paper Version : A

First Semester B.Arch/B.Planning Degree Examination, June/July 2026
Communicative English

Time: 2 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

1. Answer all the **Hundred questions**, each question carries **ONE mark**.
2. Use only **Black ball point pen** for writing / darkening the circles.
3. For each question, after selecting your answer, darken the appropriate circle corresponding to the same question number on the OMR sheet.
4. Darkening two circles for the same question makes the answer invalid.
5. **Damaging/overwriting, using whiteners** on the **OMR** sheets are strictly prohibited.

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1. Non verbal communication does not include
a) Gestures b) Posture c) Silence d) Words
 2. Choose the sentence that follows the pattern S + V + C (Subject + Verb + Complement)
a) He wrote a letter
b) She is a doctor
c) The boy kicked the ball
d) They offered him a job
 3. Communication between colleagues of the same hierarchical level is called _____
a) Vertical b) Horizontal c) Diagonal d) Informal
 4. The response given by the receiver to the sender is known as _____
a) Noise b) Channel c) Feedback d) Message
 5. Communication that takes place within an individual is called _____
a) Interpersonal
b) Intrapersonal
c) Organizational
d) Group
 6. Which of the following is an example of oral communication?
a) Circular b) Notice c) Speech d) E-mail
 7. The person who encodes the message in communication is the _____
a) Receiver b) Sender c) Channel d) Decoder

8. A report submitted by an employee to the manager is an example of _____ communication
 a) Downward b) Horizontal c) Upward d) Informal
9. Communication is considered incomplete without _____
 a) Noise b) Channel c) Feedback d) Channel
10. Communication that flows in all direction is known as _____
 a) Vertical b) Spiral c) Horizontal d) Diagonal
11. Communication between different departments is called _____ communication
 a) Vertical b) Horizontal c) Diagonal d) Upward
12. Teachers comments on a student's performance indicate _____
 a) Upward b) Downward c) Horizontal d) Diagonal
13. She _____ to college every day
 a) go b) goes c) is going d) went
14. I _____ this movie before
 a) see b) saw c) have seen d) seeing
15. He _____ a blue shirt today
 a) wear b) wears c) is wearing d) wore
16. The Sun _____ in the east
 a) rise b) rises c) rose d) rising
17. Which of the following is a communication skill?
 a) Listening b) Running c) Driving d) Sleeping
18. She congratulated him _____ his success
 a) for b) to c) on d) with
19. The word honesty is a _____
 a) Verb b) Abstract noun c) Pronoun d) Adverb
20. Which of the following is a collective noun?
 a) Team b) Book c) Chair d) Pen
21. The word but is a _____
 a) Preposition b) Conjunction c) Adverb d) Verb
22. You and your friend have completed _____ work
 a) their b) your c) our d) his
23. The abstract noun of the verb decide is _____
 a) decision b) deciding c) decisive d) decided

24. He walked _____ the room without speaking
a) into b) to c) on d) with
25. Bread and butter _____ his favorite breakfast.
a) are b) were c) is d) have
26. He worked hard _____ he could succeed.
a) because b) so that c) though d) unless
27. The word beautiful is a/an _____
a) noun b) adjective c) adverb d) verb
28. Our team _____ the match easily.
a) win b) won c) wins d) winning
29. The child is hiding _____ the table.
a) on b) under c) over d) above
30. I am _____ for the delay.
a) sorry b) bad c) wrong d) unhappy
31. The antonym of accept is _____
a) receive b) deny c) allow d) admit
32. The silent letter in the word Island is _____
a) s b) l c) a d) n
33. The silent letter in knight is _____
a) g b) k c) h d) t
34. The synonym of brave is _____
a) coward b) bold c) weak d) afraid
35. The synonym of rapid is _____
a) slow b) quick c) dull d) lazy
36. Which of the following is a psychological barrier to communication?
a) Noise b) Stress c) Language d) Distance
37. The forceful release of air while pronouncing sounds is called _____
a) stress b) aspiration c) tone d) rhythm
38. The skill that occupies the maximum communication time is _____
a) speaking b) writing c) reading d) listening
39. Oral communication mainly uses _____ messages.
a) written b) visual c) verbal d) symbolic
40. Oral communication is more effective in expressing _____
a) emotions b) data c) records d) reports

41. The total number of sounds in English is _____.
a) 20 b) 26 c) 44 d) 52
42. I am early, _____.
a) am I b) amn't I c) aren't I d) don't I
43. Let us go now, _____.
a) Shall we b) will we c) won't we d) do we
44. The suffix in the word careless is _____.
a) care b) less c) ful d) ness
45. The prefix in dishonest is _____.
a) dis b) un c) in d) mis
46. The word slowly is an _____.
a) adjective b) noun c) adverb d) verb
47. The correct plural of information is _____.
a) informations b) info c) information d) pieces
48. The plural form of mother-in-law is _____.
a) mothers-in-law b) mother-in-laws c) mothers-in-laws d) mother-in-law
49. The Committee _____ taken a decision.
a) has b) have c) had d) will
50. She likes coffee _____.
a) very b) much c) too d) most
51. My bag is kept _____ the chair.
a) on b) in c) under d) between
52. There are many books _____ the shelf.
a) on b) at c) into d) over
53. We met _____ the holidays.
a) during b) on c) at d) by
54. He goes to _____ college by bus.
a) a b) the c) an d) no article
55. The antonym of active is _____.
a) lazy b) quick c) smart d) lively
56. This box is _____ heavy to lift.
a) very b) too c) is d) will
57. _____ students were selected for the team.
a) much b) a few c) little d) less

58. Every man responsible for his actions.
a) are b) were c) is d) will
59. The teacher asked whether they the lesson.
a) understand b) understood c) understanding d) understands
60. He is waiting for the results.
a) still b) yet c) already d) till
61. In phonetics, the smallest unit of sound is.
a) letter b) word c) phoneme d) syllables
62. The word teacher has syllables.
a) one
b) two with stress on first
c) two with stress on second
d) three
63. I the answer now.
a) no b) know c) knew d) known
64. I was reading my sister was cooking.
a) while b) for c) since d) within
65. The keys are the drawer.
a) in b) on c) at d) between
66. The synonym of abundant is
a) scarce b) plenty c) rare d) empty
67. The synonym of tiny is
a) huge b) massive c) small d) large
68. The antonym of ancient is
a) old b) modern c) past d) aged
69. The antonym of victory is
a) success b) win c) defeat d) achievement
70. Choose the correct homophone for the word
a) there b) their c) there d) there
71. Choose the correct homophone for the word
a) pair b) pear c) pair d) pair

72. They arrived _____ time.
a) at b) on c) in d) by
73. The _____ of the accident was careless driving.
a) reason b) cause c) effect d) result
74. One who speaks two languages is called _____.
a) linguist b) bilingual c) polyglot d) translator
75. A person who travels on foot is a _____.
a) pedestrian b) passenger c) driver d) tourist
76. Choose the correct prefix : _____ employed.
a) un b) re c) mis d) dis
77. Choose the correct prefix : _____ national
a) inter b) mis c) dis d) un
78. Choose the correct suffix : child _____.
a) hood b) ship c) ness d) ful
79. Choose the correct suffix : music _____.
a) by b) ness c) ian d) ful
80. Identify the one-syllable word.
a) beauty b) nation c) school d) teacher
81. He _____ down the stairs yesterday.
a) fall b) falls c) fell d) fallen
82. _____ honest man was rewarded.
a) A b) An c) The d) No article
83. I have never _____ to Delhi.
a) gone b) been c) going d) went
84. The correct spelling is _____.
a) vein b) vain c) vaan d) vayn
85. The hunter _____ the animal.
a) catch b) caught c) catches d) catching
86. Would you like _____ glass of water?
a) another b) other c) an other d) one another
87. She has lived here _____ five years.
a) since b) for c) from d) by

88. He is _____ attend the meeting.
a) going to b) will c) shall d) may
89. The prisoner were made _____ quietly.
a) sleep b) sleeping c) to sleep d) slept
90. If the plan _____ properly, we will succeed.
a) excecutes
b) executed
c) is executed
d) will execute
91. Identify the correct spelling
a) occurance b) occurrence c) occurrence d) occurrence
92. A dipthong is a _____
a) pure vowel
b) pure consonant
c) combination of vowels
d) stress pattern
93. The synonym of encourage is _____.
a) discourage b) motivate c) prevent d) stop
94. The synonym of calm is _____.
a) angry b) quiet c) violent d) noisy
95. The synonym of careful is _____.
a) careless b) cautions c) lazy d) rude
96. The synonym of praise is _____.
a) blame b) criticize c) admire d) scold
97. The antonym of clean is _____.
a) neat b) tidy c) dirty d) fresh
98. The antonym of reveal is _____.
a) show b) expose c) hide d) display
99. Select the correct spelling.
a) accomodate b) accomodate c) accomodate d) accomadate
100. I just can't believe it! The story is _____ believable.
a) un b) in c) not d) unn.
