

**Half-yearly Examination - 2016-2017**

**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE**

Time : 1 hr.

F. M. : 50

Std. : IX & X

Name : \_\_\_\_\_ Class : \_\_\_\_\_ Section : \_\_\_\_\_ Roll No. \_\_\_\_\_

Name the following :

1. The Goodwill ambassador of the Indian Contingent for the Rio Olympics

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2. The Wisden Cricketer of the Year 2015

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3. The first Indian woman gymnast to qualify for the Olympics

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4. The winner of Miss India 2016

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5. The Asian Games Gold Medallist who made it to the Rio Olympics in the women's  
3000m steeplechase

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6. The new name of Gurgaon

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7. The recipient of the 47th Dada Saheb Phalke Award

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8. International Yoga Day is observed and celebrated on

\_\_\_\_\_

9. The author of the Biography of PM Shri Narendra Modi 'Modi – Incredible Emergence of a Star'

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10. The lawn tennis player who is the first to win all 4 Grand Slams since 1969

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11. The new Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry

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12. New Chief of the Naval Staff

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13. The new Minister for Human Resource Development who has replaced Ms. Smriti Z. Irani

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14. The city SP \_\_\_\_\_

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15. The founder Chairman of Bharti Enterprises

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16. Governor of Jharkhand

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17. The first Muslim Mayor of London

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18. The new CM of Gujarat

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19. The name of the stadium of Rio Olympics, Brazil

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Identify the following taglines :

20. King of oils

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21. Jiyo Lightum Light

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22. Born to Decorate

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23. Fabric of the future

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24. Keeps U Awake

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25. State the Vision of the School

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26. Give the full form of ETHOS

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27. Which 2 major events were conducted in the school recently?

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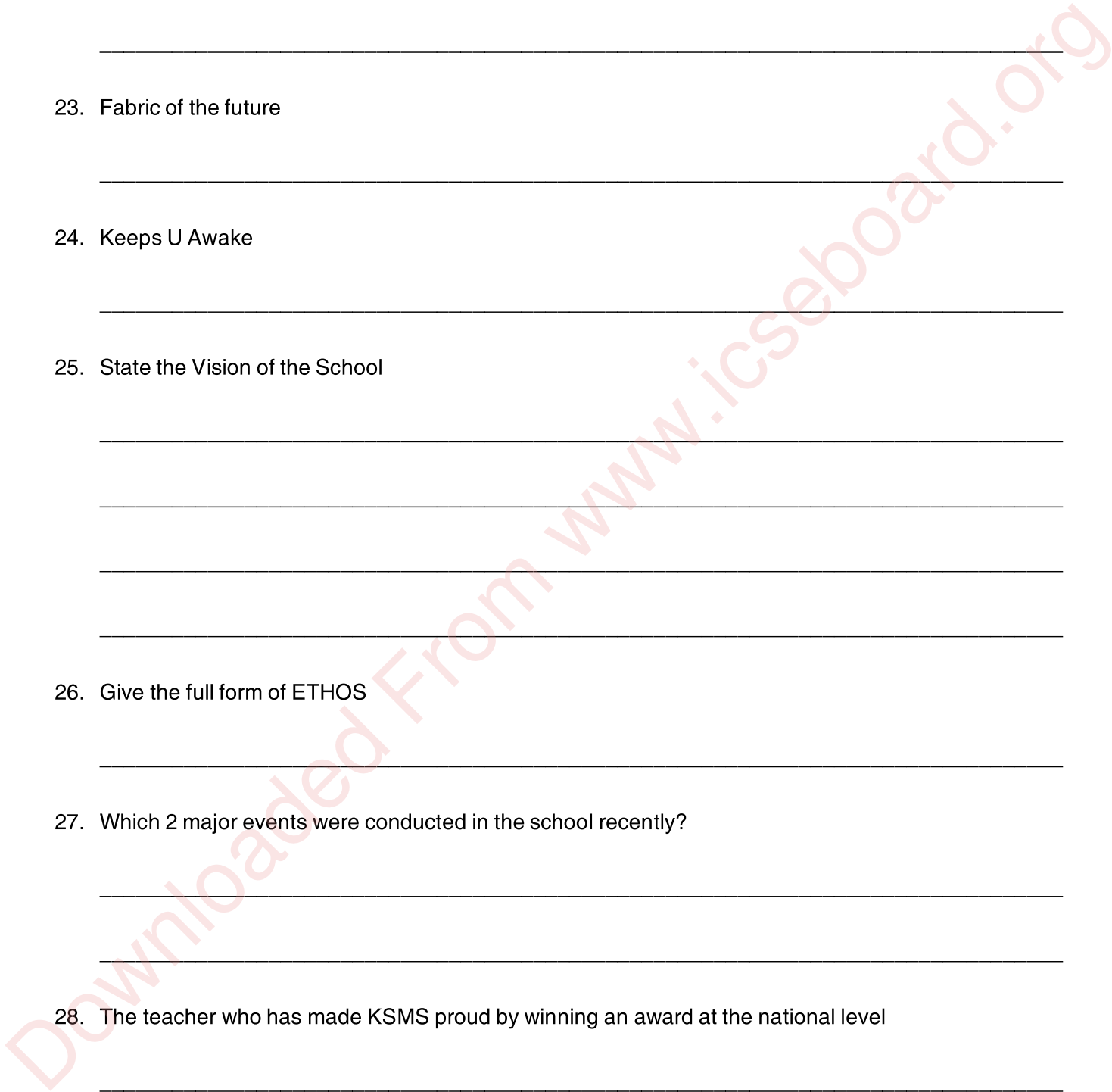
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28. The teacher who has made KSMS proud by winning an award at the national level

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29. The SPL of your school

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Tick the correct option :

30. The headquarters of UN is at

- a. Geneva                      b. Paris                      c. New York                      d. Washington, D.C.

31. The image formed on the retina of the eye is

- a. Real and inverted                      b. Upright and Real  
c. Virtual and upright                      d. Enlarged and real

32. Who among the following rulers belongs to the slave Dynasty?

- a. Humayun                      b. Itutmish                      c. Alauddin Khilji                      d. Sher Shah Suri

33. Begum Akhtar is related to

- a. Music                      b. Dance                      c. Writing                      d. Painting

34. Nashik is situated on the bank of the river

- a. Krishna                      b. Cauvery                      c. Godavari                      d. Namada

35. World Environment Day is celebrated every year on

- a. January 15                      b. August 26                      c. June 5                      d. July 10

36. Which of the following is not a unit of time

- a. Light year                      b. Nano second                      c. Micro second                      d. Second

37. When a ship crosses the International date Line from West to East

- a. it loses one day                      c. it loses half-a-day  
b. it gains one day                      d. it gains half-a-day

38. Who among the following is a famous 'flute player'?

- a. Ravi Shankar                      c. Zakir Hussain  
b. Shiv Kumar Shama                      d. Hariprasad Chaurasia

39. 'Rh' factor is a term that we hear in connection with

- a. Space travel                      b. Blood transfusion                      c. Air pressure                      d. Blood pressure

40. A pond of clear water appears less deep than it really is. This is due to

- a. Refraction                      b. Reflection                      c. The transparency of water                      d. Dispersion

41. Solar cell converts

- a. Light energy into heat energy  
b. Solar energy with chemical energy  
c. Solar energy into sound energy  
d. Solar energy into heat energy

42. The term 'Fourth Estate' refers to

- a. Underdeveloped countries                      b. Judiciary  
c. Executive                      d. The Press

43. The colours of Indian flag in ascending order are

- a. Saffron, white and green  
b. White, green and saffron  
c. Green, white and saffron  
d. Saffron, green and white

44. The interest on Rs. 4,500 from Jan. 5th to May 31st, 1954 at 8% is

- a. Rs. 72                      b. Rs. 144                      c. Rs. 108                      d. Rs. 140

45. The green colour seen in fireworks displays is due to the chloride salt of

- a. Ca                      b. Na                      c. Ba                      d. Br

46. A person who agrees to work for somebody in order to learn a skill

- a. assistant                      b. pupil                      c. lackey                      d. apprentice

47. He bowed down \_\_\_\_\_ the altar

- a. at                      b. before                      c. next to                      d. in front of

48. He will impart no information \_\_\_\_\_ anyone.

- a. from                      b. to                      c. with                      d. for

49. Which word is correctly spelt?

- a. connoisseur                      b. appretiate                      c. gruesom                      d. merth

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