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Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

SEC1 : Public Speaking Skills and Political Oration

Time : 1 Hour

Maximum Marks : 30

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. The Question Paper will be given in the form of a Question Booklet. There will be four/two/one versions of Question Booklets with Question Booklet Code viz. **A, B, C & D / A & B / A**.
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4. A blank sheet of paper is attached to the Question Booklet. This may be used for Rough Work.
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1. Which of these should be avoided for an effective speech ?
(A) Planning of speech (B) Preparation of speech
(C) Long sentences (D) Organisation

2. Which political party believes in Marxism-Leninism ?
(A) Communist Party of India
(B) Nationalist Congress Party
(C) Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam (DMK)
(D) Bahujan Samaj Party

3. Public speaking is addressing a gathering.
(A) True (B) False

4. What are the components of a political party ?
(A) Leaders (B) Active members
(C) Followers (D) All

5. In a democracy _____.
(A) Parties are unanimously chosen
(B) Parties contest elections
(C) Parties are self chosen
(D) Parties are aristocratic

6. Which of these is not an element of the speaking technique ?
(A) Voice Quality (B) Word Stress
(C) Appearance (D) Correct Tones



7. Which country has an example of a Multi-Party System ?
(A) India (B) United Kingdom
(C) USA (D) China
8. What does the term 'Partisan' mean ?
(A) The affair of the state or the science of the governance
(B) A group of people who come together to promote common beliefs
(C) A person who is strongly committed to the party
(D) The ruling party which runs the government
9. Which of these should be avoided during the delivery of a speech ?
(A) Confidence (B) Clarity
(C) Pauses (D) Rudeness
10. What is the maximum time for a short speech ?
(A) Ten minutes (B) Thirty minutes
(C) Forty-five minutes (D) One hour
11. What is a political party ?
(A) Self made groups who automatically hold power
(B) A group of people who come together to contest elections and hold power in the government
(C) Non government groups to do social work
(D) Government organisations for social work
12. Which of these does not come under short speech ?
(A) Introducing dignitaries (B) Presenting reports
(C) Giving a briefing (D) Presenting an award



13. Which of these should be avoided for an effective speech ?
- (A) Planning of speech (B) Preparation of speech
(C) Long sentences (D) Organisation
14. Can parties play a role in making laws for the country ?
- (A) Yes (B) No
(C) May be (D) In some conditions
15. Public speaking is only verbal activity.
- (A) True (B) False
16. Who is the founder of the Bahujan Samaj Party ?
- (A) Sahu Maharaj (B) Jyotiba Phule
(C) B.R. Ambedkar (D) Kanshi Ram
17. How many parties are required in any democratic system to compete in elections in order to come to power ?
- (A) At least two parties (B) At least four parties
(C) More than two parties (D) At least three parties
18. Which of these factors is not required to determine the purpose of speech ?
- (A) Providing information (B) Discouragement
(C) Accepting ideas (D) Entertainment
19. Those parties that lose in the elections _____.
- (A) Can still run the government
(B) Play the role of opposition
(C) Can make policies and programmes
(D) Cannot criticise the government



20. Which of these is not a type of means of speech delivery ?
- (A) Reading (B) Memorization
(C) Scolding (D) Impromptu
21. Which of these ingredients is not required for selection of theme ?
- (A) Planning (B) Disorganisation
(C) Preparation (D) Organisation
22. Which of these should be avoided for an effective speech ?
- (A) Determination of the purpose
(B) Selection of message
(C) Lack of interest
(D) Selection of theme
23. Which party is the oldest political party in India ?
- (A) Indian National Congress (INC)
(B) Bahujan Samaj Party
(C) Bhartiya Janta Party
(D) Communist Party
24. Which one problem is mostly faced during speaking ?
- (A) Lack of confidence (B) Shyness
(C) Time pressure (D) Fear of being laughed at
25. Pick the country where the two-party system exists.
- (A) United Kingdom (B) China
(C) India (D) Pakistan



- 26.** Parties are about a part of the society and thus involve _____.
- (A) Partnership (B) Participation
(C) Partisanship (D) Political partnership
- 27.** Which of these is not a type of public speech ?
- (A) Short speech (B) Informal speech
(C) Written speech (D) Professional speech
- 28.** Which is a recognized political party ?
- (A) A party that is present in only one of the federal units
(B) A party that is based on regional and communal diversities
(C) A party that is recognized by the 'Election Commission' with all the privileges and facilities
(D) A party that is present in several and all units of the federation
- 29.** Parties function through _____.
- (A) Demands of the people (B) The way they want to
(C) Policies and programmes (D) None of the above
- 30.** Which of these should be avoided for an effective speech ?
- (A) Determination of the purpose
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