

ST. THOMAS' COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), THRISSUR

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

SYLLABUS FOR BRIDGE COURSE (2019-2020)

NB:

- The syllabus and questions for 'Reasoning & Logical Ability' and 'Communication Skills & Language Aptitude' is attached herewith.
- Each department is requested to complete the syllabus and question paper for the bridge course with questions from respective disciplines and return to the Coordinator of Students' Induction Programme.
- The faculty is requested to maintain the confidentiality of question paper.

Reasoning & Logical Ability

Verbal reasoning, letter and symbol series, verbal classification, logical reasoning etc.

Communication Skills & Language Aptitude

Module I: Communication – introduction – in animals, including human beings.

Human Communication: purpose (ideas, feelings, data...)

Communication: oral, written and visual.

Module II: Oral: way of speech – formal / informal – formal: formal settings (official)- informal: between/among peers.

Written: all forms of writing letters: business, official, minutes, applications, notifications, certificates etc.

Visual: pictures, graphs, charts, signs, hoardings, posters, maps, photographs etc.

Audio-visual: sound and visuals.

Module III: Non-verbal Communication: 1) Body language (emotions, feelings, eye contact, gestures, posture etc.) (2) Paralanguage: pitch, intonation, stress etc.


Syllabus of Core: ECONOMICS

Module I: Basic Economics – Introduction to Microeconomics – Law of demand, Law of supply, Production, Introduction to Macroeconomics – National Income Accounting, GDP and its definitions.

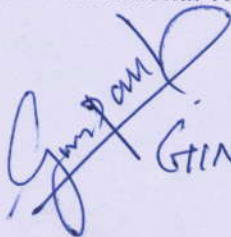
Module II: Basic Quantitative Skills – BODMAS Rule, Basic Statistics, Measures of central tendency.

Complementary Course: Politics

Basic features of Indian Constitution – Constitution making, Basic Human Rights, Constitutional Rights and Duties.


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Bridge Course Evaluation 2019-2020

Name:

No of Questions: 30

Marks: 60

Section I Reasoning & Logical Ability (7)

- Find the next term of the series 1,5,11,19, ...
(a)32 (b)28 (c)29 (d)33.
- $234 \times 0 \times 11 \times 22 =$
(a)555 (b)0 (c)310 (d)None of these.
- Find the odd one out.
(a)Rabbit (b) Cat (c)Elephant (d)Deer.
- A fruit basket contains more apples than lemons.
There are more lemons in the basket than there are oranges.
The basket contains more apples than oranges.
If the first two statements are true, the third statement is
(a)True (b) False (c) Need not be true (d) None of these
- Choose an answer based on given information:
"When they heard news of the hurricane, Maya and Julian decided to change their vacation plans. Instead of traveling to the island beach resort, they booked a room at a fancy new spa in the mountains. Their plans were a bit more expensive, but they'd heard wonderful things about the spa and they were relieved to find availability on such short notice".
(a)Maya and Julian take beach vacations every year
(b)The spa is overpriced.
(c)It is usually necessary to book at least six months in advance at the spa.
(d)Maya and Julian decided to change their vacation plans because of the hurricane.
- Which word does NOT belong with the others?
(a)Tyre.(b)Steering wheel (c)Engine(d)Car
- Fill the blank in the end of the series.
FAG, GAF, HAI, IAH, _____
(a)JAK.(b)HAL (c)MAN(d)PAQ

Section II Communication Skills & Language Aptitude (5)

-is the act of expressing ideas, feelings, and transferring data to others.
a) music b) communication c) pronunciation d) transformation
- Greetings, chats and casual conversations are generally considered communication.
a) informal b) formal c) official d) structural
- The branch of linguistics that comprises the study of the sounds of human speech is.....
a) kinetics b) appendix c) cybernetics d) phonetics
-is the way human body communicates through its physical movements and changes in demeanour.
a) proxemics b) sign language c) body language d) arbitrariness
- The particular feature of human language to refer to past and future time is called
a) displacement b) reflexivity c) creativity d) duality

13. The law of demand means?
 a) As the quantity demanded rises, the price rises b) As the price rises, the quantity demanded rises
 c) As the price rises, the quantity demanded falls d) As supply rises, the demand rises
14. Who is the father of Economics?
 a) Alfred Marshall b) Adam Smith
 c) J.M Keynes d) J.B Say
15. The shape of a demand curve:
 a) Downward b) Upward
 c) Horizontal d) Vertical
16. Who is the Finance Minister of India?
 a) ArunJaitley b) NirmalaSitharaman
 c) P. Chidambaram d) Urjit Patel
17. The demand of these goods varies directly with income.
 a) Substitute Goods b) Inferior Goods
 c) Normal Goods d) Giffen Goods
18. Present Governor of Reserve Bank of India.
 a) ReghuramRajan b) Urjit Patel
 c) Shaktikanta Das d) N.K Singh
19. Income elasticity of demand is defined as the responsiveness of:
 a) Quantity demanded to a change in income b) Quantity demanded to a change in price
 c) Price to a change in income d) Income to a change in quantity demanded
20. Who is the 'lender of the last resort' in the banking structure of India?
 a) State Bank of India b) Reserve Bank of India
 c) EXIM Bank of India d) Union Bank of India
21. Explicit Cost + Implicit Cost =
 a) Accounting Cost b) Economic Cost c) Opportunity Cost d) Variable Cost
22. The cost of next best alternative is :
 a) Sunk cost b) Opportunity Cost c) Fixed Cost d) Total Cost.
23. Which day is observed as Indian Constitution Day or Samvidhan Divas?
 a) October 26 b) January 26 c) March 26 d) November 26
24. Originally, how many fundamental rights are recognized by the Indian constitution?
 a) Six b) Seven c) eight d) Five
25. Who was the president of the Constituent Assembly of India?
 a) Dr.Rajendra Prasad b) Dr. B. R. Ambedkar
 c) JawaharLal Nehru d).Dr.SachidandaSinha
26. Which is the largest written constitution in world?
 a) Constitution of America b) Constitution of India
 c) Constitution of Turkey d) Constitution of Pakistan
27. Find the value: $4 - 7 + 3 =$
 a) 0 b) 6 c) 2 d) 1
28. Evaluate $-10*20 + -30$
 a) 230 b) 170 c) 200 d) 60
29. Find the odd one
 a) Mean b) Median c) Mode d) Range
30. Solve:
 $3^2 \times 5^2$
 a) 15 b) 225 c) 160 d) 0

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