

# Sikkim Public Service Commission

*Main Written Examination for the post of Assistant Pasterman under  
Printing and Stationery Department*

Time Allowed: 1.00 hour

**PAPER - II**

Maximum Marks: 50

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

*Read the instructions carefully before answering the questions: -*

1. **IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE EXAMINATION, YOU SHOULD CHECK THAT THIS BOOKLET DOES NOT HAVE ANY UNPRINTED, TORN OR MISSING PAGES OR ITEMS. IF SO, GET IT REPLACED BY A COMPLETE TEST BOOKLET.**
2. **Use only Black Ball Point Pen to fill the OMR Sheet.**
3. Please note that it is the candidate's responsibility to fill in the Roll Number carefully without any omission or discrepancy at the appropriate places in the OMR ANSWER SHEET. Any omission/discrepancy will render the Answer Sheet liable for rejection.
4. Do not write anything else on the OMR Answer Sheet except the required information.
5. This Test Booklet contains **25 items (questions) in MCQ Mode** to be marked in OMR Sheet.
6. **All items from 1 to 25 carry 2 marks each.**
7. Before you proceed to mark in the OMR Answer Sheet, you have to fill in some particulars as per given instructions.
8. After you have completed filling in all your responses on the OMR Answer Sheet and the examination has concluded, you should hand over the Answer Sheet (OMR) to the Invigilator only. You are permitted to take with you the Test Booklet.
9. **Marking Scheme**  
THERE WILL BE **NEGATIVE MARKING** FOR WRONG ANSWERS MARKED BY A CANDIDATE IN THE OBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS
  - (i) There are four alternatives for the answer to every question. For each question for which a wrong answer has been given by the candidate, one-third of the marks assigned to the question will be deducted as penalty.
  - (ii) If a candidate gives more than one answer, it will be treated as a wrong answer even if one of the given answers happens to be correct and there will be same penalty as above to the question.
  - (iii) If a question is left blank. i.e., no answer is given by the candidate, there will be no penalty for that question.

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*Choose the correct answer for the following:*

1. Printing Press was invented in \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. 1486
  - B. 1446
  - C. 1436
  - D. 1440
  
2. Which of the following is not a printing method?
  - A. Flexography
  - B. Screen
  - C. 3D
  - D. Retouching
  
3. The latest printing technology is
  - A. Offset
  - B. 3D
  - C. Gravure
  - D. Screen
  
4. Retouching is:
  - A. Polishing of an image
  - B. Recreating an image
  - C. Printing of an image
  - D. All of the above
  
5. Which of the following is correct?
  - A. Colour correction is a type of Retouching
  - B. Colour correction is not a type of Retouching
  - C. Retouching devalues an image
  - D. Retouching should be avoided
  
6. Retouching is an integral part of:
  - A. Modern, digital printing
  - B. Offset printing
  - C. Tone gradation
  - D. Modern designing
  
7. Which of the following is not a type of image editing options?
  - A. Background removing
  - B. Clipping
  - C. Image restoration
  - D. Imposition
  
8. Retouching is important in digital era as it
  - A. Hides the flaws of an image
  - B. Increases the value of the image
  - C. Makes the product appealing
  - D. All of the above

9. The retouching tool(s) used in Adobe Photoshop are:
- A. Clone Stamp
  - B. Pattern Stamp
  - C. Healing Brush
  - D. All of the above
10. To get the desaturate option in photoshop, we have to follow which of the following?
- A. File Menu
  - B. Layer Menu
  - C. Image Adjustment
  - D. None of the above
11. Which of these colour models is not in Photoshop?
- A. HSB
  - B. LAB
  - C. RGB
  - D. CNYK
12. Clone stamp tool is used for:
- A. Duplicating an object
  - B. Removing an object
  - C. Resizing an object
  - D. None of the above
13. Which of these four colours can be combined to produce a wide spectrum of colours?
- A. Cyan, magenta, yellow and black
  - B. Cyan, magenta, yellow and white
  - C. Cyan, magenta, yellow and blue
  - D. Cyan, magenta, yellow and red
14. The process of colour separation can be accomplished \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. photographically
  - B. electronically
  - C. on the desktop
  - D. all of the above
15. Imposition refers to \_\_\_\_\_ of book's pages before printing.
- A. Cutting
  - B. Trimming
  - C. Positioning
  - D. Copying
16. Imposition helps the book to be in the correct \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. Sequence
  - B. Thickness
  - C. Size
  - D. All of the above

17. Which of the following is not a type of imposition?  
A. Head-to-head  
B. Head-to-foot  
C. Head-to-side  
D. Side-to-front
18. When two pages are combined on a single plate, it is called \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. page pairing  
B. page plating  
C. page sequencing  
D. page arrangement
19. The quality that differentiates one colour from another is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. value  
B. tint  
C. tone  
D. hue
20. A colour with high value is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. a shade  
B. a tint  
C. a hue  
D. a tone
21. The mixing of complimentary colours in pigment creates \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. white  
B. black  
C. a secondary colour  
D. a primary colour
22. Process colour printing involves overprinting \_\_\_\_\_ of the four colours in varying densities, the various combinations producing the wide range of reproducible colours.  
A. Half tone dots  
B. Continuous tone dots  
C. Negatives  
D. Positives
23. A tonal gradation is defined as value steps going \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. from light to dark  
B. dark to light  
C. light to lighter  
D. dark to darker

24. The process by which original full -colour digital files are separated into individual colour components is termed as \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. segregation of colours
  - B. colour separation
  - C. merging of colours
  - D. disassociation of colours
25. Red, brown, orange and yellow are generally considered as \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. Bright colours
  - B. Warm colours
  - C. Vibrant colours
  - D. Refreshing colours

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