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1. **Who among the following was influenced by the Italian poet, Petrarch?**  
a) Chaucer                      b) T.S. Eliot                      c) Thomas Wyatt                      d) John Dryden
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2. **Identify a play by Marlowe from the given list**  
a) The Jew of Malta                      b) Murder in the Cathedral  
c) Henry V                      d) The White Devil
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3. **John Donne belongs to.....**  
a) Romanticism                      b) Oxford Movement  
c) Metaphysical poetry                      c) Movement poetry
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4. **Which is considered as the first verse drama to employ blank verse in English literature?**  
a) A Comedy of Errors                      b) Gorboduc  
c) Tristram Shandy                      d) The Spanish Tragedy
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5. **In which language did Thomas More write *Utopia*?**  
a) English                      b) French                      c) Latin                      d) Italian
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6. **Which of the following was not one of the four bodily humours?**  
a) cholesterol                      b) black bile                      c) phlegm                      d) blood
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7. **Which of the following was a factor in the economic growth of Great Britain during the eighteenth century?**  
a) exploitation of colonial resources and labour  
b) business relations with China  
c) creation of the bourgeois novel as a commodity  
d) Enlightenment
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16. **Objective Correlative is a term associated with.....**

- a) T. S. Eliot                      b) W.B. Yeats                      c) Matthew Arnold                      d) Samuel Johnson
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17. **Jacques Derrida is a name associated with.....**

- a) Reader Response Criticism                      b) Postcolonialism  
c) Deconstruction                      d) Cyborg studies
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18. **Which of the following books is associated with Postcolonial theory?**

- a) Of Grammatology                      b) Orientalism  
c) Anatomy of Criticism                      d) East and West
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19. **Name the author of *Canturbury Tales***

- a) Henry Fielding                      b) Richardson  
c) William Shakespeare                      d) Chaucer
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20. **Who among the following is not a feminist thinker?**

- a) Simone de Beauvoir                      b) Susie Tharu  
c) Virginia Woolf                      d) Hannah More
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21. **Who among the following is one of 'the Trinity of Indian English Fiction'?**

- a) Tagore                      b) Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay  
c) Toru Dutt                      d) Raja Rao
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22. **Which Indian novel in English is set in a place in Kottayam?**

- a) Such a Long Journey                      b) The Glass Palace  
c) God of Small Things                      d) A Fight of Pigeons
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23. ***The Guide* is a novel by \_\_\_\_\_**

- a) Nissim Ezekiel                      b) R. K. Narayan                      c) Raja Rao                      d) Rohinton Mistry



24. Which of the following novels Salman Rushdie did not write?  
a) Fury  
b) The Midnight's Children  
c) The Moor's Last Sigh  
d) The Sorrows of Satan
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25. Who wrote the preface to Tagore's *Gitanjali* in English?  
a) W.B. Yeats    b) Mahatma Gandhi    c) author himself    d) Jawarlal Nehru
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26. How many plays are generally attributed to Shakespeare?  
a) 27    b) 35    c) 37    d) 31
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27. Transcribe the word, 'flood' in RP.  
a) /flʌd/    b) /fled/    c) /fləd/    d) /phled/
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28. Which of the following words has the sound /ɑ:/?  
a) park    b) bat    c) hat    d) bag
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29. What is the word used to refer to the animals of a particular region?  
a) flora    b) zoo    c) fauna    d) museum
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30. Find out the word that is correctly spelt  
a) parapharnelia    b) parsimonious    c) peadiatrics    d) revarberation
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31. None of my friends ——— there (use proper form of 'be')  
a) was    b) were    c) are    d) wasn't
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32. The International Club, as well as the Choral Society and the Rowing Club,  
——to submit a new constitution  
a) need    b) needs    c) will    d) got

33. They had to put \_\_\_\_\_ the meeting when the director did not turn up  
a) of                      b) out                      c) off                      d) up
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34. I am not surprised that he has joined the Parliament as he has always been  
\_\_\_\_\_ on politics  
a) Interested              b) involved              c) part                      d) keen
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35. How many lines does a sonnet have?  
a) 12                      b) 14                      c) 16                      d) 32
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36. Who was the first Indian to be awarded the Man Booker Prize?  
a) Arundhati Roy      b) Salman Rushdie      c) Aravind Adiga      d) Kiran Desai
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37. Who is the author of "The Death of the Author"?  
a) John Barth              b) Michael Foucault      c) Roland Barthes      d) Derrida
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38. The term 'epiphany' refers to \_\_\_\_\_  
a) a sudden revelation                      b) moment of danger  
c) conclusion                      d) great joy
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39. "On His Blindness" is a poem by \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Edward Albee      b) Borges                      c) Philip Sidney      d) John Milton
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40. Jacques Lacan is associated with \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Postcolonialism      b) Feminism                      c) Psychoanalysis      d) Formalism