

WBSC Exam 2020

General Notes

English



1. Numismatics

Meaning in Hindi :- मुद्राशास्त्र

Meaning in English :- One who study the coins

2. Nocturnal

Meaning in Hindi :- रात्रि संबंधी

Meaning in English :- Done or happening in the night

3. Nepotism

Meaning in Hindi :- भाई-भतीजावाद

Meaning in English :- Favouring ones own's relatives

4. Narcissism

Meaning in Hindi :- अहंकार

Meaning in English :- Abnormal and Excessive admiration of oneself.

5. Nausea

Meaning in Hindi :- जी मिचलाना

Meaning in English :- A feeling of sickness with an inclination to vomit.

6. Neogamist

Meaning in Hindi :- नवविवाहित

Meaning in English :- Newly married

7. Naïve

Meaning in Hindi :- भोला-भाला

Meaning in English :- Having or showing a lack of experience

8. Notary

Meaning in Hindi :- लेख्य प्रमाणक

Meaning in English :- A person authorized to perform certain legal formalities

9. Nursery

Meaning in Hindi :- नर्सरी

Meaning in English :- A place where young plants and trees are grown for sale or for planting

10. Nautical

Meaning in Hindi :- नाविक संबंधी

Meaning in English :- Of ships, sailors or navigation

11. Notorious

Meaning in Hindi :- कुख्यात

Meaning in English :- Famous or well known, typically for some bad quality or deed

12. Obstetrician

Meaning in Hindi :- दाई

Meaning in English :- One expert in the delivery of women

13. Osteology

Meaning in Hindi :- अस्थि विज्ञान

Meaning in English :- A branch of medical science that deals with study of bones

14. Oculist

Meaning in Hindi :- नेत्र-विशेषज्ञ

Meaning in English :- One skilled in the disease of eyes

15. Oligarchy

Meaning in Hindi :- कुलीनतंत्र

Meaning in English :- A rule or government by a small group of people

16. Obsolete

Meaning in Hindi :- अप्रचलित

Meaning in English :- Out of use

17. Omniscient

Meaning in Hindi :- सर्वज्ञ

Meaning in English :- One who knows everything

18. Orphanage

Meaning in Hindi :- अनाथालय

Meaning in English :- An institution for the shelter of orphans

19. Orphan

Meaning in Hindi :- अनाथ

Meaning in English :- A child whose parents died

20. Orthodox

Meaning in Hindi :- रूढ़िवादी

Meaning in English :- A person holding conversational belief especially in matter of religion

21. Omnipotent

Meaning in Hindi :- सर्वशक्तिमान

Meaning in English :- One who has great power and most powerful

22. Opaque

Meaning in Hindi :- अपारदर्शी

Meaning in English :- Not able to be seen through; not transparent

23. Optimist

Meaning in Hindi :- आशावादी

Meaning in English :- An optimist is someone who always sees the bright side of any situation

24. Oath

Meaning in Hindi :- शपथ

Meaning in English :- Solemn undertaking with God's help to do something

25. Outriders

Meaning in Hindi :- पुलिस का आदमी

Meaning in English :- Policemen riding on motorcycles as guards

26. Prologue

Meaning in Hindi :- प्रस्तावना

Meaning in English :- Introductory part of a poem or play

27. Pedantic

Meaning in Hindi :- पांडित्य-प्रदर्शक

Meaning in English :- A style in which a writer seeks to display his knowledge

28. Panacea

Meaning in Hindi :- रामबाण

Meaning in English :- A cure to all

29. Prodigy

Meaning in Hindi :- प्रतिभा सम्पन्न बालक

Meaning in English :- A child with unusual or remarkable talent

30. Polyandry

Meaning in Hindi :- बहुपतित्व

Meaning in English :- The practice of having more than one husband at the same time

31. Posthumous

Meaning in Hindi :- पिता के मरने के बाद

Meaning in English :- A child born after the death of his father

32. Plagiarism

Meaning in Hindi :- साहित्य की चोरी

Meaning in English :- Stealing of the literary works of other writers

33. Plutocracy

Meaning in Hindi :- धनिक तन्त्र

Meaning in English :- A government or rule of the rich people

34. Pedestrian

Meaning in Hindi :- पैदल यात्री

Meaning in English :- One who walks on foot

35. Piscivorous

Meaning in Hindi :- मत्स्यभक्षी

Meaning in English :- Animal which feeds on fish

36. Patricide

Meaning in Hindi :- पिता की हत्या

Meaning in English :- Murder of one's father

37. Pessimist

Meaning in Hindi :- निराशावादी

Meaning in English :- One who takes on a dark view of everything

38. Pseudonym

Meaning in Hindi :- उपनाम

Meaning in English :- An imaginary name assumed by an author for disguise

39. Perjury

Meaning in Hindi :- झूठी गवाही

The act of making a false oath in a judicial proceeding

40. Quarantine

Meaning in Hindi :- पृथक करना

Meaning in English :- Isolation of people or animal that may carry an infectious disease

41. Quadruped

Meaning in Hindi :- चौपाया

Meaning in English :- An animal with four feet

42. Quintuplet

Meaning in Hindi :- एक साथ उत्पन्न पाँच बच्चे

Meaning in English :- Each of five children born at one birth

43. Quack

Meaning in Hindi :- नीम हकीम

Meaning in English :- A doctor who dishonestly pretends to have medical skills or knowledge

44. Quiver

Meaning in Hindi :- काँपना

Meaning in English :- Tremble or shake with a slight rapid motion

45. Quixotic

Meaning in Hindi :- कल्पनायुक्त

Meaning in English :- Extremely idealistic; unrealistic and impractical

46. Questionnaire

Meaning in Hindi :- प्रश्नावली

Meaning in English :- A set of printed or written questions with a choice of answers

47. Quadrennial

Meaning in Hindi :- प्रत्येक चौथे वर्ष होनेवाला

Meaning in English :- Recurring every four years

48. Qualm

Meaning in Hindi :- उबकायी

Meaning in English :- An uneasy sick feeling

49. Quash

Meaning in Hindi :- मिटा देना

Meaning in English :- To put down or suppress completely

50. Refugee

Meaning in Hindi :- आश्रित

Meaning in English :- A person who has been forced to leave their country in order to escape war

51. Rioters

Meaning in Hindi :- उपद्रवी

Meaning in English :- One who is engaged in war

52. Regicide

Meaning in Hindi :- राजा की हत्या

Meaning in English :- Murderer of the King

53. Rapport

Meaning in Hindi :- घनिष्ठता

Meaning in English :- A close and harmonious relationship

54. Rampant

Meaning in Hindi :- आक्रामक

Meaning in English :- Getting worse quickly and in an uncontrolled way

55. Ransom

Meaning in Hindi :- फिरोती

Meaning in English :- A sum of money demanded or paid for the release of a captive.

56. Recluse

Meaning in Hindi :- वैरागी

Meaning in English :- A person who lives alone and avoids social activities.

57. Recapitulate

Meaning in Hindi :- पुनरावृत्ति करना

Meaning in English :- To say something again or to repeat words

58. Referendum

Meaning in Hindi :- जनमत संग्रह

Meaning in English :- A general vote by the electorate on a single political question

59. Rejuvenate

Meaning in Hindi :- जीर्णोद्धार करना

Meaning in English :- Restore to the former state or make fresh again.

60. Repartee

Meaning in Hindi :- हाजिर जवाबी

Meaning in English :- A quick witty reply

61. Retrospective

Meaning in Hindi :- पूर्वप्रभावी

Meaning in English :- Looking back on or dealing with past events or situations

62. Stoic

Meaning in Hindi :- शन्यासी, साधु

Meaning in English :- One who is indifferent to pleasure and pain

63. Shrew

Meaning in Hindi :- झगड़ालू स्त्री

Meaning in English :- An ill-tempered woman

64. Sycophant

Meaning in Hindi :- चापलूस

Meaning in English :- A person who tries to win favour by flattering other

65. Spinster

Meaning in Hindi :- कुंवारी कन्या.

Meaning in English :- An elderly unmarried woman

66. Soliloquy

Meaning in Hindi :- अपने आप बकना

Meaning in English :- Speaking aloud alone

67. Somnambulist

Meaning in Hindi :- नींद में चलनेवाला

Meaning in English :- One who walk in sleep

68. Spendthrift

Meaning in Hindi :- अपव्ययी

Meaning in English :- One who spends money recklessly

69. Scavengers

Meaning in Hindi :- मेहतर

Meaning in English :- The person who keeps street clean

70. Sanatorium

Meaning in Hindi :- आरोग्यआश्रम

Meaning in English :- An institution for the medical care and recuperation of persons who are chronically ill

71. Spokesman

Meaning in Hindi :- प्रवक्ता

Meaning in English :- One who speaks of another

72. Sororicide

Meaning in Hindi :- बहन की हत्या

Meaning in English :- Killing of one's own sister

73. Sinecure

Meaning in Hindi :- कार्यभार रहित नौकरी

Meaning in English :- A post with high salary but no work

74. Truant

Meaning in Hindi :- अनुपस्थित रहने

Meaning in English :- Who stays away from school without leave or explanation

75. Theology

Meaning in Hindi :- धर्मशास्त्र

Meaning in English :- The study of the nature of God and religious belief

76. Teetotaller

Meaning in Hindi :- मद्यत्यागी

Meaning in English :- A person who never drinks alcohol

77. Taciturn

Meaning in Hindi :- अल्पभाषी

Meaning in English :- One who is not talkative

78. Theist

Meaning in Hindi :- आस्तिक

Meaning in English :- One who believes in the existence of God

79. Tomboy

Meaning in Hindi :- लड़के की तरह व्यवहार करनेवाली लड़की

Meaning in English :- A girl who enjoys rough, noisy activities traditionally associated with boys

80. Transgressor

Meaning in Hindi :- कानून का उलंघन करने वाला

Meaning in English :- One who violates the rule

81. Triennial

Meaning in Hindi :- त्रैवार्षिक

Meaning in English :- Recurring every three years.

82. Turnkeys

Meaning in Hindi :- जेल की क चाबी रखने वाला

Meaning in English :- A person who has charge of the keys of a prison

83. Trousseau

Meaning in Hindi :- दुल्हन का वस्त्र

Meaning in English :- An outfit of bride

84. Tantrum

Meaning in Hindi :- गुस्से का आवेश

Meaning in English :- An uncontrolled outburst of anger and frustration

85. Taxidermy

Meaning in Hindi :- चर्मपूर्ण करना

Meaning in English :- The art of preparing, stuffing and mounting the skins of animals with lifelike effect

86. Tyrant

Meaning in Hindi :- तानाशाह

Meaning in English :- A cruel and oppressive ruler

87. Usurer

Meaning in Hindi :- सूदखोर

Meaning in English :- One who lends money at a very high rate

88. Usurper

Meaning in Hindi :- हड़पनेवाला

Meaning in English :- One who seizes something without any legal right

89. Uxorious

Meaning in Hindi :- स्त्रीभक्त

Meaning in English :- One who is extremely fond of one's wife

90. Unanimous

Meaning in Hindi :- सर्व-सम्मत

Meaning in English :- Agreed to by everyone

91. Uxoricide

Meaning in Hindi :- पत्नी की हत्या

Meaning in English :- The killing of one's wife

92. Unintelligible

Meaning in Hindi :- न समझने योग्य

Meaning in English :- Impossible to understand

93. Ubiquitous

Meaning in Hindi :- सर्वव्यापक

Meaning in English :- Present, appearing, or found everywhere

94. Unilateral

Meaning in Hindi :- एकतरफा

Meaning in English :- Involving only one group or country

95. Utopia

Meaning in Hindi :- काल्पनिक आदर्श

Meaning in English :- Imaginary places in which the government, laws and social conditions are perfect

96. Utilitarian

Meaning in Hindi :- उपयोगी

Meaning in English :- Designed to be useful or practical rather than attractive.

- Voracious** (पेट्र) - Very greedy in eating.
- Vagabond** (जो कभी एक जगह स्थिर नहीं रहे) - A person who lives a wandering life.
- Vandal** (जो सरकारी सम्पत्ति को हानि पहुँचाए) - One who damages public property.
- Versatile** (बहुमुखी प्रतिभा वाला) - Able to adopt oneself readily to many situations.
- Veteran** (अपने क्षेत्र में लंबा अनुभव रखने वाला) - One who is experienced in something.
- Velodrome** (साइकिल चलाने का रास्ता) - A track designed for cycling.
- Vulnerable** (किसी चीज से आसानी से ग्रसित होने वाला) - To be affected easily by something.
- Valetudinarian** (जो हमेशा अपने को बीमार समझता है)-One who always thinks himself to be ill.
- Wag** (वह व्यक्ति जो मजाकिया बातें सुनाकर मनोरंजन करता है) - The jocular person who is full of amusing anecdotes.
- Waif** (गरीब, दुबला-पतला, बेघर बच्चा) - A thin and homeless child.
- Walkabout** (राजा का आम जनता से मिलने की प्रक्रिया) - A walk of king etc. among common people to meet them.
- Wardrobe** (कपड़ा रखने की आलमारी) - A place where clothes are kept.
- Walkway** (लोगों के पैदल चलने का ऊँचा) - A passage raised above ground for people to walk.
- Windfall** (अचानक मिलने वाला लाभ) - An unexpected piece of good fortune.
- Widow** (विधवा - A woman whose husband is dead.
- Xenophobia** (अज्ञान लोगों का डर) - Intense dislike or fear of foreigners or strangers.
- Zoophobia** (जानवरों से भय) - fear from animal.
- Zoophile** (जानवरों से प्रेम करने वाला) - A person who loves animals.
- Zymology** (एन्जाइम का अध्ययन) - Study of enzymes.
