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I B.Tech. II Semester II Mid- English- Question Bank

(Common to CE, ME & Mining)

MODULE – III

1. The operating system is the foundation for everything else in the _____” ()
a. internet b. computer c. smart phone d. hardware
2. Experts worry about a new _____ between those who can afford smartphones and data plans and those who can afford only basic mobile phones. ()
a. Division b. poverty division c. digital divide d. partition
3. Smartphones actually change _____ ()
a. Behaviour b. money c. technology d. phones
4. It took _____ years to shrink the mainframe from the size of a living room to that of a suitcase. ()
a. 100 b. 50 c. 200 d. 150
5. The school is going to _____ with uniforms. Nobody likes them. ()
a. Deal b. do away c. will get d. take away
6. He is so funny! He really cracks me _____. ()
a. Up b. with c. through d. down
7. The crowd managed to _____ the police barricade. ()
a. Break up b. break through c. break up d. break into
8. He will never listen to us. Why should we waste our _____? ()
a. Breadth b. speech c. peace d. time
9. Friends can help you to _____ a difficult time in your life. ()
a. Get through b. get out c. get up d. get into
10. The police are trying to _____ on drunk drivers. ()
a. Crack down b. crack up c. crack into d. crack against
11. She has really _____ for herself. She won five restaurants. ()
a. Done up b. done through c. done well d. done for
12. My neighbour and I _____ very well. We talk every day. ()

- a. Get along b. get into c. get together d. good for
13. It isn't very good, _____? ()
 a. is it? b. isn't it? c. is it not? d. is it so?
14. They enjoy playing football, _____? ()
 a. Did they? b. had they? c. don't they? d. haven't they?
15. He finished it, _____? ()
 a. Did he not? b. did he ? c. didn't he? d. don't he?
16. My brother's handwriting is _____ (bad) than mine. ()
 a. Worser b. worse c. very bad d. better
17. I am _____ in cricket than in football. (interested) ()
 a. More interested b. very interest c. so interested d. very interested
18. Take the _____ of the two routes. ()
 a. Shortest b. short c. shorter d. longer
19. No other animal is as _____ as the Lion. ()
 a. Brave b. braver c. bravest d. not brave
20. He has the gift of the gab. Gift of the gab means _____ ()
 a. He is gifted b. He is not talented
 c. He is a good conservationist d. ecologist
21. Once in a blue moon, we meet him. Once in a blue moon means _____ ()
 a. Frequently b. ever c. very rarely d. in the light of a
 blue moon
22. In the end he had to eat the humble pie. To eat the humble pie means _____ ()
 a. apologize humbly b. defend himself c. adopt an aggressive attitude
 d. none of these
23. He was _____ of breaking the door when his wife called and said that she found the key. ()
 a. on the point b. pointing c. broke into d. pointed at
24. I try to do my best at work, but my boss always _____ with my work. ()
 a. finds fault b. falls asleep c. doubts d. follows
25. He asked his secretary to _____ the chief accountant before the meeting. ()
 a. get even with b. go into c. get away d. get up

MODULE –III - ANSWERS

1.C	2. C	3. C	4. A	5.B	6.A	7.B
8.A	9.A	10.A	11.C	12. A	13.A	14.C
15.C	16.A	17.A	18.A	19.A	20.C	21.C
22.A	23.A	24.A	25.A			

MODULE -IV

1. The original inhabitants of a country. ()
a. Original b. natives C.Aborigines d. Residents
2. A written statement given on oath. ()
a. document b.Affidavit c. promise d. statement
3. One who learns a subject as a hobby. ()
a. Player b. naïve c. Amateur d. Veteran
4. One who gives chloroform to a patient. ()
a. Anesthetist b. dentist c. pulmonologist d. Compunder
5. One who makes a scientific study of human antiquities. ()
a. Archeologist b. historian c. musician d. Scientist
6. A list of books with details of authorship, editions, subject etc. ()
a. Table of contents b. Bibliography c. history d. Index
7. Study of plants or of animal or of people or of institutions in relation to environment. ()
a. Ecology b. biology c. zoology d. botany
8. A disease which attacks many people in a particular area in one time. ()
a. Epidemic b. contagious c. fever d. None
9. Departure - Emigration (Usually of a large number of people. ()
a. Immigration b. exodus c. migration d. Transport
10. That which is productive. ()
a. Fertile b. sterile c. useless d. Product
11. Word pronounced the same as, but different in meaning spelled the same way. ()
a. Homophone b. homonym c. homophile d. Homograph

12. Instrument used for recording sound under water. ()
a. Barometer b. thermometer c. hydrophone d. Manometer
13. Made or done without previous preparation. ()
a. Sudden b. impromptu c. narration d. speech
14. Which is nearer to the meaning of the word '**Fair**' ()
a. Good b. cruel c. Impartial. d. black
15. Which is nearer to the meaning of the word '**Optimistic**' ()
a. Good b. positive c. negative d. pessimistic
16. Which is nearer to the meaning of the word '**Baffle**' ()
a. Confuse b. learn c. learn clearly d. forget
17. Which is nearer to the meaning of the word '**Beneficent**' ()
a. Kind b. cruel c. correct d. looser
18. Which is nearer to the meaning of the word '**Assiduous**' ()
a. Going quickly B. Hardworking c. content d. cruel
19. Choose a word which is opposite in meaning '**Arrogant**' ()
a. Clear B. cruel c. Humble d. silent
20. Choose a word which is opposite in meaning '**Brave**' ()
a. Cowardly b. good. C. courageous d. dare
21. Choose a word which is opposite in meaning '**Cheap**' ()
a. Costly b. dearer c. available d. least
22. Choose a word which is opposite in meaning '**Knowledge**' ()
a. Information b. data c. ignorance d. innocence
23. Choose a word which is opposite in meaning '**Partial**' ()
a. parallel b. complete c. clear d. horizontal
24. Choose a word which is opposite in meaning '**Segregate**' ()
a. separate b. complete c. integrate d. scatter
25. Choose a word which is opposite in meaning '**Transparent**' ()
a. see through b. clear c. opaque d. genuine
26. Our task had been completed before sunset. ()
A. We completed our task before sunset.
B. We have completed our task before sunset.

- C. We complete our task before sunset.
D. We had completed our task before sunset.
27. The boy laughed at the beggar. ()
A. The beggar was laughed by the boy.
B. The beggar was being laughed by the boy.
C. The beggar was being laughed at by the boy.
D. The beggar was laughed at by the boy.
28. The boys were playing Cricket. ()
A. Cricket had been played by the boys.
B. Cricket has been played by the boys.
C. Cricket was played by the boys.
D. Cricket was being played by the boys.
29. This house ————— in 1970 by my grandfather. ()
a) Built
b) Was built
c) Was build
d) Has built
30. The robbers ————— by the police. ()
a) Have arrested
b) Have been arrested
c) Was arrested
d) Had arrested
31. We ————— for the examination. ()
a) Have preparing
b) Are preparing
c) Had preparing
d) Have been prepared
32. It ————— since yesterday. ()
a) Is raining
b) Has been raining

- c) Have been raining
d) Was raining
33. I _____ for five hours. ()
a) Have been working
b) Has been working
c) Was working
d) Am working
34. The students _____ to submit their reports by the end of this week. ()
a) Have asked
b) Are asked
c) Has asked
d) Are asking
35. She _____ for a while. ()
a) Are ailing
b) Is ailing
c) Has been ailing
d) Have been ailing
36. The teacher _____ the student for lying. ()
a) Has been punished
b) Punished
c) Is punished
d) Was punished
37. I _____ to become a successful writer. ()
a) Have always wanted
b) Am always wanted
c) Was always wanted
d) Am always wanting
38. The inmates of the juvenile home _____ well by their caretakers. ()
a) Were not being treated
b) Were not treating

- c) Have not being treated
- d) Was not being treated

39. As the patient could not walk he _____ home in a wheel chair. ()

- a) Has carried
- b) Has been carried
- c) Was carried
- d) Was carrying

40. The injured _____ to the hospital in an ambulance. ()

- a) Were taking
- b) Was taking
- c) Were taken
- d) Have taken

41.They drew a circle in the morning. ()

- A. A circle was being drawn by them in the morning.
- B. A circle was drawn by them in the morning.
- C. In the morning a circle have been drawn by them.
- D. A circle has been drawing since morning.

42.They will demolish the entire block. ()

- A.The entire block is being demolished.
- B.The block may be demolished entirely.
- C.The entire block will have to be demolished by the
- D.The entire block will be demolished.

43.The burglar destroyed several items in the room. Even the carpet has been torn. ()

- A. Several items destroyed in the room by the burglar. Even the carpet he has torn.
- B. Several items in the room were destroyed by the burglar. Even the carpet was torn.
- C. Including the carpet, several items in the room have been torn by the burglar.
- D. The burglar, being destroyed several items in the room, also carpet has torn.

44. We must respect the elders. ()

- A. The elders deserve respect from us.
- B. The elders must be respected.
- C. The elders must be respected by us.

D. Respect the elders we must.

45. We have warned you. ()

A. You have been warned.

B. We have you warned.

C. Warned you have been.

D. Have you been warned.

46. Has anybody answered your question? ()

A. Your question has been answered?

B. Anybody has answered your question?

C. Has your question been answered?

D. Have you answered your question?

47. The shopkeeper lowered the prices. ()

A. The prices lowered by shopkeeper.

B. The prices were lowered by shopkeeper.

C. Down went prices.

D. The shopkeeper got down the prices.

48. The government has launched a massive tribal welfare programme in Jharkhand. ()

A. A massive tribal welfare programme is launched by the government in Jharkhand.

B. A massive tribal welfare programme has been launched by the government in Jharkhand.

C. Jharkhand government has launched a massive tribal welfare programme.

D. The government in Jharkhand has launched a massive tribal welfare programme.

49. One must keep one's promises. ()

A. One's promises are kept.

B. One's promises must be kept.

C. One's promises were kept.

D. One's promises must be kept.

50. The government has not approved the new drug for sale. ()

A. The government approval for the sale of the new drug has not been given.

B. The new drug has not been approved for sale by the government.

C. For the sale of the new drug we have not been given the approval.

D. The new drug was not approved by the government.

MODULE –IV - ANSWERS

1.C	2.B	3.C	4.A	5.A	6.B	7.A
8.A	9.B	10.A	11.A	12.C	13.B	14.C
15.B	16.A	17.A	18.B	19.C	20.A	21.A
22.C	23.B	24.C	25.C	26.D	27.D	28.D
29.B	30.B	31.B	32.C	33.A	34.B	35.C
36.B	37.A	38.A	39.C	40.C	41.B	42.D
43. B	44.C	45.A	46.C	47.B	48.B	49.D
50.B						

MODULE -V

1. The suffix -est means the most and the suffix -er can mean more. Which word means someone who has lived longer than me? ()
 - a) old
 - b) older
 - c) oldest
 - d) ancient
2. What does the prefix dis- mean? ()
 - a) not or opposite of
 - b) again
 - c) too much
 - d) earlier or before
3. The prefix mis- means which of the following? ()
 - a) too much
 - b) wrongly
 - c) again
 - d) middle
4. What is the base word of misguided? ()

- a) guided
- b) mis
- c) guide
- d) misguide

5. Choose the right suffix / prefix which means to write, draw, record: ()

- a) graph, gram
- b) bio
- c) hydro
- d) circ, circum

6. 'mono' means _____ ()

- a) self
- b) single
- c) earth
- d) small

7. The prefix post- means? ()

- a) before
- b) currently
- c) after
- d) none of the above

8. The prefix re- means? ()

- a) back, again
- b) done
- c) before
- d) enough

9. Your speed should not ----- the limits. ()

- a. exceed b. accede c. exide d. exude

10. Please ----- her proposal. ()

- a. accept b. except c. accent d. extent

11. You have to ----- me tomorrow ()

- a. meet b. meat c. mute d. mount

12. Don't try to ----- him. ()

- a. beet b. beat c. boot d. bout
13. He is enjoying the beauty of the ----- ()
- a. sea b. see c. saw d. sow
14. The ----- is very courageous ()
- a. night b. knight c. nite d. note
15. At one's fingertips ()
- a. To take revenge
- b. Matter of shame
- c. Complete knowledge
- d. None of above
16. At the spur of the moment ()
- a. Difficult Moment
- b. Without Delay
- c. Great Moment
- d. Very Slow
17. All in all ()
- a. Every person
- b. Particular thing same in all
- c. Call all at once
- d. Most important
18. Apple Pie Order ()
- a. In random order
- b. Related to fruits packing
- c. Related to dry fruit packing
- d. In perfect order
19. To pick holes ()
- a. To find some reason to quarrel
- b. To destroy something
- c. To criticise someone

d. To cut some part of an item

20. To hit the nail right on the head ()

- a. To do the right thing
- b. To destroy one's reputation
- c. To announce one's fixed views
- d. To teach someone a lesson

21. Putting off his clothes, he plunged into the water ()

(convert into compound sentence)

- a. While putting off his clothes, he jumped into the water.
- b. He put off his clothes and jumped into the water.
- c. He was putting off his clothes when he jumped into the water.
- d. Putting off his clothes, he plunged into the water

22. The players were tired and they decided to stop the play. ()

(convert into simple Sentence)

- a. Having been tired, the players decided to stop the play.
- b. The players stopped the play because they were tired.
- c. The players stopped the play as they were tired.
- d. The players were tired and they decided to stop the play

23. Being rich, he can buy two cars. (convert into complex sentence) ()

- a. he is rich and he can buy two cars.
- b. He can buy two cars because he is rich.
- c. As he is rich, he can buy two cars.
- d. Being rich, he can buy two cars.

24. The boy proved that he was brilliant. (convert into simple sentence) ()

- a. The boy proved because he was brilliant.
- b. The boy proved his brilliance.

- c. The boy proved that he was brilliant.
d. The boy proved that he was brilliant
25. A dead tiger does not roar. (convert into complex sentence) ()
- a. A tiger is dead and does not roar.
b. A tiger does not roar as it is dead.
c. A tiger which is dead does not roar.
d. A dead tiger does not roar
26. If you come,----- ()
- a. I will be giving you material.
b. I would give you material.
c. I will give you material.
d. I shall gave you material.
27. If you came yesterday, ----- ()
- a. I would meet you.
b. I would have met you.
c. I will meet you.
d. I should met you.
28. If I had text book with me, ----- ()
- a. I would have given it to you.
b. I will give it to you.
c. I would give it to you.
d. I would gave it to you.
29. If you had come with us, ----- ()
- a. You would see the cricket match.
b. You could have seen the cricket match.
c. You will see the cricket match.
d. You shall saw the cricket match.
30. If he had met me, ----- ()
- a. I would have shared the information.
b. I would share the information.

- c. I will share the information.
- d. I should share the information.

31. The act of having many wives at a single time is called as ()
a) Polyandry b) Polygamy c) Polyglot d) Polynomy
32. One who loves books is called as a ()
a) Bibliography b) Bibliophilia c) Bibliophile d) Bibliomania
33. One who compiles a dictionary is called as ()
a) Lexicography b) Lexicological c) Lexicographer d) Lexicologist
34. One who knows many languages is known as a ()
a) Bilingual b) Trilingual c) Quadra Lingual d) Polyglot
35. One who does not believe in the existence of God is known as ()
a) Theist b) Atheist c) Apotheosis d) Allotheism
36. Fear of sounds is called as ()
a) Phonophobia b) Hydrophobia c) Kenophobia d) Autophobia
37. Killing of an infant is called as ()
a) Matricide b) Fratricide c) Patricide d) Infanticide
38. Choose an appropriate synonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()
It is very difficult to retain all that you hear in the class
a) Keep b) Recall c) Preserve d) Conserve
39. Choose an appropriate synonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()
The bullet wound proved to be fatal and the soldier died immediately
a) Grievous b) Dangerous c) Serious d) Deadly
40. Choose an appropriate synonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()
On scrutiny the police officer found out that the documents provided by the landlord were totally fabricated
a) Forged b) Historical c) Prepared d) Genuine
41. Choose an appropriate synonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()
Silence is mandatory for meditation to be effective.
a) Compulsory b) Necessary c) Required d) Needed
42. Choose an appropriate synonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

The notice said that the meeting would begin precisely at 9.30 AM.

- a) Approximately b) Exactly c) Accurately d) Concisely

43. Choose an appropriate antonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

The inhabitants of the island were barbarians.

- a) Civilized b) Cruel c) Uncivilized d) Bad

44. Choose an appropriate antonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

Unsettled conditions in the land led to exodus of hundreds of its citizens.

- a) Invasion b) Entry c) Immigration d) Expulsion

45. Choose an appropriate antonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

The young leader was reluctant to shoulder the responsibilities of ministerial office.

- a) Wanting b) Willing c) Anxious d) Eager

46. Choose an appropriate antonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

The managing director remarked that the secretary was an asset to the company.

- a) Loss b) Liability c) Drag d) Handicap

47. Choose an appropriate antonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

I was surprised at his stiff attitude.

- a) Courteous b) Flexible c) Soft d) Lively

48. Choose an appropriate antonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

He abandoned his family.

- a) Supported b) Encouraged c) Pleased d) Saved

49. Choose an appropriate antonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

In ancient India, scholars had no interest in political power or material growth.

- a) Ancient b) Spiritual c) Psychic d) Celestial

50. Choose an appropriate antonym for the underlined part/bold word: ()

His short but pointed speech was applauded by all sections of the audience.

- a) Disapproved b) Misunderstood c) Praised d) Welcomed

MODULE -V ANSWERS

1. B	2.A	3.B	4.C	5.A	6.B
7.C	8.A	9.A	10.A	11.A	12.B
13.A	14.B	15.C	16.B	17.D	18.D
19.C	20.A	21.B	22.A	23.C	24.B
25.C	26.C	27.A	28.C	29.B	30.A
31.B	32.C	33.C	34.D	35.A	36.A
37.D	38.B	39.D	40.A	41.A	42.B
43.A	44.B	45.B	46.B	47.B	48.A
49.B	50.A				