FPSC Secondary School Teacher (SST) | BS-17 — GUESS PAPER 2027 (Set 2 of 2) · Predicted Questions

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Question 1 Pedagogy

In marking, which type of question gives the examiner the least room for personal judgement?

- A. Unstructured essays
- B. Structured essays
- C. Multiple type questions ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Short answer

Why this answer? Multiple type (multiple-choice) questions have a fixed key, so their

ne most objective of all.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q13 (multiple-choice questions have the most objective marking); re-asked in new words.

Question 2 Pedagogy

A test that samples a large number of skills with only a few items for each skill is known as what?

- A. Survey ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Diagnostic test
- C. Standardized test
- D. None of these

Why this answer? A survey test samples many skills with just a few items for each — that is its definition.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q14 (a survey test samples many skills with a few items each); re-asked in new words.

Question 3 Pedagogy

For what purpose may interviews be used when judging a candidate's adaptive behaviour?

- A. Calculate
- B. Verify
- C. None of these
- D. Assess ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Interviews are conducted to assess a candidate's adaptive behaviour.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q16 (interviews are conducted to assess adaptive behaviour); re-asked in new words.

4 Pedagogy

In the psychomotor domain, learning by trial, error and imitation, with growing skill, belongs to which level?

- A. Adaptation
- B. Evaluation
- C. Mechanism ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? In the psychomotor domain, trial, error and imitation with growing proficiency is the Mechanism level.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q21 (trial, error and imitation is the Mechanism level of the psychomotor domain); re-asked in new words.

Question 5 Pedagogy

Einstein is quoted as saying that education ought to be fun rather than what?

- A. Learning
- B. Knowledge
- C. Pushed ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? The textbook rendering of Einstein's view is that education should be fun rather than pushed.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q22 (Einstein's view that education should be fun rather than pushed); re-asked in new words.

Question 6 Pedagogy

What do we call the act of giving someone knowledge or a skill by instruction or

- A. Understanding
- B. Learning
- C. None of these
- D. Teaching ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Teaching is imparting knowledge or skill to somebody by instruction or example.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q26 (teaching is imparting knowledge or skill by instruction or example); re-asked in new words.

Question 7 Pedagogy

Teachers who keep thinking about the goals they and their pupils are working towards are given which name?

- A. Reflective Teachers
- B. Intentional Teachers ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Qualified Teachers
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Intentional teachers are those who constantly reflect upon the goals they and their students try to achieve.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q28 (teachers constantly reflecting on goals are Intentional Teachers); re-asked in new words.

Question 8 Pedagogy

What name is given to the rules for presenting lesson content so that pupils grasp it easily?

hods of teaching

- B. Techniques of teaching
- C. None of these
- D. Maxims of teaching ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The maxims of teaching are the rules of presenting contents so as to make them easy.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q31 (the maxims of teaching are the rules of presenting contents to make them easy); re-asked in new words.

Question 9 Pedagogy

When a test gives the same results each time it is repeated, what quality does it show?

- A. Clients
- B. Reliability ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Trials
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Reliability is the consistency of a test — the same test giving the same results on repetition (the source stem reads 'test and effect', understood as test and retest).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q42 (reliability is the same test giving the same results on repetition); re-asked in new words.

Question 10 Pedagogy

What is the chief benefit of simulations for learners?

- A. From outside
- B. From the inside ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. From the help of pens

ne of these

Why this answer? The advantage of simulations is that they allow students to learn about a subject from the inside — by experiencing it.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q51 (simulations let students learn a subject from the inside); re-asked in new words.

Question 11 Pedagogy

In a research study, sampling belongs to which stage of the work?

- A. Analyze data
- B. Interpret data
- C. Collect data ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Sampling is the selection of respondents, which is part of collecting data.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q66 (sampling is related to collecting data); re-asked in new words.

Question 12 Pedagogy

Which technique is regarded as the best for counselling a pupil?

- A. Group discussions
- B. Interest inventories ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Lectures
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Interest inventories help the counsellor understand the counsellee's interests and guide him — the bank's best counselling technique.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q68

...entories are the best counseling technique), re-asked in new words.

Question 13 Pedagogy

What kind of data marks out quantitative research?

- A. Number ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Words
- C. Opinions
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Quantitative research deals with numbers and measurement.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q69 (quantitative research is shown by numbers); re-asked in new words.

Question 14 Pedagogy

Which quality should a good counsellor show towards the person he is helping?

- A. Indifference
- B. Judgmental attitude
- C. None of these
- D. Sympathy ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Sympathy — feeling with the counsellee — is the textbook good quality of a counsellor.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q70 (sympathy is a good quality of a counsellor); re-asked in new words.

Question 15 Pedagogy

Which word describes a good curriculum, one that can adapt to learners and situations?

- A. Flexible ✓ **Predicted answer**

- C. Fixed
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Flexibility is a characteristic of a good curriculum — it adapts to learners and situations.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q72 (flexibility is a characteristic of a good curriculum); re-asked in new words.

Question 16 Pedagogy

Which of these is NOT a type of research design?

- A. Experimental
- B. Descriptive
- C. Hypothesis ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? A hypothesis is a tentative statement to be tested; it is not a type of research design.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q73 (a hypothesis is not a type of research design); re-asked in new words.

Question 17 Pedagogy

Teaching others to obey rules or norms by using punishment to correct unwanted behaviour is defined as what?

- A. Learning
- B. Procedure
- C. None of these
- D. Discipline ✓ **Predicted answer**

swer? Discipline is the practice of teaching others to obey rules or norms by using punishment to correct unwanted behaviours.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q75 (discipline is teaching obedience to rules by punishment of unwanted behaviour); re-asked in new words.

Question 18 Pedagogy

What is the opening step of the research process?

- A. Collection of data
- B. Identification of a broad area of research ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Analysis of results
- D. None of these

Why this answer? The first step of the research process is the identification of a broad area of research.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q76 (the first step of research is identifying a broad area of research); re-asked in new words.

Question 19 Pedagogy

Which of these has the widest scope in education?

- A. Mission
- B. Curriculum
- C. Aims ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Aims are the broadest statements of educational intent — broader in scope than objectives, goals or a mission.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q82 (aims

in scope than mission or curriculum), re-asked in new words.

Question 20 Pedagogy

What is the topmost level of the SOLO taxonomy?

- A. Relational
- B. Multistructural
- C. Extended Abstract ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Extended Abstract is the highest level of the SOLO taxonomy (the source prints 'Mutlistructural', corrected here to Multistructural).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q86 (Extended Abstract is the highest level of the SOLO taxonomy); re-asked in new words.

Question 21 Pedagogy

How long does primary education last in Pakistan?

- A. 6 years
- B. 5 years ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 8 years
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Primary education in Pakistan is Grades 1 to 5 — five years.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q87 (primary education in Pakistan lasts 5 years); re-asked in new words.

Question 22 Pedagogy

Since the IBCC decision of November 2024, what is the pass mark for school board examinations in Pakistan?

- B. 40% ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 50%
- D. None of these

Why this answer? The IBCC approved raising the passing threshold from 33% to 40% in November 2024, for board examinations from 2025.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q88 (the passing criteria in schools in Pakistan is 40% after the IBCC November 2024 decision); re-asked in new words.

Question 23 Pedagogy

Behavioural objectives are another name for which kind of objectives?

- A. General Objectives
- B. Unit Objectives
- C. None of these
- D. Specific Objectives ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Behavioural objectives are specific objectives — stated in terms of observable behaviour.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q90 (behavioural objectives are specific objectives); re-asked in new words.

Question 24 Pedagogy

Which style of leadership suits a school best?

- A. Democratic ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Autocratic
- C. Laissez-Faire
- D. None of these

swer? Democratic leadership — decisions shared with teachers — is the best style for schools.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q91 (democratic leadership is best for schools); re-asked in new words.

Question 25 Pedagogy

Whose taxonomy is called Depth of Knowledge?

- A. Webb's Taxonomy ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Bloom's Taxonomy
- C. Marzano's Taxonomy
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Webb's taxonomy is the Depth of Knowledge (DOK) framework.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q95 (Webb's Taxonomy is referred to as Depth of Knowledge); re-asked in new words.

Question 26 Pedagogy

What does an overprotected child usually show?

- A. Aggressiveness
- B. Defensiveness
- C. Immaturity ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? An overprotected child is shielded from experience and tends to display immaturity.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q97 (the overprotected child tends to display immaturity); re-asked in new words.

27 Pedagogy

Systematic change in the mental processes behind all learning and performance is called what?

- A. Moral development
- B. Social emotional development
- C. Cognitive development ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Cognitive development is the systematic change in the mental processes that underlie all learning and performance.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q98 (systematic change in mental processes underlying learning is cognitive development); re-asked in new words.

Question 28 Pedagogy

What name is given to the process by which experience brings a lasting change in knowledge or behaviour?

- A. Modification
- B. Experimentation
- C. Alternation
- D. Learning ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Learning is the process through which experience causes a permanent change in knowledge or behaviour.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q99 (experience causing permanent change in knowledge or behaviour is learning); re-asked in new words.

29 Pedagogy

Which method of teaching lets pupils learn by living through an experience themselves?

- A. Lecture
- B. Inquiry based learning
- C. Experimental learning ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Learning through direct experience is experiential learning (printed in the source as 'Experimental learning').

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q1 (learning through direct experience is experiential learning); re-asked in new words.

Question 30 Pedagogy

Over whom is a principal's position power limited?

- A. Teachers
- B. Students
- C. Both (A) and (B) ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? The principal's position power is limited to both teachers and students.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q10 (the position power of the principal is limited to both teachers and students); re-asked in new words.

Question 31 Pedagogy

Which activity judges both how people perform and how the work itself has been carried out?

- A. Placement

- C. None of these
- D. Appraisal ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Appraisal is the activity that evaluates both how people perform and how activities have been done.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q13 (appraisal evaluates how people perform and how activities have been done); re-asked in new words.

Question 32 Pedagogy

What is the name for the total knowledge, disposition and expertise of the people in an organisation?

- A. Power
- B. Human capital ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Human potential
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Human capital is the sum of the knowledge, disposition and expertise of the people in an organisation.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q16 (the sum of knowledge, disposition and expertise is human capital); re-asked in new words.

Question 33 Pedagogy

A career is defined as a what, involving a sequence of work?

- A. Job
- B. Life style concept ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Internship
- D. None of these

swer? A career is defined as a life style concept involving a sequence of work.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q18 (a career is a life style concept involving a sequence of work); re-asked in new words.

Question 34 Pedagogy

Which kind of education has no fixed purpose, period or place?

- A. Formal Education
- B. Informal Education ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Indirect Education
- D. Individual Education

Why this answer? Informal education is acquired without any specific purpose, fixed period or place.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q23 (education without specific purpose, fixed period or place is informal education); re-asked in new words.

Question 35 Pedagogy

Which branch of philosophy studies knowledge — its structure, method and validity?

- A. Logic
- B. Aesthetics
- C. Epistemology ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Metaphysics

Why this answer? Epistemology is the branch of philosophy that deals with knowledge, its structure, method and validity.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q25 (epistemology deals with knowledge, its structure, method and validity); re-asked in new

Question 36 Pedagogy

Who matters most when a curriculum is put into practice in the classroom?

- A. Teacher ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Principal
- C. Student
- D. None of these

Why this answer? The teacher is the most important person in curriculum implementation — he delivers it in the classroom.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q28 (the teacher is the most important person in curriculum implementation); re-asked in new words.

Question 37 Pedagogy

A sound curriculum should rest on the needs and aspirations of whom?

- A. People
- B. School
- C. None of these
- D. Society ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A sound curriculum must be based on the needs and aspirations of society.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q31 (a sound curriculum is based on the needs and aspirations of society); re-asked in new words.

38 Pedagogy

In Bloom's taxonomy, which level comes at the very bottom?

- A. Apply
- B. Comprehension
- C. Remember ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? In the revised Bloom's taxonomy the lowest level is Remember.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q42 (Remember is the lowest level in Bloom's Taxonomy); re-asked in new words.

Question 39 Pedagogy

The inductive method of teaching moves in which direction?

- A. From specific to general ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. From general to specific
- C. From macro to micro
- D. From easy to difficult

Why this answer? The inductive method of teaching moves from specific examples to general rules.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q53 (the inductive method moves from specific to general); re-asked in new words.

Question 40 Pedagogy

What is the arithmetic average of a set of scores called?

- A. Mode
- B. Median
- C. None of these

ean ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The mean is the arithmetic average of the scores.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q56 (the arithmetic average of the scores is the mean); re-asked in new words.

Question 41 Pedagogy

A control group is a feature of which kind of research?

- A. Experimental ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Descriptive
- C. Action
- D. None of these

Why this answer? A control group is a characteristic of experimental research.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q58 (a control group is a characteristic of experimental research); re-asked in new words.

Question 42 Pedagogy

In which method does the teacher give information to the pupils in a structured and direct way?

- A. Project based learning
- B. Inquiry method
- C. Direct instruction ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? In direct instruction the teacher provides information in a structured and direct way.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q80 (direct instruction is the teacher providing information in a structured and direct way); re-asked

Question 43 English

Which word is nearest in meaning to the opposite of “obfuscate”?

- A. Explain ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Rectify
- C. Clarity
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Obfuscate” means to make obscure or confusing, so its nearest antonym is “explain”, to make clear.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q1 (obfuscate means to make obscure; its nearest antonym is explain); re-asked in new words.

Question 44 English

What is the nearest opposite of “salubrious”?

- A. Bracing
- B. Improper
- C. Noxious ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Salubrious” means healthy or beneficial, so its antonym is “noxious”, meaning harmful.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q2 (salubrious means healthy; its antonym is noxious); re-asked in new words.

45 English

Which word means the opposite of “truculent”?

- A. Brave
- B. Confident
- C. Gentle ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Truculent” means aggressive and defiant, so its antonym is “gentle”.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q3 (truculent means aggressive; its antonym is gentle); re-asked in new words.

Question 46 English

Which of these is the nearest antonym of “vouchsafe”?

- A. Brave
- B. None of these ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Confident
- D. Gentle

Why this answer? “Vouchsafe” means to grant or give something graciously, so its antonym would be “refuse” or “withhold”, which is not among the options; therefore “None of these” is correct.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q4 (vouchsafe means to grant graciously; its antonym refuse/withhold is not listed); re-asked in new words.

Question 47 English

What is the closest opposite of “wrangle”?

- A. Agree ✓ **Predicted answer**

tend

- C. Submit
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Wrangle” means to argue or quarrel, so its antonym is “agree”.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q5 (wrangle means to argue; its antonym is agree); re-asked in new words.

Question 48 English

Which phrase best gives the meaning of “prodigal”?

- A. Repentant
- B. Generous
- C. Recklessly wasteful ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Prodigal” means spending money or resources wastefully and recklessly.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q6 (prodigal means recklessly wasteful); re-asked in new words.

Question 49 English

Which word comes nearest in meaning to “derelict”?

- A. Haunted
- B. Empty
- C. None of these
- D. Abandoned ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? “Derelict” means abandoned and left to fall into ruin.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q7

ans abandoned), re-asked in new words.

Question 50 English

What does “nexus” mean?

- A. Connection ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Bond
- C. Chain
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Nexus” means a connection or link between things.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q8 (nexus means a connection); re-asked in new words.

Question 51 English

As a verb, “scourge” means what?

- A. Persecute
- B. Flog ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Condemn
- D. None of these

Why this answer? A “scourge” is a whip, and as a verb “scourge” means to whip or flog.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q9 (scourge as a verb means to flog); re-asked in new words.

Question 52 English

Which word is nearest in meaning to “frugal”?

- A. Healthy
- B. Thrifty ✓ **Predicted answer**

- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Frugal” means careful with money and not wasteful, which is “thrifty”.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q10 (frugal means thrifty); re-asked in new words.

Question 53 English

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: He insisted ___ going.

- A. to
- B. for
- C. None of these
- D. on ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? “Insist on” is the correct phrasal verb, followed by the gerund: “He insisted on going.”

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q11 (he insisted on going; insist takes on); re-asked in new words.

Question 54 English

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: He speaks ___ his father speaks.

- A. as
- B. so
- C. like ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “He speaks like his father speaks” is the standard construction in this question: “like” is used to compare the way he speaks with the way his father speaks.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q12

ke his father speaks, like is the comparison word used); re-asked in new words.

Question 55 English

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: He is slow, ___ he is sure.

- A. but
- B. yet ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. and
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Yet” joins the two contrasting ideas: he is slow, yet he is sure.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q13 (he is slow, yet he is sure; yet joins the contrast); re-asked in new words.

Question 56 English

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: He fled ___ he should be killed.

- A. yet
- B. so
- C. lest ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Lest” means “for fear that” and is followed by “should”: “He fled lest he should be killed.”

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q14 (he fled lest he should be killed; lest means for fear that); re-asked in new words.

Question 57 English

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: I enjoy sitting ___ alone.

- B. herself
- C. None of these
- D. myself ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The reflexive pronoun for “I” is “myself”: “I enjoy sitting by myself alone.”

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q15 (the reflexive pronoun for I is myself); re-asked in new words.

Question 58 English

In the sentence “Automobiles are polluting the cities”, what part of speech is “the cities”?

- A. Complement
- B. Direct object ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Verb
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “The cities” is what is being polluted, so it is the direct object of the verb “are polluting”.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q16 (in 'Automobiles are polluting the cities', the cities is the direct object); re-asked in new words.

Question 59 English

In the sentence “The ship is going slowly”, what part of speech is “slowly”?

- A. Adjective
- B. Verb
- C. Adverb ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

swer? "Slowly" describes how the ship is going, so it is an adverb.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q17 (in 'The ship is going slowly', slowly is an adverb); re-asked in new words.

Question 60 English

In the sentence "Two and two make four", what part of speech is "and"?

- A. Conjunction ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Preposition
- C. Complement
- D. None of these

Why this answer? "And" joins "two" and "two", so it is a conjunction.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q18 (in 'Two and two make four', and is a conjunction); re-asked in new words.

Question 61 English

In the sentence "I want to go", what part of speech is "to go"?

- A. Gerund
- B. Participle
- C. None of these
- D. Infinitive ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? "To go" is the infinitive form of the verb, "to" plus the base verb.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q19 (in 'I want to go', to go is an infinitive); re-asked in new words.

Question 62 English

In the sentence "The boy laughs loudly", what part of speech is "laughs"?

- B. Pronoun
- C. None of these
- D. Verb ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? “Laughs” is the action of the sentence, so it is a verb.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q20 (in 'The boy laughs loudly', laughs is a verb); re-asked in new words.

Question 63 Professional

Which of these is NOT one of the three focal points of the triangular process of teaching?

- A. Teaching method ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Teacher
- C. Pupil
- D. None of these

Why this answer? The triangular process of teaching has three focal points: the teacher, the pupil and the content; the teaching method is not one of them.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q21 (the triangular process of teaching has teacher, pupil and content as focal points); re-asked in new words.

Question 64 Professional

What is the goal of teaching?

- A. To involve pupils in activities
- B. Teaching change of behaviour ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. To impart knowledge
- D. None of these

swer? The goal of teaching is to bring about desirable changes in the behaviour of the learner.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q22 (the goal of teaching is change of behaviour); re-asked in new words.

Question 65 Professional

In which method do the pupils sit passive while the teacher talks?

- A. Project method
- B. Lecture method ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Discovery method
- D. None of these

Why this answer? In the lecture method the teacher talks and the pupils only listen, so the pupils are passive.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q24 (students are passive in the lecture method); re-asked in new words.

Question 66 Professional

In which method is practice built up by repetition?

- A. Drill method ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Inductive method
- C. Deductive method
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Drill is the repeated practice of a learning act until the desired level of skill is reached.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q25 (practice is made in the drill method); re-asked in new words.

67 Professional

What does the American approach in teaching methodology lay stress on?

- A. Teacher
- B. Learning objectives ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Content presentation
- D. None of these

Why this answer? The American approach in teaching methodology emphasises learning objectives: teaching is planned around what the pupil should be able to do.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q26 (the American approach emphasizes learning objectives); re-asked in new words.

Question 68 Professional

Which of these is NOT a kind of lesson plan grouped by objectives?

- A. Cognitive lesson plan
- B. Micro lesson plan ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Affective lesson plan
- D. None of these

Why this answer? A micro lesson plan is a short lesson plan used in teacher training; it is a type based on duration and scale, not on objectives.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q27 (micro lesson plan is not a type of lesson plan on the basis of objectives); re-asked in new words.

Question 69 Professional

Which statement about a lesson plan is NOT true?

- A. It develops confidence

- C. None of these
- D. It is developed by students ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A lesson plan is developed by the teacher, not by the students, so this is not true.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q28 (a lesson plan is not developed by students); re-asked in new words.

Question 70 Professional

Which pupil's act belongs to the psychomotor domain?

- A. Demonstrates awareness to environmental pollution
- B. Can compare results of two experiments
- C. Performs an experiment ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Performing an experiment is a physical, hands-on act, which belongs to the psychomotor domain.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q30 (performing an experiment is an example of the psychomotor domain); re-asked in new words.

Question 71 Professional

Which pupil's act belongs to the cognitive domain?

- A. Develop an X-ray film
- B. Describe a specific topic ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Type a letter
- D. None of these

swer? Describing a topic is a thinking act using knowledge, which belongs to the cognitive domain.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q31 (describing a specific topic is an example of the cognitive domain); re-asked in new words.

Question 72 Professional

Into how many domains are educational objectives divided?

- A. Three ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Two
- C. Four
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Educational objectives are divided into three domains: cognitive, affective and psychomotor.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q32 (educational objectives are divided into three domains); re-asked in new words.

Question 73 Professional

Who presented the classification of the cognitive domain?

- A. Skinner
- B. Krathwohl
- C. None of these
- D. Benjamin S. Bloom ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Benjamin S. Bloom presented the classification of the cognitive domain in his Taxonomy of Educational Objectives (1956).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q35 (Benjamin S. Bloom presented the classification of the cognitive domain); re-asked in new

Question 74 Professional

In Bloom's original taxonomy, which is the highest level of learning in the cognitive domain?

- A. Evaluation ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Synthesis
- C. Analysis
- D. None of these

Why this answer? In Bloom's original taxonomy the levels are knowledge, comprehension, application, analysis, synthesis and evaluation, and evaluation is the highest.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q36 (evaluation is the highest level of learning in the cognitive domain); re-asked in new words.

Question 75 Professional

Knowing, memorising and recalling belong to which level of Bloom's taxonomy?

- A. Comprehension
- B. Application
- C. None of these
- D. Knowledge ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Knowing, memorizing and recalling is the knowledge level of Bloom's taxonomy.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q37 (knowing, memorizing and recalling is the knowledge level); re-asked in new words.

76 Professional

Grasping the meaning of material belongs to which level?

- A. Application
- B. Comprehension ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Knowledge
- D. None of these

Why this answer? To grasp the meaning of material is the comprehension level of Bloom's taxonomy.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q38 (grasping the meaning of material is comprehension); re-asked in new words.

Question 77 Professional

Using what was learned before in a new situation belongs to which level?

- A. Application ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Comprehension
- C. Knowledge
- D. None of these

Why this answer? To use previously learned material in a new situation is the application level of Bloom's taxonomy.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q39 (using previously learned material in a new situation is application); re-asked in new words.

Question 78 Professional

In which year was the Taxonomy of Educational Objectives presented?

- A. 1946

6 ✓ Predicted answer

- C. 1966
- D. None of these

Why this answer? Bloom's Taxonomy of Educational Objectives was published in 1956.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: fpsc-sst-male-2018-batch3 Q40 (the Taxonomy of Educational Objectives was presented in 1956); re-asked in new words.

Question 79 English (Grammar)

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: Even his opponents admit that he is endowed ___ rare talents.

- A. Of
- B. At
- C. With ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Endowed with” is the correct collocation — he is endowed with rare talents.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q56 (he is endowed with rare talents; endowed takes with); re-asked in new words.

Question 80 English (Grammar)

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: He seems to be quite ignorant ___ the facts.

- A. Of ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. In
- C. At
- D. None of these

swer? “Ignorant of” is the correct collocation — ignorant of the facts.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q59 (he is ignorant of the facts; ignorant takes of); re-asked in new words.

Question 81 English (Grammar)

Pick the pair that completes the sentence correctly: While ___ in the garden, he ___ a small box.

- A. Digging, finding
- B. Digging, found ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Digging, is finding
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “While digging in the garden, he found a small box” — the participial phrase and the past tense both fit.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q61 (while digging in the garden, he found a small box); re-asked in new words.

Question 82 English (Grammar)

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: It ___ useless to persuade a stubborn man.

- A. Is ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Were
- C. Was
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “It is useless to persuade a stubborn man” — the singular subject takes “is”.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q62 (it is

persuade a stubborn man), re-asked in new words.

Question 83 English (Grammar)

Pick the pair that completes the sentence correctly: The story books which my teacher ___, ___ very interesting.

- A. Recommends, is
- B. Recommended, was
- C. None of these
- D. Recommended, are ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? "The story books which my teacher recommended, are very interesting" — past tense verb and plural "are" both agree.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q63 (the story books which my teacher recommended, are very interesting); re-asked in new words.

Question 84 English (Grammar)

Pick the pair that completes the sentence correctly: Cannon had ___ unique qualities ___ it was used widely in ancient times.

- A. Such, so
- B. That, since
- C. Such, that ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. That, that

Why this answer? "Cannon had such unique qualities that it was used widely in ancient times" — the "such...that" construction is correct.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q33 (cannon had such unique qualities that it was used widely); re-asked in new words.

85 English (Grammar)

Pick the pair that completes the sentence correctly: Anna and Tania went shopping but ___ couldn't find anything ___ liked.

- A. They, those
- B. They, them
- C. They, they ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Those, they

Why this answer? “Anna and Tania went shopping but they couldn't find anything they liked” — both pronouns fit.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q38 (anna and Tania went shopping but they couldn't find anything they liked); re-asked in new words.

Question 86 English (Grammar)

Pick the phrase that completes the sentence correctly: While the UK has earned record revenue this year, ___ well behind in exports.

- A. It still lags ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. It still lag
- C. It lag still
- D. It lags still

Why this answer? “It still lags well behind in exports” — correct word order and agreement.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q39 (while UK has earned record revenue, it still lags well behind in exports); re-asked in new words.

87 English (Grammar)

Which sentence uses a relative pronoun correctly?

- A. The journal, which is renowned for its impact factor, accepts papers from various disciplines. ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. The study that aims to improve health, were conducted in multiple cities.
- C. The manuscript, which was reviewed thoroughly, were published last month.
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “The journal, which is renowned for its impact factor, accepts papers from various disciplines” — the relative pronoun and the verb both agree.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q89 (the journal, which is renowned for its impact factor, accepts papers from various disciplines); re-asked in new words.

Question 88 English (Grammar)

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: He was born ___ December 12, 1990.

- A. On ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. In
- C. At
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “He was born on December 12, 1990” — “on” is used with a specific date.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q92 (he was born on December 12, 1990); re-asked in new words.

89 English (Grammar)

Pick the word that completes the sentence correctly: The shop is located ___ the park.

- A. Between
- B. By
- C. Near ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “The shop is located near the park” — “near” is the natural preposition.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q93 (the shop is located near the park); re-asked in new words.

Question 90 English (Grammar)

Which sentence punctuates a complex sentence correctly?

- A. The researchers, who are experts in the field, presented findings at the conference. ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. The researchers who are experts in the field, presented findings at the conference.
- C. The researchers, who are experts in the field, they presented findings at the conference.
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “The researchers, who are experts in the field, presented findings at the conference” — the non-restrictive clause is correctly set off by commas.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q98 (the researchers, who are experts in the field, presented findings at the conference); re-asked in new words.

91 English (Grammar)

Pick the phrase that completes the sentence correctly: Katherine made her children ___ chores on Sunday.

- A. Do some ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Make some
- C. Take some
- D. Does some

Why this answer? “Katherine made her children do some chores on Sunday” — “do chores” is the correct collocation.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q99 (Katherine made her children do some chores on Sunday); re-asked in new words.

Question 92 English (Grammar)

Pick the phrase that completes the sentence correctly: If I have money, I ___ it tomorrow.

- A. Have purchase
- B. Would purchase
- C. Have purchased
- D. Will purchase ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? “If I have money, I will purchase it tomorrow” — the first conditional takes “will”.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q100 (if I have money, I will purchase it tomorrow); re-asked in new words.

Question 93 English (Vocabulary)

Which phrase gives the opposite of “snigger”?

- A. Giggle

- C. None of these
- D. Laugh openly ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A snigger is a suppressed, disrespectful laugh; its antonym is to laugh openly.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q80 (the antonym of snigger is laugh openly); re-asked in new words.

Question 94 English (Vocabulary)

Which word is the opposite of “sleazy”?

- A. Honorable ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Dishonest
- C. Corrupt
- D. None of these

Why this answer? “Sleazy” means dishonest and corrupt; its antonym is “honorable”.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q81 (the antonym of sleazy is honorable); re-asked in new words.

Question 95 English (Vocabulary)

Which word means the same as “fumigate”?

- A. Clean
- B. Decorate
- C. None of these
- D. Disinfect ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? To fumigate is to disinfect an area with fumes or smoke.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q83 (the

fumigate is disinfect), re-asked in new words.

Question 96 English (Vocabulary)

Which word means the same as “fringe”?

- A. Core
- B. Border ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Center
- D. None of these

Why this answer? A fringe is the outer edge or border of something.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q85 (the synonym of fringe is border); re-asked in new words.

Question 97 Pak Studies

The Single National Curriculum was brought in under which Prime Minister?

- A. Nawaz Sharif
- B. Shehbaz Sharif
- C. None of these
- D. Imran Khan ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The Single National Curriculum was introduced in the government of Prime Minister Imran Khan (2020-21).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q93 (the Single National Curriculum was introduced under Prime Minister Imran Khan); re-asked in new words.

Question 98 Pak Studies

In which year did the 18th Amendment move textbook development from the federal

t to the provinces?

- A. 2012
- B. 2008
- C. None of these
- D. 2010 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The 18th Amendment of 2010 shifted textbook development from the federal government to the provinces.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-26 Q96 (the 18th Amendment of 2010 shifted textbook development to the provinces); re-asked in new words.

Question 99 Everyday Science

A solution is a mixture of which two things?

- A. Mixture and Compound
- B. Element and Mixture
- C. Solvent and Compound
- D. Solute and Solvent ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A solution is a mixture of a solute and a solvent.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q6 (a solution is a mixture of solute and solvent); re-asked in new words.

Question 100 Mathematics

What is the mean of 9, 0, 5, 1 and 0?

- A. 2
- B. 3 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 1

Why this answer? Mean = (9 + 0 + 5 + 1 + 0) divided by 5 = 15 divided by 5 = 3.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: FPSC-SST-2024-12-30 Q35 (the mean of 9, 0, 5, 1, 0 is 3); re-asked in new words.

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