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Question 1 English

Hornet's nest means _____?

- A. Violent situation ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. A bee's house
- C. A good situation
- D. None

Note: 'To stir up a hornet's nest' means to provoke a violent or troublesome situation.

2 Islamic Studies

Prophet Muhammed (PBHU) performed a total of _____ Umrahs.

- A. Two
- B. One
- C. Four ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The Prophet (PBUH) performed four Umrahs in his lifetime.

Question 3 Pakistan Studies

Iskander Mirza was died in _____?

- A. 13 November 1969 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 13 November 1968
- C. 13 November 1967
- D. 13 November 1966

Note: Iskander Mirza, Pakistan's first president, died on 13 November 1969.

Question 4 Pakistan Studies

Sindh separated from Bombay in which year?

- A. 1935
- B. 1936 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1938
- D. 1939

Note: Sindh was separated from the Bombay Presidency in 1936.

Question 5 General Knowledge

Colorado river is located in _____?

- B. U.K
- C. Australia
- D. USA ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: The Colorado River flows through the United States (and Mexico).

Question 6 Pakistan Studies

Al-Biruni came to India with _____?

- A. Alexander the Great
- B. Mehmud Ghaznavi ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Muhammad Ghori
- D. None of these

Note: Al-Biruni came to India with Mahmud of Ghazni.

Question 7 Pakistan Studies

“In the Line of Fire” is the autobiography of ___?

- A. Pervez Musharraf ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Benazir Bhutto
- C. Zia-Ul-Haq
- D. Asif Zardari

Note: 'In the Line of Fire' is the autobiography of Pervez Musharraf.

Question 8 Pakistan Studies

Who was the First Pakistani to climb K-2?

- A. Mohsan Rizvi
- B. Ashraf Aman ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. Nazir Sabir

Note: Ashraf Aman was the first Pakistani to climb K2 (1977).

Question 9 Pakistan Studies

Babar ruled India for how many years?

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4 ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Babar ruled India for four years (1526-1530).

Question 10 General Knowledge

Who was the writer of famous Noval series The Godfather?

- A. Mario Puzo ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Victor Hue
- C. John Hilton
- D. Mack jay

Note: 'The Godfather' was written by Mario Puzo.

Question 11 English

Antonym of Gainsay is?

- A. Prudent
- B. Regret
- C. Prude
- D. Own ✓ **Correct answer**

ay' means to deny, so its antonym is 'own' (admit).

Question 12 Pakistan Studies

How many canals take off from Sukkur Barrage?

- A. 9
- B. 7 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 10
- D. 5

Note: Seven canals take off from the Sukkur Barrage.

Question 13 General Knowledge

Where is the headquarters of International Court of Justice (ICJ) located?

- A. New York
- B. Washington
- C. Geneva
- D. Hague ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: The International Court of Justice is headquartered in The Hague.

Question 14 Pakistan Studies

The Constitution of Pakistan 1956 introduced a which legislature/system?

- A. Bicameral
- B. Unicameral ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Both A and B
- D. None of these

Note: The 1956 Constitution introduced a unicameral legislature.

15 Islamic Studies

Who wrote the book “Kitab al Kharaj”?

- A. Imam Abu Yusuf ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Imam Shafi
- C. Imam Abu Hanifa
- D. Muhammad Al Shaybani

Note: 'Kitab al-Kharaj' was written by Imam Abu Yusuf.

Question 16 Motorways & NH&MP

Sukkur Multan motorway is known as _____?

- A. M2
- B. M3
- C. M4
- D. M5 ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: The Sukkur-Multan Motorway is the M-5.

Question 17 Pakistan Studies

Total length of Makran coastal highway that connects Karachi and Gawadar is _____ Km?

- A. 553
- B. 653 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 753
- D. 853

Note: The Makran Coastal Highway (Karachi-Gwadar) is 653 km long.

18 Pakistan Studies

Article 25 of the 1973 Constitution of Pakistan deals with?

- A. Rule of Law
- B. Equality of citizens ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Equal protection of law
- D. All of these

Note: Article 25 of the 1973 Constitution deals with equality of citizens.

Question 19 Office Management

In an office setting, what does the term "KPI" commonly stand for?

- A. Knowledge Base Index (for searching internal knowledge documents)
- B. Key Project Information (for summarizing project details)
- C. Key Performance Indicator (a measurable value used to track progress towards goals) ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Knowledge and Proficiency Inventory (for assessing employee skills)

Note: KPI stands for Key Performance Indicator, a measurable value tracking progress toward goals.

Question 20 English

BADMINTON : COURT ::

- A. Hockey : Stick
- B. Skating : Rink ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Cricket : Bat
- D. Football : Goal

Note: Badminton is played on a court as skating is done on a rink.

Which Surah of the Holy Quran revealed twice in Makkah and Madina?

- A. Surah Rahman
- B. Surah Alaq
- C. Surah Yaseen
- D. Surah Fatiha ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Surah Al-Fatiha was revealed twice, in Makkah and in Madinah.

Question 22 General Knowledge

UNHCR stands for _____?

- A. United Nations Office of Human Resource
- B. United National Humanity Committee for Refugees
- C. United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. United Nations Human Commission Resource

Note: UNHCR stands for United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

Question 23 General Knowledge

Who is Albert Einstein?

- A. Physicists ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mathematician
- C. Philosopher
- D. All of these

Note: Albert Einstein was a physicist.

Question 24 English

"Inter alia" means ____?

ler concentration

- B. In between ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. By the fact
- D. At the end

Note: 'Inter alia' is Latin for 'among other things' (in between).

Question 25 Islamic Studies

The meaning of Surah Al A’raaf is _____?

- A. Border land between Heaven and Hell ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Place in the Hell
- C. Place in the Heaven
- D. None of these

Note: Surah Al-A'raaf refers to the heights, the border land between Heaven and Hell.

Question 26 General Knowledge

Silk Air is the airline of which country?

- A. UK
- B. China
- C. Singapore ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. USA

Note: SilkAir was the regional airline of Singapore.

Question 27 Motorways & NH&MP

Which of the following is the longest Motorway?

- A. M2
- B. M5

- D. M9

Note: The M-8 (Ratodero-Gwadar) is Pakistan's longest motorway at about 892 km.

Question 28 Everyday Science

A disease that spreads over a large area and affects a large number of people at one place and time is known as _____?

- A. Academic
- B. Incorrigible
- C. Invincible
- D. Epidemic ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: A disease spreading over a large area at one time is an epidemic.

Question 29 English

Commencement of words with same letter _____?

- A. Alliteration ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Pun
- C. Oxymoron
- D. Transferred epithet

Note: Alliteration is the commencement of words with the same letter.

Question 30 Islamic Studies

Which Surah of the Quran has the name “Allah” in every single verse?

- A. Surah Al-Ikhlas [112]
- B. Surah Al-Mujadila [58] ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Surah Muhammad [47]

Note: Surah Al-Mujadila (58) has the name 'Allah' in every verse.

Question 31 English

Passive voice of: "The box can contain no more".

- A. No more this box can contain
- B. No more can be contained in the box ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. No more could be contained in the box
- D. None of these

Note: The passive of 'The box can contain no more' is 'No more can be contained in the box.'

Question 32 General Knowledge

Earth Day for the first time was observed in which year?

- A. 2000
- B. 1990
- C. 1960
- D. 1970 ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Earth Day was first observed in 1970.

Question 33 Islamic Studies

Who was the commanders of the Infidels in the Battle of Uhud?

- A. Abu Sufyan ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Abu Jahal
- C. Shaiba
- D. Khalid bin Walid

Question 34 Islamic Studies

The comb was invented by Prophet?

- A. Ibrahim (AS) ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Daud (AS)
- C. Nuh (AS)
- D. Sulaiman (AS)

Note: The comb was invented by Prophet Ibrahim (AS), by tradition.

Question 35 Pakistan Studies

Karakorum highway in Pakistan starts from _____?

- A. Islamabad
- B. Taxila
- C. Hassan Abdal ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Note: The Karakoram Highway starts from Hassan Abdal.

Question 36 Office Management

Following proper document handling procedures as a UDC cashier includes _____?

- A. Leaving cash drawer receipts unattended during breaks.
- B. Writing personal notes directly on customer receipts.
- C. Organizing and filing customer receipts according to established procedures. ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Discarding outdated receipts without following security protocols.

Note: A UDC cashier must organise and file customer receipts by established procedure.

37 Office Management

When working on recording and indexing duties, a UDC should strive for _____?

- A. Completing tasks as quickly as possible without regard for accuracy.
- B. Maintaining a neutral and objective approach when recording and indexing information. ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Delegating all recording and indexing tasks without reviewing the content.
- D. Expressing personal opinions and interpretations within recordings and indexes.

Note: Recording and indexing require a neutral and objective approach.

Question 38 Office Management

You discover an inconsistency during document indexing, such as a missing keyword for a specific topic. The best course of action is to _____?

- A. Leave the document unindexed as it can still be found by browsing.
- B. Create a duplicate document with the missing keyword but leave the original uncorrected
- C. Research and add the missing keyword to the document index ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Delegate the task of correcting the missing keyword to a colleague.

Note: A missing keyword should be researched and added to the document index.

Question 39 Office Management

When indexing meeting minutes, a UDC should prioritize?

- A. Ignoring minor details discussed in the meeting during the indexing process.
- B. Utilizing complex and obscure keywords that users may not understand.
- C. Selecting relevant keywords that accurately reflect the meeting topics. ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Limiting the number of keywords used to minimize user confusion.

ng meeting minutes means selecting keywords that reflect the topics.

Question 40 Office Management

What is the purpose of preparing arrears statements?

- A. To list outstanding achievements.
- B. To create a motivational quote collection.
- C. To identify and track overdue tasks or payments. ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. To provide summaries of completed projects.

Note: Arrears statements identify and track overdue tasks or payments.

Question 41 Office Management

Dispatch refers to the process of _____?

- A. Receiving and storing incoming mail.
- B. Sending outgoing mail or documents. ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Deleting unnecessary documents.
- D. Organizing files alphabetically.

Note: Dispatch is the sending of outgoing mail or documents.

Question 42 General Knowledge

The famous city "Aberdeen" is the city of which country?

- A. Scotland ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Australia
- C. Japan
- D. America

Note: Aberdeen is a city in Scotland.

43 General Knowledge

"Leaves of Grass" was written by ____?

- A. Frost
- B. Walt Whitman ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Longfellow
- D. Shelley

Note: 'Leaves of Grass' was written by Walt Whitman.

Question 44 General Knowledge

Which is the national game of Iceland?

- A. Buzkashi
- B. Cricket
- C. Water Polo
- D. Handball ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Handball is the national game of Iceland.

Question 45 General Knowledge

In which year did the New Zealand Government grant an unqualified right to vote to women?

- A. 1893 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1883
- C. 1873
- D. 1863

Note: New Zealand granted women the vote in 1893, the first country to do so.

46 General Knowledge

The Delaware river is in _____?

- A. Canada
- B. United States ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. China
- D. United Kingdom

Note: The Delaware River is in the United States.

Question 47 English

"Infallible" refers to the one who is free from all _____?

- A. Mistakes and failures ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Cares and worries
- C. Cares and failures
- D. Worries and troubles

Note: 'Infallible' means free from mistakes and failures.

Question 48 General Knowledge

The Nobel Prize has been awarded in how many fields?

- A. 3
- B. 4
- C. 5
- D. 6 ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: The Nobel Prize is awarded in six fields.

Question 49 Islamic Studies

What was the name of town in Israel which was the home of Hazrat Issa (AS) in his

- A. Safed
- B. Haifa
- C. Tal Aviv
- D. Nazareth ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Nazareth was the home of Hazrat Isa (AS) in his youth.

Question 50 Islamic Studies

Hazrat Abu Bakr (R.A) belonged to the tribe of _____?

- A. Banu Hashim
- B. Banu Taym ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Banu Sahm
- D. Banu Asad

Note: Hazrat Abu Bakr (RA) belonged to the Banu Taym tribe.

Question 51 Islamic Studies

Which Sahabi was known as Brain of Arab?

- A. Hazrat Amr bin Al-Aas ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Hazrat Khalid bin Walid
- C. Hazrat Umar Farooq
- D. Hazrat Ameer Hamza

Note: Hazrat Amr bin Al-Aas (RA) was known as the Brain of the Arabs.

Question 52 English

She has been working _____ morning.

- A. For

- C. In
- D. On

Note: 'She has been working since morning' takes 'since'.

Question 53 English

He is busy with his work _____?

- A. Inns and out
- B. Up to neck
- C. Up to the hilt ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Kith and kin

Note: 'Busy up to the hilt' is the idiom for fully occupied.

Question 54 English

What is the active voice of "this house is used very rarely by us"?

- A. We are using this house very rarely.
- B. We use this house very rarely. ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. We used this house very rarely.
- D. We uses this house very rarely.

Note: The active voice is 'We use this house very rarely.'

Question 55 English

Is this the bus, _____ goes to the Sadar Bazar?

- A. That
- B. Who
- C. Which ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: 'Is this the bus which goes to Sadar Bazar?' takes 'which'.

Question 56 Office Management

Maintaining data integrity involves _____?

- A. Sharing login credentials with colleagues for convenience
- B. Leaving confidential documents unattended in desks or in public areas
- C. Regularly backing up data and following established security protocols ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Downloading unauthorized software onto work computers

Note: Data integrity is maintained by regular backups and following security protocols.

Question 57 Pakistan Studies

Baluchistan plateau lies in _____?

- A. East of Koh Kirthar and Sulaiman range
- B. West of Koh Kirthar and Sulaiman range ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. South of Koh Kirthar and Sulaiman range
- D. None

Note: The Balochistan plateau lies west of the Kirthar and Sulaiman ranges.

Question 58 Pakistan Studies

Akbar Nama was a _____ volume history of Akbar's reign, written by Abul Fazl.

- A. Two
- B. First
- C. Three ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Four

Akbar Nama is a three-volume history of Akbar's reign by Abul Fazl.

Question 59 Pakistan Studies

"From Plassey to Pakistan" is a biography of:

- A. Feroz Khan Noon
- B. Mumtaz Doltana
- C. Iskandar Mirza ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Liaqat Ali Khan

Note: 'From Plassey to Pakistan' is a biography of Iskandar Mirza.

Question 60 General Knowledge

"Penang" is the seaport of _____?

- A. United States
- B. France
- C. Germany
- D. Malaysia ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Penang is a seaport of Malaysia.

Question 61 Islamic Studies

During Which prayer, the change of Qibla happened?

- A. Asar
- B. Zuhr ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Fajar
- D. Magrib

Note: The change of Qibla happened during the Zuhr prayer.

62 Islamic Studies

Bird Hudhud (Woodpecker) is mentioned in which Surah?

- A. Surah Qasas
- B. Surah Namal ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Surah Nahl
- D. Surah Saba
- E. None of these

Note: The bird Hudhud (hoopoe) is mentioned in Surah An-Naml.

Question 63 Pakistan Studies

Gadani Beach is located in ____?

- A. Sindh
- B. Khyber PakhtoonKhawa
- C. Punjab
- D. Balochistan ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Gadani Beach is in Balochistan.

Question 64 English

What is the Synonym of AFFIX?

- A. Complete
- B. Withstand
- C. Fasten ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Repair

Note: 'Affix' means to fasten.

65 Islamic Studies

How many Umahaat ul Momineen were Hufaaz (memorizers of the Quran)?

- A. 4
- B. 5
- C. 6
- D. 3 ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: Three of the Umahaat-ul-Momineen were Hufaaz of the Quran.

Question 66 Office Management

What does the abbreviation "EOFY" typically refer to in an office setting?

- A. Equipment Ordering Forecast (for predicting future equipment needs)
- B. Escalation of Findings Report (for reporting identified issues)
- C. Employee Onboarding Form (for new employee paperwork)
- D. End of Financial Year (the closing of a company's financial accounting period) ✓ **Correct answer**

Note: EOFY stands for End of Financial Year.

Question 67 Pakistan Studies

Makran Coastal Highway is being completed with assistance of which country?

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

Note: The Makran Coastal Highway was completed with China's assistance.

68 Pakistan Studies

How many deserts are in Punjab Province?

- A. 1
- B. 2 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 3
- D. 4

Note: Punjab has two deserts: Thal and Cholistan.

Question 69 Islamic Studies

Qaroon was a treasurer, he was in the reign of which Prophet?

- A. Suleman (AS)
- B. Ibrahim (AS)
- C. Musa (AS) ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Yaqoob (AS)

Note: Qaroon was a treasurer in the time of Prophet Musa (AS).

Question 70 English

He is good ____ football.

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

Note: 'He is good at football' takes 'at'.

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