

# **BIOLOGY**

# BOOKS - CENGAGE BIOLOGY (ENGLISH)

# THE LIVING WORLD

**Exercises** 

1. At present, scientific names have been given

to

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**2.** Principles and rules of classification are studied under

- A. Systematics
- B. Classification
- C. Taxonomy
- D. Nomenclature

## **Answer: C**



- **3.** The first step of taxonomy is
  - A. Affinity

- B. Identification
- C. Nomenclature
- D. Classification



- **4.** Find the odd one out w.r.t complete linkage
  - A. Adiantum
  - B. Triticum

- C. ephedra
- D. deodara

## **Answer: D**



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**5.** Who among the following is the father of botany?

- A. Mendel
- B. Linnaeus

- C. Khorana
- D. Engler



- **6.** Systematics is the study of
  - A. Diversity amongst groups of organisms
  - B. Grouping of organisms

C. Identification and grouping of organisms

D. Identification, classification and taxonomy

# Answer: A



7. Father of Indian systematic botany

A. R. mishra

- B. William Roxburgh
- C. Theophrastus
- D. Linnaeus



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**8.** Historia Generalis Plantarum was published by

A. Engler and Prantl

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- D. John Ray

#### **Answer: D**



- **9.** Book 'Philosophie Zoologique' published in the year 1809 was written by:
  - A. C. Darwin

- B. Huxley
- C. A.I. Oparin
- D. Lamarck

#### **Answer: D**



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10. Name the taxonomist who wrote Species

Plantarum and Systema Naturae

A. Engler

- B. Linnaeus
- C. Hooker
- D. Wallace



- 11. Find the incorrectly matched pair
  - A. Die Naturlichen Pflanzen Familien -Engler
    - and Prantl

B. Families of Flowering Plants -John

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C. Flora of British India-Bentham

D. Philosophia Botanica-Principles of

binomial nomenclature

# **Answer: C**



**12.** Carolus Linnaeus is the father of taxonomy because of one of his contributions

- A. Genera Plantarum
- B. Binomial nomenclature
- C. Described nearly 10,000 plants and animal species
- D. Die Naturlichen Pffanzen Familien.

**Answer: B** 



**13.** According to binomial nomenclature, two words used for naming a plant or animal are

A. Species and genus

B. Genus and species

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D. Genus and family

#### **Answer: B**



**14.** Corvus splendens is the scientific name of Indian crow. It represents

A. Binomial nomenclature

B. Autonyms

C. Tautonyms

D. Synonyms

**Answer: B** 



**15.** Type specimen described along with holotype is

- A. Isotype
- B. Paratype
- C. Topotype
- D. Syntype

**Answer: B** 



**16.** Scientific names were first standardized through

- A. ICBN
- B. ICZN
- C. BSI
- D. ZSI

**Answer: A** 



<b>17.</b> The	category	that	includes	related	order	is
called						

- A. Families
- B. Phylum
- C. Class
- D. Kingdom

## **Answer: C**



**18.** The fundamental taxonomic category or basic unit of classification is

- A. Genus
- **B.** Species
- C. Sub-species
- D. Variety

**Answer: B** 



19. Organisms which can freely interbreed and produce fertile offspring and have similar coded information or blue print for making these organisms are called

- A. Species
- B. Tribe
- C. Genus
- D. Sub-genus

**Answer: A** 



**20.** The concept of fixity of species was first proposed by

- A. Buffon
- **B. Brunfels**
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21. sequence of taxonomic categories is

A. Division-Class- Family- Tribe-Order-Genus--Species

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C. Phylum-Order-Class-Tribe-Family-Genus-

Species

D. Class-Phylum-Tribe-Order- Family-Genus-

Species



- **22.** Two species can be said to be reproductively isolated if they are
  - A. Interfertile
  - B. Not interfertile
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**23.** Who gave the biological concept of species?

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**24.** Hinny is a hybrid produced under captive conditions by crossing

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- B. Female horse and male donkey
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# 25. A genus with a single species is

- A. Polytypic
- B. Monotypic
- C. Polygamic
- D. Monocarpic



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**26.** Which of the following chemicals is used for poisoning the specimens in herbarium technique?

A. CO

B.  $AgNO_3$ 

C. HCL

D.  $HgCl_2$ 

#### **Answer: D**



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A. 
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$$\mathsf{C.}\,42 imes27cm$$

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A. c, a, b, e, g, d, f

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**31.** Over 6,000,000 specimens are preserved in which bo-tanical garden or herbaria?

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## Answer: A



**34.** The garden famous for the great Banyan tree is under control of

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## **Answer: B**



#### 37. A taxon is

A. a hierarchical unit of taxonomy

B. an animal

C. a plant

D. a virus

#### **Answer: A**



# 38. Class is a category between

- A. Kingdom and phylum
- B. Phylum and order
- C. Order and family
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#### **Answer: B**



**39.** Taxonomic category of 'Order' comes in between

- A. Kingdom and phyla
- B. Kingdom and class
- C. Class and family
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**Answer: C** 



**40.** Those species which can interbreed among themeselves but cannot do so with other species is known as

- A. Morphological species
- B. Biological species
- C. Ecological species
- D. Interbreeding species

## **Answer: B**



**41.** Which of the following is highest in hierarchy?

- A. Order
- B. Species
- C. Class
- D. Genus

**Answer: C** 



**42.** The word Taxonomic hierarchy was given by

A. Carolus Linnaeus

B. John Ray

C. Lamarck

D. Bersey

**Answer: A** 



**43.** Species living in same or overlapping geographical areas are called.

- A. Sympatric
- B. Allopatric
- C. Parapatric
- D. Ring species

**Answer: A** 



**44.** Binomial nomenclature was first mentioned in the book:

- A. Systema Naturac
- B. Historia Animalium
- C. Historia Plantanu~
- D. Philosphia zoologique

## **Answer: 4**



- 45. Select the false statement
  - A. Scientists who study and contribute to the classification of organisms are known as systemat1sts
  - B. Linnaeus developed the first scientific system of naming species
  - C. A five-kingdom alTangement of organisms was introduced by R.H.

    Whittaker

D. Phycomycetes are called club fungi because of clubshaped basidium as end of mycehum.

#### **Answer: D**



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46. Darwin is the author of

A. Genera plantarum

B. Origin of species

- C. Natural selection
- D. Theory of evolution

**Answer: B** 



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**47.** Who proposed the term, alpha, beta, and gamma in taxonomy?

- A. de Candolle
- B. Turill

C. Huxley

D. Lamarck

**Answer: B** 



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48. Two plants are taxonomically related if

A. They store carbohydrate in the same

type of molecule

B. Both obtain energy from hydrolysis of ATP.

C. Both have similarly lobed palmate leaves

D. Both have pinnately veined leaves

# **Answer: A**



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**49.** Which of the following pairs are not related?

- A. Mendel in Pisum sativum
- B. Morgan in Drosophila
- C. Bentham and Hooker in binomial nomenclature
- D. Hugo de Vries in Oenothera /amarckiana

# Answer: C



**50.** In which of the following, organisms are very much similar to each other

- A. Order
- B. Class
- C. Genus
- D. Species

**Answer: D** 



<b>51.</b> Binomial nomenclature was introduced by
A. Linnaeus
B. Whittaker
C. Huxley
D. Darwin
Answer: A
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- A. Engler and Prantl
- B. Ben thum and Hooker
- C. Carolus Linnaeus
- D. Arthur Cronquist

# **Answer: C**



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53. The standard size of herbarium sheet is

A. 
$$11rac{1}{2} imes16rac{1}{2}\mathrm{inch}$$

B. 
$$10\frac{1}{2} imes 16\frac{1}{2} \mathrm{inch}$$

C. 
$$11\frac{1}{2} imes 15\frac{1}{2} \mathrm{inch}$$

D. Variable size

# **Answer: A**



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**54.** New systematics and the concept of life was given by

A. Clementia

- B. Elton
- C. Odum
- D. Huxley

#### **Answer: D**



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**55.** Bentham and Hooker proposed their system of classification in

A. Genera Plantarum

- **B. Species Plantarum**
- C. Historia Plantarum
- D. Historia Nature



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**56.** New systermatics introduced by sir Julian

Huxley is also called

A. Phenetics

- **B.** Cladistics
- C. Biosystematics
- D. Numerical taxonomy



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**57.** which one of the following statement correctly define the term homonym

A. Identical name of two different taxon

- B. Two or more names belonging to the same taxon
- C. When species name repeats the generic name
- D. Other name of taxon given in a language of ther than the language of zoological/botanical nomenclature



## 58. Linnaeus is associated with

- A. Historia Plantarum
- B. Origin of species
- C. Systema Nature
- D. Origin of life

#### **Answer: C**



**59.** Oryza sativa is the binomial name of the rice plant, the sativa stands for

- A. Specific name
- B. Specific epithet
- C. Species name
- D. Specific nomenclature

**Answer: A** 



<b>60.</b> External fertilization occurs in majority of
A. Algae
B. Fungi
C. Liverworts
D. Mosses
Answer: A



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61. Largest number of species are traced in

- A. Arthropoda
- B. Echinodermata
- C. Bacteria
- D. Fungi



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62. Taxonomic hierarchy refers to

- A. Stepwise arrangement of all categories for the classification of plants and animals
- B. A group of senior taxonomists who decide the nomenclature of plants and animals
- C. A list of botanists or zoologists who have worked on the taxonomy of a species or group

D. The classification of a species based on fossil record

Answer: A



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**63.** Serology can be used to know the phylogenetic relationship of

A. Plants

**B.** Animals

- C. Both the above
- D. Dinosaurs

## **Answer: C**



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**64.** Which of the following book was written by

Theophrastus for the first time?

- A. Enquiry into plants
- **B.** Causes of Plants

- C. Historia plantarum
- D. All the above

## **Answer: D**



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**65.** Oswald-Tippo included how many divisions in sub kingdom thallopyta :-

- A. 20 divisions
- **B. 10 divisions**

- C. 7 divisions
- D. 2 divisions

## **Answer: B**



- **66.** First plant classification was given by :-
  - A. Linneaus
  - B. John-Ray
  - C. Theophrastus

D. Darwin

#### **Answer: C**



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# **67.** Division "Tracheophyta" includes :-

- A. Bryophyta
- B. All vascular plants
- C. All non-vascular plants
- D. All non-vascular and vascular plants

#### **Answer: B**



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**68.** Which group of plant have embryo but not vascullar tissue?

- A. Cyanophyta
- B. Tracheophyta
- C. Bryophyta
- D. Chlorophyta

#### **Answer: C**



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**69.** According to Benthum & Hooker total families of real flowering plants is

A. 202

B. 199

C. 34

D. 85

### **Answer: A**



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**70.** Who gave importance of serology in taxonomy?

- A. Willis
- B. Karl Menz
- C. Hutchinson
- D. Whittaker

#### **Answer: B**



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- 71. The word Cryptogamia was coined by:-
  - A. Theophrastus
  - B. Linnaeus
  - C. Benthum & Hooker
  - D. John-Ray

**Answer: B** 

## 72. Siphonogama includes

- A. Bryophyta and thallophyta
- B. Pteridophyta and Bryophyta
- C. Gymnosperm and angiosperm
- D. Thallophyta and gymnosperm

## **Answer: C**



**73.** The phylogenetic relation ship among organisms can be established by the technique

- A. Autoradiography
- B. X-ray crystallography
- C. Serology
- D. Geneology

### **Answer: C**



**74.** According to Oswald Tippo anglosperms are members of:-

A. Atracheata

B. Thallophyta

C. Tracheophyta

D. Spermatophyta

**Answer: C** 



## 75. The book systema naturae was written by

- A. Angler & Prantle
- B. Darwin
- C. Linnaeus
- D. Oswald & Tippo

#### **Answer: C**



**76.** According to Eichler cryptogamia includes

:-

- A. Gymnosperm and Angiosperm
- B. Thallophyta and Gymnosperm
- C. Thallophyta, Bryophyta and Pteridophyta
- D. Only angiosperm

### **Answer: C**



**77.** According to Whittaker kingdom monera includes:-

A. Unicellular eukaryotes

B. Prokaryotes

C. Slime moulds and protozoa

D. Multicellular and eukaryotes

**Answer: B** 



**78.** "Cellular plants" and "Vascular plants" are the groups created by

- A. Tippo
- B. Eichler
- C. Takhtajan
- D. De Candolle

**Answer: D** 



**79.** Linnaeus proposed an outline of plant classification in

- A. Genera Plantarum
- **B. Species Plantarum**
- C. Systema Naturae
- D. Philosophia Botanica

## **Answer: C**



**80.** Who classified the Embryophyta on the basis of fertilization

- A. Eichler
- B. Tippo
- C. Takhtajan
- D. Engler & Prantl

**Answer: D** 



**81.** The earliest serious efforts to classify the living things were made by

- A. Greek philosophers
- B. Latin American scientist
- C. British herbalists
- D. Indian hakims

**Answer: A** 



**82.** Classification proposed by Bentham &

Hooker is mainly based on

- A. Embryological characters
- B. Floral characters
- C. Vegetative characters
- D. Phylogenetic characters

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- C. A five-kingdom alTangement of organisms was introduced by R.H.

Whittaker

D. Phycomycetes are called club fungi because of clubshaped basidium as end of mycehum.

### **Answer: D**



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128. Darwin is the author of

A. Genera plantarum

B. Origin of species

- C. Natural selection
- D. Theory of evolution

# **Answer: B**



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**129.** Who proposed the term, alpha, beta, and gamma in taxonomy?

- A. de Candolle
- B. Turill

C. Huxley

D. Lamarck

**Answer: B** 



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**130.** Two plants are taxonomically related if

A. They store carbohydrate in the same

type of molecule

B. Both obtain energy from hydrolysis of ATP.

C. Both have similarly lobed palmate leaves

D. Both have pinnately veined leaves

## **Answer: A**



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**131.** Which of the following pairs are not related?

- A. Mendel in Pisum sativum
- B. Morgan in Drosophila
- C. Bentham and Hooker in binomial nomenclature
- D. Hugo de Vries in Oenothera /amarckiana

### **Answer: C**



**132.** In which of the following, organisms are very much similar to each other

- A. Order
- **B.** Class
- C. Genus
- D. Species

**Answer: D** 



<b>133.</b> Bionomical nomenclature was given by	

- A. Linnaeus
- B. Whittaker
- C. Huxley
- D. Darwin



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134. Genera Plantarum was written by

- A. Engler and Prantl
- B. Ben thum and Hooker
- C. Carolus Linnaeus
- D. Arthur Cronquist

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135. The standard size of herbarium sheet is

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B. 
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C. 
$$11\frac{1}{2} imes 15\frac{1}{2} \mathrm{inch}$$

D. Variable size

# **Answer: A**



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**136.** New systematics and the concept of life was given by

A. Clementia

- B. Elton
- C. Odum
- D. Huxley

#### **Answer: D**



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**137.** In which book Benthum and Hooker proposed their classification

A. Genera Plantarum

- **B. Species Plantarum**
- C. Historia Plantarum
- D. Historia Nature



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138. New systematics introduced by Sir Julian

Huxley is also called

A. Phenetics

- **B.** Cladistics
- C. Biosystematics
- D. Numerical taxonomy



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**139.** which one of the following statement correctly define the term homonym

A. Identical name of two different taxon

- B. Two or more names belonging to the same taxon
- C. When species name repeats the generic name
- D. Other name of taxon given in a language of other than the language of zoological/botanical nomenclature



## 140. Linnaeus is associated with

- A. Historia Plantarum
- B. Origin of species
- C. Systema Nature
- D. Origin of life

#### **Answer: C**



**141.** Oryza sativae is a binomial name of rice plant. Sativae

- A. Specific name
- B. Specific epithet
- C. Species name
- D. Specific nomenclature

**Answer: A** 



**142.** External fertilization occurs in the majority of

- A. Algae
- B. Fungi
- C. Liverworts
- D. Mosses

## **Answer: A**



## 143. Largest number of species are traced in

- A. Arthropoda
- B. Echinodermata
- C. Bacteria
- D. Fungi

**Answer: A** 



- 144. Taxonomic hierarchy refers to:
  - A. Stepwise arrangement of all categories for the classification of plants and animals
  - B. A group of senior taxonomists who decide the nomenclature of plants and animals
  - C. A list of botanists or zoologists who have worked on the taxonomy of a

species or group

D. The classification of a species based on fossil record

**Answer: A** 



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**145.** Serology can be used to know the phylogenetic relationship of

A. Plants

- B. Animals
- C. Both the above
- D. Dinosaurs

## **Answer: C**



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**146.** Which of the fo llowing book was written by Theophrastus?

A. Enquiry into plants

- **B.** Causes of Plants
- C. Historia plantarum
- D. All the above

#### **Answer: D**



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**147.** Oswald-Tippo included how many divi sions in sub kingdom thallophyta?

A. 20 divisions

- B. 10 divisions
- C. 7 divisions
- D. 2 divisions

## **Answer: B**



- **148.** First plant classification was given by
  - A. Linneaus
  - B. John-Ray

- C. Theophrastus
- D. Darwin

## **Answer: C**



- **149.** Division "Tracheophyta" includes
  - A. Bryophyta
  - B. All vascular plants
  - C. All non-vascular plants

D. All non-vascular and vascular plants

## **Answer: B**



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**150.** Which group of plant has embryo but not vascular tissue?

- A. Cyanophyta
- B. Tracheophyta
- C. Bryophyta

D. Chlorophyta

**Answer: C** 



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**151.** According to Benthum & Hooker total families of real flowering plants is

A. 202

B. 199

C. 34

D. 85

## **Answer: A**



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**152.** Who gave importance of serology in taxonomy?

A. Willis

B. Karl Menz

C. Hutchinson

D. Whittaker

## **Answer: B**



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# **153.** The word Cryptogamia was coined by

- A. Theophrastus
- B. Linnaeus
- C. Benthum & Hooker
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#### **Answer: B**



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## 154. Siphonogama includes

- A. Bryophyta and thallophyta
- B. Pteridophyta and Bryophyta
- C. Gymnosperm and angiosperm
- D. Thallophyta and gymnosperm

**Answer: C** 

**155.** The phylogenetic relation ship among organisms can be established by the technique

- A. Autoradiography
- B. X-ray crystallography
- C. Serology
- D. Geneology

Answer: C

**156.** According to Oswald Tippo Angiosperms are placed under

A. Atracheata

B. Thallophyta

C. Tracheophyta

D. Spermatophyta

**Answer: C** 



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157. Systema Naturae book was written by

- A. Angler & Prantle
- B. Darwin
- C. Linnaeus
- D. Oswald & Tippo

#### **Answer: C**



## 158. According to Eichler cryptogamia includes

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- B. Thallophyta and Gymnosperm
- C. Thallophyta, Bryophyta and Pteridophyta
- D. Only angiosperm

## **Answer: C**



**159.** According to Whittaker, kingdom monera includes

- A. Unicellular eukaryotes
- B. Prokaryotes
- C. Slime moulds and protozoa
- D. Multicellular and eukaryotes

**Answer: B** 



**160.** "Cellular plants" and "Vascular plants" are the groups created by

- A. Tippo
- B. Eichler
- C. Takhtajan
- D. De Candolle

**Answer: D** 



**161.** Linnaeus proposed an outline of plant classification in

- A. Genera Plantarum
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- C. Systema Naturae
- D. Philosophia Botanica

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**162.** Who classified the Embryophyta on the basis of fertilization

- A. Eichler
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**163.** The earliest serious efforts to classify the living things were made by

- A. Greek philosophers
- B. Latin American scientist
- C. British herbalists
- D. Indian hakims

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**164.** Classification proposed by Bentham &

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