

Arts, Commerce and Science College, Bodwad.

Question Bank

T.Y. B.A. Sem-V

Subject: - English General Paper -III

1. When was Richard Brinsley Sheridan baptized?

1. 21 February 1744
2. 15 May 1752
3. 23 August 1749
4. **4 November 1751**

2. Where was Richard Brinsley Sheridan born?

1. Belfast
2. **Dublin**
3. Kilkenny
4. Waterford

3. With whom did Richard Brinsley Sheridan fight two duels?

1. *Warren Hastings*
2. *Jonathan Swift*
3. ***Thomas Mathews***
4. *Oliver Goldsmith*

4. Where did Richard Brinsley Sheridan marry Elizabeth Ann Linley?

1. **Marylebone Church**
2. St. Paul's Cathedral
3. Waltham Abbey
4. Middle Temple

5. Which play of Richard Brinsley Sheridan has the character Mrs. Malaprop?

1. St. Patrick's Day
2. The Duenna
3. **The Rivals**
4. A Trip to Scarborough

6. Who is the model for the character of Sir Fretful Plagiary in Richard Brinsley Sheridan's play The Critic?

1. **Richard Cumberland**
2. Charles James Fox
3. William Pitt
4. Edmund Burke

7. Which play of Richard Brinsley Sheridan is considered the greatest comedy of manners in English?

1. Pizarro
2. The Relapse
3. **The School for Scandal**
4. The Beggar's Opera

8. Which party did Richard Brinsley Sheridan represent in Parliament?

1. Democratic
2. Republican
3. Jacobin
4. **Whig**

9. When did Richard Brinsley Sheridan die?

1. 26 January 1819
2. 10 June 1818
3. **7 July 1816**
4. 12 December 1815

10. Where did Richard Brinsley Sheridan die?

1. Harrow

2. **London**

3. Bath

4. Bristol

11. Who wrote the play?

1. WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

2. **RICHARD SHERIDAN**

3. JOHN GAY

4. EUGENE O'NEILL

12. When was the play first produced?

1. 1778

2. 1755

3. 1775

4. 1800

13. Where was it first produced?

1. The convent garden

2. The national opera

3. Broadway

4. The irishi royal theatre

14. Where does it take place?

1. Yorkshire

2. Batg

3. Cambridge

4. London

15. Where was Richard Sheridan from?

1. Scotland
2. America
3. England
4. Ireland

16. How old was Sheridan when he wrote it?

1. 23
2. 22
3. 18
4. 30

17. What does Sheridan say in the first prologue?

1. HE GIVES CREDIT TO HIS WIFE FOR WRITING MOST OF IT
2. HE TELLS HIS AUDIENCE THAT THE PLAY IS THE BEST PLAY EVER WRITTEN
3. HE APOLOGIZES FOR HIS INEXPERIENCE
4. HE SAYS THE PLAY IS A POLITICAL ALLEGOR

18. Which character did Sheridan rewrite after the first performance?

1. LYDIA
2. JACK ABSOLUTE
3. MRS. MALAPROP
4. LUCIUS O'TRIGGER

19. Who do the attorney and sergeant at law defend in the first prologue?

1. THE POET
2. MRS. MALAPROP
3. THE QUEEN

4. LYDIA

20. Who speaks the second prologue?

1. GOD

2. AN ANGEL

3. A JESTER

4. THE MUSE

21. What does she say about the play?

1. It's political drama

2. It's a tragedy

3. It's musical

4. It's satirical tragedy .

22. Who does Fag serve?

1. FAULKLAND

2. MRS. MALAPROP

3. BOB ACRES

4. JACK ABSOLUTE

23. Who does Thomas serve?

1. FAULKLAND

2. ANTHONY ABSOLUTE

3. MRS. MALAPROP

4. JULIA

24. What is Thomas' post?

1. HUNTING COMPANION

2. COACHMAN

3. MEDIC

4. BUTLER

25. What is Bath known for?

1. It's medical spring
2. It's a theatre
3. It's bawdy brothers
4. It's bear

26. Who is Jack Absolute's alter ego?

1. ENSIGN BEVERLEY
2. LLOYD REARDON
3. LUCIUS O'TRIGGER
4. BOB ACRES

27. How much does Jack get a year?

1. 4,000
2. 1,500
3. 2,000
4. 3,000

28. Who does Jack love?

1. YDIAA
2. LUCY
3. JULIA
4. MRS. MALAPROP

29. Why is Jack disguised as an ensign?

1. HE HATES BEING WEALTHY
2. LYDIA WANTS TO MARRY SOMEONE POOR
3. HE DOESN'T WANT HIS FATHER TO KNOW HE IS IN BATH
4. HIS EX-MISTRESS IS IN TOWN AND HE NEEDS TO BE DISCREET

30. Where did Lydia and Jack get acquainted?

1. Cambridge
2. London
3. York
4. Glouster

31. Who is Lydia's keeper?

1. ANTHONY
2. LUCIUS O'TRIGGER
3. MRS. MALAPROP
4. COLONEL LANGUISH

32. Who else do Fag and Thomas discuss?

1. LUCIUS O'TRIGGER
2. FAULKLAND
3. LUCY
4. BOB ACRES

33. Who does Faulkland love?

1. MRS. MALAPROP
2. JULIA
3. LUCY
4. LYDIA

34. What part of Thomas' fashion does Fag tease?

1. HIS PANTS
2. HIS WIG
3. THE POWDER ON HIS NOSE
4. HIS COAT

35. What disease does Anthony suffer from?

1. NARCOLEPSY
2. RHEUMATISM
3. GOUT
4. SHINGLES

36. At what time does Fag tell Thomas to meet him that night?

1. 9
2. 7
3. 8
4. 10

37. Who do the servants see Jack giving money to?

1. ANTHONY
2. LUCIUS
3. MRS. MALAPROP
4. LUCY

38. How long does Anthony give Jack to agree to his arranged marriage?

1. A NIGHT
2. 4 HOURS
3. 10 HOURS
4. 6.5 HOURS

39. What does Lucy tell Fag?

1. THAT BOB ACRES' LETTERS NEVER ARRIVED TO LYDIA
2. THAT SHE IS MIXING UP MALAPROP AND LYDIA'S LETTERS
3. THAT ANTHONY IS PLANNING TO MARRY JACK TO LYDIA
4. THAT SHE IS IN LOVE WITH HIM

40. Who is playwright of The Rival ?

1. William Shakespeare
2. George Thomas
3. R.B.Sheridhan
4. Jhon Donne

41. What does Jack decide to do?

1. Agree to marry Julia .
2. Go along with the arrangement and pretend not to know Lydia.
3. Remain a bachelor.
4. Refuse to marry Lydia.

42. What news does Lucy give Fag?

1. She is having an affair with Lucius.
2. Jack Absolute and Beverly are rivals for Lydia's hand.
3. She would like him to court her.
4. She has many people she bribes.

43. What does Lucy gives Lucius?

1. A handkerchief .
2. A token of her love.
3. A note supposedly written by Lydia.
4. A scarf.

44. Why is Lydia stunned to meet the new suitor?

- 1.She was never supposed to marry anyone.
2. She wants to die a widow.
3. She wishes she was with Acres.
4. Beverly seems to be her new suitor .

45. Who scolds Lucy on passing notes?

1. Fag.

2. Jack.
3. Ledia.
4. Thomas.

46. Who does Mrs. Malaprop tell Jack about?

1. Lydia's love for letters.
2. Jack's rival, Beverly .
3. Lydia's incompetence.
4. Lydia's love for romance novels.

47. Upon Jack's revelation that he is Beverly, what happens?

1. Acres refuses to fight, but Sir Lucius wishes to duel.
2. Someone screams .
3. Julia faints.
4. Everyone is confused.

48. What is Jack's explanation for his sword?

1. He is going to duel.
2. That he is wooing Lydia with her romantic tendencies.
3. He wants to kill himself .
4. He is practicing his fencing techniques.

49. Was Sheridan familiar with courting practices of the time?

1. Yes, he eloped with a woman he loved.
2. No, he was forced into marriage.
3. Yes, he married Elizabeth Linsely .
4. No, he never married.

50. Why is Faulkland sad?

1. Julia has decided to leave him.
2. Julia is dying.

3. Because Julia is happy.
4. Because Julia is unhappy.

51. According to the play, what improves life?

1. Greif.
2. Humanity.
3. Power.
4. Love.

52. What is an empire?

1. Who Jack is fighting for in the war.
2. A large kingdom.
3. Sir Anthony's estate's name.
4. The name of his dog .

53. What does Julia's letter say?

1. That she completely forgives Faulkland and must see him as soon as possible.
2. She is worried for Faulkland.
3. She wishes to speak to Faulkland .
4. She is worried for herself.

54. Does Fag inform Jack about his intended?

1. Yes.
2. No because his master has made him angry.
3. No.
4. Yes because he wishes to be rewarded by Jack.

55. 15. What does Sir Anthony think of the ruse his son has put on? (from Act 4, Scene 2)

1. He thinks Lydia is a silly girl to not love his son.
2. He hates Jack for the prank.
3. He does not understand why Jack has played the trick.

4. He thinks it's funny.

56. Why does Lucy feel guilty?

1. She loves Fag.
2. She hopes to make a better life for herself.
3. She does not wish to misguide Lydia.
4. About her duplicity.

57. What is tangled?

1. The web Sheridan weaves.
2. The story.
3. Sir Anthony's words.
4. Lydia's hair.

58. How does Act 3, Scene 2 begin?

1. Jack's study.
2. Sir Anthony's study.
3. Sir Anthony's receiving room.
4. Julia's dressing room.

59. How do the women stop the fight?

1. They let the men fight .
2. Lydia claims she will only marry Jack.
3. They appeal to the men with their womanly wiles.
4. They throw themselves in front of others .

60. What does the epilogue address?

1. Tales of women.
2. Money in life.
3. Morals.
4. The place of love in one's life.

61. Has Sheridan ever killed someone?

1. Yes in a duel.
2. No.
3. Yes he poisoned his wife.
4. No he was never in a duel.

62. Why is Mrs. Malaprop concerned that Lydia is speaking well of Beverly?

1. She wants Lydia to marry Jack.
2. She hates Beverly.
3. Because she believes Jack and Beverly are two different people.
4. She is not concerned at all.

63. How does Acres want to approach the duel?

1. Very calmly.
2. With anger and passion.
3. With strategy.
4. With confidence.

64. Why is Faulkland afraid to open Julia's letter?

1. He thinks she will forgive too easily.
2. Julia never wrote a letter .
3. He thinks she will not forgive him.
4. He is scared she may be dismissing him.

65. What else does Acres ask of Jack?

1. Jack's opinion on his new clothes.
2. For him to be his second in the duel.
3. For him to be a great friend.
4. For Jack to get him a new outfit.

66. Who is protagonist character in play ?

1. Basanio
2. Antonio
3. Ladia
4. Luicy

67. What play is this for Richard Sheridan?

1. His tenth.
2. His first.
3. He is not the author of this book .
4. His second.

68. How does the play begin?

1. At a party in London .
2. With two lovers quarreling .
3. In Bath on a sunny afternoon.
4. With an attorney bribing a sergeant at law.

69. What does the attorney hand to the sergeant at law?

1. a piece of paper.
2. a present .
3. some chocolate.
4. a stick of gum.

70. What does the sergeant at law claim when he is given this item?

1. He would like another piece of chocolate.
2. He wishes for more money .
3. He would like to quit his job.
4. That he cannot see the paper.

71. How does the lawyer get the sergeant at law to accept the paper?

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73. R. B. Sheridan wrote _____ comedy.

[a] Paradise Lost

[b] The Essays

[c] Absalom and Achitophel

[d] The school

74. How many characters in The Rival play ?

1. 2
2. 6
3. 8
4. 5

75. How many act in this play ?

1. 9
2. 11
3. 7
4. 8 .

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