PPSC Manager Auqaf | BS-16 — GUESS PAPER 2026 (Set 1 of 2) · Predicted Questions

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Question 1 Pakistan Studies

An honorary LL.D. was conferred on Sir Syed Ahmed Khan by which university?

- A. University of Edinburgh ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Jama-ul-Azhar
- C. Oxford University

Why this answer? The University of Edinburgh conferred an honorary LL.D. on Sir Syed Ahmed Khan in 1889.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q3 (verified item - correct answer: University of Edinburgh).

Question 2 Pakistan Studies

In which month of 1971 did Sheikh Mujib-ur-Rehman launch his non-cooperation movement, shortly before the fall of Dhaka?

- A. February 1971
- B. March 1971 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. April 1971
- D. January 1971

Why this answer? Sheikh Mujib-ur-Rehman's non-cooperation movement began in March 1971, after the Assembly session was postponed on 1 March.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q6 (verified item - correct answer: March 1971).

Question 3 Pakistan Studies

Which man held the Speaker's chair in Pakistan's Second Legislative Assembly?

- A. Mr. Fazal-ul-Haq
- B. Molvi Tamizuddin
- C. Mr. Abdul Wahab ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Mr. Abdul Jabbar

Why this answer? Abdul Wahab Khan was the Speaker of the Second Legislative Assembly of Pakistan.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q10 (verified item - correct answer: Mr. Abdul Wahab).

Question 4 Pakistan Studies

Which officer became the Pakistan Army's first woman major general?

- A. Mrs. Nasim Akhtar
- B. Mrs. Salma Akhtar
- C. Mrs. Abida Malik
- D. Mrs. Shahida Malik ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Maj Gen Shahida Malik was the first woman Major General of the Pakistan Army.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q11 (verified item - correct answer: Mrs. Shahida Malik).

Question 5 Pakistan Studies

The Federal Shariat Court's first Chief Justice was which judge?

- A. Mr. Justice Nasim Sikandar
- B. Mr. Justice Salahud-Din ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Mr. Justice Fakhar Alam
- D. Mr. Justice Akhtar Hussain

Why this answer? Justice Salahuddin Ahmed was the first Chief Justice of the Federal Shariat Court.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q12 (verified item - correct answer: Mr. Justice Salahud-Din).

6 Pakistan Studies

The Sindh Madressah-tul-Islam in Karachi was founded by which personality?

- A. Maulana shibli Naumani
- B. Allama Inayatullah Khan Mashriqi
- C. Syed Hasan Ali Afandi ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Sahibzada Sir Abdul Qayyum

Why this answer? Syed Hasan Ali Afandi founded Sindh Madressah-tul-Islam in Karachi in 1885.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2014-MANAGER-AUQAF Q3 (verified item - correct answer: Syed Hasan Ali Afandi).

Question 7 Pakistan Studies

Pakistan's national anthem appears in which book of its author, Hafeez Jalandhari?

- A. Shahnama-e-Islam
- B. Kalam-e-Hafeez
- C. None of the above
- D. Charagh-e-Saher ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The national anthem is contained in Hafiz Jalandhari's book Charagh-e-Saher.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2014-MANAGER-AUQAF Q17 (verified item - correct answer: Charagh-e-Saher).

Question 8 Pakistan Studies

On which date was the Lahore Resolution passed?

- A. 23 March 1940 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 23 March 1947

- D. 3 June 1947

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: the Lahore Resolution and the Pakistan Movement recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 9 Pakistan Studies

Pakistan came into being on which date?

- A. 23 March 1940
- B. 14 August 1948
- C. 14 August 1947 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 15 August 1947

Why this answer? Pakistan came into being on 14 August 1947.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: the creation of Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 10 Pakistan Studies

Who was the first Governor-General of Pakistan?

- A. Liaquat Ali Khan
- B. Khwaja Nazimuddin
- C. Ghulam Muhammad
- D. Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah was the first Governor-General of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: the first Governor-General and early leadership recurs in this post's sittings.

11 Pakistan Studies

Who was the first Prime Minister of Pakistan?

- A. Liaquat Ali Khan ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah
- C. Khwaja Nazimuddin
- D. Huseyn Shaheed Suhrawardy

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: the first Prime Minister and early leadership recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 12 Pakistan Studies

Who wrote Pakistan's national anthem?

- A. Ahmed Faraz
- B. Hafeez Jalandhari ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Allama Iqbal
- D. Faiz Ahmed Faiz

Why this answer? Pakistan's national anthem was written by Hafeez Jalandhari.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: the national anthem recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 13 Pakistan Studies

Which animal is the national animal of Pakistan?

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

swer? The markhor is the national animal of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: national symbols of Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 14 Pakistan Studies

Which flower is the national flower of Pakistan?

- A. Jasmine ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Rose
- C. Marigold
- D. Sunflower

Why this answer? Jasmine is the national flower of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: national symbols of Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 15 Pakistan Studies

Which is the second highest mountain peak in the world?

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

Why this answer? K2, in Pakistan, is the second highest mountain peak in the world after Mount Everest.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: mountains and geography of Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

16 Pakistan Studies

Which is the longest river of Pakistan?

- A. Chenab
- B. Ravi
- C. Indus ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Jhelum

Why this answer? The Indus is the longest river of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Pakistan Studies: rivers of Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 17 General Knowledge

Which country's currency is the ngultrum?

- A. Bhutan ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Zaire
- C. Bahamas
- D. Tunisia

Why this answer? The ngultrum is the currency of Bhutan.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q52 (verified item - correct answer: Bhutan).

Question 18 General Knowledge

The Office of Strategic Services, or OSS, was the earlier name of which agency?

- A. KGB
- B. CIA ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. FBI
- D. CID

swer? The OSS, Office of Strategic Services, is the old name of the CIA.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q60 (verified item - correct answer: CIA).

Question 19 General Knowledge

On which date each year is World Consumer Rights Day observed?

- A. 5th April
- B. 20th January
- C. 15th March ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 20th March

Why this answer? World Consumer Rights Day is observed on 15 March.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q64 (verified item - correct answer: 15th March).

Question 20 General Knowledge

The 2009 Nobel Prize in Literature went to which writer?

- A. Paul Rabin Krugman
- B. Willard S. Boyle
- C. George Smith
- D. Herta Muller ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Herta Muller won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 2009.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q67 (verified item - correct answer: Herta Muller).

Question 21 General Knowledge

Which is the largest ocean in the world?

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

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Knowledge: oceans and world geography recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 22 General Knowledge

Which is the smallest continent in the world?

- A. Antarctica
- B. South America
- C. Australia ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Europe

Why this answer? Australia is the smallest continent in the world.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Knowledge: continents and world geography recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 23 General Knowledge

The United Nations was founded in which year?

- A. 1919
- B. 1939
- C. 1950
- D. 1945 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The United Nations was founded in 1945.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Knowledge: the United

rs in this post's sittings.

Question 24 General Knowledge

Who was the first President of the United States?

- A. George Washington ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Abraham Lincoln
- C. Thomas Jefferson
- D. John Adams

Why this answer? George Washington was the first President of the United States.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Knowledge: world leaders and history recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 25 General Knowledge

What is the currency of Japan?

- A. Won
- B. Ringgit
- C. Yen ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Yuan

Why this answer? The yen is the currency of Japan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Knowledge: currencies of the world recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 26 General Knowledge

What is the capital of France?

- A. London
- B. Rome

- D. Paris ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Paris is the capital of France.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Knowledge: capitals of the world recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 27 General Knowledge

Which is the longest river in the world?

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

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Knowledge: rivers of the world recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 28 General Knowledge

Which is the largest hot desert in the world?

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

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Knowledge: deserts of the world recurs in this post's sittings.

29 English

Which word is the opposite in meaning to "cryptic"?

- A. Superficial
- B. admonish
- C. analyze
- D. Candid ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The antonym of cryptic, hidden or obscure, is candid, open.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q17 (verified item - correct answer: Candid).

Question 30 English

Which of these spellings is correct?

- A. reiterate ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. reitarate
- C. rieterate
- D. reiterat

Why this answer? Reiterate is the correct spelling.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q18 (verified item - correct answer: reiterate).

Question 31 English

What does the idiom "to clip someone's wings" mean?

- A. To get control
- B. to limit on ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. to catch the bird
- D. To cut the wings

swer? To clip the wings means to limit or restrict someone's power.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q20 (verified item - correct answer: to limit on).

Question 32 English

What does the phrase "keep tabs on" mean?

- A. To do something
- B. to steal something
- C. to keep under observation ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. to follow strictly

Why this answer? Keep tabs on means to keep under observation.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q21 (verified item - correct answer: to keep under observation).

Question 33 English

What is the meaning of the word "eschew"?

- A. to avoid ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. to escape
- C. to rescue
- D. to free

Why this answer? Eschew means to avoid deliberately.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q22 (verified item - correct answer: to avoid).

Question 34 English

What does "embellish" mean?

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- B. adorn ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. desolate
- D. equalize

Why this answer? Embellish means to adorn, to decorate.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q24 (verified item - correct answer: adorn).

Question 35 English

Which word is nearest in meaning to "happy"?

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

Why this answer? Glad is nearest in meaning to happy.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - English: synonyms recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 36 English

Which word is the opposite of "hot"?

- A. Warm
- B. Boiling
- C. Mild
- D. Cold ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Cold is the opposite of hot.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - English: antonyms recurs in this

Question 37 English

What is the plural of 'child'?

- A. Childrens
- B. Children ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Childs
- D. Childes

Why this answer? The plural of child is children.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - English: plurals recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 38 English

What is the past tense of 'go'?

- A. Goed
- B. Going
- C. Went ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Gone

Why this answer? The past tense of go is went.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - English: verb tenses recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 39 English

Choose the correct sentence: "He ___ to school every day."

- A. Go
- B. Going

- D. Goes ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? With the third-person singular subject 'he', the verb is 'goes'.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - English: subject-verb agreement recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 40 Science

Why does a woman's voice sound shriller than a man's?

- A. Higher frequency ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Lower frequency
- C. Lower amplitude
- D. Higher amplitude

Why this answer? A woman's voice is shriller than a man's due to higher frequency.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q25 (verified item - correct answer: Higher frequency).

Question 41 Science

Kidney stones are made mostly of which substance?

- A. Magnesium Sulfate
- B. Sodium acetate
- C. Calcium oxalate ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Potassium Sulfate

Why this answer? Kidney stones consist mostly of calcium oxalate.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q29 (verified item - correct answer: Calcium oxalate).

42 Science

The digestion of which food component yields amino acids?

- A. Fats
- B. Minerals
- C. Carbohydrates
- D. Proteins ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Amino acids are a product of the digestion of proteins.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q32 (verified item - correct answer: Proteins).

Question 43 Science

Besides oxygen, which gas do divers breathe in their artificial atmosphere?

- A. Helium ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Neon
- C. Carbon monoxide
- D. Nitrogen

Why this answer? Divers use oxygen and helium as an artificial atmosphere.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q36 (verified item - correct answer: Helium).

Question 44 Science

The malfunction of which organ causes diabetes?

- A. Kidney
- B. Pancreas ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Liver
- D. Spleen

swer: Diabetes is caused by malfunctioning of the pancreas.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q45 (verified item - correct answer: Pancreas).

Question 45 Science

What is the chemical symbol of water?

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

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 recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 46 Science

At what temperature does water boil at sea level?

- A. 100°C ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 90°C
- C. 80°C
- D. 120°C

Why this answer? Water boils at 100 degrees Celsius at sea level.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Science: heat and temperature recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 47 Science

Which planet is nearest to the Sun?

- B. Mercury ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Venus
- D. Earth

Why this answer? Mercury is the planet nearest to the Sun.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Science: the solar system recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 48 Geography

Which city is the capital of Zambia?

- A. Kinshasa
- B. Lome
- C. Lusaka ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Abuja

Why this answer? Lusaka is the capital of Zambia.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q54 (verified item - correct answer: Lusaka).

Question 49 Geography

Which present-day capital was formerly called Salisbury?

- A. Harare ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. None of them
- C. Gayana
- D. New Hebridges

Why this answer? Salisbury is the old name of Harare, Zimbabwe.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF

item - correct answer: Harare).

Question 50 Geography

A flight landing at Narita Airport brings you to which city?

- A. Italy
- B. Tokyo ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Rome
- D. Nairobi

Why this answer? Landing at Narita Airport puts you in Tokyo.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q62 (verified item - correct answer: Tokyo).

Question 51 Geography

Latakia is a seaport of which country?

- A. Jordan
- B. Libya
- C. Syria ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. None of the above

Why this answer? Latakia is the seaport of Syria.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q73 (verified item - correct answer: Syria).

Question 52 Geography

What is the capital of Pakistan?

- A. Lahore
- B. Karachi

- D. Islamabad ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Islamabad is the capital of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Geography: capitals and cities of Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 53 Geography

Which is the largest province of Pakistan by area?

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

Why this answer? Balochistan is the largest province of Pakistan by area.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Geography: provinces of Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 54 Geography

The Thar Desert is located mainly in which province?

- A. Balochistan
- B. Gilgit-Baltistan
- C. Sindh ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Punjab

Why this answer? The Thar Desert lies mainly in Sindh.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Geography: deserts of Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

55 Geography

Which sea lies to the south of Pakistan?

- A. Red Sea
- B. Mediterranean Sea
- C. Caspian Sea
- D. Arabian Sea ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The Arabian Sea lies to the south of Pakistan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Geography: seas around Pakistan recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 56 Urdu Literature

شاعری کا مجموعہ "صد برگ" کس شاعرہ کا ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. پروین شاکر

B. فیض احمد فیض

C. کشور ناہید

D. ناصر کاظمی

Why this answer? Sad Barg is the poetry collection of Parveen Shakir.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q81 (verified item - correct answer: پروین شاکر).

Question 57 Urdu Literature

"مقدمہ شعر و شاعری" کس مصنف کی کتاب ہے؟

A. مولانا محمد حسین آزاد

B. مولانا چراغ حسن حسرت

nswer ✓ C. مولانا الطاف حسین حالی

D. مولانا شبلی نعمانی

Why this answer? Muqaddama-e-Sher-o-Shairi was written by Maulana Altaf Hussain Hali.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q84 (verified item - correct answer: مولانا الطاف حسین حالی).

Question 58 Urdu Literature

"تہذیب الاخلاق" رسالہ کس نے شروع کیا تھا؟

A. ڈپٹی نذیر احمد

B. علامہ اقبال

C. الطاف حسین حالی

Predicted answer ✓ D. سر سید احمد خاں

Why this answer? Tehzeeb-ul-Akhlaq was started by Sir Syed Ahmed Khan.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q91 (verified item - correct answer: سر سید احمد خاں).

Question 59 Urdu Literature

کس شاعر نے "پیام مشرق" لکھی؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. علامہ اقبال

B. الطاف حسین حالی

C. فیض احمد فیض

D. حفیظ جالندھری

Why this answer? Payam-e-Mashriq was written by Allama Iqbal.

ed [B] — verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q100 (verified item - correct answer: علامہ اقبال).

Question 60 Urdu Literature

"شکوہ" کس مجموعہ کلام میں شامل ہے؟

A. ارمغان حجاز

Predicted answer ✓ B. بانگ درا

C. ضرب کلیم

D. بال جبریل

Why this answer? Iqbal's poem Shikwa is included in his first Urdu collection, Bang-e-Dara.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Urdu Literature: Iqbal's poetry collections recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 61 Urdu Literature

مرزا غالب کا اصل نام کیا تھا؟

A. مرزا محمد علی

B. مرزا اکبر شاہ

C. مرزا سلیم

Predicted answer ✓ D. مرزا اسد اللہ بیگ خاں

Why this answer? Mirza Ghalib's real name was Mirza Asadullah Baig Khan.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Urdu Literature: Mirza Ghalib's life recurs in this post's sittings.

62 Mathematics

Given x − 4 = 11, find x − 8.

- A. 7 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 17
- C. -15
- D. -7

Why this answer? x - 4 = 11 gives x = 15, and 15 - 8 = 7.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2017-MANAGER-AUQAF Q22 (verified item - correct answer: 7).

Question 63 Mathematics

A number added to itself 13 times gives 112. What is the number?

- A. 7
- B. 8 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 9
- D. 11

Why this answer? 14 times 8 is 112, so the number is 8.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2017-MANAGER-AUQAF Q28 (verified item - correct answer: 8).

Question 64 Mathematics

A fruit seller sells 40% of his apples and still has 420 left. How many apples did he have at first?

- A. 400
- B. 500
- C. 700 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? If 420 apples are the 60 percent left, the original total was 420 / 0.6 = 700.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2017-MANAGER-AUQAF Q31 (verified item - correct answer: 700).

Question 65 Mathematics

What is 15 + 25?

- A. 40 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 35
- C. 45
- D. 50

Why this answer? 15 + 25 = 40.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Mathematics: simple addition recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 66 Mathematics

What is the square of 9?

- A. 18
- B. 81 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 72
- D. 91

Why this answer? 9 squared is 81.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Mathematics: squares recurs in this post's sittings.

67 Mathematics

What is 10% of 200?

- A. 30
- B. 40
- C. 20 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 10

Why this answer? 10 percent of 200 is 20.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Mathematics: percentages recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 68 Urdu

"حیات جاوید" کے مصنف کون ہیں؟

A. محمد حسین آزاد

B. سر سید

C. مولانا شبلی نعمانی

Predicted answer ✓ D. الطاف حسین حالی

Why this answer? Hayat-e-Javed is the biography of Sir Syed by Altaf Hussain Hali.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2020-MANAGER-AUQAF Q91 (verified item - correct answer: الطاف حسین حالی).

Question 69 Urdu

سر سید احمد خان نے کون سا رسالہ جاری کیا تھا؟

A. اردوئے معلی

Predicted answer ✓ B. تہزیب الاخلاق

D. اودھ پنج

Why this answer? Tehzeeb-ul-Akhlaq is the journal Sir Syed Ahmad Khan started in 1870.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2020-MANAGER-AUQAF Q96 (verified item - correct answer: تہزیب الاخلاق).

Question 70 Urdu

فورٹ ولیم کالج کس سال قائم ہوا؟

- A. 1809
- B. 1900
- C. 1800 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 1801

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

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2017-MANAGER-AUQAF Q97 (verified item - correct answer: 1800).

Question 71 Urdu

میر انیس کس صنفِ سخن کے مشہور شاعر ہیں؟

A. غزل

B. قصیدہ

C. مثنوی

Predicted answer ✓ D. مرثیہ

Why this answer? Mir Anis is famous as a marsiya poet.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Urdu: Urdu poetic forms recurs

sittings.

Question 72 Urdu

اردو زبان کا تعلق زبانوں کے کس خاندان سے ہے؟

Predicted answer ✓ A. ہند آریائی

B. سامی

C. ترکی

D. فارسی

Why this answer? Urdu belongs to the Indo-Aryan family of languages.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Urdu: the origin of Urdu recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 73 Urdu

اردو کے مشہور مزاح نگار کون ہیں؟

A. میر تقی میر

B. فیض احمد فیض

Predicted answer ✓ C. پطرس بخاری

D. علامہ اقبال

Why this answer? Patras Bokhari is famous for humour writing in Urdu.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Urdu: Urdu prose writers recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 74 Computer Science

A computer's basic strength comes from which of these?

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- B. Accuracy
- C. Memory
- D. All of these ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? A computer derives its basic strength from speed, accuracy and memory together, so All of these is correct.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2014-MANAGER-AUQAF Q29 (verified item - correct answer: All of these).

Question 75 Computer Science

Which of these is the oldest internet search engine?

- A. Aliweb ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Ask. com
- C. Google
- D. MSN search

Why this answer? Aliweb, launched in 1993, is the oldest internet search engine among the options.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2014-MANAGER-AUQAF Q63 (verified item - correct answer: Aliweb).

Question 76 Computer Science

What does CPU stand for?

- A. Central Processor Utility
- B. Central Processing Unit ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Central Program Unit
- D. Computer Processing Unit

swer? CPU stands for Central Processing Unit.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Computer Science: computer abbreviations recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 77 Computer Science

How many bytes are there in one kilobyte?

- A. 1000
- B. 512
- C. 2048
- D. 1024 ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? One kilobyte is 1024 bytes.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Computer Science: computer memory units recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 78 Current Affairs

The UN Secretary-General who took office in 2017 comes from which country?

- A. Portugal ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Ghana
- C. South Korea
- D. Burma

Why this answer? Antonio Guterres, from Portugal, was UN Secretary-General at the exam date (2017) and remains in office.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2017-MANAGER-AUQAF Q73 (verified item - correct answer: Portugal).

79 Current Affairs

The Doklam standoff of 2017 was between India and which country?

- A. Bhutan
- B. China ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Nepal
- D. Pakistan

Why this answer? The 2017 Doklam standoff was between India and China, over territory claimed by Bhutan.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2017-MANAGER-AUQAF Q78 (verified item - correct answer: China).

Question 80 Current Affairs

Pakistan joined the United Nations on which date?

- A. 23 March 1940
- B. 24 October 1945
- C. 30 September 1947 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 14 August 1947

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

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Current Affairs: Pakistan and the United Nations recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 81 Current Affairs

SAARC was founded in which year?

- A. 1985 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. 1947
- C. 1971

Why this answer? SAARC was founded in 1985.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Current Affairs: regional organisations recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 82 Islamic Studies

To which prophet were the Ten Commandments given?

- A. Solomon
- B. Moses ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Jesus
- D. Joshua

Why this answer? The Ten Commandments were bestowed on Prophet Moses on Mount Sinai.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2020-MANAGER-AUQAF Q5 (verified item - correct answer: Moses).

Question 83 Islamic Studies

In which Hijri year did the Holy Prophet perform Hajj?

- A. 1st Hijri
- B. 9th Hijri
- C. 10th Hijri ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 8th Hijri

Why this answer? The Prophet performed Hajj in 10th Hijri (the Farewell Pilgrimage).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2020-MANAGER-AUQAF Q20 (verified item - correct answer: 10th Hijri).

84 Islamic Studies

What is the first Kalima called?

- A. Kalima Shahadat
- B. Kalima Tamjeed
- C. Kalima Tauheed
- D. Kalima Tayyaba ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The first Kalima is Kalima Tayyaba.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Islamic Studies: the Kalimahs recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 85 Islamic Studies

What is the rate of Zakat on cash and savings?

- A. 20%
- B. 2.5% ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. 5%
- D. 10%

Why this answer? Zakat on cash and savings is 2.5 percent.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Islamic Studies: Zakat recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 86 Everyday Science

The world's first cloned sheep, born in 1996, was given which name?

- A. Polly
- B. Jolly
- C. Dolly ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Holy

swer: Dolly was the name of the first cloned sheep (1996).

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2017-MANAGER-AUQAF Q63 (verified item - correct answer: Dolly).

Question 87 Everyday Science

Which vitamin does the human body make from sunlight?

- A. Vitamin A
- B. Vitamin B
- C. Vitamin C
- D. Vitamin D ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? Sunlight helps the human body make vitamin D.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Everyday Science: vitamins recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 88 Everyday Science

What is the SI unit of force?

- A. Newton ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Joule
- C. Watt
- D. Pascal

Why this answer? The newton is the SI unit of force.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Everyday Science: units of measurement recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 89 Computer

Many programmers call writing software programs by what name?

- B. Looping
- C. Coding ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. Compiling

Why this answer? Writing software programs is called coding.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2020-MANAGER-AUQAF Q33 (verified item - correct answer: Coding).

Question 90 Computer

MS Word is mainly used for what purpose?

- A. Photo editing
- B. Playing games
- C. Browsing the internet
- D. Word processing ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? MS Word is word-processing software.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Computer: common software recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 91 Islamiat

Whose house became the centre for preaching Islam in its early days?

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

Why this answer? The house of Hazrat Arqam, Dar-e-Arqam, became the centre of preaching of Islam at the beginning.

ed [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2014-MANAGER-AUQAF Q49 (verified item - correct answer: Hazrat Arqam (RA)).

Question 92 Islamiat

How many pillars of Islam are there?

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

Why this answer? There are five pillars of Islam.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Islamiat: the pillars of Islam recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 93 General Science

The metre is the unit of which quantity?

- A. Time
- B. Speed
- C. Mass
- D. Length ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? The metre is the SI unit of length.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2020-MANAGER-AUQAF Q12 (verified item - correct answer: Length).

Question 94 General Science

What is the chemical formula of common salt?

- A. NaCl ✓ **Predicted answer**

- C. CaCl2
- D. NaOH

Why this answer? Common salt is sodium chloride, NaCl.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - General Science: chemical formulae recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 95 History

The Cripps Mission visited India during the viceroyalty of which ruler?

- A. Lord Curzon
- B. Lord Linlithgow ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. Lord Wavell
- D. Lord Wellington

Why this answer? The Cripps Mission visited India in 1942, during the viceroyalty of Lord Linlithgow.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q7 (verified item - correct answer: Lord Linlithgow).

Question 96 History

In which year was the Battle of Plassey fought?

- A. 1764
- B. 1747
- C. 1757 ✓ **Predicted answer**
- D. 1857

Why this answer? The Battle of Plassey was fought in 1757.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - History: battles of Indian history

s post's sittings.

Question 97 Economics

What is the tax levied on the import and export of commodities called?

- A. Custom duty ✓ **Predicted answer**
- B. Excise duty
- C. Value added tax
- D. Direct Tax

Why this answer? Custom duty is the tax levied on the import and export of commodities.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2014-MANAGER-AUQAF Q31 (verified item - correct answer: Custom duty).

Question 98 Economics

What does GDP stand for?

- A. Grand Domestic Production
- B. Gross Domestic Product ✓ **Predicted answer**
- C. General Domestic Product
- D. Gross Development Product

Why this answer? GDP stands for Gross Domestic Product.

Why predicted [C] — Syllabus anchor: syllabus anchor - Economics: economic terms recurs in this post's sittings.

Question 99 Sports

Five Football World Cup titles belong to which country?

- A. None of these
- B. Italy

zil ✓ **Predicted answer**

- D. Germany

Why this answer? Brazil has won the World Cup five times.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2014-MANAGER-AUQAF Q65 (verified item - correct answer: Brazil).

Question 100 English Literature

Who is the author of 'Struggle for Pakistan'?

- A. S.M Ikram
- B. K.K Aziz
- C. Ch. Muhammad Ali
- D. I.H. Qureshi ✓ **Predicted answer**

Why this answer? I. H. Qureshi wrote Struggle for Pakistan.

Why predicted [B] — Verified fact, predicted to recur: PPSC-2012-MANAGER-AUQAF Q66 (verified item - correct answer: I.H. Qureshi).

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