**QUESTIONBANK 3RD SEMESTER**

**Question 1: Choose the correct option:**

**1)Name the poet of “ The Solitary Reaper”**

1) John Keats

2) Walt Whitman

**3) William Wordsworth**

4) Leo Tolstoy

**2) A Steed is a**

1) Lion

**2) Horse**

3) Donkey

4) Mare

**3) La Belle Dame Sans Merci means**

1. A young lady who has no mercy
2. An old lady who has no mercy
3. **The beautiful lady without mercy**
4. The beautiful lady who is merciful

**4) Sham-Shemagi is Ilyas’**

1. **Wife**
2. Friend
3. Daughter
4. Sister

**5) Define Etymology**

1) study of plant life

2) study of insects

3) study of birds

**4**) **study of origin of words**

**6) In the poem La Belle Dame Sans Merci, who is wandering aimlessly**

1) The stranger

**2) The Knight**

3) The Beautiful lady

4) None of the above

7**) Name Stephen Leacock’s essay that has been taken from Literary lapses**

**1) How to Live to be 200**

2) How to live a long life

3) How to live to be 100

4) How to live a healthy life

8**) What is the meaning of Solitary ?**

1) Grassland

2) A farmer

3) Song

**4) Alone**

**9) How many Consonant sounds are there in English**

**1) 24**

2) 26

3) 20

4) 21

**10) What is a prepositional phrase**

**1) A phrase beginning with a preposition**

2) A phrase beginning with a conjunction

3) A phrase beginning with an adjective

4) A phrase beginning with an adverb

**11)What is the name of the protagonist in How to Live to be 200**

1) Higgins

2) Biggins

**3) Jiggins**

4) Miggins

**12) How many Diphthongs are there in English**

1) 5

2) 20

**3) 8**

4) None of the above

**13) In the poem, the knight and the beautiful lady marry and live happily ever after**

1) True

**2) False**

**14) What is a monophthong ?**

1) Consonant sound

**2) Single vowel sound**

3) Double vowel sound

4) All of the above

**15) in, on, at, under, over are examples of**

1) Noun

**2) Preposition**

3) Pronoun

4) Adjective

**16) What is a diphthong**

**1)** Consonant

2) Deep, meaningful song

**3) double vowel sound**

4) pure vowel sound

**17) O what can ail thee, knight-at-**

1. Ribs
2. Mouth
3. Eyes
4. **arms**

**18) Paragraph expansion**

1. Develops a given thought
2. Expands an idea
3. Both 1& 2
4. **All of the above**

**18) Organic Farming gets a**

1. **Bad rap**
2. Good rap
3. Better rap
4. Best rap

**19)Verb must agree with**

1) Object

2) Clause

3) Phrase

**4) Subject**

**20) Leacock describes Jiggins as a/an**

1) intelligent man

2) contented man

3**) maniac**

4) handsome man

**21) Sound of b in boy is**

**1) a consonant sound**

2) pure vowel sound

3) double vowel sound

4) no sound

**22) What is the meaning of plunge?**

**1) a quick dip or swim**

2) Decoration

3) A tool

4) Feelings and emotions

**23) Which 2 leaders were influenced by Leo Tolstoy**

1) Nehru and M K Gandhi

2) Rajeev Gandhi and Rahul Gandhi

3) Sardar Patel and Nehru

**4) M K Gandhi and Martin Luther King**

**24) Singular form of Mathematics**

1) Mathematic

**2) doesn't have a singular form**

3) Mathematik

4) Mathematick

**25) The Solitary Reaper is singing a**

1) song of celebration

2) song calling for action

**3) song having melancholic strain**

4) song with a humorous twist

**26) I am working in Goa**

1) Present simple tense

2) Present perfect tense

**3) Present Continuous tense**

4) Past continuous tense

**27) Organic farming is produced with fewer chemicals**

1) False

**2) True**

**28) La Belle Dame Sans Merci is written in the form of a**

1) an essay

2) paragraph

**3) ballad**

4) epic poetry

**29) Ilyas and Sham Shemagi worked as servants at**

1) Mahmud Ghazni's home

2) Muhammad Ghori's home

**3) Muhammad Shah's home**

4) Mohammad bin Tughlaq's home

**30) Nationality of Leo Tolstoy**

1) Spanish

2) French

**3) Russian**

4) Chinese

**Fill in the blanks:**

**1)................is a short story written by Leo Tolstoy (Ilyas)**

**2)She took me to her elfin...........(grot)**

**3)Both monologue and dialogue derive from ancient............(Greek)**

**4)......................has been very slow to develop Organic Farming(South Africa)**

**5)No one know/knows the answer(knows)**

**6)Seven lakh rupees is/are a large sum of money (is)**

**7)................,....... has borrowed many words from various languages (English)**

**8)A diphthong is a combination of 2.................sounds(Vowel)**

**9) Stephen Leacock was a .................national(Canadian)**

**10) William Wordsworth was the Poet Laureate of the...................(United Kingdom)**

**11)The white part of an egg is called...................(albumen)**

**12)The planes.............................at the airport (approach: present continuous)**

**13) Conventional farmers still use large quantities of chemical....................(fertilisers)**

**14) Fermented drink made out of mare's milk is called....................(kumiss)**

**15) Ilyas was from..................... community (Bashkir)**

**16)"All said and done" is an example of.................(Cliche)**

**17)The sound of /p/ in pin is a ...............sound(Consonant)**

**18)The knight made................and.............for his ladylove (garland and bracelet)**

**19)The word Karate has been borrowed from.......................... language (Japanese)**

**20)The sound of oy in boy is a double........................sound(vowel)**

**21)Babay in Bashkir tongue means.......................(grandfather)**

**22)......…................means looking unwell or exhausted (Haggard)**

**23)Neither of the boys want/wants breakfast (wants)**

**23)Ilyas and his wife took service with..........................(Muhammad Shah)**

**24)…...….............is a young horse(Foal)**

**25)................is the symbol of consonant sound in cat(/k/)**

**26) I see a lily/rose on thy brow(lily)**

**27)La Belle Dame Sans Merci is a poem written by...................(John Keats)**

**27)Out of three of Ilyas' children,...........of them died(two)**

**28) Not my cup of tea is an example of ................(Cliche)**

**29)Vowel sound in fear is called.................(diphthong)**

**30) Everyone has/have finished their work (has)**

**Short answer type questions**

**1)What is the condition of the knight when he is found by the stranger?**

**Ans: The knight is looking pale, haggard, and in distress when he is found by the stranger.**

**2)What is a diphthong?**

**Ans: Diphthong is a combination of two simple vowel sounds which are pronounced as a single sound**

**3) Give the names of the husband and wife who work at Muhammad Shah's residence**

**Ans: Ilyas and Sham-Shemagi**

**4)Give the translation of La Belle Dame Sans Merci in English**

**Ans: The beautiful lady without mercy.**

**5)Define Etymology**

**Ans: The study of origin of words is called Etymology**

**6)Who is the poet of the poem "The Solitary Reaper"**

**Ans: William Wordsworth has written the poem "The Solitary Reaper"**

**7)Give 2 examples of a diphthong**

**Ans: fear, tear, boy,toy, coin, foil etc.( any two)**

**8)Where does the Solitary Reaper work as described in the poem?**

**Ans: The Solitary Reaper is working in the fields harvesting grains.**

**9)What is Jiggins obsession?**

**Ans: Jiggins is obsessed with his health.**

**10)Who was Stephen Leacock?**

**Ans: Stephen Leacock was a Canadian short-story writer**

**11)What is the meaning of the phrase "melancholy strain"**

**Ans: It means a sad song**

**12)What is a Ballad?**

**Ans: A Ballad is a poem narrating a story.**

**13)Name the award presented every year for the best book of humour written by a Canadian**

**Ans: The Stephen Leacock Memorial Medal for Humour**

**14)What is the meaning of Lass?**

**Ans: A girl or unmarried young woman is called a lass**

**15)Define Organic Farming**

**Ans: Farming undertaken without the use of chemical fertilisers and pesticides is known as Organic Farming.**

**16) According to Ilyas and Sham Shemagi, where did their happiness lie?**

**Ans: According to Ilyas and Sham Shemagi, their happiness lay in serving their master Muhammad Shah**

**17)Define a prepositional phrase**

**Ans: A prepositional phrase is a phrase beginning with a preposition.**

**18)How many Diphthongs and Consonant sounds are their in English?**

**Ans: There are 8 Diphthongs and 24 Consonant sounds in English**

**19)Define a Monologue**

**Ans: A monologue is a long speech usually in a play or film given by a single speaker.**

**20)The meanings of words change over time. What is the original and the current meaning of 'Awful'**

**Ans: Original meaning: Impressive**

**Current meaning: Terrible**