PPSC Assistant & Junior Clerk | BS-16 — GUESS PAPER 2026 (Set 2 of 2) · Predicted Questions

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Question 1 General Knowledge

The International Labour Organization came into being in which year?

- A. 1915
- B. 1923
- C. 1929
- D. 1919 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The ILO was established in 1919.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-

.022-Q3 (ILO established 1919; verified answer 1919).

Question 2 General Knowledge

After the First World War, which treaty was imposed on Turkey in 1920?

- A. Treaty of Versailles
- B. Treaty of Lausanne
- C. Treaty of Sevres ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Treaty of Paris

Why this answer? The Treaty of Sevres (1920) dismembered the Ottoman Empire; Versailles (1919) was with Germany.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q5 (1920 treaty with Turkey — Treaty of Sevres; verified answer Treaty of Sevres).

Question 3 General Knowledge

Magna Carta of 1215 is also known as the:

- A. Great Charter ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Hunter's Commission
- C. Macaulay Report
- D. Charter of Rights

Why this answer? Magna Carta is also called the Great Charter.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q6 (Magna Carta also called Great Charter; verified answer Great Charter).

4 General Knowledge

Of which kingdom was Alexander the Great the king?

- A. Egypt
- B. Portugal
- C. Macedonia ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Greece

Why this answer? Alexander the Great was king of Macedonia.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q7 (Alexander the Great, king of Macedonia; verified answer Macedonia).

Question 5 General Knowledge

Roosevelt's Hundred Days belong to which year of his presidency?

- A. 1930
- B. 1933 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 1932
- D. 1934

Why this answer? Roosevelt's first Hundred Days ran from March to June 1933.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q8 (Roosevelt pioneered the 100-day concept in 1933; verified answer 1933).

Question 6 General Knowledge

Which peak is the highest in the Koh-e-Sulaiman range?

- A. Takhat-e-Sulaiman ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Tirich Mir
- C. Sakar

Why this answer? Takht-e-Sulaiman (3,487 m) is the highest peak of the Koh-e-Sulaiman range.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q10 (highest peak of Koh-e-Sulaiman — Takhat-e-Sulaiman; verified answer Takhat-e-Sulaiman).

Question 7 General Knowledge

'The Clash of Civilizations' is the work of which author?

- A. Alvin Toffler
- B. Samuel P. Huntington ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Toynbee
- D. Francis Fukuyama

Why this answer? Samuel P. Huntington wrote The Clash of Civilizations.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q11 (author of The Clash of Civilizations — Samuel P. Huntington; verified answer Samuel P. Huntington).

Question 8 General Knowledge

Name the capital city of Cuba.

- A. Istanbul
- B. Tokyo
- C. Madrid
- D. Havana ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Havana is the capital of Cuba.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-

2022 Q1 (capital of Cuba — Havana; verified answer Havana).

Question 9 General Knowledge

How high is K2, the second highest mountain in the world?

- A. 8611 m ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 8476 m
- C. 8798 m
- D. 8765 m

Why this answer? K2 is 8,611 metres high.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q9 (height of K2 — 8611 m; verified answer 8611 m).

Question 10 General Knowledge

What is the capital of Australia?

- A. Canberra ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Sydney
- C. Melbourne
- D. Perth

Why this answer? Canberra is the capital of Australia; Sydney is its largest city.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: world capitals recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 11 General Knowledge

Which is the largest ocean in the world?

- A. Atlantic
- B. Pacific ✓ **Predicted answer**

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- D. Arctic

Why this answer? The Pacific is the largest ocean in the world.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: world geography facts recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 12 Pakistan Studies

During the Second World War, who was the Viceroy of India?

- A. Lord Irwin
- B. Lord Harding
- C. Lord Wavell
- D. Lord Linlithgow ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Lord Linlithgow was Viceroy of India during the Second World War (1936-1943).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q18 (Lord of India during 2nd World War — Lord Linlithgow; verified answer Lord Linlithgow).

Question 13 Pakistan Studies

On which river has Warsak Dam been built?

- A. Indus
- B. Swat
- C. Kabul ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Chenab

Why this answer? Warsak Dam is built on the Kabul River.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-

2022 Q19 (Warsak Dam on river Kabul, verified answer Kabul).

Question 14 Pakistan Studies

The Simla Agreement between Pakistan and India was signed in:

- A. 1972 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 1971
- C. 1973
- D. 1974

Why this answer? The Simla Agreement was signed in July 1972.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q21 (Simla Agreement signed 1972; verified answer 1972).

Question 15 Pakistan Studies

The title 'father of local self-government in India' belongs to which Viceroy?

- A. Lord Ripon ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Lord Dalhousie
- C. Lord Wellesley
- D. Lord Bentinck

Why this answer? Lord Ripon is regarded as the father of local self-government in India.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q24 (father of local self-government — Lord Ripon; verified answer Lord Ripon).

Question 16 Pakistan Studies

Under whose viceroyalty was the first all-India census held in 1872?

- A. Lord Curzon

- d Mayo ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Lord Canning
- D. Lord Irwin

Why this answer? The first all-India census was held in 1872 under Lord Mayo.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q25 (first census in India in the period of Lord Mayo; verified answer Lord Mayo).

Question 17 Pakistan Studies

Dadabhai Naoroji is known for being which president of the Indian National Congress?

- A. First
- B. Third
- C. Fourth
- D. Second ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Dadabhai Naoroji was the second president of the Indian National Congress (1886).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q28 (second President of Indian National Congress — Dadabhai Naoroji; verified answer Dadabhai Naoroji).

Question 18 Pakistan Studies

What is the length of the Durand Line between Pakistan and Afghanistan?

- A. 2611 km ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 2100 km
- C. 2350 km
- D. 2865 km

swer? The Durand Line is 2,611 km long.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q30 (length of Pakistan-Afghanistan border 2611 km; verified answer 2611 km).

Question 19 Pakistan Studies

Akbar became Emperor at the age of:

- A. 10
- B. 11
- C. 13 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 12

Why this answer? Akbar was 13 years old when crowned Emperor in 1556.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q32 (Akbar crowned Emperor at 13; verified answer 13).

Question 20 Pakistan Studies

Politics and the State in Pakistan was written by:

- A. Muhammad Waseem ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Hassan Askari
- C. Khalid Saeed
- D. Ayesha Jalal

Why this answer? Muhammad Waseem wrote Politics and the State in Pakistan.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q33 (Politics and the State in Pakistan by Muhammad Waseem; verified answer Muhammad Waseem).

21 Pakistan Studies

Mazar-e-Quaid, the tomb of Quaid-e-Azam, is situated in:

- A. Karachi ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Lahore
- C. Multan
- D. Islamabad

Why this answer? Mazar-e-Quaid is in Karachi.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q36 (Quaid-e-Azam tomb in Karachi; verified answer Karachi).

Question 22 Pakistan Studies

Name the last Viceroy of India.

- A. Lord William Bentinck
- B. Lord Mountbatten ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Charles Metcalfe
- D. Lord Harding

Why this answer? Lord Mountbatten was the last Viceroy of India (1947).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q26 (last Viceroy of India — Lord Mountbatten; verified answer Lord Mountbatten).

Question 23 Pakistan Studies

Fort William College was established in which city?

- A. Delhi
- B. Hyderabad
- C. Bombay

cutta ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Fort William College was established in Calcutta in 1800.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q15 (Fort William College established in Calcutta; verified answer Calcutta).

Question 24 Pakistan Studies

What is the national animal of Pakistan?

- A. Lion
- B. Markhor ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Tiger
- D. Snow leopard

Why this answer? The Markhor is the national animal of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: national symbols recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 25 Pakistan Studies

Who was the first Prime Minister of Pakistan?

- A. Khawaja Nazimuddin
- B. Liaquat Ali Khan ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Muhammad Ali Bogra
- D. Feroz Khan Noon

Why this answer? Liaquat Ali Khan was the first Prime Minister of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: first office-holders recur in every sitting of this post.

26 Computer Science

BCD code has how many bits:

- A. 4 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 5

Why this answer? BCD (Binary Coded Decimal) uses 4 bits per decimal digit.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q51 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q9 both key 4.

Question 27 Computer Science

How many bits are in one byte:

- A. 4
- B. 8 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 16
- D. 32

Why this answer? One byte is 8 bits.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q52 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q65 both key 8.

Question 28 Computer Science

Which one of the following is input device?

- A. Scanner ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Monitor
- C. Printer

Why this answer? A scanner is an input device; a monitor, printer and speaker are output devices.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q56 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q73 both key Scanner.

Question 29 Computer Science

Which one of the following is not a system software?

- A. Entertainment ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Utility Software
- C. Driver
- D. Operating system

Why this answer? Entertainment software is application software, not system software.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q59 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q21 both key Entertainment.

Question 30 Computer Science

Which is not an application software:

- A. PageMaker
- B. Windows NT ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. WinWord XP
- D. Photoshop

Why this answer? Windows NT is an operating system (system software), not application software.

ed [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q60 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q62 both key Windows NT.

Question 31 Computer Science

The default alignment for paragraph is

- A. Right
- B. Left ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Center
- D. Justify

Why this answer? The default paragraph alignment is left.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q62 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q66 both key Left.

Question 32 Computer Science

Times New Roman is the example of

- A. Text
- B. Alignment
- C. Ruler
- D. Font ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Times New Roman is an example of a font.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q63 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q76 both key Font.

33 Computer Science

Block chain technology is used in:

- A. Digital media
- B. Paper currency
- C. Email
- D. Cryptocurrency ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Blockchain technology is used in cryptocurrency.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q66 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q58 both key Cryptocurrency.

Question 34 Computer Science

Which one of the following is presentation software:

- A. MS Word
- B. MS Excel
- C. MS PowerPoint ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. MS Access

Why this answer? MS PowerPoint is presentation software; Word is word processing and Excel is spreadsheets.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q67 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q63 both key MS PowerPoint.

Question 35 Computer Science

In Gmail we attached:

- A. Audio

- C. Text
- D. All of these ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Audio, video and text files can all be attached in Gmail.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q68 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q64 both key All of these.

Question 36 Computer Science

Moving the cursor a single word to the right needs which shortcut?

- A. Ctrl+Left Arrow
- B. Ctrl+Shift+Right Arrow
- C. Ctrl+Right Arrow ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Ctrl+Home

Why this answer? Ctrl+Right Arrow moves the cursor one word to the right.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q53 (key to move cursor one word right — Ctrl+Right Arrow; verified answer Ctrl+Right Arrow).

Question 37 Computer Science

Centre alignment of selected text is done with which shortcut?

- A. Ctrl+U
- B. Ctrl+E ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Ctrl+I
- D. Ctrl+T

Why this answer? Ctrl+E centre-aligns selected text.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q54 (shortcut key to Center Align — Ctrl+E; verified answer Ctrl+E).

Question 38 Computer Science

Data can be backed up on which of the following?

- A. Floppy disk
- B. Hard disk
- C. CD
- D. All of these ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Floppy disks, hard disks and CDs are all used to back up data.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q55 (devices used to back up data — All of these; verified answer All of these).

Question 39 Computer Science

Deleted items in Windows go directly to the:

- A. Desktop
- B. Taskbar
- C. Recycle Bin ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Control Panel

Why this answer? Deleted items go to the Recycle Bin.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q57 (deleted items go to the Recycle Bin; verified answer Recycle Bin).

Question 40 Computer Science

A desktop PC at home is an example of which class of computer?

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- B. Mini
- C. Micro ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Super

Why this answer? Microcomputers are also called personal computers.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q58 (computers also called personal computers — Micro; verified answer Micro).

Question 41 Computer Science

Which of these can Word's web authoring tools incorporate on web pages?

- A. Bullets
- B. Hyperlinks
- C. Sounds
- D. All of these ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Word's web authoring tools can incorporate bullets, hyperlinks and sounds.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q61 (Word web authoring tools incorporate All of these; verified answer All of these).

Question 42 Computer Science

Of the following memories, which one is the fastest?

- A. Cache ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. RAM
- C. ROM
- D. CPU

swer: Cache memory is the fastest memory in a computer.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q64 (fastest memory — Cache; verified answer Cache).

Question 43 Computer Science

The memory used to start a computer is:

- A. RAM
- B. WAN
- C. ROM ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Hard disk

Why this answer? ROM holds the BIOS/firmware that starts the computer.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q65 (memory used to start a computer — ROM; verified answer ROM).

Question 44 Computer Science

Which Excel function returns the highest value in a set of data?

- A. AVG
- B. LRG
- C. MAX ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. MIN

Why this answer? The MAX function in Excel returns the highest value in a set of data.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q69 (Excel function returning the highest value — MAX; verified answer MAX).

45 Computer Science

To change the colour of different objects in PowerPoint without changing content, which command is used?

- A. Color Scheme ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Design template
- C. Object Color
- D. Font Color

Why this answer? A colour scheme changes the colours of objects without changing the content.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q70 (command to change colour of objects without changing content — Color Scheme; verified answer Color Scheme).

Question 46 Computer Science

Which shortcut key is used to copy selected text?

- A. Ctrl+V
- B. Ctrl+X
- C. Ctrl+C ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Ctrl+Z

Why this answer? Ctrl+C copies selected text; Ctrl+V pastes it.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Computer Science: MS Word shortcut keys recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 47 English

The antonym of Ordeal is:

- A. Test

- C. Provoke
- D. Trial

Why this answer? Ordeal means a severe trial; its antonym is ease (comfort).

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q72 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q15 both key Ease.

Question 48 English

To Poke one's nose into means:

- A. To clean one's nose
- B. To take interest in other affairs ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. To bury something
- D. To smell something

Why this answer? To poke one's nose into means to take an interest in other people's affairs.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q75 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q23 both key To take interest in other affairs.

Question 49 English

To side with means

- A. To reject
- B. To agree ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. To protest
- D. To contradict

swer? To side with means to agree with or support someone.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q76 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q42 both key To agree.

Question 50 English

A place where fish are kept is called:

- A. Aviary
- B. Apiary
- C. Stable
- D. Aquarium ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? An aquarium is a place where fish are kept; an aviary is for birds and an apiary for bees.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q78 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q24 both key Aquarium.

Question 51 English

Friendly is which part of speech?

- A. Adjective ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Adverb
- C. Noun
- D. Verb

Why this answer? Friendly is an adjective (a friendly person).

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q79 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q28 both key

Question 52 English

Choose the antonym of 'deny'.

- A. Block
- B. Prevent
- C. Check
- D. Acknowledge ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Deny means to refuse to admit; its antonym is acknowledge.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q71 (antonym of Deny — Acknowledge; verified answer Acknowledge).

Question 53 English

'Backward' in the sense of undeveloped is opposed by which word?

- A. Developed ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Dull
- C. Sluggish
- D. Unwillingness

Why this answer? Backward (undeveloped) is opposed by developed.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q73 (antonym of Backward — Developed; verified answer Developed).

Question 54 English

What is the antonym of 'felicity'?

- A. Sorrow ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Powerful

row
- D. Opaque

Why this answer? Felicity means happiness, so its antonym is sorrow.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q74 (antonym of Felicity — Sorrow; verified answer Sorrow).

Question 55 English

The idiom 'once in a blue moon' is used for something that happens:

- A. Very strangely
- B. Very often
- C. Very quickly
- D. Very rarely ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? 'Once in a blue moon' means very rarely.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q77 (once in a blue moon means Very rarely; verified answer Very rarely).

Question 56 English

Two clauses are joined by which part of speech?

- A. Adjective
- B. Adverb
- C. Preposition
- D. Conjunction ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A conjunction joins two clauses.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q80 (part of speech used to join two clauses — Conjunction; verified answer Conjunction).

57 English

Fill in the blank: 'What ___ the price of his book last month?'

- A. is
- B. was ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. were
- D. has been

Why this answer? 'Last month' needs the past tense, so 'was' is correct.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q81 (What was the price of his book last month; verified answer was).

Question 58 English

The synonym of 'impart' is:

- A. Inflict
- B. Take sides
- C. Communicate ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Defy

Why this answer? Impart means to communicate or pass on.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q82 (synonym of Impart — Communicate; verified answer Communicate).

Question 59 English

What is the antonym of 'ancient'?

- A. Old
- B. Antique
- C. Modern ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Ancient means very old, so its antonym is modern.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: antonyms recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 60 English

Choose the passive form: 'He wrote a letter.'

- A. A letter is written by him
- B. A letter has been written by him
- C. He was written a letter
- D. A letter was written by him ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? 'He wrote a letter' becomes 'A letter was written by him' in the passive voice.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — English: active and passive voice recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 61 Urdu

مشتاق احمد یوسفی کی وجہ شہرت کیا ہے؟

A. ڈرامہ نگاری•

Predicted answer ✓ B. مزاح نگاری•

C. تنقید نگاری•

D. شاعری•

Why this answer? مشتاق احمد یوسفی مزاح نگاری کی وجہ سے مشہور ہیں۔

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-

2022-Q84 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q91 both key مزاح نگاری.

Question 62 Urdu

ٹائیں ٹائیں فش سے کیا مراد ہے؟

A. شور کرنا

B. تنگ کرنا

Predicted answer ✓ C. بے نتیجہ

D. کامیابی

Why this answer? ٹائیں ٹائیں فش سے مراد بے نتیجہ ہے۔

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q88 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q97 both key بے نتیجہ.

Question 63 Urdu

'توبۃ النصوح' کس مصنف کا ناول ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. ڈپٹی نذیر احمد

B. مولانا شبلی نعمانی

C. مولانا الطاف حسین حالی

D. ابن انشاء

Why this answer? توبۃ النصوح ڈپٹی نذیر احمد کا ناول ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q85 (Tauba-tun-Nasuh is Deputy Nazir Ahmad's novel; verified answer Deputy Nazir Ahmad).

64 Urdu

'لاہور کا جغرافیہ' کس نے لکھا ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. پطرس بخاری

B. ناصر کاظمی

C. اختر شیرانی

D. احمد ندیم قاسمی

Why this answer? لاہور کا جغرافیہ پطرس بخاری کی تصنیف ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q86 (Lahore ka Geographia by Patras Bokhari; verified answer Patras Bokhari).

Question 65 Urdu

'اردو کی آخری کتاب' کے مصنف کون ہیں؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. ابن انشاء

B. ڈپٹی نذیر احمد

C. منشی پریم چند

D. عبدالحلیم شرر

Why this answer? اردو کی آخری کتاب ابن انشاء کی مشہور تصنیف ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q87 (Urdu Ki Aakhri Kitab by Ibn-e-Insha; verified answer Ibn-e-Insha).

Question 66 Urdu

لفظ 'مرثیہ' کی جمع کیا ہے؟

B. مرسول

Predicted answer ✓ C. مراثی

D. مسافر

Why this answer? مرثیہ کی جمع مراثی ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q89 (plural of marsia — marasi; verified answer marasi).

Question 67 Urdu

'آم کے آم گٹھلیوں کے دام' سے کیا مراد ہے؟

A. نقصان

B. دوہرا نقصان

Predicted answer ✓ C. دوہرا فائدہ

D. اکیلا فائدہ

Why this answer? اس ضرب المثل کا مطلب دوہرا فائدہ ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q90 (Aam ke aam guthliyon ke daam means double benefit; verified answer double benefit).

Question 68 Urdu

مرزا غالب کا اصل نام کیا تھا؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. مرزا اسد اللہ خان غالب

B. مرزا محمد حسین

C.
D. مرزا احمد ندیم

Why this answer? مرزا غالب کا اصل نام مرزا اسد اللہ خان غالب تھا۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu: famous poets and their names recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 69 Geography

Which is the largest river of Asia?

- A. Mekong
- B. Indus
- C. Yangtze ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Ganges

Why this answer? The Yangtze (6,300 km) is the largest river of Asia.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q41 (largest river of Asia — Yangtze; verified answer Yangtze).

Question 70 Geography

Which is the highest mountain in the world?

- A. K2
- B. Kangchenjunga
- C. Makalu
- D. Mount Everest ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Mount Everest (8,849 m) is the highest mountain in the world; K2 is the second highest.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Geography: world mountains

y sitting of this post.

Question 71 Geography

Which is the longest river in the world?

- A. Amazon
- B. Yangtze
- C. Nile ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Indus

Why this answer? The Nile is the longest river in the world.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Geography: world rivers recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 72 Geography

What is the capital of France?

- A. London
- B. Paris ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Berlin
- D. Madrid

Why this answer? Paris is the capital of France.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Geography: world capitals recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 73 Geography

The Sahara desert is located in which continent?

- A. Africa ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Asia

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- D. South America

Why this answer? The Sahara is in Africa.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Geography: world deserts recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 74 Islamic Studies

Imam Ghazali RA passed in which hijri year:

- A. 500 Hijri
- B. 505 Hijri ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 503 Hijri
- D. 510 Hijri

Why this answer? Imam Ghazali passed away in 505 Hijri (1111 CE).

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q91 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q34 both key 505 Hijri.

Question 75 Islamic Studies

What is the meaning of Shahadat?

- A. Penitence
- B. Glorification
- C. Repudiation of infidelity
- D. Testimony ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Shahadat means testimony (bearing witness).

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q95 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q48 both key

Question 76 Islamic Studies

How many days Hazrat Muhammad SAW stayed at Ghar-e-Saur:

- A. 2 days
- B. 3 days ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 4 days
- D. 5 days

Why this answer? The Prophet (PBUH) stayed at Ghar-e-Saur for 3 days during the Hijrat.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q96 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q51 both key 3 days.

Question 77 Islamic Studies

The last Ghazwa of the Holy Prophet (PBUH) was:

- A. Ghazwa Hunain
- B. Ghazwa Ahzab
- C. Ghazwa Tabook ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Ghazwa Mutah

Why this answer? Ghazwa Tabook (9 Hijri) was the last Ghazwa in which the Prophet (PBUH) participated.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q93 (last Ghazwa of the Prophet — Ghazwa Tabook; verified answer Ghazwa Tabook).

78 Islamic Studies

Surah Kahf names which animal as the companion of the Ashaab-e-Kahf?

- A. Cat
- B. Horse
- C. Dog ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Woodpecker

Why this answer? A dog is mentioned with the Ashaab-e-Kahf in Surah Kahf.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q97 (animal mentioned with Ashaab-e-Kahf — Dog; verified answer Dog).

Question 79 Islamic Studies

حضرت جبرائیل علیہ السلام کی سب سے بڑی مخالف قوم کون سی ہے؟

A. ہندو

B. عیسائی

C. مجوسی

Predicted answer ✓ D. یہودی

Why this answer? اسلامی روایت میں یہودیوں کو حضرت جبرائیل علیہ السلام کا سب سے بڑا مخالف کہا گیا ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q99 (greatest opponents of Hazrat Jibraeel — Jews; verified answer Jews).

Question 80 Islamic Studies

Hazrat Umar (RA) remained Caliph for how long?

- A. 4 years 5 months
- B. 7 years 5 months

years 5 months ✓ Predicted answer

- D. 12 years 5 months

Why this answer? Hazrat Umar (RA) was caliph for 10 years 5 months (634-644 CE).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q94 (Hazrat Umar's caliphate — 10 years 5 months; verified answer 10 years 5 months).

Question 81 Islamic Studies

بنو قینقاع اور بنو قریظہ کا تعلق کس قوم سے تھا؟

A. عیسائیوں کے

Predicted answer ✓ B. یہودیوں کے

C. ہندوؤں کے

D. پارسیوں کے

Why this answer? بنو قینقاع اور بنو قریظہ مدینہ کے یہودی قبیلے تھے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q98 (Banu Qaynuqa and Banu Qurayza — Jewish tribes; verified answer Jewish tribes).

Question 82 Islamic Studies

حضرت موسیٰ علیہ السلام کی پرورش کس بادشاہ کے گھر میں ہوئی؟

A. نمرود

B. قارون

C. ہامان

Predicted answer ✓ D. فرعون

Why this answer? حضرت موسیٰ علیہ السلام کے فرعون کے گھر ہ

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q100 (Hazrat Musa brought up in Pharaoh's house; verified answer Pharaoh).

Question 83 Islamic Studies

Which is the first month of the Islamic calendar?

- A. Safar
- B. Muharram ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Ramadan
- D. Shawwal

Why this answer? Muharram is the first month of the Islamic (Hijri) calendar.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Islamiat: the Islamic calendar recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 84 Islamic Studies

Over how many years was the Holy Quran revealed?

- A. 20 years
- B. 25 years
- C. 30 years
- D. 23 years ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The Holy Quran was revealed over 23 years.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Islamiat: the revelation of the Quran recurs in every sitting of this post.

85 Islamic Studies

Who was the first Caliph of Islam?

- A. Hazrat Umar (RA)
- B. Hazrat Usman (RA)
- C. Hazrat Ali (RA)
- D. Hazrat Abu Bakar (RA) ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Hazrat Abu Bakar (RA) was the first Caliph of Islam.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Islamiat: the Khulafa-e-Rashideen recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 86 Science

Who proposed the theory of evolution:

- A. Herbert Spencer
- B. Mendel
- C. Lamarck
- D. Charles Darwin ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Charles Darwin proposed the theory of evolution by natural selection.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q46 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q80 both key Charles Darwin.

Question 87 Science

Which element does the symbol Cu denote?

- A. Chromium
- B. Carbon
- C. Copper ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Cu is the chemical symbol of copper.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q42 (Cu is the symbol of Copper; verified answer Copper).

Question 88 Science

Milk has a pH of about:

- A. 6.7 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 6
- C. 7
- D. 7.5

Why this answer? The pH of milk is about 6.7.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q43 (pH of milk 6.7; verified answer 6.7).

Question 89 Science

What is the chemical formula of water?

- A. H2O ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. CO2
- C. O2
- D. NaCl

Why this answer? Water is H2O: two hydrogen atoms and one oxygen atom.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Science: chemical symbols and formulae recur in every sitting of this post.

90 Science

Which force pulls objects towards the Earth?

- A. Friction
- B. Magnetism
- C. Inertia
- D. Gravity ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Gravity is the force that pulls objects towards the Earth.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Science: basic physics facts recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 91 Everyday Science

Television radio phone spread signals through

- A. Electromagnetic waves ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Infrared waves
- C. UV waves
- D. Sound waves

Why this answer? Television, radio and phones all spread signals through electromagnetic waves.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q48 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q69 both key Electromagnetic waves.

Question 92 Everyday Science

Radioactivity measured by which device:

- A. Radioactivity meter
- B. Roll counter

- D. Barometer

Why this answer? A Geiger counter measures radioactivity.

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q49 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q75 both key Geiger counter.

Question 93 Everyday Science

Polio is caused by:

- A. Bacteria
- B. Virus ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Fungus
- D. Protozoa

Why this answer? Polio is caused by a virus (poliovirus).

Why predicted [A] — Repeated question: repeated — ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q50 and PPSC-2023-ASSISTANT-BS16-JUNIOR-CLERK-BS11 Q72 both key Virus.

Question 94 Everyday Science

Dirt is removed from clothes by soap and detergents because of:

- A. Capillary action
- B. Osmosis
- C. Diffusion
- D. Lowering of interfacial tension ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Soap and detergents remove dirt by lowering the interfacial tension between water and the dirt.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q44 (soap removes dirt by lowering of interfacial tension; verified answer Lowering of interfacial tension).

Question 95 Everyday Science

What is cleaned in haemodialysis?

- A. Glomerular filtrate
- B. Urine
- C. Blood ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Coelomic fluid

Why this answer? Haemodialysis is the cleaning of blood (artificial kidney).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q47 (haemodialysis means cleaning of Blood; verified answer Blood).

Question 96 Everyday Science

In which part of the plant cell does photosynthesis take place?

- A. Endoplasmic reticulum
- B. Chloroplast ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Golgi body
- D. Nucleus

Why this answer? Photosynthesis occurs in the chloroplast of plant cells.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q45 (photosynthesis occurs in Chloroplast; verified answer Chloroplast).

Question 97 Everyday Science

Which organ pumps blood around the human body?

- B. Lung
- C. Heart ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Kidney

Why this answer? The heart pumps blood around the human body.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Everyday Science: the human body recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 98 Current Affairs

In which year was the United Nations (UNO) founded?

- A. 1919
- B. 1948
- C. 1955
- D. 1945 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The United Nations was founded in 1945, after the Second World War.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Current Affairs: international organisations recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 99 Current Affairs

Where is the headquarters of the United Nations?

- A. Geneva
- B. New York ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. London
- D. Paris

Why this answer? The headquarters of the United Nations is in New York.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Current Affairs: international

s recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 100 Analytical Reasoning

Complete the analogy: Frugal : Parsimonious :: Joy : ?

- A. Rich : Poor
- B. Joy : Ecstasy ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Love : Hate
- D. Poor : Misery

Why this answer? Frugal and parsimonious are synonyms, just as joy and ecstasy are near-synonyms.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-assistant-junior-clerk-agriculture-2022 Q83 (Frugal : Parsimonious :: Joy : Ecstasy; verified answer Joy : Ecstasy).

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