



ORTHODOX SYRIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION OF THE EAST

CLASS 7 (COMPETITIVE EXAM 2025)

1) Judge to whom the angel of God appeared directly

- A) Gideon
- B) Deborah
- C) Jephthah
- D) Samson

2) Choose the statement that is not related to Samuel from the given ones

- A) The one who crowned all the kings of Israel
- B) The pinnacle of moral principles
- C) God heard
- D) The first priest who was not from the Aaronic priesthood

3) Choose the event that did not occur during the time of the prophet Samuel

- A) The people began to worship other gods
- B) Defeated in battle with the Philistines
- C) The Philistines captured the Ark of the Covenant
- D) Saul was anointed as king

4) Choose the pair that does not match from the given ones

- A) Gregorios - A brave believer
- B) Deborah - A bee
- C) Ebenezer - So much did Jehovah help
- D) Solomon - A man of peace

5) Who told to whom that obedience is better than sacrifice, and heeding than the fat of rams?

- A) Samuel to Saul
- B) Eli the priest to Samuel
- C) Jephthah to his daughter
- D) David to Solomon

6) Choose the incorrect statement regarding the lives of kings from the given ones

- A) Solomon made Jerusalem the capital of the kingdom
- B) Saul was removed from the kingship due to a mistake in offering sacrifices
- C) Psalm 51 of David is repentance for a mistake in his own life
- D) David's victory in battle caused Saul to be angry

7) Choose the one that is not among David's virtues

- A) The angel of God conveyed the power of Jehovah's presence
- B) He turned away the evil spirit that was coming upon Saul through the playing of the harp
- C) Brought the ark of God to Jerusalem
- D) Jesus was called the son of David

8) King Solomon grew up in his childhood under the tutelage of the prophet

- A) Nathan
- B) Samuel
- C) Isaiah
- D) None of the following

9) Which of the following books does not highlight Solomon's life values and relationship with God?

A) Chronicles

- B) Proverbs
- C) Book of Wisdom
- D) Song of Solomon

10) Select the group that highlights only the shortcomings of King Solomon's reign:

- (i) Lack of concern for the land of Judah
- (ii) Focus on expanding the borders of the kingdom
- (iii) Glory given to the temple
- (iv) Lack of concern for northern Israel
- (v) Failures in moral observance
- (vi) Special interest in Jerusalem

A) (iv), (v), (vi)

- B) (i), (ii), (iv)
- C) (ii), (iii), (v)
- D) (iii), (v) (vi)

11) Choose the correct reference

'Peace be with you, as the Father has sent me, so I send you'

A) St. John 20:21

- B) St. Luke 20:23
- C) St. Luke 22:24
- D) St. John 18:21

12) Choose the one that is not related to the first appearance of the risen Christ to the disciples

A) He broke bread and gave them

- B) Showed them his hands and his feet
- C) Saying, Peace be with you
- D) The Lord breathed on them

13) Choose the incorrect statement from the given ones

A) When the risen Christ appeared to the disciples, they were seen as very hopeful

- B) Christ was resurrected for the sake of the Church
- C) Christ invites us to experience the resurrection through the cross
- D) The hope of resurrection is available to us because of the resurrection of Jesus Christ

14) Fill in the blank

The true message of the resurrection is that he went from his Father to the earth and redeemed creation through the paths of

A) Birth and Death

- B) Life and Suffering
- C) Life and endurance
- D) Baptism and Crucifixion

15) The time when Jesus rebuked the disciples for their ignorance and hardness of heart

A) After the burial, the disciples were on their way to Emmaus

- B) After the resurrection, the disciples were trying to catch fish in the sea
- C) At the time of the transfiguration on Mount Tabor
- D) At the time of prayer in the Garden of Gethsemane

16) Which statement about Thomas is not true?

A) He denied the Lord

- B) He doubted before he believed
- C) He declared, "My Lord and my God"
- D) He believed by touching the Lord's side

17) When Jesus said to Peter, "Feed my lambs"

A) When he returned from fishing in the Sea of Tiberias

B) After denying him three times

C) Just before his death on the cross

D) None of the answers given are correct

18) Complete the verse

Not everyone who says to me, Lord, Lord, will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does will enter the kingdom of heaven

A) the will of my Father in heaven

B) Do good to others

C) Follow the laws

D) Follow me and do my will

19) Choose the wrong statement about actions of the resurrected Christ while he spent 40 days with his disciples?

A) Healed the sick

B) Removed the disciples' doubts

C) Promised the Holy Spirit

D) Strengthened the disciples in their missions

20) Grant thine angel's watchful view, (velivinde maalaakhaye enikku nee ...) . Why is it sung in the evening prayer?

A) To protect the organs of the body

B) To be protected from evil desires

C) To sleep peacefully

D) To avoid making mistakes while awake

21) Choose the correct line and complete the hymn in evening prayer: While my body silent lies, May Thy power reign o'er me T'ward Thy greatness in my sleep

A) Let my breath like incense rise,

B) Waking, I shall praise Thy Name

C) Let Thy peace at eve be near,

D) Thee whose honor shines as fire

22) Select the sentence after the given part of the Third hour Prayer
'Do not let your anger consume us after we have been created'

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A) Lord, teach us to observe your commandments

B) May we become pleasing to you through righteous deeds

C) Lord, have mercy on us

D) You created us from nothingness with your wish

23) From the given statements, select the idea that is not included in the prayer 'Our Father who art in heaven who calls you ...' in the third hour prayer.

A) The request that the right hand of the Lord uphold us

B) The idea that the relationship between God and man is a Father-Son relationship

C) We rely completely on God

D) God's wrath will be changed by God's mercy

24) What is meant by the expression 'who dwells in the secret place of the Most High' in the prayer?

A) Located in a secret place beyond human thought

B) Sitting in the highest heights, hidden by the clouds

C) Sitting in the manner of the high priest

D) None of the answers given are correct..

25) Choose the correct structure of the Kukilion from the given

- A) Psalm, Ekbo, Promion, Sedra, Kolo, Bovuso
- B) Psalm, Promion, Ekbo, Sedra, Kolo, Bovuso
- C) Psalm, Promion, Sedra, Ekbo, Kolo, Bovuso
- D) Psalm, Kolo, Ekbo, Promion, Sedra, Bovuso

26) Complete the hymn

Like a ship did Mary bear

.....

Him the captain and the Lord

God of all the world

- A) Loud and honour be
- B) Humble and respect be
- C) the world's great leader
- D) be always

27) How is the Mother of God addressed in the hymn, "Chosen Virgin best"?

- A) O Virgin Mother of God, who removed the curse of the Earth by receiving recognition to be the mother of God,
- B) O Virgin Mother of God who is accepted by all
- C) O Virgin Mother, who received the Lord in her womb and saved the world,
- D) None of the answers given are correct

28) Choose the pair that does not match the given ones

- A) Angel - Ruler of the world
- B) Slomo - Peace
- C) Barekmor - Praise the Lord
- D) Bovuso - Request

29) Choose the parable used in the hymn used in worship to describe the righteous who grow in God's grace

- A) Palm tree
- B) Those who warm their hair
- C) Fig tree
- D) Those who make their wings fly with the sword

30) Choose a hymn that requests the saints, the sons of the kingdom of heaven, to pray for the prosperity of the world

- A) O Ye Kingdom sons ... (Pavananibimare)
- B) Bliss to the prophets ... (Bhagyam Nibiyar)
- C) Behold the time of prayer ... (Prarthanayin Samaya ...)
- D) O St. Thomas as in heav'n ... (Orupolingum)

31) Choose the most suitable date among the given dates for singing the hymn O Marthoma named art thou ... ('Marthoma Sadguna Nidhiye ...') in Malankara Sabha

- A) December 21
- B) December 25
- C) December 6
- D) January 6

32) A song that tells about the churches founded by Thomas the Apostle

- A) Margamkali song
- B) Ramban song
- C) Veeratiyan song
- D) None of the answers are correct

33) The work that is the basis of the North Indian tradition of St. Thomas the Apostle

A) The works of Thomas the Apostle

B) Didache

C) Universal Church

D) The India of St. Thomas the Apostle

34) The place where St. Thomas the Apostle raised the dead

A) Paravoor

B) Palayaur

C) Niranam

D) Tiruvithamcode

35) The word that means 'prayer for atonement'

A) Husoyo

B) Promion

C) Sedara

D) Bovuso

36) In which language are the words 'Stoumanus Kalos - Kurielaizon'

A) Greek

B) Syriac

C) Latin

D) Hebrew

37) Select the one that is not included in the content of the 'Sedera' prayer from the given ones

A) To offer praise, honor and worship to Him on all feast days, times and seasons throughout one's life

B) God's plan of salvation through Christ

C) Prayer for the needs of believers

D) Prayer for the good of the entire community

38) The passage of Scripture that mentions the divine vision received by Zechariah, who was offering incense in the temple of Jerusalem,

A) Luke 1: 8-23

B) Mark 4: 19-10

C) Exodus 13: 26

D) Kings 22: 10

39) Out of the following , which one in the Holy Mass is referring to the priest falling down and worshipping the baby Jesus like the wise men

A) The censer waving and placing it around the throne

B) The censer placing incense on the people

C) Kisses in the book of the Evangelion

D) Kneeling and praying at the throne

40) What do the burning coals in the censer represent?

A) Humanity being purified by the grace of the Lord

B) The hellfire that sinners will receive

C) The holy congregations burning brightly

D) None of the answers given are correct

41) Fasting practices that the Lord does not encourage in the Bible

A) Fasting to show devotion

B) Fasting to defeat Satan

C) Fasting to restore mental health

D) Fasting to be free from evil thoughts

42) Choose the 'Shoonoyo' lent period

A) August 1 -15

B) June 16 - 29

C) June 16 - 29

D) December 1 - 25

43) A book that talks about making peace with brothers and sisters and going to help those who are sad and hurting in society during the fast

A) Isaiah

B) Jeremiah

C) 1 Corinthians

D) 2 Thessalonians

44) Year of the Edict of Milan

A) A.D 313

B) A.D 325

C) A.D 376

D) A.D 346

45) Father who is not among the Cappadocian Fathers

A) Paulos Mar Gregorios

B) Mar Baselios the Great

C) Mar Gregorios of Nyssa

D) Mar Gregorios of Nazianzus

46) The father who introduced the method of monks living together and becoming a hermit

A) Mar Baselios the Great

B) Mar Gregorios of Nyssa

C) Origen

D) Mar Pachomius

47) The early church father who was punished by the emperor for going against heresy of Arius

A) Mar Gregorios of Nyssa

B) Mar John of India

C) Mar Chrysostom

D) Mar Ivanios the Golden Tongue

48) The full name of Parumala Thirumeni

A) Gevarghese Mar Gregorios

B) Kuriakos Mar Gregorios

C) Paulos Mar Gregorios

D) Parumala Mar Gregorios

49) Which statement is not true regarding health?

A) Women's and men's roles are the same in relation to health

B) Old age is a time to evaluate one's own life

C) Infants need more nutrients for body growth

D) Fatty food can cause health problems

50) The most appropriate statement regarding man and nature

A) God created man to protect nature

B) God gave man permission to use nature as he pleases

C) Man should love natural resources

D) Protection of nature should not be an obstacle to development