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> **How to use this paper:** each question shows the stem, the four options, and the correct answer. Click “Why each option?” under a question to see all four options explained — one question teaches four topics. General Knowledge answers are as of the 2022 sitting.

Source note: Question stems and option sets: the original paper as reproduced by cssaspirants.com (19 pages, 190 items in the original numbering; the Urdu section Q21–Q40 has no recoverable stems), accessed 13 Nov 2026. Answer key: mcqsplanet.com 'FPSC CSS Screening Test 2022 Solved MCQs' (180 items with printed keys), cross-checked against cssprep.com.pk 'CSS MPT 2022 Past Paper — Solved & Verified' (114 items with explanations; keys re-extracted from the raw text, 113 of 114). The two keys agree on 73 of the 112 overlapping items; the 39 disagreements were each adjudicated on the facts. Third-source check: mcq-ai.com 'CSS MPT 2022' (171 items with explanations) agrees with the filed answers on 139 of the 161 shared items and prompted the re-adjudication of Q76, Q96, Q136, Q167 and Q185. Adjudications, all decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation: 10 corrected keys against the mcqsplanet key (Q80 C, Q96 B, Q99 D, Q112 A, Q113 A, Q126 B, Q127 B, Q162 B, Q167 B, Q185 A) and 6 PICK-ONE (Q51 C, Q73 A, Q100 B, Q136 A, Q176 A, Q181 C). Q149 filed A (Venus) as keyed by both printed keys, with the wording caveat on the question. Dated items judged as at the sitting date (20 Feb 2022): Q175 (Asad Qaisar still Speaker), Q198 (Zartaj Gul still held Climate Change). Urdu section: legalversity.com 'CSS Screening Test 2022 Past Paper Solved' gives 20 Urdu

nswers but no option sets, so Q21–Q40 remain GAPs; the recovered stems and answers are recorded in the NOTED POINTS. Dedup 13 Nov 2026 vs the live library (567 papers in papers-index.json; 471 live files, 42,686 stems): paper_id not live; 5 exact + 7 first-8 hits, all single generic GK questions (Q154, Q178, Q179, Q195) shared with other live papers at different numbers — no live duplicate. All-files screen (714 files, 59,455 stems): top file 37aak (25 hits) is boilerplate only — 20 identical GAP headings (Q21–Q40) plus the shared analogy-instruction stem (Q76–Q80 vs 37aak Q63); no HELD partial for this sitting exists.

Question 1 Islamic Studies

Which of the following is the longest Surah of the Holy Qur'an?

- A. Surah Yaseen
- B. Surah Rehman
- C. Surah Al-Baqara ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Surah Al-Baqara is the longest Surah in the Holy Qur'an, with 286 verses.

Question 2 Islamic Studies

Which term is used for the longest Ayah (Verse) of the Holy Qur'an?

- A. Ayat-e-Mubahala
- B. Ayat-e-Mudayana ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Ayat-e-Madina
- D. None of these

Note: The longest verse of the Qur'an is Ayat al-Mudayana, the Verse of Debt (2:282), which is option B. The cssprep key records D, claiming no named term matches, but 'Mudayana' is the debt verse; set aside on the facts, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

3 Islamic Studies

What is the title of Tafseer (Commentary) written by Mufti Muhammad Shafi?

- A. Ma'arif-ul-Quran ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Tafheem-ul-Quran
- C. Fahm-ul-Quran
- D. None of these

Note: Mufti Muhammad Shafi (RA) is the author of Ma'ariful-ul-Quran, a famous and comprehensive commentary on the Qur'an.

Question 4 Islamic Studies

What are Hanafi, Maliki, Shaf'i and Hanbali?

- A. Creed based doctrines
- B. Fiqhi doctrines ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Kalami doctrines
- D. None of these

Note: They are the four major schools of thought in Sunni Islamic jurisprudence, also known as Fiqhi doctrines.

Question 5 Islamic Studies

The Nisab of Zakat in Gold is:

- A. 7 1/2 tola ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 52 1/2 tola
- C. 7 tola
- D. None of these

Note: The Nisab of Zakat on gold is 7 1/2 tola (87.48 grams).

6 Islamic Studies

To which country did Prophet Muhammad (SAW) have his first business trip?

- A. Taif
- B. Ethiopia
- C. Syria ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The Prophet's first business trip was to Syria, travelling with his uncle Abu Talib.

Question 7 Islamic Studies

What was the real name of Imam Abu Hanifa?

- A. Sabit bin Nauman
- B. Muhammad bin Nauman
- C. Nauman bin Sabit ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Imam Abu Hanifa's real name was Nauman bin Sabit.

Question 8 Islamic Studies

What type of Prayer is Namaz-e-Janaza?

- A. Sunnah
- B. Farz-e-Mukkada
- C. Farz-e-Kifaya ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Namaz-e-Janaza (funeral prayer) is Farz-e-Kifaya, an obligation on the community as a whole.

9 Islamic Studies

What is the distance required for 'Qasr' in Prayer?

- A. 58 km
- B. 85 km
- C. 78 km ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The distance for Qasr (shortening prayers while travelling) is commonly given as 48 miles, about 78 km.

Question 10 Islamic Studies

How many clauses did the Treaty of Hudaybiyyah contain?

- A. 7 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 5
- C. 3
- D. None of these

Note: The Treaty of Hudaybiyyah is commonly recorded in Pakistani Islamiat books as containing seven clauses.

Question 11 Islamic Studies

What is the literal meaning of 'Ijma'?

- A. Struggle
- B. Consensus ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. To guess
- D. None of these

Note: 'Ijma' literally means consensus (agreement of the scholars).

12 Islamic Studies

What is meant by 'Sila-e-Rahmi'?

- A. Boycott
- B. Ties of Kinship ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Generosity
- D. None of these

Note: 'Sila-e-Rahmi' means maintaining the ties of kinship.

Question 13 Islamic Studies

What is the alternative name of 'Ghazwa-e-Khandaq'?

- A. Ghazwa-e-Ahzab ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Ghazwa-e-Hunain
- C. Ghazwa-e-Khyber
- D. None of these

Note: Ghazwa-e-Khandaq (the Battle of the Trench) is also called Ghazwa-e-Ahzab (the Battle of the Confederates).

Question 14 Islamic Studies

In how many Ghazwas did the Prophet Muhammad (S.A.W) participate?

- A. 27 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 17
- C. 37
- D. None of these

Note: The Prophet participated in 27 Ghazwas (battles he personally joined).

15 Islamic Studies

The first-ever international treaty in Islamic history is known as:

- A. Hilf-ul-Fuzool
- B. Baia't-e-Rizwan
- C. Treaty of Madina ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The first-ever international treaty in Islamic history is the Treaty (Charter) of Madina.

Question 16 Islamic Studies

What is the name of the Islamic Constitutional Organization of the government of Pakistan?

- A. Pakistan Sharia Council
- B. Islamic Ideology Council ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Islamic Economic Council
- D. None of these

Note: The Islamic Constitutional Organization of the Government of Pakistan is the Council of Islamic Ideology (Islamic Ideology Council). The cssprep PDF numbers this question Q5; it is the original paper's Q16.

Question 17 Islamic Studies

What is 'Rabbi Zidni Ilma'?

- A. Hadith
- B. Asar
- C. Qur'anic verse ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The first revelation (Surah Al-Alaq) came to the Prophet in the Cave Hira in 610 CE.

18 Islamic Studies

The wealth/property left by the deceased is called:

- A. Taraka ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Sadaqa
- C. Asaba
- D. None of these

Note: The Battle of Badr was fought in 2 AH (624 CE).

Question 19 Islamic Studies

For how long did the Prophet Muhammad (S.A.W) and his companions remain in the siege of Shi'ab-e-Abi-Talib?

- A. One year
- B. Two years
- C. Three years ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The first mosque built in Islam is Masjid Quba.

Question 20 Islamic Studies

Who was the first caliph of the Umayyad dynasty?

- A. Hazrat Muawiyah (RA) ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Hazrat Usman (RA)
- C. Hazrat Umar bin Abdul Aziz (RA)
- D. None of these

Note: Muawiyah (RA) was the first caliph of the Umayyad dynasty.

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41 English

The settlers found an ideal location with plenty of ___ land for forming and a mountain stream for fresh water and irrigation.

- A. Candid
- B. Quaint
- C. Arable ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Saline

Note: 'Arable' land is land suitable for farming.

Question 42 English

What is most needed in a discussion of immigration are solid facts, not wishful thinking; realities, not _____.

- A. Fears
- B. Ideas
- C. Myths ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Veracities

Note: What is most needed are solid facts, not wishful thinking; realities, not myths.

Question 43 English

The defendant claimed that he was innocent and that his confession was _____.

- A. Flagrant
- B. Coerced ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Terse
- D. Benign

Note: A confession obtained by force is 'coerced'; an innocent man would say his confession was coerced.

44 English

The rebel spies were charged with _____ and put on trial.

- A. Attrition
- B. Reiteration
- C. Sedition ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Perdition

Note: Rebel spies inciting rebellion are charged with sedition.

Question 45 English

Zachary was doomed to a miserable life, for no matter how much he had, he always ___ the possessions of others.

- A. Protracted
- B. Exalted
- C. Coveted ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Filibustered

Note: To covet is to desire what belongs to another; Zachary always coveted others' possessions.

Question 46 English

Reading Comprehension. Glaciers consist of fallen snow that compresses over many years into large, thickened ice masses. Most of the world's glacial ice is found in Antarctica and Greenland, but glaciers are found on nearly every continent, even Africa. Presently, 10% of the land area is covered with glaciers. Glacial ice often appears blue because the ice absorbs all other colors but reflects blue. Almost 90% of an iceberg is below water, only about 10% shows above water. What makes glaciers unique is their ability to move. Due to sheer mass, glaciers flow like very slow rivers. Some glaciers are as small as football fields, whereas others grow to be over 100 kilometers long. Within

),000 years, scientists know that there have been eight Ice Age cycles, separated by warmer periods called an interglacial period. Currently, the earth is nearing the end of an interglacial, meaning that another Ice Age is due in a few thousand years. This is part of the normal climate variation cycle. Greenhouse warming may delay the onset of another glacial era, but scientists still have many questions to answer about climate change. Although glaciers change very slowly over long periods, they may provide important global climate change signals. The girth of ice, combined with gravity's influence, causes glaciers to flow very slowly. Once a mass of compressed ice reaches a critical thickness of about 18 meters thick, it becomes so heavy that it begins to deform and move. Ice may flow down mountains and valleys, fan across plains, or spread out to sea. Movement along the underside of a glacier is slower than movement at the top due to the friction created as it slides along the ground's surface. Most glaciers are found in remote mountainous areas. However, some found near cities or towns present a danger to the people living nearby. On land, lakes formed on top of a glacier during the melt season may cause floods. At the narrow part of a valley glacier, ice falling from the glacier presents a hazard to hikers below. When the ice breaks off over the ocean, an iceberg is formed. Glaciers are a natural resource and contain 75% of the world's freshwater. People worldwide are trying to harness the power of these frozen streams. Some towns rely on glacial melting from a nearby ice cap to provide drinking water. Some farmers spread soil or ashes over the snow to promote melting, hoping that the melting will provide water to irrigate crops in drought-stricken areas. Others have channeled meltwater from glaciers to their fields. Scientists and engineers have worked together to tap into glacial resources, using electricity that has been generated in part by damming glacial meltwater. According to paragraph 4, what is a negative effect of living too close to a glacier?

- A. The mass of the glacier reaches a critical thickness
- B. About 10% of a glacier shows above water
- C. Spreading dark material over snow promotes melting
- D. Lakes formed on top of glaciers may cause floods ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Paragraph 4 says lakes formed on top of a glacier during the melt season may

Question 47 English

The underlined word 'remote', as used in paragraph 4 of the passage, most nearly means:

- A. Isolated ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Nearby
- C. Slow travelling
- D. Difficult to see

Note: In paragraph 4 the glaciers are in 'remote mountainous areas', far from towns; 'remote' most nearly means isolated.

Question 48 English

The passage explains that glaciers can be found where?

- A. Only on Antarctica
- B. Only Greenland and Alaska
- C. On nearly every continent ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. On the north and south poles

Note: The passage says glaciers are found on nearly every continent, even Africa — not only at the poles.

Question 49 English

According to the passage, why does glacial ice often appear blue?

- A. Because it does not absorb the color blue
- B. Because it absorbs all other colors but reflects blue ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Because it does not absorb all other colors including blue
- D. Because it is blue in color

l ice appears blue because it absorbs all other colours but reflects blue.

Question 50 English

After reading the passage, what can one conclude about glaciers?

- A. There will not be another Ice Age coming
- B. Glaciers have both negative and positive effects on human life ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Scientists have difficulty studying glaciers
- D. Scientists have minimal data on the formation of glaciers

Note: The passage shows glaciers as both a danger (floods, falling ice) and a resource (freshwater, power), so they have both negative and positive effects on human life.

Question 51 English

After reading the passage, what can one infer about glaciers?

- A. Further exploration is needed to tap the power of glacial ice in fuelling electric energy
- B. With variations in climate, glaciers shrink and expand
- C. Glaciers form in cold regions where the rate of snowfall is greater that the melting rate of snow ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Glaciers are usually bordered at the sides by rock debris

Note: The passage explains that glaciers form where snowfall accumulates faster than it melts, in cold regions. The mcqsplanet key records A (further exploration to tap glacial power); C is filed as the inference the passage directly supports, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 52 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. A noise woke me up in the middle of the night ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. A noise woke me up at the middle of the night
- D. A noise woke me up on the middle of the night

Note: 'A noise woke me up in the middle of the night' is correct: 'in the middle of the night' is the idiomatic phrase.

Question 53 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. A cup of tea is hanging on the hook in the kitchen
- B. A tea cup is hanging over the hook in the kitchen
- C. A teacup is hanging on the hook in the kitchen ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. A tea's cup is hanging on the hook in the kitchen

Note: 'A teacup is hanging on the hook in the kitchen' is correct: 'teacup' is one word.

Question 54 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. Our friend has an apartment toward East London
- B. Our friends has an apartment on East London
- C. Our friend has an apartment in the East London
- D. Our friend has an apartment in East London ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: 'Our friend has an apartment in East London' is correct: no article is used before 'East London'.

Question 55 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. The doctor told him to give up smoking ✓ **Correct answer**

doctor told him giving up smoking

- C. The doctor told him to give up smoke
- D. The doctor told him to give away smoking

Note: 'The doctor told him to give up smoking' is correct: 'told him to give up' takes the infinitive.

Question 56 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. We look forward to going Lahore in evening
- B. We look forward to going to Lahore in the evening ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. We look forward to go Lahore on the evening
- D. We look forward to go Lahore in the evening

Note: 'We look forward to going to Lahore in the evening' is correct: 'look forward to' is followed by the -ing form, and 'in the evening' is the idiomatic phrase.

Question 57 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. He gave me all the maps free ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. He gave me all the maps freely
- C. He gave me all the maps to free
- D. He gave me all the maps in free

Note: 'He gave me all the maps free' is correct: 'free' here means free of charge.

Question 58 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. In France the death penalty was abolished in 1981 ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. In France the death penalty has been abolished on 1981
- D. In France the death penalty was abolished on 1981

Note: 'In France the death penalty was abolished in 1981' is correct: a finished past event takes the simple past with 'in 1981'.

Question 59 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. On page 3, there is an advertisement of a new video camera
- B. On page 3, there is an advertisement about a new video camera
- C. On page 3, there is an advertisement for a new video camera ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. On page 3, there is an advertisement of new video camera

Note: 'On page 3, there is an advertisement for a new video camera' is correct: an advertisement is 'for' something.

Question 60 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. We do not afford to eat in restaurants nowadays
- B. We cannot afford to eat in restaurants nowadays ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. We do not afford eat-in restaurants nowadays
- D. We do not afford to eating in restaurants nowadays

Note: 'We cannot afford to eat in restaurants nowadays' is correct: 'afford' takes the infinitive 'to eat'.

Question 61 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

Japanese couple on the back of the coach was obviously newly-weds

- B. The Japanese couples at the back of the coach were obviously newly-weds ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. The Japanese couples at the back of the coach was obviously newly-weds
- D. The Japanese couple in the back f the coach was obviously newly-weds

Note: 'The Japanese couples at the back of the coach were obviously newly-weds' is correct: plural subject 'couples' takes 'were'.

Question 62 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. A cat can see in the darkness ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. The cat can see in the darkness
- C. Cats can see in the darkness
- D. A cat can see into the darkness

Note: 'A cat can see in the darkness' is correct: the generic 'a cat' with the simple statement.

Question 63 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. This is the only one of his poems that is worth reading ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. This is the only one of his poems that are worth reading
- C. This is the only one of his poem that are worth reading
- D. This is the only one of his poems that is worth read

Note: 'This is the only one of his poems that is worth reading' is correct: 'that is' agrees with 'the only one'.

64 English

Choose an option that is correct according to the standard use of English.

- A. Trees help to create a peaceful surrounding
- B. Trees help to create a peaceful surroundings
- C. Trees help to create peaceful surroundings ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Trees help to create the peaceful surrounding

Note: 'Trees help to create peaceful surroundings' is correct: 'surroundings' is plural in this sense.

Question 65 English

Choose the sentence with an adverb.

- A. Don't talk so loud ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. He lives in the next house
- C. He is quick to take offense
- D. The night is dark

Note: 'Don't talk so loud' contains the adverb 'loud' (modifying 'talk').

Question 66 English

Choose the sentence with the proper Adjective.

- A. French wines are not available here ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. He showed much patience
- C. He has lost all his wealth
- D. I ate some rice

Note: 'French wines are not available here' contains the proper adjective 'French'.

67 English

Choose the sentence with the Adverb of time.

- A. I have spoken to him already ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. He seldom comes here
- C. The horse galloped away
- D. The boy works hard

Note: 'I have spoken to him already' contains the adverb of time 'already'.

Question 68 English

In the sentence "Ambition urges me forward", 'forward' is:

- A. An Adverb of place ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. An Adjective of place
- C. An Adverb of time
- D. An Adjective of time

Note: 'Forward' describes the direction of the action 'urges', so it is an adverb of place. The cssprep key records D on a permuted option set; the original paper's set puts 'adverb of place' at A.

Question 69 English

In the sentence "Children love making mud castles", 'making' is:

- A. Verb
- B. Main Verb
- C. Gerund ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Both A and B

Note: In 'Children love making mud castles', 'making' is a gerund (a verb form used as a noun).

70 English

In the sentence "The earth is larger than the moon", 'than' is:

- A. Subordinating Conjunction ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Coordinating Conjunction
- C. Not a conjunction
- D. Both A and B

Note: In 'The earth is larger than the moon', 'than' is a subordinating conjunction introducing the comparison.

Question 71 English

In the sentence "Such was not my intention", 'such' is:

- A. Pronoun ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Adjective
- C. Conjunction
- D. All of these

Note: In 'Such was not my intention', 'such' is a pronoun (standing for the thing referred to).

Question 72 English

Ambition does not always conduce _____ ultimate happiness.

- A. Of
- B. In
- C. To ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. From

Note: 'Conduce to' is the idiom: ambition does not always conduce to ultimate happiness.

73 English

The holidays will begin _____ June 29.

- A. On ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. From
- C. In
- D. With

Note: 'The holidays will begin on June 29' is standard English for a specific date. The cssprep key records B ('From'), the South Asian usage; A is filed, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 74 English

Send this letter _____ my address.

- A. To ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. On
- C. At
- D. Towards

Note: The correct preposition is 'in': 'He was born in 1990' (the filed pair, as in the original paper).

Question 75 English

He accepted the car in lieu _____ his claim _____ Rs. 4,55,000.

- A. Of, Of
- B. With, For
- C. Of, For ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. With, Of

Note: 'He accepted the car in lieu of his claim for Rs. 4,55,000' is correct: 'in lieu of' means

Question 76 English

Select the pair that best expresses a relationship similar to the original pair.

CONVICTION : INCARCERATION

- A. Reduction : Diminution ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Induction : Intimidation
- C. Radicalization : Estimation
- D. Marginalization : Intimidation

Note: A conviction leads to incarceration — the first brings about the second; likewise a reduction produces diminution. The mcqsplanet and mcq-ai keys agree on A. (An earlier draft filed D, Marginalization : Intimidation, on a cause-and-effect reading; the mcq-ai explanation shows A fits the same relationship better, and marginalization does not produce intimidation.)

Question 77 English

Select the pair that best expresses a relationship similar to the original pair. FROND : PALM

- A. Quill : Porcupine ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Blade : Evergreen
- C. Scale : Wallaby
- D. Tusk : Alligator

Note: A frond is part of a palm, as a quill is part of a porcupine.

Question 78 English

Select the pair that best expresses a relationship similar to the original pair. SPY : CLANDESTINE

ountant : Meticulous ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Furrier : Rambunctious
- C. Lawyer : Ironic
- D. Shepherd : Garrulous

Note: A spy is clandestine by nature, as an accountant is meticulous by nature.

Question 79 English

Select the pair that best expresses a relationship similar to the original pair. FERAL : TAME

- A. Rancid : Rational
- B. Nettlesome : Annoying
- C. Repentant : Honorable
- D. Ephemeral : Immortal ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Feral and tame are opposites, as ephemeral and immortal are opposites.

Question 80 English

Select the pair that best expresses a relationship similar to the original pair. DOLLAR : DIME

- A. Saleswoman : Pitch
- B. Retreat : Victory
- C. Century : Decade ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Ring : Necklace

Note: A dollar is worth ten dimes, as a century is worth ten decades — both are 10:1 ratio pairs. The mcqsplanet key records D (Ring : Necklace), which has no such ratio; set aside, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

81 English

Choose the option closest in meaning to the word provided. SUMPTUOUS

- A. Delirious
- B. Gorgeous
- C. Perilous
- D. Luxurious ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: 'Sumptuous' means luxurious and splendid.

Question 82 English

Choose the option closest in meaning to the word provided. SACROSANCT

- A. Prayer
- B. Sanctuary
- C. Pious
- D. Sacred ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: 'Sacrosanct' means sacred, most holy.

Question 83 English

Choose the option closest in meaning to the word provided. CHURLISH

- A. Childish
- B. Boorish ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Tempestuous
- D. Disorderly

Note: 'Churlish' means rude and boorish. The cssprep option set is corrupted (its B reads 'Gruesome' with a note that no option matches); the original paper's B is 'Boorish'.

84 English

Choose the option closest in meaning to the word provided. WINNOW

- A. Carve
- B. Wind
- C. Weed ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Carry

Note: To 'winnow' is to separate the desirable from the undesirable, as in weeding out. The original paper's option set puts 'Weed' at C; the cssprep key records B on a set without 'Wind'.

Question 85 English

Choose the option closest in meaning to the word provided. MORDANT

- A. Dead
- B. Gruesome
- C. Fetid
- D. Caustic ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: 'Mordant' means biting or caustic.

Question 86 English

Choose the option most nearly opposite of the word provided. SARTORIAL

- A. Cheerful
- B. Sincere
- C. Inelegant
- D. Homespun ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: 'Sartorial' relates to tailoring and elegant dress; its opposite is 'homespun' (plain, simple, homemade).

87 English

Choose the option most nearly opposite of the word provided. SAPIENT

- A. Hunched
- B. Strong
- C. Simple ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Simian

Note: 'Sapient' means wise; its opposite here is 'simple' (simple-minded).

Question 88 English

Choose the option most nearly opposite of the word provided. MATUTINAL

- A. Paternal
- B. Crepuscular ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Maritime
- D. Marsupial

Note: 'Matutinal' means of the morning; its opposite is 'crepuscular' (of twilight).

Question 89 English

Choose the option most nearly opposite of the word provided. GUMPTION

- A. Seriousness
- B. Apathy ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Levity
- D. Despair

Note: 'Gumption' means courage and initiative; its opposite is 'apathy'.

Question 90 English

Choose the option most nearly opposite of the word provided. OBTUSE

- B. Acute ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Opaque
- D. Thick

Note: 'Obtuse' means blunt or dull; its opposite is 'acute'.

Question 91 General Abilities

Find the percentage of 0.001:

- A. 1
- B. 0.1 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 0.01
- D. None of these

Note: 0.001 as a percentage is 0.001 x 100 = 0.1%.

Question 92 General Abilities

Find the answer of the series (-3) x (-3) x (-3):

- A. -3
- B. 27
- C. -27 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: (-3) x (-3) x (-3) = -27. The cssprep key records B (27) on a shifted option set; the arithmetic gives -27.

Question 93 General Abilities

What is the square root of -25?

- A. 5

- C. -2.5
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: The square root of -25 is 5i, an imaginary number, which is not among the real-number options, so D (None of these) is correct.

Question 94 General Abilities

Let x = -4x + 4; the value of x will be:

- A. 4/5 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 5/4
- C. -4/3
- D. None of these

Note: x = -4x + 4 gives 5x = 4, so x = 4/5.

Question 95 General Abilities

If the sum of all 10 values in a data set is 10, then what will be the average?

- A. 1 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 5
- C. 10
- D. None of these

Note: The average is the sum divided by the count: 10 / 10 = 1.

Question 96 General Abilities

Let (x^(1/2)) × (x^(-1/2)), then find the correct answer:

- A. 0
- B. 1 ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. None of these

Note: When powers of the same base are multiplied, the exponents are added: x^(1/2) x x^(-1/2) = x^(1/2 - 1/2) = x^0 = 1. The mcqsplanet and cssprep keys record A (0), which wrongly assumes a zero exponent gives zero; set aside on the arithmetic, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation. The mcq-ai clean transcription of the stem settles the reading.

Question 97 General Abilities

Let (-2x)^3, then find the correct answer:

- A. 8x
- B. -8x
- C. -8x^3 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: (-2x)^3 = -8x^3.

Question 98 General Abilities

Let (x/2) - (x/4) = 2; then find the correct answer:

- A. 2
- B. 4
- C. 8 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: x/2 - x/4 = 2 gives x/4 = 2, so x = 8.

Question 99 General Abilities

Let x^(2/3) = 64, then find the value of x:

- B. 8
- C. 16
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Under the printed equation the value is not among the options: x^(2/3) = 64 gives x = 512, and x^2/3 = 64 gives x = sqrt(192). The mcqsplanet key records C (16), which satisfies neither reading; set aside on the arithmetic, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 100 General Abilities

The angle made by two lines is called:

- A. Segment
- B. Vertex ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Rays
- D. None of these

Note: The point where two lines meet is the vertex of the angle. The mcqsplanet key records C (Rays), the sides of the angle rather than the point; B is filed as the vertex is the angle's defining point, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 101 General Abilities

A polygon that consists of 8 sides is called:

- A. Nonagon
- B. Decagon
- C. Octagon ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: A polygon with 8 sides is an octagon.

102 General Abilities

A measure of angle which is the complement of itself is:

- A. 30 degrees
- B. 45 degrees ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 90 degrees
- D. None of these

Note: An angle that is the complement of itself satisfies x + x = 90, so x = 45 degrees.

Question 103 General Abilities

A triangle has _____ vertices.

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: A triangle has 3 vertices. The original paper's option set is 1/2/3, putting 3 at C; the cssprep key records B on a set 2/3/4.

Question 104 General Abilities

The sum of three angles of an isosceles triangle is:

- A. 90 degrees
- B. 180 degrees ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 360 degrees
- D. None of these

Note: The three angles of any triangle, isosceles or not, sum to 180 degrees.

105 General Abilities

How many endpoints are in a line?

- A. No endpoints ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. One endpoint
- C. Two endpoints
- D. None of these

Note: A line extends without end in both directions, so it has no endpoints.

Question 106 General Abilities

Which of the following is the longest chord of a circle?

- A. Radius
- B. Diameter ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Circumference
- D. None of these

Note: The longest chord of a circle is its diameter.

Question 107 General Abilities

How many sides does a Pentagon have?

- A. Five ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Seven
- C. Eight
- D. None of these

Note: A pentagon has five sides.

Question 108 General Abilities

A figure whose all four sides are equal is called:

- B. Square ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Circle
- D. None of these

Note: A figure with all four sides equal is a square.

Question 109 General Abilities

Sometimes we give a statement in favour of another statement, which is called:

- A. Argument
- B. Premises ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Conclusion
- D. None of these

Note: A statement given in favour of another statement is a premise.

Question 110 General Abilities

Knowledge of children based on memory process is called:

- A. Learning
- B. Strategy
- C. Metamemory ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Knowledge of one's own memory processes is called metamemory.

Question 111 General Abilities

In which memory are all materials stored so that we can retrieve them later on?

- A. Short term memory
- B. Long term memory ✓ **Correct answer**

sory memory

- D. None of these

Note: Material stored for later retrieval is held in long-term memory.

Question 112 General Abilities

Who introduced the term "Intelligence Quotient" (I.Q)?

- A. William Stern ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. A.R. Jensen
- C. R.B. Cattell
- D. None of these

Note: The German psychologist William Stern introduced the term 'Intelligence Quotient' (IQ) in 1912. The mcqsplanet key records C (R. B. Cattell); set aside on the facts, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 113 General Abilities

Sometimes we think about the beauty of Heaven; what do we call it?

- A. Imagination ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Concept Formation
- C. Fantasy
- D. None of these

Note: Thinking about something not directly perceived, such as the beauty of Heaven, is an act of imagination. The mcqsplanet key records C (Fantasy); set aside on the facts, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 114 General Abilities

What is the last stage of creative thinking?

- B. Verification ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Evaluation
- D. None of these

Note: Wallas's four stages of creative thinking end with verification (after preparation, incubation and illumination).

Question 115 General Abilities

Short-term memory lasts only:

- A. 5-10 seconds
- B. 10-15 seconds
- C. 20-30 seconds ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Short-term memory lasts about 20-30 seconds.

Question 116 General Abilities

Give the name of the range which an individual can make between the weakest and the loudest sounds:

- A. Sensory range
- B. Pitch range
- C. Dynamic range ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The range between the weakest and the loudest sound a person can hear is the dynamic range.

Question 117 General Abilities

Decibel (dB) is the unit that can be used to measure the:

- B. Intensity of Sound Pressure ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Vision
- D. None of these

Note: The decibel (dB) measures the intensity of sound pressure.

Question 118 General Abilities

If Mental Age (MA) and Chronological Age (CA) are given, then "Intelligence Quotient" (I.Q) is:

- A. MA - CA
- B. MA / CA ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. CA / MA
- D. None of these

Note: Intelligence Quotient (IQ) = Mental Age / Chronological Age (x 100).

Question 119 General Abilities

(i) Bulb X lasts longer than bulb Y. (ii) Bulb F does not last longer than bulb Z. (iii) Bulb Z lasts longer than bulb X. If statements (i) and (ii) are true, then statement (iii) is:

- A. True
- B. False
- C. Uncertain ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Statements (i) and (ii) say nothing about bulb Z against bulb X, so statement (iii) is uncertain.

Question 120 General Abilities

(i) Passing the CSS examination gives happiness. (ii) Happiness produces a smile. (iii)

CSS examination gives a smile. If statements (i) and (ii) are true, then statement (iii) is:

- A. True ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. False
- C. Uncertain
- D. None of these

Note: Passing the CSS examination gives happiness, and happiness produces a smile, so passing the examination produces a smile: True.

Question 121 General Abilities

(i) A toothpaste is useful. (ii) Useful things are valuable. (iii) Toothpaste is valuable. If statements (i) and (ii) are true, then statement (iii) is:

- A. True ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. False
- C. Uncertain
- D. None of these

Note: Toothpaste is useful, and useful things are valuable, so toothpaste is valuable: True.

Question 122 General Abilities

To pack 100 pairs of shoes into cases that each hold 20 shoes, how many cases do we need?

- A. 5
- B. 10 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 15
- D. None of these

Note: 100 pairs is 200 shoes; 200 / 20 = 10 cases.

123 General Abilities

The total number of cubic blocks is 50. To construct a solid cube with none left over, what is the minimum number that needs to be taken away?

- A. 21
- B. 22
- C. 23 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The largest solid cube that can be built from 50 blocks is 3 x 3 x 3 = 27 blocks, so 50 - 27 = 23 blocks must be taken away.

Question 124 General Abilities

In the series 12, 11, 13, 12, 14, 13, ... what number should come next?

- A. 13
- B. 14
- C. 15 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The series alternates -1 and +2 (12, 11, 13, 12, 14, 13), so the next term is 15.

Question 125 General Abilities

In the series 2, 1, (1/2), (1/4), ... what number should come next?

- A. 1/3
- B. 1/8 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1/16
- D. None of these

Note: Each term is half the previous one (2, 1, 1/2, 1/4), so the next is 1/8.

126 General Abilities

Which of the following options does not belong to a "book"?

- A. Glossary
- B. Project ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Chapter
- D. None of these

Note: A book has a glossary and chapters; a project is not part of a book. The mcqsplanet key records C (Chapter), which does belong to a book; set aside on the facts, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 127 General Abilities

Which of the following options does not belong to a "bird"?

- A. Wing
- B. Rudder ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Beak
- D. None of these

Note: A bird has wings and a beak; a rudder belongs to a ship or aircraft, not a bird. The mcqsplanet key records C (Beak), which does belong to a bird; set aside on the facts, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 128 General Abilities

Which of the following options is a necessary part of "harvest"?

- A. Crop ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Tractor
- C. Stockpile
- D. None of these

vest necessarily involves a crop, a tractor and a stockpile are not necessary parts of it.

Question 129 General Abilities

Give the name of the USB port which exists in all modern computers:

- A. Universal Service Broadcasting
- B. Universal Serial Bus ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Uniform Service Broadcasting
- D. None of these

Note: USB stands for Universal Serial Bus.

Question 130 General Abilities

"Dear Money" is used for:

- A. Low rate of Interest
- B. High rate of Interest ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Value of money
- D. None of these

Note: 'Dear money' means money borrowed at a high rate of interest.

Question 131 General Abilities

Give the name of the term "SPM" which is often used in the study of pollution:

- A. Solid Particulate Matter
- B. Sulfur Particulate Matter
- C. Suspended Particulate Matter ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: SPM in pollution studies stands for Suspended Particulate Matter.

132 General Abilities

Which of the following options is a necessary part of "School"?

- A. Learning
- B. Student ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Report Card
- D. None of these

Note: A school necessarily has students; a report card is not a necessary part of it.

Question 133 General Abilities

My wife and I have two sons. Each son has one sister. How many members are in the family?

- A. 4
- B. 5 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 6
- D. None of these

Note: Two sons plus their one shared sister plus the two parents is 5 members.

Question 134 General Abilities

A farmer has 10 cows. All cows died except four. How many cows are left?

- A. 4 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 5
- C. 6
- D. None of these

Note: Ten cows, all dead except four, leaves four cows.

135 General Abilities

What does "SAT" stand for?

- A. Scholar Assessment Test
- B. Scholastic Assessment Test ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Scholarship Assessment Test
- D. None of these

Note: SAT stands for Scholastic Assessment Test.

Question 136 General Abilities

"SAT" is useful to judge the:

- A. Predicting Future ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Fairness and objectiveness
- C. Genius and Gifted
- D. None of these

Note: The SAT is a standardised admission test whose main use is to predict how well a student will do in college (predictive validity). The mcqsplanet key records B (Fairness and objectiveness); fairness and objectivity are qualities a good test should have, not what the SAT is used to judge. Filed A as PICK-ONE against the mcqsplanet key, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 137 General Abilities

A pictogram is appropriate for data:

- A. Fraction
- B. Count ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Interval
- D. None of these

ogram is appropriate for count data (frequencies shown by pictures).

Question 138 General Abilities

A pie-chart is suitable to divide the components of a factor in:

- A. Sectors ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Percentage
- C. Angles
- D. None of these

Note: A pie chart divides its components into sectors.

Question 139 General Abilities

If we add a constant 3 to each observation of a data set, then the mean is:

- A. Increased by 3 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Decreased by 3
- C. No Effect
- D. None of these

Note: Adding a constant to every observation increases the mean by that constant: the mean is increased by 3.

Question 140 General Abilities

If three observations are 5, 5 and 5, then the arithmetic mean is:

- A. 5 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 10
- C. 0
- D. None of these

Note: The mean of 5, 5 and 5 is (5+5+5)/3 = 5.

141 General Abilities

If the minimum value in a set is 5 and its range is 50, then the maximum value of the set is:

- A. 47
- B. 55 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 50
- D. None of these

Note: Maximum = minimum + range = 5 + 50 = 55.

Question 142 General Abilities

The probability can take values:

- A. -1 to +1
- B. -infinity to +infinity
- C. 0 to 1 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: A probability can take values from 0 to 1.

Question 143 General Abilities

The mean of 5 observations is 10. A new observation 10 is added; the mean of the 6 observations is:

- A. 5
- B. 10 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 15
- D. None of these

Note: The five observations sum to 50; adding 10 gives 60 over six observations, so the mean stays 10.

144 General Abilities

Mean is a measure of:

- A. Location ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Dispersion
- C. Variation
- D. None of these

Note: The mean is a measure of location (central tendency), not of dispersion or variation.

Question 145 General Science

Which of the following plays a major role in reaction to stress?

- A. Confidence
- B. Emotions
- C. Personality ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Personality plays a major role in how a person reacts to stress. The cssprep key records D on a shifted option set (5/10/12), which belongs to another question.

Question 146 General Science

In which of the following options do we feel stress if we fail in the CSS examination?

- A. Physical
- B. Mental ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Social Stigma
- D. None of these

Note: Failing the CSS examination is felt as mental stress.

147 General Science

Which of the following techniques is useful to handle sensitive issues?

- A. Random Response
- B. Randomized Response ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Physical Response
- D. None of these

Note: The randomised response technique is used to handle sensitive issues in surveys.

Question 148 General Science

To clean the ice from the roads during the winter season, which of the following is used?

- A. Chlorine
- B. Salt ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Iodine
- D. None of these

Note: Salt is spread on icy roads to melt the ice. The original paper spells it 'Salt'; the mcqsplanet page misprints it 'Slat'.

Question 149 General Science

Which of the planets moves slowest around the Sun?

- A. Venus ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mercury
- C. Jupiter
- D. None of these

Note: Both surviving printed keys record A (Venus). Venus spins more slowly than any other planet (a Venusian day is about 243 Earth days), which is evidently what the key intends; on orbital motion 'around the Sun', Jupiter is slowest among the options offered

e slowest overall, so the question as worded is loose — and a third source's two treatments of it disagree with each other (one keys Jupiter, the other None of these). Filed as keyed by both sources, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 150 General Science

The life span of red blood cells in humans is:

- A. 120 days ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 125 days
- C. 130 days
- D. None of these

Note: The life span of a red blood cell in humans is about 120 days.

Question 151 General Science

How many fluids per day should a man use?

- A. 2.7 liters
- B. 3.7 liters ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 4.7 liters
- D. None of these

Note: The commonly cited recommended daily fluid intake for an average adult man is about 3.7 litres.

Question 152 General Science

Deficiency of Vitamin A creates _____ in the human body.

- A. Hair fall
- B. Rickets
- C. Night blindness ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Deficiency of Vitamin A causes night blindness.

Question 153 General Science

The waves which are used by the TV remote control are:

- A. Infrared waves ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Radio waves
- C. TV waves
- D. None of these

Note: TV remote controls use infrared waves.

Question 154 General Science

Which of the following gases is used in the refrigerator for cooling?

- A. Methane
- B. Ammonia ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Nitrogen
- D. None of these

Note: Ammonia is used as the refrigerant gas in refrigerators.

Question 155 General Science

Which of the planets moves fastest around the Sun?

- A. Venus
- B. Mercury ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Jupiter
- D. None of these

Note: Mercury moves fastest around the Sun (shortest orbital period, about 88 days).

156 General Science

Which instrument is used to measure the oxygen level of the blood?

- A. Thermometer
- B. Oximeter ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Spirometer
- D. None of these

Note: A pulse oximeter measures the oxygen level of the blood.

Question 157 General Science

Which type of vitamin is provided to the human body through the Sun?

- A. Vitamin B12
- B. Vitamin A
- C. Vitamin D ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Vitamin D is provided to the body through sunlight.

Question 158 General Science

Through which of the following countries does the Equator pass?

- A. Pakistan
- B. Malaysia
- C. Kenya ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The Equator passes through Kenya (among other countries).

Question 159 General Science

Which of the following lenses is used in the microscope?

vex lens ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Concave lens
- C. Curved lens
- D. None of these

Note: A microscope uses a convex lens.

Question 160 General Science

The instrument used to measure rainfall is:

- A. Barometer
- B. Hydrometer
- C. Nanometer
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: No rain gauge is listed: a barometer measures air pressure, a hydrometer measures liquid density, and a nanometer is a unit of length — so D (None of these) is correct.

Question 161 General Science

Which blood group is rarest in the human body?

- A. O
- B. AB+
- C. AB- ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The rarest blood group is AB negative (AB-).

Question 162 General Science

Which light is more important for photosynthesis?

- A. Violet light

light ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. Green light
- D. None of these

Note: Chlorophyll absorbs red (and blue) light most effectively for photosynthesis; green light is reflected, which is why leaves look green. The mcqsplanet key records C (Green), which is the least absorbed colour; set aside on the facts, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 163 General Science

The instrument which is used to measure blood pressure is called:

- A. Spirometer
- B. Barometer
- C. Sphygmomanometer ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: A sphygmomanometer is the instrument used to measure blood pressure.

Question 164 General Science

The world is divided into how many time zones?

- A. 12
- B. 18
- C. 24 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The world is divided into 24 time zones.

Question 165 General Science

Which of the following is the warmest ocean?

an Ocean ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Pacific Ocean
- C. Atlantic Ocean
- D. None of these

Note: The Indian Ocean is the warmest ocean.

Question 166 General Science

Vitamin B exists in:

- A. Fruit and Vegetables
- B. Seeds ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Sea-food
- D. None of these

Note: Vitamin B is found in seeds (whole grains and seeds are its classic source).

Question 167 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

How many countries are declared nuclear powers?

- A. 7
- B. 8 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 9
- D. None of these

Note: Eight countries have openly declared nuclear weapons: the five recognised by the Non-Proliferation Treaty (US, Russia, UK, France, China) plus India, Pakistan and North Korea. A ninth, Israel, is widely believed to possess nuclear weapons but has never declared them — which is why the total believed is nine. The question asks for declared powers, so B is correct. The mcqsplanet key also records B; an earlier draft filed C (9), corrected on the wording of the stem.

168 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

FATF stands for:

- A. Financial Action Task Force ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Federal Agency Task Force
- C. Financial Authority Task Force
- D. None of these

Note: FATF stands for the Financial Action Task Force.

Question 169 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Washington D.C. is the _____ state of the USA.

- A. 48th
- B. 49th
- C. 50th
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Washington DC is not a state at all (it is a federal district), so D (None of these) is correct.

Question 170 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Which is the smallest country in the world?

- A. Vatican City ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Maldives
- C. Monaco
- D. None of these

Note: Vatican City is the smallest country in the world.

171 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Who is the founder of Wikipedia?

- A. Julian Assange
- B. Jimmy Wales ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Bill Gates
- D. None of these

Note: Jimmy Wales co-founded Wikipedia in 2001 and is most commonly credited as its founder.

Question 172 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

_____ is known as the land of the rising sun.

- A. Japan ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Norway
- C. Kenya
- D. None of these

Note: Japan is known as the land of the rising sun.

Question 173 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

_____ will be the next leap year.

- A. 2022
- B. 2023
- C. 2024 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The next leap year after 2022 is 2024.

174 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

COP26 was held in which country?

- A. UK ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. USA
- C. France
- D. None of these

Note: COP26 was held in the UK (Glasgow) in 2021.

Question 175 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The present Speaker of Pakistan's National Assembly is:

- A. Asad Qaisar ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Asad Umar
- C. Qasim Suri
- D. None of these

Note: Asad Qaisar was Speaker of the National Assembly on the sitting date (20 February 2022); he resigned on 9 April 2022 and Raja Pervaiz Ashraf succeeded him. The cssprep key records D on that later change; set aside, judged as at the sitting date, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 176 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

As per IMF sources, Pakistan's GDP growth would be _____ in the year 2022.

- A. 3.96 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 3.94
- C. 3.92
- D. None of these

Note: The IMF projection figure for Pakistan's GDP growth in 2022 is 3.96. The cssprep key

one of these), noting that IMF projections were revised; A is filed as the projection figure, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 177 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The Upper House of the British Parliament is:

- A. Senate
- B. House of Lords ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. House of Commons
- D. None of these

Note: The upper house of the British Parliament is the House of Lords.

Question 178 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

SAARC stands for:

- A. South Asian Association for Regional Corporation
- B. South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. South Asian Association for Regional Council
- D. None of these

Note: SAARC stands for the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation. The original paper's option set puts 'Cooperation' at B; the cssprep key records A on a set that puts it at A.

Question 179 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

OIC stands for:

- A. Organization of Islamic Conference
- B. Organization of Islamic Countries
- C. Organization of Islamic Cooperation ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

ands for the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (renamed from 'Conference' in 2011).

Question 180 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Hamas is an Islamic organization working for the:

- A. Liberation of Palestine ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Liberation of Chechnya
- C. Liberation of Kashmir
- D. None of these

Note: Hamas works for the liberation of Palestine.

Question 181 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The Summit for Democracy was held in _____ in December 2021.

- A. New York
- B. London
- C. Washington ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The first Summit for Democracy (December 2021) was hosted by the United States and centred in Washington. It was held virtually, which is why the cssprep key records D (None of these); C is filed as the host city, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 182 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The author of "Governing the Ungovernable" is:

- A. Shuja Nawaz
- B. Ishrat Hussain ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Hassan Askari

Note: 'Governing the Ungovernable' was written by Ishrat Hussain.

Question 183 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

FATA merged with KPK under the _____ amendment to the Constitution of Pakistan.

- A. 24th
- B. 25th ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 26th
- D. None of these

Note: FATA was merged with Khyber Pakhtunkhwa under the 25th Constitutional Amendment (2018).

Question 184 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

_____ is the only female Governor appointed in Pakistan.

- A. Begum Rana Liaqat Ali Khan ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mohtarma Fatima Jinnah
- C. Begum Jahan Ara Shahnawaz
- D. None of these

Note: Begum Rana Liaqat Ali Khan was the only female Governor appointed in Pakistan (Governor of Sindh, 1973-76).

Question 185 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The National Identity Card was introduced in Pakistan in:

- A. 1973 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1974
- C. 1976

ne of these

Note: Pakistan's first National Identity Cards were issued in 1973 under the National Registration Act 1973, which set up the registration directorate; the computerised system (NADRA) came in 2000. The mcqsplanet key records B (1974) and the cssprep key records B (1975, on its own option set); both set aside on the facts, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 186 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Which rivers were given to India under the Indus Waters Treaty in 1960?

- A. Jhelum, Sutlej, Ravi
- B. Chenab, Beas, Ravi
- C. Sutlej, Beas, Ravi ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Under the Indus Waters Treaty (1960) the eastern rivers Sutlej, Beas and Ravi were given to India.

Question 187 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Mohtarma Benazir Bhutto became Prime Minister of Pakistan for the first time in:

- A. October 1988
- B. November 1988
- C. December 1988 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Benazir Bhutto first became Prime Minister in December 1988. The original paper's option set is October/November/December 1988, putting December at C; the cssprep key records B on a set October 1986/December 1988/December 1990.

188 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

During the Ayub era, presidential elections were held in:

- A. 1962
- B. 1965 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1966
- D. None of these

Note: Presidential elections were held in the Ayub era in 1965 (Ayub Khan vs Fatima Jinnah).

Question 189 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The head of the state in Pakistan is the:

- A. Prime Minister
- B. President ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Speaker NA
- D. None of these

Note: The head of state in Pakistan is the President.

Question 190 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The Lahore Resolution was passed in:

- A. 1943
- B. 1946
- C. 1940 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The Lahore Resolution was passed by the All-India Muslim League on 23 March 1940. The original paper's option set is 1943/1946/1940, putting 1940 at C; the cssprep key records A on a set 1940/1946/1947.

191 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Who was the 2nd Prime Minister of Pakistan?

- A. Ch. Muhammad Ali
- B. Muhammad Ali Bogra
- C. Khawaja Nazimuddin ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Khawaja Nazimuddin was the 2nd Prime Minister of Pakistan.

Question 192 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Who became President after Ayub Khan resigned?

- A. Zulfiqar Ali Bhutto
- B. Noorul Ameen
- C. Muhammad Khan Junejo
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: General Yahya Khan became President after Ayub Khan resigned in March 1969, but he is not among the original paper's options (Bhutto, Noorul Ameen, Junejo), so D (None of these) is correct for the options as printed. The cssprep key records B on a set that lists Yahya Khan.

Question 193 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Pakistan has _____ federating units.

- A. 4 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 5
- C. 6
- D. None of these

Note: Pakistan has four federating units (provinces).

194 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Pakistan became a member of the UN in:

- A. 1947 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1948
- C. 1949
- D. None of these

Note: Pakistan became a member of the United Nations in 1947.

Question 195 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Pakistan is situated in:

- A. Southeast Asia
- B. East Asia
- C. South Asia ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: Pakistan is situated in South Asia. The original paper's option set puts 'South Asia' at C; the cssprep key records A on a set that lists South Asia twice.

Question 196 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

Pakistan has borders with _____ and _____.

- A. Saudi Arabia, Iraq
- B. China, Iran ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Both A and B
- D. None of these

Note: Pakistan shares land borders with China and Iran (as well as Afghanistan and India, which are not offered as a pair); of the pairs offered, only B is entirely true. The cssprep option set is garbled.

197 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The Single National Curriculum in Pakistan was implemented at the primary level in:

- A. 2019
- B. 2020
- C. 2021 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The Single National Curriculum was implemented at the primary level in Pakistan in 2021.

Question 198 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The present Federal Minister of State for Climate Change in Pakistan is:

- A. Zartaj Gul ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Amin Aslam
- C. Zulfiqar Bukhari
- D. None of these

Note: Zartaj Gul was the Federal Minister of State for Climate Change on the sitting date (20 February 2022); Sherry Rehman took the portfolio in April 2022. The cssprep key records D on that later change; set aside, judged as at the sitting date, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 199 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The T-Twenty 2021 World Cup Champion is:

- A. Pakistan
- B. New Zealand
- C. Australia ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Question 200 Current Affairs & Pakistan Affairs

The National Anthem of Pakistan was officially adopted in:

- A. 1952
- B. 1954 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1956
- D. None of these

Note: The National Anthem of Pakistan was officially adopted in 1954. # # # NOTED - * * . * * [illegible] (22). [illegible] 180 [illegible] ; - [illegible] paper (163 exact/fuzzy matches, 13 positional matches for the shared-stem English - 52–64, 4) - [illegible] 0.75 [illegible] 0.83 [illegible] * * Q5/Q16.* * The cssprep PDF's "Q5" (Islamic Constitutional Organization, key B) is the original paper's Q16 misnumbered; the original Q5 is the Zakat Nisab question (A, 7 1/2 tola). - * * Q46–Q51.* * The Glacier comprehension passage is printed with Q46; the questions are answered from it. - * * Q83.* * The cssprep option set is corrupted (its B reads "Gruesome" with a note that no option matches); the original " " " ", - * * * * [illegible] 96. [illegible] tig n bot h t r ans c r i pt i ons; bot h s ur vi vi ng keys r ec or d A (0), and A i s fi l ed as keyed. - * * Q99, Q126, Q127.* * The mcqsplanet keys are set aside on the /; - * * . –* 145 *159. [illegible] ka r e s c r am bl ed i n t hi s r ange; i t s keys t her e ar e not us ed. The fi l ed opt i on s et s follow the original paper. - * * Q161–Q163.* * The cssprep PDF rotates these three

s photosynthesis, its Q162 is blood pressure, its Q163 is blood group); the filed answers follow the original paper's numbering. - * * Q149.* * Both surviving printed keys record A (Venus); see the note on the question about the wording. - * * Q175/Q198.* * Judged as at the sitting date, 20 February 2022; see - *. *– —[21 40 [illegible] sets not recoverable. * * The legalversity.com solved page lists 20 Urdu stems with its own order (no original numbers are given, and the mcq-ai list orders its five Urdu items differently, so no numbering can be assigned). The option [illegible] 20 [illegible] 20 (- . [illegible]) ضمیر — "وہ الفاظ جو اسم کی جگہ استعمال ہوتے ہیں کیا کہلاتے ہیں؟" by mcq-ai, marked *), are: (1) given; the) فعل — "کھاٹ سے کھٹولا اسم نکرہ کی کون سی قسم کو ظاہر کرتا ہے؟" (2) .([illegible]). (3) .([illegible] "اس لفظ کو کیا کہتے ہیں جو کسی دوسرے سے نکلا ہو؟" — مشتق ([illegible]). (4) "املا کے اعتبار سے کون سا لفظ درست ہے؟" — عبدالرحمن. (5) "درج ذیل میں سے کون سا لفظ مذکر ہے؟" — آب و دانہ. (6) "درج ذیل میں سے کون سا لفظ مونث ہے؟" — سنسکرت. (7) "وہم کی جمع کیا ہے؟" — اوہام. (8) "خرد کا متضاد کیا ہے؟" — جنوں. (9) "پچھم کس لفظ کا متضاد ہے؟" — پورب. (10) "مشاہرہ کا ہم معنی لفظ تلاش کریں؟" — تنخواہ. (11) "کون سا جملہ درست ہے؟" — لڑکیاں گا رہی ہیں. (12) "[illegible] کو دفتری اردو میں کیا کہتے ہیں؟" — کیفیت نویسی. (13) "فائل کو اردو میں کیا کہتے ہیں؟" — مثل. (14)* "برائے تعمیل درج ذیل میں سے کس کا درست ترجمہ ہے؟" — روداد اجلاس. (for compliance. (15)* "Minutes of meeting کو اردو میں کیا کہتے ہیں؟" Office Memorandum" *(16 کو دفتری اردو میں کیا کہتے ہیں؟" — دفتری یادداشت. (17)* "[illegible] کا درست اردو متبادل کیا ہے؟" — معیشت. (18)* "[illegible] کو اردو میں کیا کہتے ہیں؟" — قائم مقام صدر. (19) "ہجر کا مترادف لفظ تلاش کریں۔" — وصال. (20) "درست جملے کی نشاندہی کریں۔" — گھوڑا گاڑی بک گئی.

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