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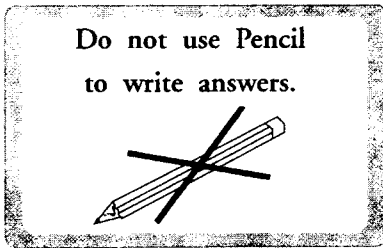
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(02) General Knowledge

One hour

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- In each question from No. 1 to 30 select the **correct** or **the most appropriate answer** and write the **number** of the relevant choice **on the dotted line** given against the question.
1. The number of schools in the Southern Province approximately is  
(1) 1000.                      (2) 1100.                      (3) 1200.                      (4) 1300.                      (.....)
  2. The total number of pupils in a particular school is 1200. There are classes from grade 1 to grade 13. At G.C.E. (A.L) there are Arts and Commerce streams. What is the type of this school?  
(1) 1A                              (2) 1AB                              (3) 1C                              (4) II                              (.....)
  3. Which of the following year was the constitutional amendment carried out resulting in the creation of provincial council schools?  
(1) 1972                              (2) 1978                              (3) 1988                              (4) 2006                              (.....)
  4. The executive in a Provincial Council who is the representative of the president is  
(1) Chief Minister.  
(2) Chief Secretary.  
(3) The Secretary of the Chief Ministry.  
(4) Provincial Governor.                              (.....)
  5. Upgrading a provincial school to the status of a national school has to be carried out by  
(1) The Chief Minister of the province.  
(2) The Education Minister of the province.  
(3) The Governor of the province.  
(4) The Education Minister of the Central government.                              (.....)
  6. The personal files of teachers in provincial schools are maintained by the  
(1) Provincial Department of Education.  
(2) Zonal Education Office.  
(3) Divisional Education Office.  
(4) Office of Provincial Ministry of Education.                              (.....)
  7. The head of the Teachers' Centre in an education zone should be a  
(1) A member of the Teachers Educator's Service.  
(2) A member of the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service.  
(3) A member of the Sri Lanka Principals' Service.  
(4) In Service Teacher Advisor.                              (.....)
  8. An essential document necessary to admit a child to a school is  
(1) the school leaving certificate.  
(2) the Birth certificate of the child.  
(3) Grama Sewaka certificate regarding the residence of parents.  
(4) the Birth certificate of the guardians of the child.                              (.....)
  9. Out of the following who is **not** eligible to be a member of the School Development Society?  
(1) Parents of students  
(2) Legal guardians of student  
(3) Teachers serving in the school  
(4) Teachers who have left school on the retirement                              (.....)



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10. If the children in a school are to go on an educational trip from when should permission be obtained?  
 (1) From the principal of the school  
 (2) From the Divisional Director of Education  
 (3) From the Zonal Director of Education  
 (4) From the Secretary of the Ministry of Education (.....)
11. A school canteen should be under the control of  
 (1) The principal of the school.  
 (2) A teacher named by the principal.  
 (3) A representative of the Divisional Education Officer.  
 (4) The school canteen committee. (.....)
12. The medical inspection of children in a school should be carried out by  
 (1) Assistant Director in charge of Health and Nutrition.  
 (2) The Medical Officer of Health of the area.  
 (3) A doctor in a nearby hospital.  
 (4) The Primary Health officer of the area. (.....)
13. The Assisted Schools were taken over by the government in  
 (1) 1956. (2) 1960. (3) 1972. (4) 1981. (.....)
14. The schools that were not taken over by the government, at the schools take over and continued to be assisted by the government were  
 (1) Schools for special education.  
 (2) Assisted schools which were grade 1 schools.  
 (3) Schools to religious belonging denomination.  
 (4) International schools. (.....)
15. Under which presidents period was the supply of school uniform to children begin?  
 (1) President William Gopallawa (2) President J.R. Jaywardane  
 (3) President R. Premadasa (4) President D.B. Wijetunga (.....)
16. Which of the following scholars is served as an Inspector of school?  
 (1) Martin Wickramasinghe (2) Munidasa Kumaratunga  
 (3) Piyadasa Sirisena (4) Arisen Ahubudu (.....)
17. Of the following persons which one give the names of education ministers who came from the Southern Province?  
 (1) C.W.W. Kannangara, Richard Pathirana, W.J.M. Lokubandara  
 (2) Wijayananda Dahanayake, Badiadeen Mohamad, P.B.G. Kalugalla  
 (3) C.W.W. Kannangara, Wijayananda Dayanayaka, Richard Pathirana  
 (4) Wijayananda Dahanayake, Richard Pathirana, Nishshanka Wijerathne (.....)
18. In what year was the Free Education Act, passed?  
 (1) 1939 (2) 1947 (3) 1953 (4) 1962 (.....)
19. What is the maximum amount that can he charged as facilities fees from a student monthly?  
 (1) Rs. 3.00 (2) Rs. 5.00 (3) Rs. 8.00 (4) Rs. 10.00 (.....)

20. Of the Institutions under the Ministry of Education from which one can a degree of Bachelor of Education obtained?  
(1) National Colleges of Education  
(2) Teacher Training Colleges  
(3) National Institute of Education  
(4) Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka (.....)
21. What is the designation of the officer in charge of Colleges of Education at the Ministry of Education?  
(1) Director in charge of Teacher Education  
(2) Chief Commissioner Teacher of Education  
(3) Director General of Education  
(4) Additional Secretary Teacher Education (.....)
22. In what year was the national Institute of Education Act enacted?  
(1) 1980 (2) 1985 (3) 1991 (4) 1996 (.....)
23. How many core subjects are there in the G.C.E. (O.L) classes?  
(1) 3 (2) 4 (3) 6 (4) 8 (.....)
24. What are the subjects that **cannot** be taught in the English medium under the Bi-lingual education programme?  
(1) Health and Physical Education and History  
(2) Religion and Social Science  
(3) History and Geography  
(4) Religion and History (.....)
25. Students following the technology stream at G.C.E. (A.L.) are expected to select one area of technology out of two. What are the **two** technology streams?  
(1) Engineering technology, Bio systems technology  
(2) Engineering technology, Information technology  
(3) Agricultural technology, Electric technology  
(4) Bio system technology, Construction technology (.....)
26. What is the specialized Agency of United nations set up to help children in emergencies?  
(1) UNICEF (2) UNDP (3) UNESCO (4) WHO (.....)
27. Of the following choices which given only the names of Educational Psychologist?  
(1) Sigmund Freud, Karl Young, Ivan Pavlov  
(2) Jean Piaget, Abraham Maslow, B.F. Skinner  
(3) Plato, Jean Russau, Ravindranath Tagore  
(4) Leo Tolstoy, Guy de Mauposang, Burtrend Russel (.....)
28. What is the choice that includes only the persons have made a significant contribution to education in Sri Lanka?  
(1) J.E. Jayasooriya, Premadasa Udagama, Bogoda Premarathna  
(2) W.A. Silva, G.B. Senanayaka, Mahagama Sekara  
(3) D.B. Dhanapala, Earnest Corea, Chandrarathna Manawasinghe  
(4) Ananda Samarakoon, Gunasena Galappaththi, Sunil Santha (.....)

29. Which of the following groups of periods indicate when important educational reforms were carried out in Sri Lanka?
- (1) 1920 - 24 , 1948 - 49 , 1966 - 67
  - (2) 1934 - 35 , 1941 - 42 , 1969 - 70
  - (3) 1943 - 45 , 1960 - 61 , 1980 - 81
  - (4) 1952 - 53 , 1976 - 77 , 1989 - 90 (.....)

30. What a teacher should do to improve one's methods of instruction is
- (1) Read books on Educational Psychology
  - (2) Peer discussion with other teachers on different topics.
  - (3) Prepare notes to be copied by pupils.
  - (4) Reflect on what one has taught and correct one self. (.....)

● For each question from No. 31 to 50, write the **correct answer on the dotted lines** given.

31. What is the document in which important happening about the school are recorded?  
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32. Who includes to the non-academic staff in a school?  
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33. In a school if the enrolment exceeds a particular number all children will be provided with the free school meal. What is that number?  
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34. What is the National College of Education in the Southern Province which was constructed with Japanese assistance?  
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35. The marks obtained by a candidate at the G.C.E. (A/L) examination will be standardized for the purpose of university admission. What is the name given to the standardized mark?  
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36. What is the name given to the school Development Programme introduced by the Ministry of Education very recently?  
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37. What is the university established for the purpose of awarding degrees in technology only?  
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38. What is the system used in libraries in Sri Lanka in the classification of books?  
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39. What is the national level institution which is in charge of technical colleges which award Higher National Diplomas?  
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40. A girl in Pakistan who campaigned for girls education become a target for extremists. But she migrated to another country and continued her mission for which she was awarded the Nobel Prize. What is her name?

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41. What is the instrument that can be used to explain a lesson using information technology?

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42. During the last two decades there are two international agencies that have provided assistance in the field of education. Name **one** of that agencies.

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43. What is the programme started by the Ministry of Education to improve school community relations in school management?

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44. What is the highest award that a scout can obtain in this country?

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45. What are the languages used as the medium of instruction in Sri Lankan government schools at the primary stage?

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46. Complete the blank in the following statement.

“leave is not a teachers' right but a .....

47. For the public servants in transferable services what is the maximum number of years that an officer can remain in one station?

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48. The government has recently taken a policy decision regarding the number of years that a student should be in school. Accordingly what is the number of years?

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49. Who are the persons who can obtain the membership of a school development society without paying a membership fee?

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50. What is the programme implemented in schools for secondary level students to be aware of their aptitudes and the job opportunities available in the labour market?

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