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Question 1 Urdu

جب کوئی شخص مصیبت میں اپنے اچھے دنوں کو یاد کرے تو اسے کس محاورے سے بیان کیا جاتا ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. نانی یاد آنا

B. آسمان سر پر اٹھانا

C. ناک میں دم کرنا

D. ہاتھ پاؤں پھولنا

Why this answer? "نانی یاد آنا" کا مطلب ہے مصیبت میں خوشحالی کے دن یاد آنا۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q46 (نانی کا دن یاد آنا — خوشحالی یاد آنا).

Question 2 Urdu

اردو محاورہ "کافور ہونا" کس حالت کو ظاہر کرتا ہے؟

A. نمودار ہونا

B. ساتھ چلنا

C. ظاہر ہونا

Predicted answer ✓ D. غائب ہونا

Why this answer? کافور ہونا کے معنی غائب ہونا ہیں۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q47 (کافور ہونا — غائب ہونا).

Question 3 Urdu

جملے "علی اخبار پڑھتا ہے" میں اخبار کی گرامری حیثیت کیا ہے؟

A. فاعل

Predicted answer ✓ B. مفعول

C. فعل

D. حرف

Why this answer? اخبار وہ چیز ہے جو پڑھی جا رہی ہے، اس لیے یہ مفعول ہے؛ علی فاعل اور پڑھتا فعل ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q48 (علی اخبار پڑھتا ہے — اخبار مفعول ہے).

4 Urdu

فعل "جاتا رہا" میں اصل فعل کے ساتھ لگا ہوا مددگار لفظ کون سا ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. رہا

B. جاتا

C. کارواں

D. ناکامی

Why this answer? جاتا اصل فعل ہے اور رہا اس کا امدادی (مددگار) فعل ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q49 (جاتا رہا میں امدادی فعل —).

Question 5 Urdu

اردو کے کس بزرگ ادیب کو "بابائے اردو" کے لقب سے یاد کیا جاتا ہے؟

A. محمد حسین آزاد

B. شبلی نعمانی

C. رحمت علی

Predicted answer ✓ D. مولوی عبدالحق

Why this answer? مولوی عبدالحق کو بابائے اردو کہا جاتا ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q42 (بابائے اردو — مولوی عبدالحق).

Question 6 Urdu

جدید گرامر کی درجہ بندی میں کا، کی، کے کو کس قسم کے حروف میں شمار کیا جاتا ہے؟

nswer ✓ A. حروف جار

B. حروف علت

C. حروف ندا

D. حروف عطف

Why this answer جدید درجہ بندی میں کا، کی، کے کو حروف جار میں شمار کیا جاتا ہے۔?

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q43 (کا، کی، کے — حروف جار، جدید درجہ بندی میں).

Question 7 Urdu

ضرب المثل "ناچ نہ جانے آنگن ٹیڑھا" کس رویے پر بولی جاتی ہے؟

A. قابلیت دکھانے پر

Predicted answer ✓ B. اپنی نااہلی کا الزام دوسروں پر ڈالنے پر

C. نالائقی چھپانے پر

D. خود کو ماہر سمجھنے پر

Why this answer یہ ضرب المثل اس شخص پر بولی جاتی ہے جو اپنی نااہلی کا ذمہ دار دوسروں کو ٹھہراتا ہے۔?

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q44 (ناچ نہ جانے آنگن ٹیڑھا — نااہلی دوسروں پر ڈالنا).

Question 8 Urdu

جب کسی کو عزت سے "آقا" کہہ کر پکارا جائے تو یہ لفظ قواعد میں کیا کہلاتا ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. خطاب

B. لقب

C. کنیت

Why this answer? آقا پکارنے کا لفظ ہے، اس لیے یہ خطاب ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q45 (آقا — خطاب).

Question 9 Urdu

پہلے زمانے میں خوشی کے موقع پر کس چیز کے دیے جلائے جاتے تھے؟

A. تیل کے

Predicted answer ✓ B. مٹی کے

C. گھی کے

D. پانی کے

Why this answer? پہلے دور میں خوشی سے مٹی کے دیے جلائے جاتے تھے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q46 (خوشی سے مٹی کے دیے جلائے جاتے تھے).

Question 10 Urdu

لفظ "تنقید" کس مادے سے نکلا ہے؟

A. تنقید

Predicted answer ✓ B. نقد

C. نقاد

D. تنقیدا

Why this answer? تنقید کا مادہ نقد ہے، جس کے معنی پرکھنا اور اچھے برے کو الگ کرنا ہیں۔

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q1 (تنقید کا مادہ — نقد).

Question 11 Urdu

اردو افسانہ نگاری میں "ڈاچی" کے مصنف کا نام بتائیں:

A. منٹو

B. اشفاق احمد

Predicted answer ✓ C. اوپندر ناتھ اشک

D. قرۃ العین حیدر

Why this answer? ڈاچی اوپندر ناتھ اشک کا افسانہ ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q2 (ڈاچی — اوپندر ناتھ اشک).

Question 12 Urdu

شعر "نہیں آتی تو یاد ان کی مہینوں تک نہیں آتی، مگر جب یاد آتے ہیں تو اکثر یاد آتے ہیں" کس شاعر کا ہے؟

A. حیدر علی آتش

Predicted answer ✓ B. ناصر کاظمی

C. حسرت موہانی

D. جون ایلیا

Why this answer? یہ شعر ناصر کاظمی کا ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q3 (یہ شعر — ناصرکاظمی).

13 Urdu

محاورہ "نہال ہونا" کس کیفیت کو بیان کرتا ہے؟

A. افسردہ ہونا

B. تنگ دست ہونا

C. پریشان ہونا

Predicted answer ✓ D. باغ باغ ہونا

Why this answer? نہال ہونا کے معنی بہت خوش ہونا یعنی باغ باغ ہونا ہیں۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q4 (نہال ہونا — باغ باغ ہونا).

Question 14 Urdu

اردو ادب میں "مصور غم" کا لقب کس ادیب کو ملا؟

A. چراغ حسن حسرت

Predicted answer ✓ B. راشد الخیری

C. حیدر علی آتش

D. پریم چند

Why this answer? راشد الخیری کو عورتوں کے دکھ درد کی تصویر کشی پر مصور غم کہا جاتا ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q6 (مصور غم — راشد الخیری).

Question 15 Urdu

اقبال کے خطوط کا مجموعہ "کلیات مکاتیب اقبال" کس نے مرتب کیا؟

.A•

.B• پروفیسر یوسف سلیم

Predicted answer ✓ .C• سید مظفر حسین برنی

.D• وحید قریشی

Why this answer? کلیات مکاتیب اقبال کے مرتب سید مظفر حسین برنی ہیں۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q8 (کلیات مکاتیب اقبال کے مرتب — سید مظفر حسین برنی).

Question 16 Urdu

شمالی ہند میں صوفیائے کرام نے عام لوگوں تک اپنا پیغام پہنچانے کے لیے کس زبان کو ذریعہ بنایا؟

.A• فارسی

.B• اردو

.C• پنجابی

Predicted answer ✓ .D• ہندی

Why this answer? شمالی ہند کے صوفیا نے تبلیغ کے لیے عام لوگوں کی زبان ہندی کو ذریعہ بنایا۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q9 (صوفیائے کرام نے تبلیغ کا ذریعہ ہندی کو بنایا).

Question 17 Urdu

تاریخ گوئی (مصرعوں سے تاریخ نکالنے) کے فن میں کس شاعر کو مہارت حاصل تھی؟

.A• میر تقی میر

.B• ذوق

.C• الطاف حسین حالی

nswer ✓ D. مومن خان مومن

Why this answer? مومن خان مومن کو تاریخ گوئی پر مہارت حاصل تھی۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q10 (تاریخ گوئی پہ مہارت — مومن خان مومن).

Question 18 Urdu

ارسطو کی کتاب "Poetic" کا اردو ترجمہ "بوطیقا" کے نام سے کس نے کیا؟

A. مولوی عبدالحق

B. شمس الرحمن فاروقی

C. اختر حسین رائے پوری

Predicted answer ✓ D. جمیل جالبی

Why this answer? جمیل جالبی نے ارسطو کی Poetic کا ترجمہ بوطیقا کے نام سے کیا۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q11 ("Poetic" کا ترجمہ بوطیقا — جمیل جالبی).

Question 19 Urdu

"تحسین و تردید" نامی تصنیف کس ادیب کی ہے؟

A. حنیف رامے

B. ڈاکٹر انور سدید

Predicted answer ✓ C. فتح محمد ملک

D. وزیر آغا

Why this answer? تحسین و تردید فتح محمد ملک کی تصنیف ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q12 (تحسین و تردید کے مصنف — فتح محمد ملک).

Question 20 Urdu

گومت اور نیلمبر کس ناول کے کردار ہیں؟

A. میرے بھی صنم خانے

Predicted answer ✓ B. آگ کا دریا

C. پت جھڑ کی آواز

D. چاندنی بیگم

Why this answer? گومت اور نیلمبر آگ کا دریا کے کردار ہیں۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q13 (گومت، نیلمبر، چھ با، ہری شکر — آگ کا دریا کے کردار).

Question 21 Urdu

"آگ کا دریا" ناول کتنی مدت کی تاریخ پر محیط ہے؟

A. ایک ہزار سال

B. دو ہزار سال

C. تین ہزار سال

Predicted answer ✓ D. اڑھائی ہزار سال

Why this answer? آگ کا دریا تقریباً اڑھائی ہزار سال کی تاریخ پر محیط ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q15 (آگ کا دریا — اڑھائی ہزار سالہ تاریخ).

22 Urdu

ادبی رسالہ "نقوش" کے مدیر کا نام کیا ہے؟

A. سجاد حیدر یلدرم

B. مجید لاہوری

Predicted answer ✓ C. محمد طفیل

D. خواجہ رضی حیدر

Why this answer? رسالہ نقوش کے مدیر محمد طفیل تھے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q16 (رسالہ نقوش کے مدیر — محمد طفیل).

Question 23 Urdu

پاکستان کی اکادمی ادبیات کی سربراہی کرنے والی پہلی خاتون کا نام کیا ہے؟

A. کشور ناہید

B. پروین شاکر

Predicted answer ✓ C. ڈاکٹر نجیبہ عارف

D. زاہدہ حنا

Why this answer? ڈاکٹر نجیبہ عارف اکادمی ادبیات پاکستان کی پہلی خاتون چیئرپرسن ہیں۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q17 (اکادمی ادبیات کی پہلی خاتون چیئرپرسن — ڈاکٹر نجیبہ عارف).

Question 24 Urdu

"چلتا مسافر" میں الطاف فاطمہ نے کس تاریخی واقعے کو موضوع بنایا ہے؟

B. جنگ آزادی

Predicted answer ✓ C. سقوط ڈھاکہ

D. ہجرت

Why this answer? چلتا مسافر سقوط ڈھاکہ پر لکھی گئی تحریر ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q18 (چلتا مسافر کا موضوع — سقوط ڈھاکہ).

Question 25 Urdu

مرزا سلامت علی دبیر کے شاعر بیٹے کا نام کیا تھا؟

A. مرزا محمد تقی

B. مرزا سلامت علی

C. مرزا زین العابدین

Predicted answer ✓ D. مرزا جعفر اوج

Why this answer? دبیر کے شاعر بیٹے مرزا محمد جعفر تھے، جن کا تخلص اوج تھا۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q19 (دبیر کا شاعر بیٹا — مرزا جعفر اوج).

Question 26 Urdu

کتاب "آخری سواریاں" کے مصنف کا نام بتائیں:

A. مستنصر حسین تارڑ

Predicted answer ✓ B. سید اشرف

C. انور مقصود

D. مشـ

Why this answer? آخری سواریاں سید محمد اشرف کی تصنیف ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q20 (آخری سواریاں — سید اشرف).

Question 27 Urdu

کتاب "اردو میں اصول تحقیق" کس نے مرتب کی ہے؟

A. ڈاکٹر وزیر آغا

Predicted answer ✓ B. ایم سلطانہ بخش

C. ڈاکٹر جمیل جالبی

D. ڈاکٹر ابواللیث صدیقی

Why this answer? اردو میں اصول تحقیق ایم سلطانہ بخش کی مرتب کردہ کتاب ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q21 (اردو میں اصول تحقیق — ایم سلطانہ بخش).

Question 28 Urdu

"شاعر کشمیر" کے لقب سے کس شاعر کو جانا جاتا ہے؟

A. مرزا غالب

B. علامہ اقبال

Predicted answer ✓ C. محمد دین فوق

D. الطاف حسین حالی

Why this answer? محمد دین فوق کو شاعر کشمیر کہا جاتا ہے۔

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q22 (شاعر کشمیر — محمد دین فوق).

Question 29 Urdu

اقبال کی پہلی کتاب کا نام بتائیں:

Predicted answer ✓ A. علم الاقتصاد

B. بانگ درا

C. اسرار خودی

D. ضرب کلیم

Why this answer? علم الاقتصاد (1903) اقبال کی پہلی تصنیف ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q23 (اقبال کی پہلی تصنیف — علم الاقتصاد).

Question 30 Urdu

تمثیلی ادب میں اردو کی پہلی باقاعدہ کتاب کا نام کیا ہے؟

A. فسانہ عجائب

Predicted answer ✓ B. سب رس

C. بوستان خیال

D. علم الاقتصاد

Why this answer? ملا وجہی کی سب رس کو اردو کی پہلی باقاعدہ تمثیلی کتاب مانا جاتا ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q24 (اردو کی پہلی باقاعدہ تمثیلی کتاب — سب رس).

31 Urdu

محاورہ "قارورہ ملنا" کس بات کو ظاہر کرتا ہے؟

A. جھگڑا ہونا

B. رابطہ ٹوٹ جانا

Predicted answer ✓ C. گہرے رابطے ہونا

D. ملاقات ہونا

Why this answer? قارورہ ملنا کا مطلب ہے لوگوں کے درمیان گہرے اور قریبی رابطے ہونا۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q27 (قارورہ ملنا — گہرے رابطے ہونا).

Question 32 Urdu

"مرد ابریشم" کس کے بارے میں لکھی گئی کتاب ہے؟

A. فیض احمد فیض

B. اشفاق احمد

Predicted answer ✓ C. قدرت اللہ شہاب

D. بانو قدسیہ

Why this answer? بانو قدسیہ نے مرد ابریشم قدرت اللہ شہاب کے متعلق لکھی۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q28 (مرد ابریشم — قدرت اللہ شہاب کے متعلق).

Question 33 Urdu

مندرجہ ذیل میں سے کون سی صورت "فی الواقع" کی درست تلفظ والی صورت ہے؟

B. فلواقع

C. فی الواقعہ

Predicted answer ✓ D. فی الواقع

Why this answer? فی الواقع درست تلفظ ہے؛ باقی صورتیں غلط ہیں۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q30 (درست تلفظ — فی الواقع; the source printed two identical options, so the options are re-set here).

Question 34 Urdu

صلح کرنے والی دو جماعتوں کے لیے درست جملہ کون سا ہے؟

A. فریقوں نے صلح کر لی

Predicted answer ✓ B. فریقین نے صلح کر لی

C. فریقان نے صلح کر لی

D. فریق نے صلح کر لی

Why this answer? دو فریقوں کے لیے درست تثنیہ فریقین ہے، اس لیے "فریقین نے صلح کر لی" درست جملہ ہے۔

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q31 (درست جملہ — فریقین نے صلح کر لی).

Question 35 Urdu

اردو ادب میں "شاعر مشرق" کا لقب کس شاعر کو دیا گیا ہے؟

A. مرزا غالب

B. میر تقی میر

Predicted answer ✓ C. علامہ اقبال

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Why this answer? علامہ اقبال کو شاعر مشرق کہا جاتا ہے۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu adab: Iqbal's title شاعر مشرق recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 36 Urdu

غزل کے پہلے شعر کو کیا کہتے ہیں؟

A. مقطع

B. قافیہ

C. ردیف

Predicted answer ✓ D. مطلع

Why this answer? غزل کے پہلے شعر کو مطلع کہتے ہیں۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu adab: the parts of a ghazal (مطلع، مقطع، قافیہ، ردیف) recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 37 Urdu

"آب حیات" کے مصنف کون ہیں؟

A. شبلی نعمانی

B. الطاف حسین حالی

Predicted answer ✓ C. محمد حسین آزاد

D. ڈپٹی نذیر احمد

Why this answer? آب حیات محمد حسین آزاد کی تصنیف ہے۔

ed [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu adab: آب حیات and its author recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 38 Urdu

داستان "باغ و بہار" کس نے لکھی؟

A. مرزا غالب

Predicted answer ✓ B. میر امن

C. ملا وجہی

D. اشرف علی تھانوی

Why this answer? باغ و بہار میر امن کی لکھی ہوئی داستان ہے۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu adab: باغ و بہار and its author recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 39 Urdu

اردو کے پہلے ناول "مراۃ العروس" کے مصنف کون ہیں؟

A. منٹو

B. پریم چند

C. عبدالحلیم شرر

Predicted answer ✓ D. ڈپٹی نذیر احمد

Why this answer? مراۃ العروس اردو کا پہلا ناول مانا جاتا ہے اور اس کے مصنف ڈپٹی نذیر احمد ہیں۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu adab: the first Urdu novel recurs in every sitting of this post.

40 Urdu

ایک غزل میں کم از کم کتنے اشعار ہونے چاہییں؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. پانچ اشعار

B. تین اشعار

C. سات اشعار

D. نو اشعار

Why this answer? غزل میں کم از کم پانچ اشعار ہوتے ہیں۔

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Urdu adab: the form of the ghazal recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 41 General Knowledge

In which sea is Astola Island situated?

- A. Arabian Sea ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Bay of Bengal
- C. Mediterranean Sea
- D. Red Sea

Why this answer? Astola Island lies in the Arabian Sea off the coast of Balochistan, Pakistan.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q1 (Astola Island — Arabian Sea off Balochistan).

Question 42 General Knowledge

The Great Barrier Reef lies off the coast of which country?

- A. Australia ✓ **Predicted answer**

- C. South Africa
- D. Brazil

Why this answer? The Great Barrier Reef lies off the coast of Queensland, Australia.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q2 (Great Barrier Reef — off Queensland, Australia).

Question 43 General Knowledge

Who became the first provisional president of the Republic of China in 1912?

- A. Xi Jinping
- B. Li Xianyang
- C. Lee Ting
- D. Sun Yat-sen ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Sun Yat-sen was the first provisional president of the Republic of China in 1912.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q3 (first president of China — Sun Yat-sen, filed as "San Yat Sin").

Question 44 General Knowledge

Which explorer reached the Americas in 1492?

- A. Christopher Columbus ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Marco Polo
- C. Ferdinand Magellan
- D. Ibn Battuta

Why this answer? Christopher Columbus reached the Americas in 1492.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q4

ched in 1492 — Columbus).

Question 45 General Knowledge

In which year did the United Nations come into being?

- A. 1943
- B. 1946
- C. 1947
- D. 1945 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The UN Charter was signed in 1945 and the UN came into being on 24 October 1945.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q5 (UNO established — 1945).

Question 46 General Knowledge

The United Nations Human Rights Council holds its sessions in which city?

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

Why this answer? The UN Human Rights Council sits in Geneva, Switzerland.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q6 (UN Human Rights Council — Geneva).

Question 47 General Knowledge

When was the withdrawal of United States troops from Afghanistan completed?

- A. 30 June 2021

- C. 31 August 2021 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 5 September 2021

Why this answer? The last US troops left Kabul on 30–31 August 2021, completing the withdrawal.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q7 (US withdrawal from Afghanistan completed — 31 August 2021).

Question 48 General Knowledge

The ruins of the ancient city of Babylon lie in which present-day country?

- A. Iraq ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Iran
- C. Syria
- D. Egypt

Why this answer? The ruins of Babylon lie near Hillah in modern Iraq.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q8 (Babylon today — Iraq).

Question 49 General Knowledge

The disputed Donbass region lies between which two countries?

- A. Russia and the USA
- B. Turkey and Greece
- C. Russia and Ukraine ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Ukraine and Poland

Why this answer? Donbass is the disputed region in eastern Ukraine, between Russia and Ukraine.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q9 (Donbass disputed area — Russia and Ukraine).

Question 50 General Knowledge

The historic educational institute Al-Azhar is situated in which city?

- A. Baghdad
- B. Cairo ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Tehran
- D. Riyadh

Why this answer? Al-Azhar is in Cairo, Egypt.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q10 (Al-Azhar — Cairo).

Question 51 General Knowledge

Whose challenge to Indians to draft their own constitution led to the Nehru Report of 1928?

- A. Lord Minto
- B. Lord Wavell
- C. Lord Ford
- D. Lord Birkenhead ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? As Secretary of State for India, Lord Birkenhead challenged Indians to produce their own constitution, prompting the Nehru Report of 1928.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q11 (Nehru Report prompted by the challenge of Lord Birkenhead).

52 General Knowledge

Which country is home to the Hoover Dam on the Colorado River?

- A. USA ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. China
- C. Canada
- D. Japan

Why this answer? The Hoover Dam is on the Colorado River on the Nevada–Arizona border in the United States.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q1 (Hoover Dam on the Colorado — USA).

Question 53 General Knowledge

In which city does the historic imperial palace known as the Forbidden City stand?

- A. Beijing ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Paris
- C. Milan
- D. Tokyo

Why this answer? The Forbidden City is the historic imperial palace in Beijing.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q2 (Forbidden City — Beijing).

Question 54 General Knowledge

The Kremlin and Red Square are famous landmarks of which country's capital?

- A. UK
- B. Russia ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. USA

Why this answer? The Kremlin and Red Square are in Moscow, Russia.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q3 (Kremlin and Red Square — Moscow, Russia).

Question 55 General Knowledge

The world-famous Aswan Dam on the Nile is in which country?

- A. Iran
- B. Turkey
- C. Egypt ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Jordan

Why this answer? The Aswan Dam is on the Nile in Egypt.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q4 (Aswan Dam — Egypt).

Question 56 General Knowledge

Where does the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom officially live?

- A. Queen House
- B. Buckingham Palace
- C. Elysee Palace
- D. 10 Downing Street ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? 10 Downing Street is the official residence of the UK prime minister.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q5 (official residence of UK prime minister — 10 Downing Street).

57 General Knowledge

Which team lifted the first ICC World Test Championship trophy in 2021?

- A. India
- B. England
- C. New Zealand ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Australia

Why this answer? New Zealand beat India to win the first World Test Championship in 2021.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q6 (ICC Test championship 2021 — New Zealand).

Question 58 General Knowledge

Which is the largest hot desert in the world?

- A. Gobi Desert
- B. Sahara Desert ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Kalahari Desert
- D. Arabian Desert

Why this answer? The Sahara is the largest hot desert in the world.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: world geography (largest deserts) recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 59 General Knowledge

Which planet is known as the Red Planet?

- A. Venus
- B. Jupiter
- C. Mercury

-S ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Mars is known as the Red Planet because of its reddish appearance.

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

Question 60 General Knowledge

Which is the largest ocean in the world?

- A. Atlantic Ocean
- B. Pacific Ocean ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Indian Ocean
- D. Arctic Ocean

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — General Knowledge: world geography (oceans) recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 61 Pakistan Studies

Jahangir Khan's record winning streak in squash lasted for how many matches?

- A. 530
- B. 540
- C. 550
- D. 555 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Jahangir Khan won 555 consecutive squash matches between 1981 and 1986.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q22 (Jahangir Khan unbeaten — 555 consecutive matches).

62 Pakistan Studies

The ancient city of Taxila is best known as a centre of which civilisation?

- A. Hindu
- B. Sikh
- C. Buddhist ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Aryan

Why this answer? Taxila is renowned as a Buddhist centre of Gandhara (Dharmarajika stupa and monasteries).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q23 (Taxila — Buddhist civilisation).

Question 63 Pakistan Studies

On which date did Cyril Radcliffe arrive in India to chair the Boundary Commissions?

- A. 8 August 1947
- B. 8 July 1947 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 14 August 1947
- D. 17 August 1947

Why this answer? Cyril Radcliffe arrived in India on 8 July 1947 to chair the Boundary Commissions.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q24 (Radcliffe arrived in India — 8 July 1947).

Question 64 Pakistan Studies

Who wrote the famous "Maktubat-e-Imam Rabbani"?

- A. Ahmad Sirhindi ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Shah Waliullah

- D. Akbar

Why this answer? Ahmad Sirhindi, Imam Rabbani (Mujaddid Alf-e-Sani), wrote the Maktubat-e-Imam Rabbani.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q25 (Maktubat-e-Imam Rabbani — Ahmad Sirhindi).

Question 65 Pakistan Studies

Malakhara, the traditional wrestling game, belongs to which province of Pakistan?

- A. Sindh ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Punjab
- C. Balochistan
- D. Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Why this answer? Malakhara (Malakhro) is the traditional wrestling of Sindh.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q26 (Malakhara — Sindh).

Question 66 Pakistan Studies

When was Pakistan's first Constituent Assembly dissolved by Governor-General Ghulam Muhammad?

- A. 5 February 1954
- B. 7 March 1954
- C. 7 October 1954
- D. 24 October 1954 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Governor-General Ghulam Muhammad dissolved the first Constituent Assembly on 24 October 1954.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q27 (first Constituent Assembly dissolved — 24 October 1954).

Question 67 Pakistan Studies

Which country was the first to recognise Pakistan after its creation?

- A. Afghanistan
- B. Turkey
- C. China
- D. Iran ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Iran was the first country to recognise Pakistan, in August 1947.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q28 (first country to recognise Pakistan — Iran).

Question 68 Pakistan Studies

In which month of 1947 did Pakistan become a member of the United Nations?

- A. August
- B. September ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. October
- D. December

Why this answer? Pakistan joined the United Nations on 30 September 1947.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q29 (Pakistan joined UNO — September 1947).

Question 69 Pakistan Studies

Who administered the oath of office to Muhammad Ali Jinnah as Governor-General of Pakistan?

ice Abdul Rashid ✓ **Predicted answer**

- B. Lord Mountbatten
- C. Liaquat Ali Khan
- D. Justice Muhammad Munir

Why this answer? Justice Abdul Rashid administered the oath to Muhammad Ali Jinnah as Governor-General on 15 August 1947.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q30 (oath to Quaid-e-Azam as Governor-General — Justice Abdul Rashid).

Question 70 Pakistan Studies

Whose government did General Zia-ul-Haq dismiss on 29 May 1988?

- A. Ghulam Ishaq Khan
- B. Zulfikar Ali Bhutto
- C. Muhammad Khan Junejo ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Benazir Bhutto

Why this answer? Zia-ul-Haq dismissed Prime Minister Muhammad Khan Junejo's government on 29 May 1988.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q31 (Zia dismissed the government of Muhammad Khan Junejo — 29 May 1988).

Question 71 Pakistan Studies

Who moved the Lahore Resolution of 1940, later called the Pakistan Resolution?

- A. A. K. Fazlul Huq ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Liaquat Ali Khan
- C. Muhammad Ali Jinnah
- D. Sir Zafrullah Khan

Answer: A. K. Fazlul Huq moved the Lahore (Pakistan) Resolution on 23 March 1940.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q32 (Pakistan Resolution moved by A. K. Fazlul Huq).

Question 72 Pakistan Studies

On which date was the Pakistan Resolution passed at Lahore?

- A. 23 March 1939
- B. 14 August 1940
- C. 23 March 1941
- D. 23 March 1940 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The Pakistan Resolution was passed on 23 March 1940.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Pakistan Studies: the Pakistan Resolution recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 73 Pakistan Studies

Who was the first Governor-General of Pakistan?

- A. Liaquat Ali Khan
- B. Muhammad Ali Jinnah ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Khawaja Nazimuddin
- D. Ghulam Muhammad

Why this answer? Muhammad Ali Jinnah was Pakistan's first Governor-General.

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

74 Pakistan Studies

Which animal is the national animal of Pakistan?

- A. Snow leopard
- B. Indus dolphin
- C. Markhor ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Chinkara

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

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

Question 75 English

Choose the word closest in meaning to "Resolute":

- A. Unsure
- B. Firm ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Faltering
- D. Hesitant

Why this answer? Resolute means firm and determined.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q42 (synonym of "Resolute" — Firm).

Question 76 English

Choose the word opposite in meaning to "URGE":

- A. Push
- B. Beseech
- C. Dissuade ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Incite

Answer: To urge is to encourage someone to act, to dissuade is to persuade them not to act — the opposite.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q43 (antonym of "URGE" — Dissuade).

Question 77 English

Choose the correct preposition: "Success consists ___ honesty and steadfastness."

- A. off
- B. in ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. to
- D. of

Why this answer? "Consist in" expresses what a thing's nature consists in: success consists in honesty and steadfastness.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q44 (Success consists in honesty and steadfastness).

Question 78 English

Complete the analogy: Heart is to Pump as Gun is to ___.

- A. Bullet
- B. Trigger
- C. Shoot ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Target

Why this answer? As the heart pumps, a gun shoots: thing and its function.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q45 (Heart : Pump as Gun : Shoot).

79 English

Choose the word closest in meaning to "Cheeky":

- A. Impudent ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Assertive
- C. Intelligent
- D. Timid

Why this answer? Impudent means bold and disrespectful: a synonym of cheeky.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q37 (synonym of "Cheeky" — Impudent; one source option was also a synonym, so the options are re-set here).

Question 80 English

Choose the word closest in meaning to "Happy":

- A. Sad
- B. Angry
- C. Joyful ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Tired

Why this answer? Happy means feeling joy, so joyful is its synonym.

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

Question 81 English

Choose the word opposite in meaning to "Brave":

- A. Bold
- B. Strong
- C. Fearless

wardly ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Brave means showing courage; cowardly means lacking courage — the opposite.

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

Question 82 Mathematics

If 11 raised to the power a equals 1331, what is the value of a?

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

Why this answer? 11 to the power 3 is 1331, so a = 3.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q38 (11^a = 1331 — a = 3).

Question 83 Mathematics

If $x = 7 - 4\sqrt{3}$, find the value of $x - 1/x$.

- A. 14
- B. $-8\sqrt{3}$ ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. $8\sqrt{3}$
- D. -14

Why this answer? $1/x = 7 + 4\sqrt{3}$, so $x - 1/x = (7 - 4\sqrt{3}) - (7 + 4\sqrt{3}) = -8\sqrt{3}$.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q39 ($x = 7 - 4\sqrt{3}$ — $x - 1/x = -8\sqrt{3}$).

84 Mathematics

How many litres are there in 80,000 cubic centimetres?

- A. 8 litres
- B. 80 litres ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 800 litres
- D. 8,000 litres

Why this answer? 1 litre = 1,000 cm^3, so 80,000 cm^3 ÷ 1,000 = 80 litres.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q40 (80,000 cm^3 — 80 litres; the source printed two identical options, so the options are re-set here).

Question 85 Mathematics

A debt is repaid in daily instalments of 3, 6, 18 and 54 rupees. What kind of growth do the cumulative totals show?

- A. Increasing linear
- B. Decreasing linear
- C. Exponential decay
- D. Exponential growth ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The daily payments triple (3, 6, 18, 54) and the cumulative totals triple (3, 9, 27, 81): exponential growth.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q41 (payments 3, 6, 18, 54 — exponential growth).

Question 86 Mathematics

What is 15% of 200?

- A. 30 ✓ **Predicted answer**

- C. 35
- D. 40

Why this answer? 15% of 200 = (15 × 200) ÷ 100 = 30.

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

Question 87 Mathematics

What is the square root of 144?

- A. 14
- B. 16
- C. 12 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 18

Why this answer? 12 × 12 = 144, so the square root of 144 is 12.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Mathematics: square roots recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 88 Islamic Studies

Which companion was sent into the enemy camp to gather intelligence during the Battle of the Trench?

- A. Hudhayfah ibn al-Yaman ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Hazrat Hamza
- C. Salman Farsi
- D. Zubair ibn al-Awwam

Why this answer? Hudhayfah ibn al-Yaman was sent by the Prophet to gather intelligence on the enemy during the Battle of the Trench.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q50 (spy at the Battle of the Trench — Hudhayfah ibn al-Yaman).

Question 89 Islamic Studies

How long did the caliphate of Hazrat Ali last before his martyrdom?

- A. 5 years
- B. 6 years
- C. 4 years 9 months ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 7 years

Why this answer? Hazrat Ali was caliph from 656 to 661 CE, about 4 years and 9 months.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q51 (tenure of Hazrat Ali as caliph — 4 years 9 months).

Question 90 Islamic Studies

Which Quraysh clan stood against Banu Hashim when the Prophet Muhammad (PBUH) was young?

- A. Banu Makhzum ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Banu Taym
- C. Banu Qurayza
- D. Banu Qaynuqa

Why this answer? Banu Makhzum was the Quraysh clan that opposed Banu Hashim.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q52 (clan opposing Banu Hashim — Banu Makhzum).

Question 91 Islamic Studies

What was the first great challenge Hazrat Abu Bakr faced at the start of his caliphate?

e prophet

- B. Apostasy movement ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Security threat
- D. Administrative disorder

Why this answer? The Ridda (apostasy) wars were the first great challenge of Hazrat Abu Bakr's caliphate.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q53 (first major event of Abu Bakr's caliphate — the apostasy movement).

Question 92 Islamic Studies

How many pillars of Islam are there?

- A. Five ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Four
- C. Six
- D. Seven

Why this answer? Islam has five pillars: Shahadah, Salah, Zakat, Sawm and Hajj.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Islamic Studies: the five pillars recur in every sitting of this post.

Question 93 Islamic Studies

How many Surahs are there in the Holy Quran?

- A. 114 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 110
- C. 116
- D. 120

Why this answer? The Holy Quran has 114 Surahs.

ed [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor — Islamic Studies: the Holy Quran recurs in every sitting of this post.

Question 94 Everyday Science

According to the 10% law of energy flow, how much energy passes from one trophic level to the next in a food web?

- A. 90%
- B. 80%
- C. 50%
- D. 10% ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The 10% law: about 10% of the energy passes to the next trophic level.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q33 (energy transfer between trophic levels — 10%).

Question 95 Everyday Science

Which of the following particles is NOT a fundamental particle?

- A. Quark
- B. Electron
- C. Neutron ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Neutrino

Why this answer? Neutrons are made of quarks, so they are composite, not fundamental; quarks, electrons and neutrinos are fundamental particles.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q34 (not a fundamental particle — Neutron; the source options contained a second composite particle, so the options are re-set here).

96 Current Affairs

Which country has Russia been engaged in an ongoing conflict with since 2022?

- A. Iran
- B. Ukraine ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. USA
- D. Israel

Why this answer? Russia has been engaged in conflict with Ukraine since 2022.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q27 (Russia's ongoing conflict — Ukraine).

Question 97 Current Affairs

Name the country whose president is Volodymyr Zelensky.

- A. Ukraine ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Georgia
- C. Belarus
- D. Morocco

Why this answer? Volodymyr Zelensky is the president of Ukraine.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-pti-2026 Q28 (Volodymyr Zelensky — president of Ukraine).

Question 98 Education

بلوم کی نظر ثانی شدہ درجہ بندی (revised Bloom's taxonomy) میں سب سے اونچا درجہ کون سا ہے؟

- A. Creating ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Applying
- C. Analyzing
- D. Evaluating

swer: Creating is the highest level of the revised Bloom's taxonomy.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q66 (highest level of new Bloom's taxonomy — Creating).

Question 99 Education

فلسفے میں Realism (حقیقت پسندی) کے بانی کسے مانا جاتا ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. ارسطو

B. افلاطون

C. ہیگل

D. کانٹ

Why this answer? Aristotle is regarded as the founder of realism in philosophy.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-urdu-2026 Q74 (founder of Realism — Aristotle).

Question 100 Computer Science

Which computer memory holds the program and data that the CPU is currently processing?

- A. Mass memory
- B. PROM
- C. Non-volatile memory
- D. Internal memory ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Main (internal) memory holds the program and data the CPU is currently processing.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: ppsc-ese-general-2026 Q36 (memory used for program and data currently processed by CPU — internal memory).

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