
SWAMI RAMANAND TEERTH MARATHWADA UNIVERSITY, NANDED
OPTIONAL ENGLISH – I (MODERN ENGLISH STRUCTURE)
MCQ PATTERN (SEMESTER-I)

SPECIMEN QUESTION PAPER

MARKS-40

TIME: 1 hour

1. Which of the following are included in 'Open Class Words' category?
 - a) Nouns
 - b) Verbs
 - c) Adjectives
 - d) All of the above
2. Which of the following is not a noun?
 - a) Class
 - b) Boy
 - c) Elephant
 - d) National
3. Which of the following is a stative verb?
 - a) Play
 - b) Give
 - c) Write
 - d) Love
4. Which of the following words is not a preposition?
 - a) At
 - b) In
 - c) On
 - d) Here
5. Which of the following is a noun forming suffix?
 - a) - age
 - b) - ly
 - c) -est
 - d) -able
6. Which of the following is an adjective forming suffix?
 - a) - ish
 - b) - ize
 - c) - ing
 - d) - ship
7. Which of the following is not a verb forming suffix?
 - a) - ify
 - b) - ize
 - c) - en
 - d) - tion

8. What is the number of morphemes in the word 'unfriendly'?
 - a) One
 - b) Two
 - c) Three
 - d) Four
9. What is the number of free morphemes in the word 'denationalization'?
 - a) One
 - b) Two
 - c) Three
 - d) Four
10. Which of the following is/are among word formation processes?
 - a) Prefixation
 - b) Suffixation
 - c) Compounding
 - d) All of the above
11. What is the function of 'house' in the NP 'my house'?
 - a) Pre-modifier
 - b) Head
 - c) Post-modifier
 - d) None of the above
12. Which of the following is an adjective phrase?
 - a) The girl with long hair
 - b) Lovely
 - c) Yesterday evening
 - d) At the college
13. What is the function of NP in a sentence?
 - a) Subject
 - b) Object
 - c) Compliment
 - d) All of the above
14. Which of the following is a verb phrase?
 - a) At the school
 - b) Beautiful pictures
 - c) Pretty children
 - d) Is going
15. What is the number of 'basic clause types' in English?
 - a) One
 - b) Seven
 - c) Three
 - d) Four
16. Which is the compliment in the sentence 'Shakespeare is a great dramatist.'?
 - a) Shakespeare
 - b) is
 - c) a great dramatist
 - d) None of above

17. What is the function of the phrase 'very fast' in the sentence 'He runs very fast.'?
- Subject
 - Object
 - Verb
 - Adverbial
18. Which of the following is not the function of concord?
- Subject
 - Object
 - Verb
 - Adverbial
19. Which of the following is a co-ordinating conjunction?
- And
 - Which
 - While
 - When
20. Which of the following is not a co-ordinating conjunction?
- And
 - Or
 - When
 - But
21. What type of sentence is 'Ram is eating a mango.'?
- Simple
 - Compound
 - Complex
 - Compound-Complex
22. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
This man / have / been working/ with me.
A B C D
23. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
The old man told / his son that / there was no such a thing / as luck.
A B C D
24. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
One of my friend / is both an artist / and physician / of repute.
A B C D
25. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
I have lost / a pen which / I buy / yesterday.
A B C D
26. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
Cattles / were grazing / in the meadows / near our farm.
A B C D
27. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
The bus was hired / by the ladies / for / its picnic.
A B C D

28. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
He has been / staying in London /since /five years.
A B C D
29. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
I told him / the story / in details / to make him understand it fully.
A B C D
30. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
Why / you are going / away / so early?
A B C D
31. Identify which part of the following sentence is incorrect.
This is / the book / I was / speaking out.
A B C D
32. Some of the luggage _____ not yet arrived.
a) has
b) have
c) is
d) are
33. "Now it is almost dark and Ramesh is still playing. He _____ since morning!"
a) is playing
b) has been playing
c) has played
d) will be playing
34. I _____ sing well when I was younger.
a) could
b) might
c) would
d) should
35. I am interested _____ some other job.
a) in
b) to
c) about
d) for
36. Keep the books _____ my cupboard.
a) on
b) above
c) in
d) upon
37. You always arrive on time, _____ you?
a) isn't
b) aren't
c) doesn't
d) don't

38. 'The boy and girl went to the bank for roaming.' Here, the word 'bank' means
- a) financial establishment
 - b) river bank
 - c) both a and b
 - d) blood bank
39. In the sentence 'They can fish' the meaning of 'can' is -----.
- a) permission
 - b) ability
 - c) preserve
 - d) All the above
40. In the phrase 'the old police quarters' what does 'old' refer to?
- a) police
 - b) quarters
 - c) both a and b
 - d) none of the above

Key:-

1- d, 2-d, 3-d, 4-d, 5-a, 6-a, 7-d, 8-c, 9-a, 10-d, 11-b, 12-b, 13-d, 14-d, 15-b, 16-c, 17-d, 18-d, 19-a, 20-c, 21-a, 22-b, 23-c, 24-a, 25-c, 26-a, 27-d, 28-c, 29-c, 30-b, 31-d, 32-a, 33-b, 34-a, 35-a, 36-c, 37-d, 38-b, 39-d, 40-c.