

**SECOND SEMESTER
INFORMATION SOURCES AND SERVICES
MLS-202**

(Use Separate Answer Scripts for Objective & Descriptive)

Duration : 3 hrs.

Full Marks : 70

[PART-A : Objective]

Time : 20 min.

Marks : 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1×20=20

1. What are the two methods used in providing current awareness service?
 - a. Newspaper clippings, Indexing and abstracting
 - b. Newspaper clipping and Referral
 - c. Indexing and Reprography
 - d. Referral and Reprography
2. Proof Reading?
 - a. Witnessing
 - b. Grammar and Spelling check
 - c. Collection of information
 - d. None of these
3. Information Desk is?
 - a. Reference Centre
 - b. Centre for information service
 - c. Referral Centre
 - d. None of these
4. Where can the user find a chapter of journal?
 - a. Catalogue
 - b. Bibliography
 - c. Biography
 - d. Index
5. How many volumes does Encyclopaedia 15th edition of Britannica has so far?
 - a. 31
 - b. 30
 - c. 32
 - d. 34
6. What kind of service it will be if a user asks for the recent articles published in Library Science?
 - a. Reprography
 - b. Newspaper clipping
 - c. Referral service
 - d. Current awareness
7. A. Referral Centre provides the sources of information
B. Referral Centre not only provides the sources of information, but also the documents.
 - a. (A) is correct, (B) is wrong
 - b. (A) is wrong, (B) is correct
 - c. (A) & (B) are correct
 - d. Both (A) and (B) are wrong
8. Yearbook belongs to which source?
 - a. Primary
 - b. Secondary
 - c. Tertiary
 - d. None of these
9. What is National bibliography?
 - a. List of books of National Library
 - b. List of books published in a particular Nation
 - c. List of books written by the National government
 - d. List of books on a nation

10. Cumulative Book Index by H.W. Wilson is a?
 a. Biography b. Almanac
 c. Bibliography d. Directory
11. When was the world book of atlas first published?
 a. 1970 b. 1972
 c. 975 d. 1976
12. Manuals are used for what kind of service?
 a. Ready reference Service b. Reprography Service
 c. Translation Service d. None of these
13. What is a query? Choose the most appropriate.
 a. Reference service provided to the users b. Collection of questions
 c. Service to the users question d. Users need converted into question
14. What does open access means?
 a. Free access to articles b. Partially free
 c. Free but with conditions d. Free of restriction on access
15. DESIDOC is a division of?
 a. CSIR b. UGC
 c. DRDO d. INFLIBNET
16. What is the foundation year of NISCAIR?
 a. 2001 b. 2004
 c. 2003 d. 2002
17. What is the main difference between web 1.0 and web 2.0?
 a. Information Shared b. Feedback
 c. Artificial Intelligence d. Program
18. Wiki is a?
 a. Language b. Web page
 c. Robot d. Server program
19. What is a Homepage?
 a. Website b. First page of a website
 c. Blog d. Last page of a Website
20. "Who's who in America" is associated with?
 a. Geographical source b. Biographical source
 c. Encyclopedia d. Yearbook

[PART-B : Descriptive]

Time : 2 hrs. 40 min.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

1. Define reference sources. Explain various primary, secondary and tertiary sources with appropriate examples. 10
2. a. What are the types of reference services? 4+6=10
 b. Explain long range reference service with examples.
3. a. Define Geographical sources with suitable examples. 4+6 =10
 b. What is Selective Dissemination of Information? Explain with flow Chart.
4. a. What is a reference source/book and what is the role of computer in disseminating reference sources of Information? 6+4 =10
 b. Write about the scenario of reference services in the real world. Explain in your own words.
5. a. What are Consortium and what are its features? 5+5=10
 b. Write the needs and consortium initiatives in India.
6. a. What is Current Awareness Service and what is its objective? 6+4 =10
 b. How can a library provide current awareness services to its users?
7. a. What is user profile and what type of reference service is concerned with user profile? 5+5=10
 b. "Digital Reference Service" explain it in the context of recent trends in information services?
8. a. Write short notes on any two of the following; FAQs, Periodicals, NISCAIR, Searching Tools. 3+3+4 =10
 b. Explain Indexing and Abstracting? How can it be prepared?

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