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Advertisement No. CUPB/25-26/008 dated 10.11.2025 was issued for recruitment to various non-teaching posts. Written Test for the post of **Lower Division Clerk** advertised vide above advertisement was held on 10.06.2026.

Paper-1 of the said written examination and its answer key are enclosed herewith for perusal of all candidates. If any candidate notices any discrepancy in any question, answer option, or answer given in the answer key of Paper-1, he/she may submit his/her objection online by emailing **recruitment@cup.edu.in** along with relevant record/information/referred documents. Any objection received by post or through any other means will not be entertained.

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Central University of Punjab
Recruitment Test

PAPER-I

Candidate Name:

Roll No. Post Applied For: **Lower Division Clerk**

Signature of the Candidate:

Time Allowed: 2 Hrs.

Maximum Marks: 100

NOTE: There will be no negative marking

1. The average of first five multiples of 9 is :
a) 25
b) 27
c) 30
d) 36
2. Find the simple interest of Rs. 5200 for 2 years at 6% per annum.
a) 620
b) 624
c) 628
d) 720
3. Three numbers in the ratio 1:2:3 and HCF is 12. The numbers are:
a) 11, 22, 33
b) 12, 24, 36
c) 12, 24, 32
d) 5, 10, 15
4. 1.14 expressed as a percent of 1.9 is
a) 15%
b) 30%
c) 60%
d) 75%
5. How many terms are there in 20, 25, 30,...,140?
a) 22
b) 23
c) 24
d) 25
6. If $a : b : c = 3 : 4 : 7$ then the ratio of $(a+b+c) : c$ is equal to
a) 1:2
b) 2:1
c) 7:2
d) 14:3
7. If a man sold his chair for Rs. 720, he would lose 25%. To gain 25% he should sell it for:
a) Rs. 900
b) Rs. 1000
c) Rs. 1200
d) Rs. 1500
8. A man covers half of his journey at 6 km/h & the remaining half at 3 km/h. His average speed is
a) 3 km/h
b) 4 km/h
c) 4.5 km/h
d) 5 km/h
9. If 10 men or 20 boys can make 260 mats in 20 days, then how many mats will be made by 8 men and 4 boys in 20 days?
a) 240
b) 260
c) 280
d) 300
10. In how many ways 2 students can be chosen from the class of 20 students?
a) 180
b) 190
c) 240
d) 280
11. In Zoo, there are deer and ducks. If the heads are counted, there are 180, while the legs are 448. Number of deer in the zoo is?
a) 22
b) 44
c) 68
d) 136
12. P and Q invested in a business. The profit earned was divided in the ratio 2:3. If P invested Rs. 40000, the amount invested by Q is
a) Rs. 50000
b) Rs. 60000
c) Rs. 75000
d) Rs. 80000
13. A Train running at the speed of 60 km/hr crosses a pole in 9 seconds. What is the length of the train?
a) 120 metres
b) 150 metres
c) 180 metres
d) 220 metres
14. The angle of elevation of a ladder leaning against a wall is 60° and the foot of the ladder is 4.6 m away from the wall. The length of the ladder is:
a) 4.6 m
b) 5.4 m
c) 7.8 m
d) 9.2 m
15. Ramesh is younger than Rahul by 7 years. If their ages are in the respective ratio of 7:9, how old is Ramesh?
a) 18 years
b) 20 years
c) 24.5 years
d) 26.5 years
16. Book : Cover :: Painting : ?
a) Wall
b) Example
c) Picture
d) Frame
17. $6 : 36 :: 9 : ?$
a) 56
b) 81
c) 42
d) 24
18. Choose the word which is different.
a) Chicken
b) Crocodile
c) Snake
d) Frog
19. Choose the word which is different.
a) Kanpur
b) Allahabad
c) Mathura
d) Varanasi
20. Find the odd Letters/words from the following:
a) ABDF
b) PQXZ
c) CQBN
d) PRMN
21. Which word does not belong to the others?
a) Tape
b) Cord
c) Twine
d) Yarn
22. What will come at the place of Question mark?
6, 11, 21, 36, 56, ?
a) 71
b) 81
c) 61
d) 71

23. **Series Completion-**
589654237, 89654237, 8965423, 965423, ?
a) 96542
b) 58965
c) 65423
d) 89654
24. **Series Completion-**
6, 13, 25, 51, 101, ?
a) 205
b) 203
c) 202
d) 201
25. **Fill blank Space-**
FAG, GAF, HAI, IAH, ____
a) HAL
b) JAK
c) HAK
d) JAI
26. **Fill blank Space-**
QPO, NML, KJI, ____, EDC
a) CAB
b) JKL
c) GHI
d) HGF
27. A man walks 1 km to East and then he turns to South and walks 5 km. Again he turns to East and walks 2 km. After this he turns to North and walks 9 km. Now, how far is he from his starting point?
a) 7 km
b) 5 km
c) 4 km
d) 3 km
28. Old man's son is my son's uncle, then what relation has the old man with me?
a) Father
b) Brother
c) Uncle
d) Grandfather
29. In a row of trees, a tree is 7th from left end and 14th from right end. How many trees are there in the row?
a) 20
b) 21
c) 22
d) 23
30. If A is the brother of B; B is the sister of C; and C is the father of D, how D is related to A?
a) Brother
b) Nephew
c) Sister
d) Cannot be determined
31. *Prithviraj Raso* of Chand Bardai was originally written in which of these languages?
a) Awadhi
b) Hindi
c) Mewari
d) Braj Bhasha
32. Where was India's first civilization settled?
a) Indus Valley
b) Kashmir
c) Deccan
d) Ganges Plain
33. The actual revolt of 1857 started from which of the following places?
a) Lucknow
b) Kanpur
c) Bihar
d) Meerut
34. Depending on the area in the South Asian region, the Kharif crops are cultivated and harvested during which months?
a) April and October
b) November and February
c) October and December
d) January and April
35. Through which states does the river Chambal flows?
a) Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan
b) Gujrat, Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar
c) Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Bihar
d) Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat, Uttar Pradesh
36. The Ministry of Women and Child Development has introduced Palna Scheme under which mission?
a) Ujjawala mission
b) Asmita initiative
c) Udaan Scheme
d) Mission Shakti
37. PM-WANI Scheme is associated with which sector?
a) Renewable energy
b) Internet services
c) Textiles
d) Agriculture
38. As per the recent World Economic Outlook by the IMF, India has surpassed which country to become 4th largest economy globally?
a) Italy
b) France
c) Japan
d) Brazil
39. Bima Sakhi Yojana is an initiative of which institution?
a) NITI Aayog
b) Reserve Bank of India (RBI)
c) Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
d) Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC)
40. Shahed drones are developed by which country?
a) India
b) Ukraine
c) Iran
d) Israel
41. Tawi River, that was recently seen in news, is a major tributary of which river?
a) Chenab
b) Ganga
c) Godavari
d) Yamuna
42. Pulitzer Prize is associated with which field?
a) Agriculture
b) Entertainment
c) Journalism
d) Sports

43. World Thalassaemia Day is observed every year on which day?
 - a) May 6
 - b) May 7
 - c) May 8
 - d) May 9
44. Mount Etna is located in which country?
 - a) Ethiopia
 - b) Japan
 - c) Italy
 - d) Indonesia
45. Where was the "Rising North East Investors Summit 2025" inaugurated?
 - a) Agartala
 - b) Bhopal
 - c) Gangtok
 - d) New Delhi
46. Which Indian athlete won gold medal in the women's 10-kilometre race at the Austrian Racewalking Championships 2025?
 - a) Bhawna Jat
 - b) Shanti Kumari
 - c) Priyanka Goswami
 - d) Sonal Sukhwai
47. What is the name of the operation launched by Iran in retaliation against Israel's Operation Rising Lion?
 - a) Operation Iron Dome
 - b) Operation True Promise 3
 - c) Operation Silent Thunder
 - d) Operation Desert Storm
48. Which country has become the first in the world to implement a generational ban on tobacco use?
 - a) Australia
 - b) Indonesia
 - c) Maldives
 - d) Malaysia
49. The Archaeological Survey of India recently discovered a Neolithic rock groove in which district of Tamil Nadu?
 - a) Coimbatore
 - b) Kanniyakumari
 - c) Krishnagiri
 - d) Madurai
50. Where was India's first off-grid 5 megawatt (MW) green hydrogen pilot plant commissioned?
 - a) Gujarat
 - b) Madhya Pradesh
 - c) Odisha
 - d) Uttar Pradesh
51. Where was India's first overseas Atal Innovation Centre inaugurated?
 - a) Abu Dhabi, UAE
 - b) Kathmandu, Nepal
 - c) Muscat, Oman
 - d) Dubai, UAE
52. Which day is observed as Goods and Services Tax (GST) Day every year?
 - a) 4 July
 - b) 1 July
 - c) 2 July
 - d) 3 July
53. Which state received the highest Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in FY 2025-26?
 - a) Odisha
 - b) Maharashtra
 - c) Tamil Nadu
 - d) Kerala
54. The National Forensic Infrastructure Enhancement Scheme is an initiative of which Ministry?
 - a) Ministry of Home Affairs
 - b) Ministry of Science & Technology
 - c) Ministry of Education
 - d) Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
55. C. D. Gopinath, who recently passed away, was associated with which sports?
 - a) Cricket
 - b) Football
 - c) Wrestling
 - d) Boxing
56. World Parkinson's Day is observed on?
 - a) April 11
 - b) April 13
 - c) April 12
 - d) April 10
57. Which company became the first Fast-Moving Consumer Goods (FMCG) company in India to cross ₹1 lakh crore turnover in FY 2025-26?
 - a) Amul
 - b) Nestlé India
 - c) Britannia
 - d) Hindustan Unilever (HUL)
58. Online Gaming Authority of India (OGAI) functions under which Ministry?
 - a) Ministry of Finance
 - b) Ministry of Home Affairs
 - c) Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
 - d) Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports
59. Kharg Island, that was recently seen in news, is a small coral island located in which country?
 - a) Russia
 - b) China
 - c) Iran
 - d) Israel
60. The book "Janjati Gaurav" has been published by which institute?
 - a) Sahitya Akademi
 - b) Indian Council of Historical Research
 - c) Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts
 - d) National Archives of India
61. In January 2026, which state's police force received the President's Police Colour Award (Nishaan)?
 - a) Jharkhand
 - b) Manipur
 - c) Sikkim
 - d) Rajasthan
62. Which state is the host of 11th Ajanta-Ellora International Film Festival (AIFF)?
 - a) Kerala
 - b) Karnataka
 - c) Odisha
 - d) Maharashtra

63. Who was the Chief Guests at India's 77th Republic Day celebrations?
- Antonio Luís Santos da Costa and Ursula von der Leyen
 - Charles Michel and Roberta Metsola
 - Emmanuel Macron and Olaf Scholz
 - Ursula von der Leyen and Josep Borrell
64. Where was Palaash flower Festival 2026 held?
- Chandigarh
 - New Delhi
 - Shimla
 - Dehradun
65. Chhari-Dhand Wetland, which was recently added to the Ramsar network, is located in which state?
- Gujarat
 - Odisha
 - Uttar Pradesh
 - West Bengal
66. Purple Fest is organised by which Ministry?
- Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
 - Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
 - Ministry of Culture
 - Ministry of Women and Child Development
67. Who has been re-elected to the United Nations Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (2027-2030)?
- Vartika Sinha
 - Preeti Saran
 - Shivani Rawat
 - Asmita Pal
68. PM Vishwakarma Scheme was launched by which Ministry?
- Ministry of Rural Development
 - Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
 - Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
 - Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
69. 'Maitree' is a Joint Military Exercise between India and:
- Bangladesh
 - Thailand
 - Malaysia
 - Sri Lanka
70. निश्चल का सही संधि विच्छेद है
- निश + चल
 - निः + चल
 - नीः + चल
 - निस + चल
71. प्रख्यात में प्रयुक्त उपसर्ग है
- प्र
 - त
 - प्रख
 - आत
72. अनिल का पर्यायवाची शब्द है
- चक्रवात
 - पवन
 - अनल
 - पावस
73. अल्पसंख्यक का विलोम शब्द है
- बाहुल्य
 - बहुसंख्यक
 - अतिसंख्यक
 - महासंख्यक
74. समय की दृष्टि से अनुकूल - अनेक शब्दों के लिए एक शब्द
- प्रतिकूल
 - अनुकूल
 - समयानुकूल
 - समानुकूल
75. वाक्य के अशुद्ध भाग का चयन कीजिए: भिखारी की दशा से मुझे दया आ गई।
- भिखारी की
 - दशा से
 - मुझे दया आ गई।
 - कोई त्रुटि नहीं
76. टांग अड़ाना का अर्थ है -
- अवरोध पैदा करना
 - गलत काम करना
 - बिना कारण लड़ना
 - बदनाम करना
77. चन्दन विष व्यापत नहीं, लिपटे रहत भुजंग - प्रस्तुत पंक्ति के रचयिता हैं -
- बिहारी
 - कबीर
 - रहीम
 - सूरदास
78. शुद्ध वर्तनी का चयन कीजिए
- तहशीलदारी
 - तहिशीलदारी
 - तहसीलदारी
 - तहीसलदारी
79. गागर में सागर भरना का अर्थ है -
- सरस दोहों की रचना करना
 - मूर्खतापूर्ण काम करना
 - असंभव काम करना
 - थोड़े शब्दों में अधिक कहना
80. When he....
P : did not know
Q : he was nervous and
R : heard the hue and cry at midnight
S : what to do
The Proper sequence should be:
- RQPS
 - QSPR
 - PQRS
 - SQPR
81. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expressed the same sentence in Passive / Active Voice
"One should not give unsolicited advice".
- Unsolicited advice is not to be given.
 - Unsolicited advice can't be given.
 - Unsolicited advice should not be given.
 - Unsolicited advice may not be given.

82. One-word Substitution questions-
 "One who talks of his own achievements"
 a) Egotist
 b) Echoist
 c) Proud
 d) Altruistic
83. Direct and Indirect Speech-
 He said, "She is taking medication weekly."
 a) He said that, weekly medication was being taken by her.
 b) He said that she was taking medication weekly.
 c) She is taking weekly medication, he said.
 d) That she is taking weekly medication was said by him.
84. Identify which of the following conjunctions can join both sentences such that the meaning of the two statements would not change.
 MLA is a representative "electing by the" voters of a constituency to the legislature.
 a) elected by a
 b) elects by a
 c) elected by the
 d) None of the above
85. Sentence Rearrangement-
 1. Einstein said
 P. although more than 900 books had been written
 Q. his theory of relativity
 R. who understood
 S. that there were only twelve people
 6. attempting to explain it.
 a) RQPS
 b) SRQP
 c) SQPR
 d) RPQS
86. Sentence Rearrangement –
 Crushing over each other (A)/ to the airport (B)/ yesterday, we went (C)/ and saw many people (D)
 a) CABD
 b) CBDA
 c) BCDA
 d) CBAD
87. After a long discussion, I prevailed _____ him to accept the proposal.
 a) to
 b) against
 c) above
 d) upon
88. He has applied _____ the bank _____ a loan.
 a) on / for
 b) for / for
 c) to / on
 d) at / for
89. The doctor gave me a prescription _____ my cough.
 a) to
 b) for
 c) at
 d) with
90. The data size of a word is _____
 a) 16-byte
 b) 4-byte
 c) 8-byte
 d) 2-byte
91. RMI stands for?
 a) Remote Mail Invocation
 b) Remote Method Invocation
 c) Remaining Method Invocation
 d) Remote Message Invocation
92. A document that specifies how many times and with what data the program must be run in order to thoroughly test it.
 a) addressing plan
 b) verification plan
 c) validation plan
 d) test plan
93. The language made up of binary coded instructions is....
 a) C
 b) Machine
 c) BASIC
 d) High level
94. _____ is the ability to access, analyze, evaluate and produce media.
 a) Media
 b) Media Literacy
 c) Internet
 d) Literacy
95. When an algorithm is written in the form of a programming language, it becomes a _____
 a) Program
 b) Pseudo code
 c) Flowchart
 d) Syntax
96. Which of the following is the first neural network computer?
 a) SNARC
 b) AN
 c) AM
 d) RFD
97. The value of base in a decimal number system is _____.
 a) 10
 b) 8
 c) 16
 d) 2
98. To speed up the processor operations, the processor includes some internal memory storage locations, called _____.
 a) Registers
 b) Drives
 c) Memory
 d) Units
99. Malware designed to self-replicate:
 a) Trojan
 b) Worm
 c) Spyware
 d) Adware
100. What does ASCII stand for?
 a) American Standard Code for Interchanging Information
 b) American Scientific Code for Information Interchange
 c) American Standard Code for Information Interchange
 d) American Scientific Code for Interchanging Information

MASTER KEY - LDC

Q.	Ans.	Q.	Ans.	Q.	Ans.	Q.	Ans.
1	B	26	D	51	A	76	A
2	B	27	B	52	B	77	C
3	B	28	A	53	B	78	C
4	C	29	A	54	A	79	D
5	D	30	D	55	A	80	A
6	B	31	D	56	A	81	C
7	C	32	A	57	A	82	A
8	B	33	D	58	C	83	B
9	B	34	A	59	C	84	C
10	B	35	A	60	C	85	B
11	B	36	D	61	C	86	B
12	B	37	B	62	D	87	D
13	B	38	C	63	A	88	D
14	D	39	D	64	B	89	B
15	C	40	C	65	A	90	D
16	D	41	A	66	A	91	B
17	B	42	C	67	B	92	D
18	A	43	C	68	C	93	B
19	C	44	C	69	B	94	B
20	A	45	D	70	B	95	A
21	A	46	C	71	A	96	A
22	B	47	B	72	B	97	A
23	A	48	C	73	B	98	A
24	B	49	B	74	C	99	B
25	B	50	A	75	B	100	C