

# Introduction to Media

1. Commercial Hindi cinema often uses the \_\_\_\_\_ language
  - a. Khariboli
  - b. Hindustani
  - c. Tamil
  - d. English
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ is a statutory film-certification body in the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting of the Government of India.
  - a. Film Censor Board
  - b. Censor-India Board
  - c. Central Board of Film Certification
  - d. Union Censorship Board
3. The U/A certification for films in India stands for:
  - a. Unrestricted public exhibition
  - b. Adults only
  - c. Restricted to a specialised groups of people, such as engineers, doctors or scientists
  - d. Parental guidance for children under age 12
4. Dadasaheb Phalke's \_\_\_\_\_ is considered the first Indian full-length feature film.
  - a. *Alam Ara*
  - b. *PatherPanchali*
  - c. *Do Bigha Zamin*
  - d. *Raja Harishchandra*
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ imposed a nearly two-year long censorship of Indian media, especially of print media in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century
  - a. The Indian Independence Struggle
  - b. The Partition of India
  - c. The Indian Emergency
  - d. The Indian Economic Liberalisation
6. Cinema was first introduced in India in 1896, when \_\_\_\_\_ showcased six films at the Watson Hotel in Mumbai (then Bombay).
  - a. the Wright brothers
  - b. the Lumiere brothers
  - c. Dadasaheb Phalke
  - d. Sir Bartle Frere
7. \_\_\_\_\_ is writing down the movement, actions, expression and dialogue of the characters in screenplay, in screenplay format.
  - a. Direction

- b. Cinematography
  - c. Scriptwriting
  - d. Screening
8. Scriptwriting aims to:
- a. Externalize a character's internal motivations
  - b. Tell a story visually
  - c. Use proper screenplay format
  - d. All of the above
9. Screenwriting can be used for \_\_\_\_\_, from the following options.
- a. Novels
  - b. YouTube videos
  - c. Newspaper articles
  - d. None
10. Which of the following occurs first in the screenplay format?
- a. Character list
  - b. Dialogue
  - c. Scene Heading
  - d. Paranthesis
11. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a graphic organizer that consists of illustrations or images displayed in sequence for the purpose of pre-visualising a motion picture.
- a. Storyboard
  - b. Moodboard
  - c. Script
  - d. Paranthesis
12. A voiceover in a film often assumes the role of a \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. Director
  - b. Narrator
  - c. Cinematographer
  - d. Distributer
13. The creation of a film based on a novel would be considered an instance of \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. Literary adaptation
  - b. Code switching
  - c. Code mixing
  - d. Semantic transfer
14. \_\_\_\_\_ describes the essential steps for constructing adaptations for any theatrical venue.
- a. Screen to Page
  - b. Screen to Stage
  - c. Page to Stage
  - d. Page to Page
15. When a print novel is read out on the radio without any modifications in the original text, there is only a change in the \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. Title

- b. Medium
  - c. Genre
  - d. Language
16. The film *Haider* is an adaptation of the play *Hamlet*, written by William Shakespeare. What is this an instance of?
- a. Page to Stage to Screen
  - b. Screen to Page
  - c. Page to Page
  - d. None of the above
17. \_\_\_\_\_ can be adapted into feature films
- a. Novels
  - b. Autobiographies
  - c. Mythological stories
  - d. All of the above
18. *Lara Croft: Tomb Raider – The Cradle of Life* is an adaptation of a \_\_\_\_\_ into a film.
- a. Video game
  - b. An Elizabethan play
  - c. A classic novel
  - d. None of the above
19. Which one of the following theorists is known for the quote 'The Medium is the message'?
- a. George Gerbner
  - b. Elizabeth Noelle-Neumann
  - c. Marshall McLuhan
  - d. Jeffrey Cole
20. What is the process of filtering information before it reaches the audience called?
- a. Gatekeeping
  - b. Surveillance
  - c. Gratification
  - d. Broadcasting
21. Mass media are characterised by
- a. Immediate feedback
  - b. Communication from a few to many
  - c. Audience participation
  - d. None of the above
22. Which of the following is a new practice associated with internet media consumption?
- a. Binge-watching
  - b. Broadcasting
  - c. Universalised content
  - d. Family-oriented material
23. Which of the following mediums became newly popular in India in the 1960s and 1970s?
- a. Newspaper
  - b. Radio
  - c. Computers

- d. Television
24. \_\_\_\_\_ is credited with starting the first newspaper in India in 1780.
- a. August Lumiere
  - b. James Augustus Hickey
  - c. Johannes Gutenberg
  - d. Thomas Mann
25. Which of the following is a social networking website?
- a. Amazon.com
  - b. Instagram
  - c. Netflix
  - d. Hulu