

English ICOM Part 2 Chapter 9 Online Test

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	The writer's name of the essay "Hunger and Population Explosion" is _____	A. G.F.Lamb B. Anna Mckenzie C. Words Worth D. Lady Gregory
2	What is it like to be really _____	A. Hungry B. Ill C. Sick D. Satisfied
3	When you have been too busy to eat and said, "I am _____."	A. Staring B. Steering C. Starving D. Stuttering
4	After a few slices of bread and butter you forgot all about those hunger _____	A. Panes B. Ping pong C. Gangs D. Pangs
5	Hunger does not mean _____ one meal or even meals for a whole day	A. Having B. Taking C. Missing D. Receiving
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8	You are always wondering where the _____ meal is coming from	A. Expensive B. Rich C. Appetizing D. Next
9	Arthur Hopcraft of the Guardian said of starving children after visiting a _____ centre	A. Shopping B. Exercise C. Nutrition D. Nursery
10	They are the children who weigh _____ lb at the age of two years	A. 6 B. 10 C. 15 D. 20
11	_____ has been a problem since the beginning of time	A. Famine B. Marriage C. Livelihood D. Friendship
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15	He said, "During my _____ the Nile has not been in flood for seven years."	A. Reign B. Rain C. Rein D. Ruin

16	During my reign the _____ has not been in flood for seven years	A. Sindh B. Euphrates C. Tigris D. Nile
17	There were seven years of famine in Egypt during the time of _____	A. Christ B. John C. Joseph D. Moses
18	Widespread disaster was only _____ by Joseph's management	A. Diverted B. Averted C. Converted D. Inverted
19	Joseph's own _____ came to Egypt from Palestine to buy grain	A. Brothers B. Sisters C. Aunts D. Uncles
20	From the birth of Christ to about _____ there are records of famine in Europe in 350 different years	A. 1000 B. 1500 C. 1600 D. 1800
21	In England during the same period there was at least one major famine every _____ years	A. two B. five C. ten D. twenty
22	Robin Hood helped with transport of food robbing the _____ to feed the poor	A. villagers B. rich C. penniless D. destitute
23	We can get some idea of these _____ from our folk-lore	A. famines B. picnics C. enjoyments D. travels
24	But famines in _____ have been much less serious than in other parts of the world	A. Australia B. Asia C. Africa D. Europe
25	China had _____ major famines in one country	A. fifty B. sixty C. eighty D. ninety
26	Nine and half _____ people perished in a single famine which swept North China, in the last century	A. thousand B. million C. billion D. trillion
27	Ten million died in the great famine of Bengal _____	A. 1769-70 B. 1669-70 C. 1569-70 D. 1469-70
28	As recently as 1942 in Bombay one million _____ to death when the rice crop failed	A. smiled B. slept C. strayed D. starved
29	In India in 1964-65 there was the worst famine of the century owing to the failure of the _____	A. rivers B. dams C. monsoon D. wind
30	Transport problems were so great that the _____ could not have been distributed, to the isolated	A. water B. food C. wood D. oil
31	A year later, India still faced an even worse _____ of famine	A. threat B. thread C. tread D. thud
32	It may be that there are just too many people for the amount of food _____	A. avail B. availed C. availing D. available
33	In the world, not only is there not enough food, but each year there are many more _____ to eat it	A. beasts B. animals C. people D. people

		<p>C. people</p> <p>D. birds</p>
34	The number of people in the world is rapidly _____	<p>A. declining</p> <p>B. increasing</p> <p>C. receding</p> <p>D. lessening</p>
35	Till by the birth of Christ the world population was about _____ million	<p>A. 200-300</p> <p>B. 50-150</p> <p>C. 400-500</p> <p>D. 600-700</p>
36	The number doubled by 1650 and 1850 doubled again to _____ million	<p>A. 700</p> <p>B. 800</p> <p>C. 900</p> <p>D. 1000</p>
37	The population is increasing at a rate which would double the numbers in only _____ years	<p>A. 20</p> <p>B. 30</p> <p>C. 40</p> <p>D. 50</p>
38	Within two or three centuries there will only be enough room on the earth for people to _____	<p>A. sit down</p> <p>B. stand up</p> <p>C. lie down</p> <p>D. run across</p>
39	The main reason for population increase is the _____ between the birth-rate and death rate	<p>A. difference</p> <p>B. deference</p> <p>C. resemblance</p> <p>D. equality</p>
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42	The population is growing at the rate of 6.6 per _____ of the population	<p>A. 100</p> <p>B. 400</p> <p>C. 1000</p> <p>D. 1500</p>
43	Now in the industrial countries of the west _____ out of 20 becomes adults	<p>A. 15</p> <p>B. 19</p> <p>C. 14</p> <p>D. 10</p>
44	One couple need only produce just _____ children to replace themselves	<p>A. two</p> <p>B. four</p> <p>C. five</p> <p>D. one</p>
45	Among the Western nations because of the decline in the birth rate, the _____ is not now growing so fast	<p>A. production</p> <p>B. grain</p> <p>C. crops</p> <p>D. population</p>
46	But even in these areas low death-rate _____ that the population is still growing fairly rapidly	<p>A. mane</p> <p>B. main</p> <p>C. means</p> <p>D. men's</p>
47	In Ceylon, the death rate was reduced by one third in two years by greatly reducing mortality from _____	<p>A. typhoid</p> <p>B. malaria</p> <p>C. Diphtheria</p> <p>D. Gout</p>
48	Soon after the discover of _____ it was realised that yaws could be cured	<p>A. pencillin</p> <p>B. tetracyclin</p> <p>C. T.V</p> <p>D. dish antenna</p>
49	The study of the population growth indicates one of the greatest _____ of our time	<p>A. solutions</p> <p>B. recreations</p> <p>C. amusements</p> <p>D. paradoxes</p>
50	An under _____ country is characterized by poverty with beggars in the cities	<p>A. sized</p> <p>B. ground</p> <p>C. developed</p> <p>D. world</p>
		<p>A. population</p>

51	In the past the population has not only been reduced by famine and disease but also by _____	B. floods C. earthquakes D. war
52	We were creating a situation which encourages the _____ to make war on the rich	A. land lords B. poor C. mill owners D. industrialist
53	We must do in the mean time is to keep _____ as many people as we can	A. alert B. active C. senseless D. alive
54	We must at the same time make every effort to encourage _____ of families	A. expansion B. enlargement C. limitation D. enrichment
55	Corn is _____ and food is lacking	A. Scarce B. Absent C. Not available D. Now here
56	Widespread _____ was averted by the storage of food.	A. disaster B. tragedy C. killing D. destruction
57	Widespread disaster was _____ by the storage of food.	A. opposed B. resisted C. slowed down D. averted
58	Asia and the Far East the death rate has been reduced _____	A. Rapidly B. Constantly C. Forcefully D. Effectively
59	The death rate was reduced by one-third in two years by greatly reducing _____ from malaria.	A. Troubles B. Mortality C. Shocks D. Suffering
60	Many countries have carried out _____ programmes to free their countrymen of yaws.	A. Massive B. Well-known C. Successful D. Old
61	an underdeveloped country is one which is _____ factories.	A. without B. without two or three C. without many D. lacking
62	An underdeveloped country is one which is with _____ supplies of power and lights.	A. Incomplete B. Inadequate C. Without two or three D. Without many
63	Most people _____ older people cannot read or write in an underdeveloped country.	A. All B. A few C. Particularly D. Perhaps
64	The gap in living standard is _____ to increase in an underdeveloped country.	A. Bound B. Not C. Not possible D. Less likely
65	Reduction in the death rate means reduction in _____	A. Mortality B. Troubles caused by death C. Pains D. Diseases
66	Food storage can mean _____	A. Serious hunger B. slow death C. Starvation
67	The ports could not _____ all the ships bringing the cargoes.	A. cope with B. manage with C. help D. serve
68	The number of people in the world is _____ increasing	A. Dangerously B. Shockingly C. Rapidly D. Horribly

69	The _____ in the death rate was followed by the reduction in the birth rate.	B. Loss C. Fall D. Downfall
70	The sufferer becomes _____ and feels very ill	A. weak B. depressed C. unable to move D. unable to eat
71	Friendless and penniless, he _____ southward.	A. Set out B. Journeyed C. Moved D. went
72	In North Africa Abd-al-Rehman _____ escaped assassination	A. With difficulty B. Barely C. Luckily D. easily
73	He was always _____ by the spies of o the new dynasty	A. Watched B. Observed C. Noted D. Pursued
74	In the process of _____ his adversaries Abd-al-Rahman developed a well-disciplined army.	A. Defeating B. Facing C. Subding D. Fighting
75	With his _____ consolidated he turned to the arts of peace.	A. Realm B. Government C. Control D. Rule
76	Abd-al-Rehman _____ the intellectual movement.	A. Set up B. Established C. Led D. Initiateed
77	_____ in the Muslim world was always unstable.	A. Sovereignty B. Government C. Rule D. Control
78	Sovereignty in the Muslim world was always _____	A. Inconstant B. Unstable C. Uncertain D. Temporary
79	The third Abd-al-Rehman was like his _____ predecessor .	A. Successful B. Illustrious C. Respected D. Able
80	Al-Hakam's agents ransacked bookshops with a view to buying or copying _____	A. Old books B. Other's writings C. Manuscripts D. Others' ideas
81	To his villa Abd-al-Rehman I brought water and introduced _____ plants.	A. Exotic B. Very expensive C. Beautiful D. Extremely lovely
82	The International _____ vocabulary contains not a few words from Arabic.	A. Nautical B. Of the sky C. Of lakes D. Of rivers
83	Abd-al-Rehman I was a _____ young man.	A. Smart B. Active C. Striking D. Tall
84	In the process of sending his _____ Abd-al-Rehman developed an army.	A. Competitors B. rivals C. Adversaries D. Enemies
85	Abd-al-Rehman I kept in check _____	A. treason B. Inside enemies C. Corruption D. Cheating
86	Abd-al-Rehman ill was like his illustrious	A. Predecessor B. Father C. Grandfather D. Leader

87	The fame of the Muslim capital ___ distant Germany.	A. Travelled B. Penetrated to C. Extended D. Moved
88	Al-Hakam, Abd-al-Rehman ill's ____ patronized learning.	A. One replacing him B. Successor C. One working for him D. One challenging him
89	The University of Cordova rose to a place of _____ in the world.	A. Fame B. Respect C. Pre-eminence D. High use
90	Al-Hakam's agents _____ bookshops to buy or copy manuscripts.	A. Inspected B. Examined C. Ransacked D. Went into
91	I had scarcely passed my twelfth birthday when I entered the ___ regions of examinations.	A. inhospitable B. poisonous C. horrible D. useless
92	this was___ because I was found unable to answer a single question in the Latin paper.	A. Unpleasant B. Harmful C. Unacceptable D. Remarkable
93	it goes to his _____ that he looked beneath the surface of things.	A. Success B. goodness C. credit D. nobility
94	___ his decision, I was placed in the third division	A. Finally B. In consequence of C. At last D. For this reason
95	Writing English was the most _____ thing a Harrow at that time.	A. Rejected B. Refused C. Belittled D. Disregarded
96	We learnt English _____	A. parsing B. Rejected C. Refused D. Belittled
97	We learnt English	A. Dividing sentences into subjects and predicates. B. Explaining kinds of parts of speech C. analysiss D. Telling about different kinds of sentences
98	We were considered ____	A. unintelligent students B. Dunces C. Weak students D. Hopeless students
99	I am _____ in favour of boys learning English	A. Biased B. Badly C. Strangely D. Not Always
100	These examinations were a great _____ to me.	A. Challenge B. Effort C. Trial D. Problem
101	I did this after much _____	A. effort B. Struggle C. Reconsideration D. Reflection
102	He was _____ looking beneath the surface of thing.	A. having the knowledge of B. capable of C. Having the practice D. having the experience of
103	He broke up the sentence into its _____	A. Sections B. Elements C. Bigger parts D. Components

104	One more language can be learnt as _____	A. A treat B. An entertainment C. Game D. A help
105	It was an _____ activity.	A. Complex B. Arduous C. Tiresome D. Painful
106	You forgot all about those hunger <u>pangs</u> .	A. Shocks B. Wounds C. Injuries D. Pains
107	<u>Famine</u> has been a problem since the very beginning of time.	A. Shortages of water B. Great food shortages C. Absence of general facilities D. Periods of hunger
108	Widespread <u>disaster</u> was averted (prevented)	A. Great destruction or ruin of tragedy B. Great damage C. Great trouble D. Big loss
109	Food shortage was <u>averted</u> by the shortage of food.	A. Postponed B. Checked C. Prevented D. Restricted
110	Nine-and-a-half million people <u>perished</u> in a single famine which then swept North china.	A. Disappeared B. Went missing C. Died D. Became ill
111	According to the <u>census</u> , our population has more than doubled.	A. Population situation B. Population increase C. Population count D. Population record
112	We have the power to <u>abolish</u> war if we have the will.	A. Join B. Suspend C. Check D. End
113	Hunger also means a situation one is wondering where the next meal is coming from	A. Imagining B. Doubting C. Worrying D. Thinking
114	The early hunter suffered <u>grave</u> food shortages during the winter months.	A. Dangerous B. Serious C. Rising D. Harmful
115	During one Pharaoh's <u>reign</u> the Nile had not been in food for several years.	A. Control B. Rule C. Government D. Administration
116	During a famine corn is <u>scarce</u> and food is lacking.	A. Not enough B. Not available C. Not produced D. Not in shops
117	During a famine corn is scarce and food is <u>lacking</u> .	A. Absent B. Short C. Much less than needed D. Missing
118	The food <u>bins</u> are broken open and empty.	A. Containers B. Boxes C. Stores D. Cases
119	<u>Plentiful</u> harvesters saved Egypt from famine.	A. Very many B. Quite full C. Great D. Heavy
120	We can get some idea of the world-famines form our <u>folklore</u> .	A. Literature B. Traditional stories C. Old books D. Old stories
121	The stories of Robin Hood often <u>involve</u> food shortages.	A. Are related to B. Are about C. Lead us to

		<p>C. Show us</p> <p>D. Show us</p>
122	Robbin Hood robbed the rich to <u>feed</u> the poor.	<p>A. Give help to</p> <p>B. Give food to</p> <p>C. Entertain</p> <p>D. Satisfy</p>
123	Robbin Hood was often engaged in <u>poaching</u> for the poor in the royal forests.	<p>A. Hunting</p> <p>B. Hunting illegally</p> <p>C. Robbing</p> <p>D. Working</p>
124	The ports could not cope with all the ships bringing the <u>cargoes</u> .	<p>A. Trade items</p> <p>B. Goods</p> <p>C. Loads</p> <p>D. Weights</p>
125	The food could not be distributed to the <u>isolated</u> areas.	<p>A. Cut-off</p> <p>B. Distant</p> <p>C. Farthest</p> <p>D. lonely</p>
126	The number of the of the people are increasing like a <u>gigantic</u> snowball.	<p>A. Dangerous</p> <p>B. Like a giant</p> <p>C. Very big</p> <p>D. Very heavy</p>
127	The world population has <u>gradually</u> increased.	<p>A. At intervals</p> <p>B. Slowly</p> <p>C. In stages</p> <p>D. From time to time</p>
128	A <u>tremendous</u> population explosion is taking place.	<p>A. Too dangrous</p> <p>B. Great</p> <p>C. Sudden</p> <p>D. Shocking</p>
129	A tremendous <u>population explosion</u> is taking place.	<p>A. Rapid population increase</p> <p>B. Population rise</p> <p>C. Expansion of population</p> <p>D. Population overflow</p>
130	Death rate has been reduced by <u>epidemic</u> control.	<p>A. Widespread disease</p> <p>B. National disease</p> <p>C. Local disease</p> <p>D. Common disease</p>
131	The disease of yaws starts as little hard pimples which develop into <u>blotches</u> .	<p>A. Discolored patches</p> <p>B. Pimples</p> <p>C. Red spots</p> <p>D. Yellow spots</p>
132	In yaws muscles are destroyed and bones are <u>deformed</u> .	<p>A. Made ugly</p> <p>B. Spoilt</p> <p>C. Misshaped</p> <p>D. Twisted</p>
133	The sufferer of yaws becomes <u>depressed</u> and fills ill.	<p>A. Overjoyed</p> <p>B. Glad</p> <p>C. Unhappy</p> <p>D. Gloomy</p>
134	Many countries have carried out <u>massive</u> programmes against yaws.	<p>A. Extensive</p> <p>B. Great</p> <p>C. Heavy</p> <p>D. Large</p>
135	The study of the population growth indicates the greatest <u>paradox</u> of our times.	<p>A. Puzzle</p> <p>B. Confusion</p> <p>C. Problem</p> <p>D. Pain</p>
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