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TOP 100 One word substitution for SSC Exams

1) Search for something -

- a) Chum
- b) Hurl
- c) Solemnize
- d) Quest

Answer: d)

2) The exterior or face of a building -

- a) Façade
- b) Drawn
- c) Refract
- d) Panel

Answer: a)

3) A person who lives alone and avoids other people -

- a) Chaperon
- b) Recluse
- c) Antisocial
- d) Matron

Answer: b)

4) A mass held to pray for the peace of the departed soul -

- a) Sinecure
- b) Elegy
- c) Requiem
- d) Virement

Answer: c)

5) Operating below the surface of sea -

- a) Subterranean

b) Pantomime

- c) Pespicious
- d) Sobriquet

Answer: a)

6) Incapable of being tired -

- a) Indefatigable
- b) Inalienable
- c) Indefensible
- d) Imperceptible

Answer: a)

7) Put off for a future time -

- a) Codify
- b) Reticent
- c) Procrastinate
- d) Retaliate

Answer: c)

8) Greedy for money -

- a) Agnostic
- b) Rapacious
- c) Oblation
- d) Celibacy

Answer: b)

9) Speak in a very low tone -

- a) Whisper
- b) Murmur
- c) Bass
- d) Baritone

Answer: a)



10) To move along with quick, short twisting

-
- a) Limp
- b) Stroll
- c) Wriggle
- d) Stride

Answer: c)

11) Being unable to pay one's debt -

- a) Partisan
- b) Bohemian
- c) Ascetic
- d) Insolvent

Answer: d)

12) Government by officials in a state -

- a) Aristocracy
- b) Bureaucracy
- c) Dictatorship
- d) Plutocracy

Answer: b)

13) Which can be rooted out -

- a) Eradicable
- b) Interment
- c) Animism
- d) Incurable

Answer: a)

14) Which can easily be carved without breaking -

- a) Reformism
- b) Cannibal
- c) Interment
- d) Flexible

Answer: d)

15) A garland of Flowers -

- a) Bouquet
- b) Wreath
- c) Virago
- d) Rabble

Answer: b)

16) Property inherited from one's father -

- a) Vale
- b) Patrimony
- c) Legacy
- d) Trench

Answer: b)

17) Government by person of highest social order -

- a) Bureaucracy
- b) Plutocracy
- c) Democracy
- d) Aristocracy

Answer: d)

18) Study of ancient things like tombs, buried towns -

- a) Paleontology
- b) Nomology
- c) Archaeology
- d) Genealogy

Answer: c)

19) To banish or turn out of society and fellowship -

- a) Acrobat
- b) Diatribe
- c) Ostracise
- d) Jurist

Answer: c)

20) Rebellious or opposing the authority -



- a) Insurgent
- b) Intransigent
- c) Indigenous
- d) Innuendo

Answer: a)

21) A place for invalids and convalescents -

- a) Hermit
- b) Vacuous
- c) Sanatorium
- d) Dormitory

Answer: c)

22) A person who fond of fighting -

- a) Bellicose
- b) Sinecure
- c) Deserter
- d) Pedant

Answer: a)

23) Story told to illustrate a moral or spiritual truth -

- a) Nubile
- b) Elegy
- c) Parable
- d) Ode

Answer: c)

24) The policy of extending a country's empire and influence -

- a) Debauchery
- b) Parchment
- c) Denigration
- d) Imperialism

Answer: d)

25) Shamelessly rude -

- a) Imbecile

- b) Impudent
- c) Infallible
- d) Invincible

Answer: b)

26) A Pioneer of a reform movement -

- a) Oubliette
- b) Apostle
- c) Spinster
- d) Mendicant

Answer: b)

27) Person who gives written testimony for use in a low court -

- a) Reticence
- b) Masochist
- c) Deponent
- d) Concubine

Answer: c)

28) One who believes that everything is pre-destined -

- a) Fatalist
- b) Astrologer
- c) Hypocrite
- d) Prodigal

Answer: a)

29) A verse letter -

- a) Parasol
- b) Ballad
- c) Epistle
- d) Dirge

Answer: c)

30) A group of arrows -

- a) Legion
- b) Wreath



c) Quiver

d) Volley

Answer: d)

31) Lifeless Objects -

a) Amateur

b) Inanimate

c) Alien

d) Amnesty

Answer: b)

32) A court or open space usually rectangle and enclosed by a building -

a) Quadragenarian

b) Quadrilateral

c) Quadrangle

d) Quadruped

Answer: c)

33) Bringing about gentle and painless death from incurable disease -

a) Euthanasia

b) Sty

c) Canicide

d) Suicide

Answer: a)

34) One who lives on fish -

a) Carnivorous

b) Bascivorous

c) Aurivorous

d) Piscivorous

Answer: d)

35) Line at which the earth or sea and sky seem to meet -

a) Nadir

b) Zenith

c) Horizon

d) Trivet

Answer: c)

36) That which is morally dangerous -

a) Cadaverous

b) Defalcation

c) Sinecure

d) Pestiferous

Answer: d)

37) A temple dedicated to all the gods -

a) Pantheon

b) Kiln

c) Scullery

d) Cellar

Answer: a)

38) That which cannot be satisfied -

a) Camouflage

b) Insatiable

c) Under decipherable

d) Tenacious

Answer: b)

39) Free from punishment -

a) Posterity

b) Stoicism

c) Impunity

d) Wrath

Answer: c)

40) Fear of foreigners -

a) Stenophobia

b) Clinophobia

c) Ballistophobia

d) Xenophobia

Answer: d)



41) A person who starves the body for the good of the soul -

- a) Pacifist
- b) Paranoia
- c) Ascetic
- d) Idiosyncrasy

Answer: c)

42) To make evasive or misleading statement

- a) Prevaricate
- b) Peroration
- c) Sophist
- d) Ineffable

Answer: a)

43) A very delicate flaw or mistake which is not expected from the person making it

- a) Sanguine
- b) Sacrament
- c) Solecism
- d) Sententious

Answer: c)

44) The practice of taking exorbitant or excessive interest on the money lent -

- a) Emissary
- b) Usury
- c) Venal
- d) Macabre

45) Sea with a group of many islands -

- a) Archipelago
- b) Scullery
- c) Ablution
- d) Etiology

Answer: a)

46) Ceremony of crowning a king -

- a) Catharsis
- b) Purgation
- c) Cannibal
- d) Coronation

Answer: d)

47) Substitution of mild for a very blunt expression -

- a) Euphemism
- b) Truism
- c) Hymn
- d) Calumny

Answer: a)

48) Belief that war and violence are unjustified -

- a) Philistine
- b) Pacifism
- c) Iconoclastic
- d) Sanatorium

Answer: b)

49) One who goes for a secret official mission

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- a) Epicurean
- b) Emissary
- c) Celibate
- d) Rogue

Answer: b)

50) Centre of attraction -

- a) Hedonist
- b) Cynosure
- c) Debauch
- d) Epicure



Answer: b)

51) A state of mental weariness from lack of occupation -

- a) Hermit
- b) Ennui
- c) Heretic
- d) Indict

Answer: b)

52) A dabbler in the art and literature -

- a) Rapacious
- b) Bohemian
- c) Dilettante
- d) Emeritus

Answer: c)

53) Being's able to pay one's debt -

- a) Dilettante
- b) Credible
- c) Delible
- d) Solvent

Answer: d)

54) One who is subject to failure or to committing mistakes -

- a) Fallible
- b) Hyperbole
- c) Hermit
- d) Incurable

Answer: a)

55) A short stay in a place -

- a) Excursion
- b) Detour
- c) Sojourn
- d) Knell

Answer: c)

56) Murder of one's sister -

- a) Uxoricide
- b) Sororicide
- c) Smother
- d) Parricide

Answer: b)

57) A hater of new things -

- a) Sanguine
- b) Intransigent
- c) Misoneist
- d) Misogynist

Answer: c)

58) Fear of snakes -

- a) Ophidiophobia
- b) Acrophobia
- c) Xenophobia
- d) Claustrophobia

Answer: a)

59) A group of girls -

- a) Knell
- b) Archive
- c) Ennui
- d) Bevy

Answer: d)

60) Guided by one's sense of duty -

- a) Conscientious
- b) Gaggle
- c) Amnesia
- d) Circumvent

Answer: a)

61) Government by few people -

- a) Aristocracy
- b) Oligarchy



c) Dictatorship

d) Bureaucracy

Answer: b)

62) To state of living unmarried -

a) Celibacy

b) Neogamist

c) Chaperon

d) Implorer

Answer: a)

63) An event which happens once in five years -

a) Septennial

b) Quinquennial

c) Interregnum

d) Pun

Answer: b)

64) A person who looks after horses at an inn -

a) Matron

b) Chandler

c) Ostler

d) Effeminate

Answer: c)

65) To struggle helplessly -

a) Implorer

b) Yokel

c) Flounder

d) Chum

Answer: c)

66) Flesh eater

a) Herbivore

b) Carnivore

c) Omnivore

d) Piscivore

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Answer: b)

67) One who Prescribes medicine

a) Optician

b) Politician

c) Beautician

d) Physician

Answer: d)

68) Science of the constitution of the whole universe

a) Cosmopolitan

b) Chronicle

c) Cosmography

d) Connoisseur

Answer: c)

69) Science of writing and compiling a dictionary

a) Calligraphy

b) Lexicography

c) Autobiography

d) Bibliography

Answer: b)

70) One who can neither read nor write

a) Illegible

b) Inexcusable

c) Illiterates

d) Illegitimate

Answer: c)

71) Warning of an impending danger

a) Prediction

b) Superstition

c) Revelation

d) Premonition



Answer: d)

72) That which cannot be put out

- a) Illusion
- b) Indigenous
- c) Incentive
- d) Inextinguishable

Answer: d)

73) The system which is observed to do progress

- a) Violation
- b) Impairing
- c) Preservation
- d) Reformism

Answer: d)

74) Art or craft making skill with hand.

- a) Hovercraft
- b) Handicraft
- c) Statecraft
- d) Spacecraft

Correct Answer: Handicraft

75) Insufficient feeding or nourishing

- a) Abduction
- b) Abolition
- c) Addiction
- d) Malnutrition

Answer: d)

76) Amount paid to a man for his labour.

- a) Incentive
- b) Remuneration
- c) Gratuity
- d) Honorarium

Answer: b)

77) A diplomatic representative in another country

- a) Spy
- b) Spinster
- c) Bureaucrat
- d) Ambassador

Answer: d)

78) Amount paid to a man for his labour.

- a) Incentive
- b) Remuneration
- c) Gratuity
- d) Honorarium

79) A place where government public records are kept

- a) Archive
- b) Elective
- c) Locomotive
- d) Furtive

Answer: a)

80) That which lasts for a short time.

- a) Preparatory
- b) Declaratory
- c) Circulatory
- d) Transitory

Answer: d)

81) Belonging to long past

- a) Ancient
- b) Coefficient
- c) Persistent
- d) Ambient

Answer: a)

82) To free prisoner on payment

- a) Lesson



- b) Hansom
- c) Ransom
- d) Jettison

Answer: c)

83) One who journeys from place to place.

Options:

- a) Hesitant
- b) Itinerant
- c) Daughter
- d) Triumphant

Answer: b)

84) Treatment by means of exercise and massage

- a) Chemotherapy
- b) Electrotherapy
- c) Redundant
- d) Radiotherapy

Answer: c)

85) Rude in a mean-spirited and surly way

- a) Affable
- b) Churlish
- c) Cordial
- d) Genteel

Answer: b)

86) A characteristic of one thing that is suggestive of another

- a) Antithetic
- b) Disparate
- c) Conjecture
- d) Reminiscence

Answer: d)

87) Made or done in the traditional or original way

- a) Authentic
- b) Effigy
- c) Archetype
- d) Forge

Answer: a)

88) Senseless talk or writing

- a) Astute
- b) Balderdash
- c) Sagacious
- d) Prudent

Answer: b)

89) Kill someone by covering their nose and mouth so that they suffocate

- a) Bulwark
- b) Foster
- c) Sentinel
- d) Smother

Answer: d)

90) Regard with great respect

- a) Insolence
- b) Venerate
- c) Flippancy
- d) Coarseness

Answer: b)

91) Steal or misappropriate money placed in one's trust

- a) Embezzle
- b) Confer
- c) Accord
- d) Bestow

Answer: a)

92) Hesitate or be unwilling to accept an idea or undertaking



a) Sanguine

b) Uppity

c) Valiant

d) Baulk

Answer: d)

93) Wrap or cover for warmth

a) Encourage

b) Muffle

c) Divulge

d) Expose

Answer: b)

94) Keen interest or enthusiasm

a) Lassitude

b) Lethargy

c) Avidity

d) Soporific

Answer: c)

95) Acutely distressing

1) Palatable

2) Harrowing

3) Gratifying

4) Suave

Answer: b)

96) Revel in and make the most of something pleasing

1) Abhor

2) Bask

3) Fret

4) Edgy

Answer: b)

97) Causing annoyance or resentment

a) Congenial

b) Galling

c) Amiable

d) Mellow

Answer: b)

98) Recklessly extravagant or wasteful in the use of resources

a) Profligate

b) Churlish

c) Harpy

d) Hoarder

Answer: a)

99) A state of disorder due to absence or non-recognition of authority or other controlling systems

a) Anarchy

b) Bridle

c) Ascendancy

d) Dominion

Answer: a)

100) A liquid with healing, magical, or poisonous properties

a) Viscous

b) Potion

c) Dulcet

d) Luscious

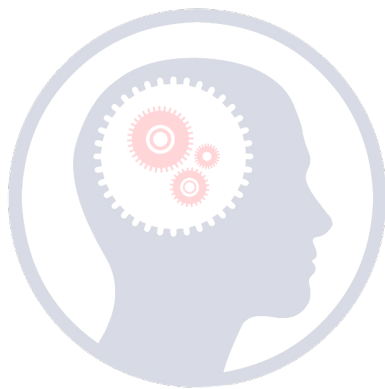
Answer: b)



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