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1 English

To lionize a person

- A. Acquisition of lion-like characteristics by a person
- B. To worship someone
- C. To treat a person as a celebrity ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. A percast for training circus lions

A. Acquisition of lion-like characteristics is not what lionize means.

B. To worship someone is to adore, not to lionize.

C. To lionize a person is to treat them as a celebrity.

D. Training circus lions has nothing to do with lionize.

Question 2 English

To gather orange blossoms

- A. To get oranges
- B. To get a bride ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. To get a groom
- D. To have children

A. Getting oranges is the literal reading, not the idiom.

B. To gather orange blossoms is the idiom for getting a bride (orange blossom is a wedding flower).

C. A groom is the bridegroom, not what the idiom means.

D. Having children is not what the idiom means.

UNO came into being?

- A. 1943
- B. 1945 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 1947
- D. None of these

A. The UNO was not founded in 1943.

B. The United Nations came into being in 1945 (Charter signed June 1945, in force 24 October 1945).

C. 1947 is the year of Pakistan's independence, not the UNO's founding.

D. 1945 is the answer, so this option is wrong.

Question 4 Pakistan Studies

Allama Iqbal delivered Khutaba Allahabbad

- A. 12 Ocotber, 1930
- B. 15-Oct1930
- C. 17-Oct-1930
- D. 30-Dec-1930 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Allahabad Address was not delivered on 12 October 1930.

B. It was not delivered on 15 October 1930.

C. It was not delivered on 17 October 1930.

D. Allama Iqbal delivered the Allahabad Address on 30 December 1930 (29 December by some accounts).

When OIC was a founded?

- A. 1969 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1979
- C. 1981
- D. None of these

A. The OIC was founded in 1969 after the Al-Aqsa fire.

B. It was not founded in 1979.

C. It was not founded in 1981.

D. 1969 is the answer, so this option is wrong.

Question 6 Pakistan Studies

Sir john Simon was the member of

- A. Nehure
- B. Round table conference
- C. Cripps mission
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Sir John Simon was not a member of the Nehru Committee.

B. He was not a member of the Round Table Conference.

C. He was not a member of the Cripps Mission.

D. Simon chaired the Indian Statutory (Simon) Commission, which is none of the options listed.

7 Everyday Science

How much earth takes in rotation

- A. 23 hours 30 minutes
- B. 23 hours 40 minutes
- C. 23 hours 50 minutes
- D. 23 hours 56 minutes ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The earth does not rotate in 23 hours 30 minutes.

B. It does not rotate in 23 hours 40 minutes.

C. It does not rotate in 23 hours 50 minutes.

D. The earth completes one rotation in 23 hours 56 minutes (a sidereal day).

Question 8 Everyday Science

Which gas we exhale

- A. Carbon dioxide ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Nitrogen
- C. Hydrogen
- D. Oxygen

A. We exhale carbon dioxide.

B. We inhale nitrogen (it is not the gas we exhale).

C. Hydrogen is not the gas we exhale.

D. Oxygen is the gas we inhale, not exhale.

Question 9 Pakistan Studies

What was the age of Quaid e Azam when he join All India Muslim League?

- B. 30 years
- C. 37 years ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 35 years

A. Jinnah was not 27 when he joined the Muslim League.

B. He was not 30.

C. Jinnah joined the All-India Muslim League in 1913, at the age of 37.

D. He was not 35.

Question 10 English

Keep one's own counse!

- A. To retain one's own lwayer
- B. To rely on own advice
- C. To preserve a distcreet silence ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. To obtain the services of a lawyer belonging to one,s own family

A. Retaining one's own lawyer is not the idiom's meaning.

B. Relying on one's own advice is close but not the idiom.

C. To keep one's own counsel is to preserve a discreet silence.

D. Obtaining a family lawyer's services is not the idiom's meaning.

Question 11 Pakistan Studies

Which PM of Pakistan had the shortest tenure?

- A. Gen - Muhmmad Ayub Khan
- B. I.I Churvdrtgar ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Malik Feroz Khan Noon

A. Ayub Khan was never Prime Minister; he was President (1958-1969).

B. I. I. Chundrigar served about two months (October-December 1957), the shortest tenure of any Pakistani Prime Minister.

C. Malik Feroz Khan Noon served about eleven months, longer than Chundrigar.

D. Muhammad Ali Bogra served about two years, longer than Chundrigar.

Question 12 Current Affairs

on 11 August 2011 Pak Sat- IR launched from

- A. Xichange china ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Peking china
- C. New York USA
- D. None of above

A. PAKSAT-1R was launched from Xichang, China, on 11 August 2011.

B. It was not launched from Peking (Beijing).

C. It was not launched from New York.

D. Xichang is the answer, so this option is wrong.

Note: Note: Anachronism: PAKSAT-1R flew in 2011, so this item postdates the paper's 2004 label; the PACE reproduction mixes later items into this sitting.

Question 13 Pakistan Studies

Jinnah " the only film on the life of Quaid e Azam was produced by

- A. Zia Mohyuddin
- B. Akbar S Ahmad ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. Shabab Kiranvi

A. Zia Mohyuddin did not produce the film Jinnah.

B. Akbar S. Ahmad produced Jinnah (1998), the film on the Quaid's life.

C. Pervaiz Iqbal Cheema did not produce it.

D. Shabab Kiranvi did not produce it.

Question 14 Current Affairs

Who is the Governor of Gilgit-Baltistan?

- A. Tanvir Ashraf -Kaira
- B. Raja pervez Ashraf
- C. Raja jalal Hussain Maqpoon ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Pir Karam Shah

A. Tanvir Ashraf Kaira was not Governor of Gilgit-Baltistan.

B. Raja Pervez Ashraf was Prime Minister, not Governor of Gilgit-Baltistan.

C. Raja Jalal Hussain Maqpoon was Governor of Gilgit-Baltistan (2015-2018).

D. Pir Karam Ali Shah was Governor earlier (2011-2015), not the one named here.

Note: Note: Anachronism: Maqpoon became Governor in 2015, so this item postdates the paper's 2004 label.

Question 15 General Knowledge

What is the capital of Canada?

- A. Monteral
- B. Ottawa ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. None of these

A. Montreal is a Canadian city, not the capital.

B. Ottawa is the capital of Canada.

C. Quebec is a province (and its city), not the national capital.

D. Ottawa is the answer, so this option is wrong.

Question 16 Everyday Science

A good substitute of meant protien is:

- A. Cabbage
- B. Potatoes
- C. Beans ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Spinach

A. Cabbage is not a protein substitute.

B. Potatoes are mainly starch, not a protein substitute.

C. Beans are rich in protein and a good substitute for meat protein.

D. Spinach has some protein but is not the standard meat substitute.

Note: Note: The stem prints 'meant protien' for 'meat protein'.

Question 17 General Knowledge

Rio de Janeiro is one of the capital cities :

- A. New Zeeland
- B. Italy
- C. South Africa

A. Rio de Janeiro is not in New Zealand.

B. It is not in Italy.

C. It is not in South Africa.

D. Rio de Janeiro is a city of Brazil (its former capital).

Question 18 General Knowledge

Capital of Australia is:

- A. Sydney
- B. Melbourne
- C. Canberra ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Bnsban

A. Sydney is Australia's largest city, not its capital.

B. Melbourne is a major city, not the capital.

C. Canberra is the capital of Australia.

D. Brisbane (spelt Bnsban) is a city in Queensland, not the capital.

Question 19 General Knowledge

Gaza city is in

- A. Palestine ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Israel
- C. Lebanon
- D. Jordon

A. Gaza City is in Palestine.

is not in Israel.

C. It is not in Lebanon.

D. It is not in Jordan.

Question 20 Pakistan Studies

Pakistan's economy has suffered in the past due to

- A. Decades of internal political disputes
- B. A fast growing population
- C. Costly ongoing confrontation with india
- D. all of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Decades of internal political disputes did hurt the economy.

B. A fast-growing population did strain the economy.

C. The costly confrontation with India did hurt the economy.

D. All three factors contributed, so all of these is the answer.

Question 21 Pakistan Studies

Raja Farooq Haider is :

- A. P.M of Azad Kashmir
- B. President of AJK
- C. P.M of AJK
- D. None of the above

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (Raja Farooq Haider was Prime Minister of AJK (2016-2021), never President — the printed key B is wrong, and options A and C both say 'Prime Minister of AJK', so two identical correct options stand)

aider was Prime Minister of Azad Kashmir, so this option states the office he held.

B. Farooq Haider was never President of AJK; the printed key is wrong.

C. Farooq Haider was Prime Minister of AJK, so this option states the office he held.

D. None of the above is wrong: he did hold the prime ministership.

Question 22 General Knowledge

IMF stands for

- A. Internal amangement fund
- B. International Management Forum
- C. International monetary fund ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Internal monetary fund

A. The IMF is not an internal management fund.

B. It is not an international management forum.

C. The IMF stands for International Monetary Fund.

D. It is not an internal monetary fund.

Question 23 General Knowledge

Aung San Suu Kyi, the Noble peace laureate under detention for past many years belongs to

- A. Sri lanka
- B. Myanmar ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Nepal
- D. China

A. Aung San Suu Kyi is not Sri Lankan.

Suu Kyi, the Nobel Peace laureate, is from Myanmar (Burma).

C. She is not Nepalese.

D. She is not Chinese.

Question 24 General Knowledge

Maria Shara Pova the famous tennis player belongs to

- A. Germany
- B. Russia ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Spain
- D. America

A. Maria Sharapova is not German.

B. Maria Sharapova is Russian.

C. She is not Spanish.

D. She is not American.

Question 25 Current Affairs

Who is the prime minister of Bangladesh

- A. Khalida Zia
- B. Bandra Naike
- C. Haseena Wajid ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Khaleda Zia was Prime Minister of Bangladesh in 2001-2006, not at the time this item was written.

B. Bandaranaike is a Sri Lankan name, not a Bangladeshi prime minister.

sina Wajid was Prime Minister of Bangladesh (2009-2024).

D. Hasina is the answer, so this option is wrong.

Note: Note: Dated item: Hasina held the office 2009-2024; Khaleda Zia held it 2001-2006. The filed answer follows the printed key for the later era this reproduction belongs to.

Question 26 Everyday Science

Insulin is secreted by

- A. Liver
- B. Pancreas ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Kidneys
- D. None of these

A. The liver does not secrete insulin.

B. Insulin is secreted by the pancreas (beta cells of the islets of Langerhans).

C. The kidneys do not secrete insulin.

D. The pancreas is the answer, so this option is wrong.

Question 27 General Knowledge

"Kyoto Protocol" is an international treaty for:

- A. Refugees
- B. Human rights
- C. Child labour
- D. Environment problems ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Kyoto Protocol is not about refugees.

B. It is not a human-rights treaty.

about child labour.

D. The Kyoto Protocol is an international treaty on environmental problems (greenhouse-gas emissions).

Question 28 Everyday Science

Insomnia is related to

- A. Sleeplessness ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Hypertension
- C. Fear of water
- D. Fear of closed places

A. Insomnia is sleeplessness.

B. Hypertension is high blood pressure, not insomnia.

C. Fear of water is hydrophobia.

D. Fear of closed places is claustrophobia.

Question 29 General Knowledge

The headquarters of Asian Development Bank is :

- A. Islamabad
- B. Manila ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Tehran
- D. Colombo

A. The Asian Development Bank is not headquartered in Islamabad.

B. The Asian Development Bank is headquartered in Manila, Philippines.

C. It is not in Tehran.

Colombo.

Question 30 Everyday Science

Fossils are:

- A. Waste materials
- B. Animals which can live in water
- C. The remains of plants & animals in earth's crust ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Fossils are not waste materials.

B. Fossils are not animals living in water.

C. Fossils are the remains of plants and animals preserved in the earth's crust.

D. Fossils are defined by option C, so this option is wrong.

Question 31 Everyday Science

The substance used in match sticks is:

- A. Sulphur
- B. Acid
- C. Zinc
- D. Phosphorus ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Sulphur is used in matches but the striking substance is phosphorus.

B. Acid is not the substance used in match sticks.

C. Zinc is not used in match sticks.

D. Phosphorus (red phosphorus on the striking surface) is the substance used in matches.

32 Everyday Science

Iron is a necessary nutrient for body is abundantly found:

- A. Eggs
- B. Citrus fruits
- C. Milk
- D. Green vegetables ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Eggs contain iron but green vegetables are the richest listed source.

B. Citrus fruits provide vitamin C, not much iron.

C. Milk is poor in iron.

D. Green vegetables are abundantly rich in iron.

Question 33 Everyday Science

The atmosphere has the highest percentage of :

- A. Nitrogen ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Oxygen
- C. Hydrogen
- D. Carbondioxide

A. Nitrogen makes up about 78% of the atmosphere, the highest share.

B. Oxygen is about 21%, less than nitrogen.

C. Hydrogen is present only in traces.

D. Carbon dioxide is about 0.04%, far less than nitrogen.

Question 34 Everyday Science

Meteorology is the science of :

- B. Weather ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Space
- D. Marine life

A. Earthquakes are studied by seismology.

B. Meteorology is the science of weather.

C. Space is studied by astronomy.

D. Marine life is studied by marine biology.

Question 35 Everyday Science

When two subjects, a stone and a paper are dropped simultaneously in a evacuated glass tube:

- A. The stone will touch the bottom first
- B. The paper will touch the bottom first
- C. Both paper and stone will touch the bottom simultaneously ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. In a vacuum there is no air resistance, so the stone does not fall first.

B. The paper does not fall first in a vacuum.

C. In an evacuated tube both fall together and touch the bottom simultaneously.

D. Both fall together, so this option is wrong.

Question 36 Everyday Science

It is difficult to cooks on the mountains because of

- A. Low atmospheric pressure ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. High atmospheric pressure

- temperature
- D. Lack of oxygen

A. Low atmospheric pressure lowers water's boiling point, so cooking is difficult on mountains.

B. High pressure would raise the boiling point, not lower it.

C. Low temperature is not the reason cooking is difficult.

D. Lack of oxygen is not the reason.

Question 37 Everyday Science

When the common salt is mixed with ice . the freezing point is :

- A. Is lowered ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. is raised
- C. remains unaffected
- D. Is first lowered and then raised

A. Mixing common salt with ice lowers the freezing point.

B. Salt does not raise the freezing point.

C. The freezing point does not remain unaffected.

D. It is lowered, not first lowered and then raised.

Question 38 English

Find similar in meaning Amiable

- A. Humble
- B. Noble
- C. Friendly ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Generous

means modest, not amiable.

B. Noble means honourable, not amiable.

C. Amiable means friendly.

D. Generous means giving, not amiable.

Question 39 English

Find the similar meaning Dubious

- A. Certain
- B. Doubtful ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Rigorous
- D. Feeble

A. Certain is the opposite of dubious.

B. Dubious means doubtful.

C. Rigorous means strict, not dubious.

D. Feeble means weak, not dubious.

Question 40 English

Find the similar meaning Audacity:

- A. Courage ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Timidity
- C. Politeness
- D. Misfortune

A. Audacity means courage or boldness.

B. Timidity is the opposite of audacity.

is courtesy, not audacity.

D. Misfortune is bad luck, not audacity.

Question 41 English

Find the similar meaning Apparel:

- A. Clothes ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Luggage
- C. Impression
- D. Outlook

A. Apparel means clothes.

B. Luggage is baggage, not apparel.

C. Impression is an effect on the mind, not apparel.

D. Outlook is a view or attitude, not apparel.

Question 42 English

He is interested.....stamp collection

- A. at
- B. on
- C. if
- D. with

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (The correct preposition is 'in' ('interested in stamp collection'), which is not among the options; the printed key B 'on' is wrong)

A. 'Interested at stamp collection' is wrong.

B. 'Interested on stamp collection' is wrong; the correct preposition is 'in'.

D. 'Interested with stamp collection' is wrong.

Question 43 English

The boat sailed..... the bridge

- A. through
- B. off
- C. under ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. from

A. A boat sails through water, not through a bridge.

B. A boat does not sail off a bridge.

C. The boat sailed under the bridge.

D. A boat does not sail from a bridge.

Question 44 English

He used to live..... comfort

- A. with
- B. in ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. of
- D. under

A. 'Live with comfort' is not the idiom.

B. 'Live in comfort' is the correct phrase.

C. 'Live of comfort' is wrong.

D. 'Live under comfort' is wrong.

45 Pakistan Studies

Rohtas Fort was built on the orders of Sher Shah Suri By:

- A. Raja Todar Mal ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Bairam Khan
- C. Abul Fazl
- D. Raja Birbal

A. Rohtas Fort was built on Sher Shah Suri's orders under Raja Todar Mal's supervision.

B. Bairam Khan did not build Rohtas Fort.

C. Abul Fazl did not build Rohtas Fort.

D. Raja Birbal did not build Rohtas Fort.

Question 46 Pakistan Studies

The famous Babar-name (or Tuzj-e-Babari) authored by Emperor Babar Was Written in which Language?

- A. Persian
- B. Turkish
- C. Chagatai ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Dari

A. The Baburnama was not written in Persian.

B. Babur wrote in Turki (Chagatai), not Ottoman Turkish.

C. The Baburnama was written in Chagatai (Turki).

D. Dari is a form of Persian, not the Baburnama's language.

All India Muslim Student Federation was formed in 1937 by:

- A. Sardar Abdul Rab Nishtar
- B. Raja Sahib of Mehmudabad ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Raja Ghazanfr Ali Khan
- D. Nawab Bahadur Yar Jang

A. Sardar Abdul Rab Nishtar did not form the Federation.

B. The All India Muslim Students Federation was formed in 1937 by the Raja Sahib of Mahmudabad.

C. Raja Ghazanfar Ali Khan did not form it.

D. Nawab Bahadur Yar Jang did not form it.

Question 48 Pakistan Studies

Bengal was divided in1905 during the time of:

- A. Lord Curzon ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Harding
- C. Ripon
- D. Lord Wavell

A. Bengal was partitioned in 1905 under Lord Curzon.

B. Lord Hardinge was Viceroy later (1910-1916).

C. Lord Ripon was Viceroy earlier (1880-1884).

D. Lord Wavell was Viceroy in the 1940s.

49 Pakistan Studies

Sylhet District at the time of partition was part of the province

- A. Bengal
- B. Assam ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Bihar
- D. United provinces

A. Sylhet was not part of Bengal province at partition.

B. At partition Sylhet district was part of Assam province (it joined East Bengal after the 1947 referendum).

C. It was not part of Bihar.

D. It was not part of the United Provinces.

Note: Note: This question is repeated as Q50 with identical stem and options; both are served as printed.

Question 50 Pakistan Studies

Sylhet District at the time of partition was part of the province

- A. Bengal ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Assam
- C. Bihar
- D. United provinces

A. Sylhet was not part of Bengal province at partition.

B. At partition Sylhet district was part of Assam province (it joined East Bengal after the 1947 referendum).

C. It was not part of Bihar.

part of the United Provinces.

Note: Note: This question repeats Q49 with identical stem and options; both are served as printed.

Question 51 Pakistan Studies

The first Commander in chief Pakistan Army was

- A. General Sir Frank Messervy ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Rare Admiral Jafford James Wilfred
- C. General Muhammad Ayub Khan
- D. Genelral Muhammad Musa Khan

A. General Sir Frank Messervy was the first Commander-in-Chief of the Pakistan Army (1947-1948).

B. Rear Admiral James Wilfred Jefford was the first naval chief, not the Army's commander-in-chief.

C. Ayub Khan became Commander-in-Chief later (1951), not the first.

D. General Musa Khan became Commander-in-Chief later (1958), not the first.

Question 52 Pakistan Studies

The National Language of Pakistan is

- A. English
- B. Urdu ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Both English and Urdu
- D. Punjabi

A. English is an official language, not the national language.

B. Urdu is the national language of Pakistan.

e national language and English the official language; they are not both the national language.

D. Punjabi is a provincial language, not the national language.

Question 53 Pakistan Studies

The official language of Pakistan is:

- A. English
- B. Urdu
- C. Both English and Urdu ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Punjabi

A. English is an official language, but not the only one under Article 251.

B. Urdu is the national language and is used officially, but English is also in official use.

C. Under Article 251 of the 1973 Constitution, Urdu and English are both in official use.

D. Punjabi is not an official language of Pakistan.

Note: Note: Article 251 names Urdu the national language and keeps English in official use until Urdu replaces it; standard references list both as official languages, so the printed key C stands.

Question 54 Pakistan Studies

The tune of the national anthem of Pakistan was composed by:

- A. Khawaja Khurshid Anwar
- B. Naushad Ali
- C. Sohail Rana
- D. Ahamd G.Chagla ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Khawaja Khurshid Anwar did not compose the anthem's tune.

C. Sohail Rana did not compose it.

D. Ahmad G. Chagla composed the tune of Pakistan's national anthem.

Question 55 Pakistan Studies

Hazara Division of Khyber - Pashtun khan province comprises five Districts including Abbottabad Datagram Kohistan masher and:

- A. Mardan
- B. Mingora
- C. Haripur ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Khanpur

A. Mardan is in Mardan Division, not Hazara.

B. Mingora is in Swat, not Hazara Division.

C. Hazara Division's five districts are Abbottabad, Mansehra, Haripur, Battagram and Kohistan.

D. Khanpur is a town in Haripur district, not a district of the division.

Question 56 Pakistan Studies

The predominant language spoken in Hazara region is:

- A. Hindko ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Hazargi
- C. Kohistani
- D. Pashto

A. Hindko is the predominant language of the Hazara region.

B. Hazargi is spoken by Hazaras, not the region's predominant language.

is spoken in Konistan, not across Hazara.

D. Pashto is not the predominant language of Hazara.

Question 57 Pakistan Studies

28th May is celebrated each year as "yam"-e-Takbir "because of which incident

- A. Kargil conflict between india and Pakistan commenced
- B. Nuclear tests were conducted by Pakistan ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Ojhri camp incident took place at Rawalpindi
- D. Uprising erupted in Kashmir against Indian and occupation

A. The Kargil conflict was in 1999, not the reason for 28 May.

B. Pakistan conducted its nuclear tests on 28 May 1998, celebrated as Youm-e-Takbir.

C. The Ojhri camp incident was in 1988, not 28 May.

D. The Kashmir uprising is not the reason for 28 May.

Question 58 English

He went _____ the direction of the fost office

- A. In ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. At
- C. On
- D. to

A. 'He went in the direction of the post office' is correct.

B. 'Went at the direction' is wrong.

C. 'Went on the direction' is wrong.

D. 'Went to the direction' is wrong.

59 General Knowledge

McMahon Line is the border between:

- A. Iran and Uzbekistan
- B. Pakistan and China
- C. Pakistan and Afghanistan
- D. India and China ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The McMahon Line is not between Iran and Uzbekistan.

B. It is not between Pakistan and China.

C. It is not between Pakistan and Afghanistan (that is the Durand Line).

D. The McMahon Line is the border between India and China.

Question 60 English

She felt _____ when she went on stage

- A. Nervous ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Anxious
- C. worried
- D. Agitated

A. She felt nervous on stage — the standard collocation for stage fright.

B. Anxious is a near-synonym, but 'nervous' is the usual word for going on stage.

C. Worried is a near-synonym, but 'nervous' is the usual word here.

D. Agitated means upset, a near-synonym, but 'nervous' is the usual word here.

Question 61 General Knowledge

The word's longest river is :

✓ Correct answer

- B. Amazon
- C. Yangtze
- D. Mississippi

A. The Nile (6,650 km) is the world's longest river.

B. The Amazon is the largest by volume but shorter than the Nile.

C. The Yangtze is Asia's longest, shorter than the Nile.

D. The Mississippi is North America's longest, shorter than the Nile.

Question 62 English

We must respect the views of our in this matter, even though we cannot agree with them

- A. enimies
- B. foes
- C. opponents ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. adversaries

A. Enemies are hostile opponents, a possible but harsher fit for 'views'.

B. Foes are enemies, a possible but harsher fit.

C. Opponents is the mildest word for people whose views differ, and the printed key.

D. Adversaries are opponents in a contest, a possible but harsher fit.

Question 63 Mathematics

Square foot is equal to

- A. 48 square inches
- B. 24 saqaure inches

square inches

- D. 144 square inches ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 48 square inches is not one square foot.

B. 24 square inches is not one square foot.

C. 72 square inches is not one square foot.

D. One square foot is 12 x 12 = 144 square inches.

Question 64 Mathematics

Calculated the perimeter of a rhombus with each side equal to 6cm

- A. 18cm
- B. 24cm ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 6cm
- D. 48cm

A. A rhombus has four equal sides; 4 x 6 is not 18.

B. The perimeter is 4 x 6 cm = 24 cm.

C. 6 cm is one side, not the perimeter.

D. 48 cm would be the perimeter of sides of 12 cm, not 6 cm.

Question 65 General Knowledge

The capital of Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region of China

- A. Kasha
- B. Aksai Chin
- C. Urumqi ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Holtan

(asha) is a city in Xinjiang, not its capital.

B. Aksai Chin is a disputed region, not the capital.

C. Urumqi is the capital of the Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region.

D. Khotan (Holtan) is a city in Xinjiang, not its capital.

Question 66 Mathematics

Find the positive square root of 2025

- A. 15
- B. 30
- C. 45 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 60

A. 15 squared is 225, not 2,025.

B. 30 squared is 900, not 2,025.

C. 45 squared is 2,025, so the positive square root of 2,025 is 45.

D. 60 squared is 3,600, not 2,025.

Question 67 Pakistan Studies

Mullah DO piazza Was:

- A. a mythical character from the epic "Talism-e-Hoshruba"
- B. one of nine gems from the court of Emperor Akbar ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. a leader of a religious movement in East Bengal
- D. The architect who first intrduced piazza spaces in front of buildings

A. Mullah Do Piaza was not a character from Talism-e-Hoshruba.

B. Mullah Do Piaza was one of the nine gems (Navratna) of Emperor Akbar's court.

t a leader of a religious movement in East Bengal.

D. He was not an architect of piazza spaces.

Question 68 Mathematics

out of a group of 80 applicants for a job 20 person failed to appear for the test . But person of the total applicants did appear for the test

- A. 16
- B. 25
- C. 60
- D. 75 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 16 is 20% of 80, the number who failed to appear, not who appeared.

B. 25 is not the percentage who appeared.

C. 60 is the number who appeared, not the percentage.

D. 60 of 80 appeared, which is 75%.

Note: Note: The stem is garbled ('But person' for 'what percent'); the question asks what percentage appeared: 60 of 80 is 75%.

Question 69 Pakistan Studies

The epic "talism-e-Hoshruba" was originally composed by:

- A. Ibn-e-Insha
- B. Mumtaz Mufti
- C. Muhammad Husain Jah ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Musharraf Ali Farooqi

A. Ibn-e-Insha did not compose Talism-e-Hoshruba.

B. Mumtaz Mufti did not compose it.

ad Husain Jan composed the epic Talism-e-Hoshruba.

D. Musharraf Ali Farooqi translated it, he did not compose it.

Question 70 General Knowledge

"Southern Cross" Which is a constellation found in the southem region of the night sky consists of :

- A. Seven Stars
- B. Four Stars
- C. Five stars ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. The Southern Cross is not made of seven stars.

B. Four bright stars form the cross itself.

C. Counting the fainter fifth star (Epsilon Crucis), the constellation's main stars are five.

D. Five is the standard textbook count, so this option is wrong.

Note: Note: Four bright stars form the cross; a fifth star, Epsilon Crucis, is counted among the constellation's five main stars, which is the textbook answer.

Question 71 General Knowledge

The capital of New Zealand is:

- A. Dunedin
- B. Christchurch
- C. Auckland
- D. Wellington ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Dunedin is a New Zealand city, not the capital.

B. Christchurch is a New Zealand city, not the capital.

is New Zealand's largest city, not the capital.

D. Wellington is the capital of New Zealand.

Question 72 Pakistan Studies

The first Pakistan to hoist the Pakistan flag at the North and South Pole is:

- A. Nazir Sabir
- B. Salma Salim
- C. Namira Salim ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Ashraf Aman

A. Nazir Sabir was the first Pakistani to summit Everest, not the poles.

B. Salma Salim did not hoist the flag at both poles.

C. Namira Salim was the first Pakistani to hoist the flag at the North and South Poles (2007-2008).

D. Ashraf Aman was the first Pakistani to summit K2, not the poles.

Question 73 Pakistan Studies

The first climber from Pakistan to have scaled Mt. Everest on May 17, 2000 was:

- A. Nazir Sabir ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Salma Salim
- C. Namira Salim
- D. Ashraf Aman

A. Nazir Sabir summited Mount Everest on 17 May 2000, the first Pakistani to do so.

B. Salma Salim did not summit Everest on that date.

C. Namira Salim was the poles pioneer, not the Everest climber of 2000.

…ahani was the first Pakistani to summit K2 (1977), not Everest in 2000.

Note: Note: The stem prints 'called' for 'scaled'.

Question 74 General Knowledge

Qantas Airlines is the airlines of:

- A. Italy
- B. United Kingdom
- C. Australia ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Ireland

A. Qantas is not Italian.

B. It is not British.

C. Qantas is the airline of Australia.

D. It is not Irish.

Question 75 General Knowledge

The world,s top most tea importing country is

- A. China
- B. United Kingdom
- C. Pakistan ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Russia

A. China is a tea producer and exporter, not the top importer.

B. The United Kingdom was historically a top importer, but Pakistan now leads.

C. Pakistan is the world's largest tea importer (over $600 million a year).

D. Russia is a large importer, but not the largest.

Value added tax (VAT):

- A. is a direct tax
- B. will result in distribution of income from rice to the poor
- C. will result in taxing the rich more
- D. will appIy on rich and poor equally ✓ **Correct answer**

A. VAT is an indirect tax, not a direct tax.

B. VAT does not redistribute income from the rich to the poor.

C. VAT does not tax the rich more; it applies at the same rate to all.

D. VAT applies at the same rate to rich and poor alike.

Question 77 Pakistan Studies

According to the Constitution of pakistan levying of sales tax on services:

- A. the responsibility of the Federation
- B. the responsibility of FBR
- C. the responsibilityof provinces ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. joint responsibility of the Fedetment and the provinces

A. After the 18th Amendment, sales tax on services is not the Federation's responsibility.

B. The FBR does not levy sales tax on services.

C. Levying sales tax on services is the responsibility of the provinces.

D. It is not a joint federal-provincial responsibility.

Question 78 Pakistan Studies

Which tax is not collected by the punjab Excise & Taxation Department?

- B. Luxury vehich tax on luxury motor vehicles
- C. Excise Fee on sale of Liquor
- D. Agriculture income tax ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Property tax is collected by the Excise & Taxation Department.

B. Luxury vehicle tax is collected by the Excise & Taxation Department.

C. Excise fee on liquor is collected by the Excise & Taxation Department.

D. Agriculture income tax is not collected by the Excise & Taxation Department.

Question 79 Pakistan Studies

Who take oath from Governor

- A. Chief Minister
- B. President
- C. Chief Justice
- D. Chief jutice o f High CXOURT ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Chief Minister does not administer the Governor's oath.

B. The President does not administer the Governor's oath.

C. A Chief Justice (of the Supreme Court) does not administer it.

D. The Chief Justice of the High Court administers the oath to the Governor.

Question 80 Pakistan Studies

The bureaucratic hierarchy of the Excise & taxation Department , Punjab is headed by:

- A. The bureaucratic hierarchy of the Excise & taxation Despartment , punjab is headed by:
- B. Secretary Excis & taxation , Punjab ✓ **Correct answer**

ior Member , Board of Revenue, Punjab

- D. Excise & Taxation Officer

A. Option A repeats the stem; it is not an office.

B. The Excise & Taxation Department, Punjab, is headed by the Secretary Excise & Taxation.

C. The Senior Member, Board of Revenue, heads the Board of Revenue, not Excise & Taxation.

D. An Excise & Taxation Officer is a field officer, not the departmental head.

Note: Note: Option A in the reproduction repeats the stem text; the answer B stands.

Question 81 Everyday Science

Another name for vitamin C is :

- A. Ascorbic Acid ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Acetic Acid
- C. Citric acid
- D. Lysozyme

A. Vitamin C is ascorbic acid.

B. Acetic acid is vinegar's acid, not vitamin C.

C. Citric acid is found in citrus fruit, not vitamin C.

D. Lysozyme is an enzyme, not vitamin C.

Question 82 Everyday Science

Gun powder is:

- A. Element

- C. Mixture ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Amalgam

A. Gunpowder is not a single element.

B. It is not a compound; its ingredients do not chemically combine.

C. Gunpowder is a mixture of potassium nitrate, charcoal and sulphur.

D. An amalgam is an alloy with mercury, not gunpowder.

Question 83 Everyday Science

The planet nearest to the sun is :

- A. Venus
- B. Earth
- C. Mars
- D. Mercury ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Venus is the second planet from the sun.

B. Earth is the third planet.

C. Mars is the fourth planet.

D. Mercury is the planet nearest to the sun.

Question 84 Everyday Science

The main constituent of Sui Gas is :

- A. Methane ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Sui
- C. Both A and B
- D. None of these

constituent of Sui gas is methane.

B. Sui is the place name, not a gas constituent.

C. Both A and B is wrong: Sui is not a constituent.

D. Methane is the answer, so this option is wrong.

Question 85 Everyday Science

Brass is an alloy of copper and :

- A. Iron
- B. Steel
- C. Zinc ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Silver

A. Brass is not an alloy of copper and iron.

B. Steel is itself an alloy of iron and carbon, not a brass ingredient.

C. Brass is an alloy of copper and zinc.

D. Brass is not an alloy of copper and silver.

Question 86 Everyday Science

The most famous genetic disease that is associated with Queen Victoria and circulated among European royalty was:

- A. colour Blindness
- B. Hemophilia ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Austrian lip
- D. down syndrome

A. Colour blindness is a different genetic condition, not Victoria's.

ilia, the 'royal disease', was carried by Queen Victoria's descendants.

C. The 'Habsburg lip' is a different inherited trait.

D. Down syndrome is a chromosomal condition, not Victoria's.

Question 87 Everyday Science

Hepatitis C is a leading cause of :

- A. Chronic liver disease ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. HIV
- C. AIDS
- D. Diabetes

A. Hepatitis C is a leading cause of chronic liver disease.

B. Hepatitis C does not cause HIV.

C. Hepatitis C does not cause AIDS.

D. Hepatitis C does not cause diabetes.

Question 88 Everyday Science

Whooping cough is caused by:

- A. Fungus
- B. Virus
- C. Bactaria ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Protozoa

A. Whooping cough is not caused by a fungus.

B. It is not caused by a virus.

C. Whooping cough is caused by the bacterium Bordetella pertussis.

caused by a protozoan.

Question 89 English

Fear of enclosed spaces it known as :

- A. Hydrophobia
- B. Claustrophobia ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. kleptophobia
- D. Hefcophobia

A. Hydrophobia is fear of water.

B. Claustrophobia is fear of enclosed spaces.

C. Kleptophobia is fear of stealing.

D. Fear of enclosed spaces is claustrophobia, not the option printed here.

Question 90 Everyday Science

The normal pH pf blood is;

- A. >7 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. <7
- C. 0
- D. 7

A. Normal blood pH is 7.35-7.45, which is greater than 7.

B. Blood pH is not less than 7.

C. Blood pH is not 0.

D. Blood pH is about 7.4, not exactly 7.

91 English

Tick the synonym : To introduce ideas

- A. instill ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. inspire
- C. invigorate
- D. impress

A. To instill ideas is to introduce them gradually into the mind.

B. To inspire is to motivate, not to introduce ideas.

C. To invigorate is to give energy, not to introduce ideas.

D. To impress is to make an impression, not to introduce ideas.

Question 92 English

Tick the synonym: Less than

- A. Intra
- B. Infra ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Inter
- D. Intro

A. Intra means within, not less than.

B. Infra means below or less than.

C. Inter means between, not less than.

D. Intro means an introduction, not less than.

Question 93 English

Tick the synonym: To disfigure

- B. Deface ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Face
- D. Beauty

A. To efface is to erase, not to disfigure.

B. To deface is to disfigure or mar the appearance of something.

C. Face is a noun, not the verb for disfiguring.

D. Beauty is the opposite of disfigurement.

Question 94 English

Tick the synonym: To hesitate

- A. Murmur
- B. Demure
- C. Agree
- D. Demur ✓ **Correct answer**

A. To murmur is to speak quietly, not to hesitate.

B. Demure means modest, not to hesitate.

C. To agree is the opposite of hesitating.

D. To demur is to hesitate or raise an objection.

Question 95 English

A terrible Sudden accident

- A. Holocaust
- B. Disaster ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Epidemic

A. A holocaust is mass destruction by fire, not any sudden accident.

B. A disaster is a terrible sudden accident.

C. An epidemic is a disease outbreak, not an accident.

D. A jolt is a sudden shock, not a terrible accident.

Question 96 English

Hide one's light under a bushel

- A. To save electricity
- B. To conceal one's talent ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. To avoid limelight
- D. To use light in moderation

A. Saving electricity is not the idiom's meaning.

B. To hide one's light under a bushel is to conceal one's talent.

C. Avoiding the limelight is close, but the idiom is about concealing talent.

D. Using light in moderation is not the idiom's meaning.

Question 97 English

Hobson's choice

- A. Giving no choice at all ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. To make the best choice
- C. To make worst choice
- D. To settle for a compromise

A. A Hobson's choice is giving no choice at all.

e best choice is not a Hobson's choice.

C. Making the worst choice is not a Hobson's choice.

D. Settling for a compromise is not a Hobson's choice.

Question 98 English

What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander

- A. Everyone regardless of differences deserves equal treatment ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Goose and gander should both be fed with sauce
- C. Like treatment for like a thing
- D. Rich and poor should be treated equally

A. Sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander means everyone deserves equal treatment.

B. Feeding both birds with sauce is the literal reading, not the idiom.

C. Like treatment for like things is the closer textbook gloss, but A is the standard keyed meaning.

D. Rich and poor being treated equally is one application, not the idiom's meaning.

Question 99 Mathematics

One side of rectangle is 22 feet which of the following could be the primeter of the rectangle

- A. 28feet
- B. 33 feet
- C. 44 feet
- D. 54 feet ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 28 feet is less than twice the 22-foot side, so it cannot be the perimeter.

B. 33 feet is less than 44, so it cannot be the perimeter.

uals twice the 22-foot side alone, leaving nothing for the other side.

D. A perimeter of 54 feet works: 2 x (22 + 5) = 54.

Question 100 Mathematics

Which of the following is divisible by 12?

- A. 4653
- B. 4818
- C. 4501
- D. 4404 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 4,653 is not divisible by 4, so not by 12.

B. 4,818 is not divisible by 4, so not by 12.

C. 4,501 is not divisible by 3, so not by 12.

D. 4,404 is divisible by 3 and by 4, hence by 12 (4,404 / 12 = 367).

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