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Question 1 General Knowledge

"Glock" is the brand name of a_____.

- A. Perfume
- B. car
- C. Motorcycle
- D. Pistol ✓ **Correct answer**

ot a brand of perfume.

B. Glock is not a brand of car.

C. Glock is not a brand of motorcycle.

D. Correct: Glock is the brand name of a pistol (the Austrian handgun).

Question 2 Islamiat

Name the Kalimah which is recited at a funeral.

- A. Shahadat ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Tamjeed
- C. Tawhid
- D. Tayyaba

A. Correct: the Kalimah of Shahadat is recited at a funeral.

B. The Kalimah of Tamjeed is not the one recited at a funeral.

C. The Kalimah of Tawhid is not the one recited at a funeral.

D. The Kalimah of Tayyaba is not the one recited at a funeral.

Question 3 Islamiat

After Hijrat to Madina, what was the first important thing done by the Holy Prophet (PBUH)?

- A. Built a Mosque for prayers ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Built his house
- C. Created Bait-ul-Maal
- D. Organized an Army

A. Correct: after the Hijrat to Madinah the first important thing the Holy Prophet did was to build a mosque for prayers (Masjid Quba / Masjid Nabawi).

is house was not the first important thing done after the Hijrat.

C. Creating Bait-ul-Maal was not the first important thing done after the Hijrat.

D. Organising an army was not the first important thing done after the Hijrat.

Question 4 Islamiat

Name the third Kalimah:

- A. Kalimah-e-Tayyaba
- B. Kalimah-e-Saalis
- C. Kalimah-e-Shahadat
- D. Kalimah-e-Tamjeed ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Kalimah-e-Tayyaba is the first kalimah, not the third.

B. Kalimah-e-Saalis is not the third kalimah.

C. Kalimah-e-Shahadat is the second kalimah, not the third.

D. Correct: the third kalimah is Kalimah-e-Tamjeed.

Question 5 Pakistan Studies

Who revolted against Akbar's 'Deen-e-Elahi' for the first time?

- A. Hazrat Mujadid Alif Sani
- B. Hazrat Shah Walliullah
- C. Khawaja Baqi Billah ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Mujaddid Alf Sani carried on the opposition to Din-i-Ilahi, but he was not the first to revolt against it.

B. Shah Waliullah did not revolt against Din-i-Ilahi.

hwaja Baqi Billah led the organised opposition to Din-i-Ilahi; his disciple Mujaddid Alf Sani carried it on.

D. 'None of these' is wrong — Khwaja Baqi Billah led the opposition.

Note: Note: Khwaja Baqi Billah led the organised opposition to Din-i-Ilahi; Mujaddid Alf Sani, his disciple, carried it on.

Question 6 Islamiat

What is the compulsory tax on the product of agricultural land?

- A. Ushr ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Zakat
- C. Jizya
- D. Poor tax

A. Correct: ushr is the compulsory tax on the produce of agricultural land.

B. Zakat is a compulsory levy on wealth, not the tax on agricultural produce.

C. Jizya is a tax on non-Muslims, not on agricultural produce.

D. There is no tax called 'poor tax' on agricultural produce.

Question 7 Urdu

کھسیانی بلی کھمبا نوچے ضرب المثل سے کیا مراد ہے؟

A. غصہ نکالنا کسی کا کسی پر

B. پریشان آدمی کچھ بھی کر سکتا ہے

Correct answer ✓ C. شرمندہ آدمی دوسروں پر غصہ نکالتا ہے

D. شرمندگی میں کچھ سمجھ میں نہ آتا

A. غصہ نکالنا کسی کا کسی پر is not the meaning of the proverb (taking anger out on someone).

B. پریشان آدمی کچھ بھی کر سکتا ہے (a worried man can do anything) aning of the ' ' proverb.

C. Correct: شرمندہ آدمی دوسروں پر غصہ نکالتا ہے — an embarrassed person takes his anger out on others (کھسیانی بلی کھمبا نوچے).

D. شرمندگی میں کچھ سمجھ میں نہ آتا (nothing makes sense in embarrassment) is not the meaning of the proverb.

Question 8 Urdu

ان میں سے کون سی ضرب المثل صحیح ہے؟

A. بڑے میاں بڑے چھوٹے میاں سبحان اللہ

Correct answer ✓ B. بڑے میاں سو بڑے میاں چھوٹے میاں سبحان اللہ

C. چھوٹے میاں چھوٹے میاں بڑے میاں سبحان اللہ

D. چھوٹے میاں سو چھوٹے میاں بڑے میاں سبحان اللہ

A. 'بڑے میاں بڑے چھوٹے میاں سبحان اللہ' is not the correct proverb.

B. Correct: 'بڑے میاں سو بڑے میاں چھوٹے میاں سبحان اللہ' is the correct proverb.

C. 'چھوٹے میاں چھوٹے میاں بڑے میاں سبحان اللہ' is not the correct proverb.

D. 'چھوٹے میاں سو چھوٹے میاں بڑے میاں سبحان اللہ' is not the correct proverb.

Question 9 Urdu

اونٹ رے اونٹ، تیری کون سی کل سیدھی؟ اس ضرب المثل سے کیا مراد ہے؟

Correct answer ✓ A. بھدے آدمی کو کہتے ہیں

B• بے وقوف آ

C• دغا باز آدمی کو کہتے ہیں

D• جھوٹے آدمی کو کہتے ہیں

A. Correct: 'اونٹ رے اونٹ، تیری کون سی کل سیدھی؟' is said of an ugly or awkward person (بھدے آدمی کو کہتے ہیں).

B. The proverb is not said of a foolish person.

C. The proverb is not said of a deceitful person.

D. The proverb is not said of a liar.

Question 10 Urdu

رباعی کا سب سے بڑا اور مقبول شاعر کون ہے؟

A• فردوسی

Correct answer ✓ B• عمر خیام

C• حافظ

D• غالب

A. Firdausi was not the greatest ruba'i poet.

B. Correct: Umar Khayyam is the greatest and most popular ruba'i poet.

C. Hafiz was not the greatest ruba'i poet.

D. Ghalib was not the greatest ruba'i poet.

Question 11 Urdu

مرثیہ کس نوعیت کی شاعری کو کہتے ہیں؟

Correct answer ✓ المیہ .B•

رزمیہ .C•

تحسینی .D•

A. Marsiya is not humorous poetry.

.poetry of lament — (المیہ) **B.** Correct: marsiya is elegiac poetry

C. Marsiya is not martial (war) poetry.

D. Marsiya is not praise poetry.

.(elegy) 'مرثیہ' in the stem; the filed stem carries 'مرتبہ' **Note:** Note: the reproduction prints

Question 12 Urdu

کس پنجابی شاعر کا کلام سکھوں کی مذہبی کتاب کا حصہ ہے؟

وارث شاہ .A•

بلھے شاہ .B•

سلطان باہو .C•

Correct answer ✓ بابا فرید .D•

A. Waris Shah's kalam is not part of the Sikhs' holy book.

B. Bulleh Shah's kalam is not part of the Sikhs' holy book.

C. Sultan Bahu's kalam is not part of the Sikhs' holy book.

D. Correct: Baba Farid's kalam is part of the Guru Granth Sahib, the Sikhs' holy book.

13 Urdu

روزنامہ جنگ کے بانی کا نام کیا ہے؟

A. میر جاوید الرحمان

Correct answer ✓ B. میر خلیل الرحمان

C. میر شکیل الرحمان

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Mir Javed-ur-Rahman did not found the daily Jang.

B. Correct: Mir Khalil-ur-Rahman founded the daily Jang.

C. Mir Shakil-ur-Rahman did not found the daily Jang.

D. 'None of these' is wrong — Mir Khalil-ur-Rahman founded the Jang.

Question 14 Urdu

نسیم حجازی کی وجہ شہرت کیا ہے؟

A. جاسوسی ناول

B. شاعری

Correct answer ✓ C. تاریخی ناول

D. افسانہ

A. Nasim Hijazi is not famous for spy novels.

B. Nasim Hijazi is not famous for poetry.

C. Correct: Nasim Hijazi is famous for historical novels.

D. Nasim Hijazi is not famous for short stories (afsana).

15 Urdu

اک چادر میلی سی کس کا مشہور ناول ہے؟

Correct answer ✓ A. راجندر سنگھ بیدی

B. منشی پریم چند

C. کرشن چندر

D. کشور ناہید

A. Correct: 'Ek Chadar Maili Si' is the famous novel of Rajinder Singh Bedi.

B. 'Ek Chadar Maili Si' is not the novel of Munshi Premchand.

C. 'Ek Chadar Maili Si' is not the novel of Krishan Chander.

D. 'Ek Chadar Maili Si' is not the novel of Kishwar Naheed.

Question 16 Urdu

علامہ اقبال نے ایم اے کی ڈگری کس مضمون میں حاصل کی؟

Correct answer ✓ A. فلسفہ

B. انگریزی

C. نفسیات

D. اسلامیات

A. Correct: Allama Iqbal did his MA in Philosophy.

B. Iqbal did not do his MA in English.

C. Iqbal did not do his MA in Psychology.

D. Iqbal did not do his MA in Islamiat.

17 Urdu

امراؤ جان ادا کس کی تحریر ہے؟

A. سرسید

Correct answer ✓ B. مرزا ہادی رسوا

C. رفیق احمد

D. پریم چند

A. Umrao Jan Ada is not the work of Sir Syed.

B. Correct: Umrao Jan Ada is the work of Mirza Hadi Ruswa.

C. Umrao Jan Ada is not the work of Rafiq Ahmad.

D. Umrao Jan Ada is not the work of Premchand.

Question 18 Urdu

آثار الصنادید اور رسالہ اسباب بغاوت ہند کس کی کتابیں ہیں؟

A. محمد حسین آزاد

B. علامہ اقبال

C. مولاناحالی

Correct answer ✓ D. سر سید احمد خان

A. Asar-us-Sanadid and Asbab-e-Baghawat-e-Hind are not the books of Muhammad Hussain Azad.

B. They are not the books of Allama Iqbal.

C. They are not the books of Maulana Hali.

D. Correct: Asar-us-Sanadid and Asbab-e-Baghawat-e-Hind are the books of Sir Syed

Question 19 Urdu

لفظ بلد کی جمع کیا ہے؟

A. بلدان

Correct answer ✓ B. بلاد

C. بلدیہ

D. بلود

A. The plural of بلد is not بلدان.

B. Correct: the plural of بلد is بلاد.

C. The plural of بلد is not بلدیہ.

D. The plural of بلد is not بلود.

Question 20 History

The epic poem "Shahnama " was written by ____

- A. Al-Beruni
- B. Firdausi ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Amir Khusrau
- D. Rumi

A. Al-Beruni did not write the epic poem Shahnama.

B. Correct: the Shahnama was written by Firdausi.

C. Amir Khusrau did not write the Shahnama.

Question 21 History

Babar laid the foundation of Mughal Empire in 1526 by defeating ___.

- A. Daulat Khan Lodhi
- B. Ibrahim Lodhi ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Rana Sanga
- D. Alauddin Khilji

A. Babar did not defeat Daulat Khan Lodhi to found the Mughal Empire in 1526.

B. Correct: Babar founded the Mughal Empire in 1526 by defeating Ibrahim Lodhi (First Battle of Panipat).

C. Babar did not defeat Rana Sanga in 1526 to found the Mughal Empire.

D. Babar did not defeat Alauddin Khilji in 1526.

Question 22 History

The court language of the Mughals in India was ____.

- A. Turkish
- B. Hindi
- C. Persian ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Urdu

A. Turkish was not the court language of the Mughals in India.

B. Hindi was not the court language of the Mughals in India.

C. Correct: Persian was the court language of the Mughals in India.

D. Urdu was not the court language of the Mughals in India.

23 History

Babar came to India originally from_____

- A. Ferghana ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Samarkand
- C. Khorasan
- D. Seistan

A. Correct: Babar came to India originally from Ferghana.

B. Babar did not come to India originally from Samarkand.

C. Babar did not come to India originally from Khorasan.

D. Babar did not come to India originally from Seistan.

Question 24 History

Humayun was removed from throne by ___

- A. Akbar
- B. Shah Jahan
- C. Sher Shah Suri ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Akbar did not remove Humayun from the throne.

B. Shah Jahan did not remove Humayun from the throne.

C. Correct: Humayun was removed from the throne by Sher Shah Suri (1540).

D. 'None of these' is wrong — Sher Shah Suri removed Humayun.

Question 25 History

Battle of Plassey was fought between Nawab Siraj-ud-Daula and___

d Clive ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Lord Canning
- C. Warren Hastings
- D. Shah Alam

A. Correct: the Battle of Plassey (1757) was fought between Nawab Siraj-ud-Daula and Lord Clive.

B. The Battle of Plassey was not fought against Lord Canning.

C. The Battle of Plassey was not fought against Warren Hastings.

D. The Battle of Plassey was not fought against Shah Alam.

Question 26 History

Durand Line Treaty was signed between Sir Mortimer Durand and King ___of Afghanistan in 1893

- A. Amir Amanullah
- B. Abdur Rahman ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Noor Muhammad
- D. Ahmad Shah Abdali

A. Amir Amanullah was not the Afghan king who signed the Durand Line Treaty in 1893.

B. Correct: the Durand Line Treaty was signed between Sir Mortimer Durand and Amir Abdur Rahman of Afghanistan in 1893.

C. Noor Muhammad was not the Afghan king who signed the Durand Line Treaty in 1893.

D. Ahmad Shah Abdali was not the Afghan king who signed the Durand Line Treaty in 1893.

27 History

Name the Mughal Emperor whose Revenue Minister was Todar Mal.

- A. Akbar ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Babar
- C. Shah Jahan
- D. Bahadur Shah Zafar

A. Correct: Todar Mal was the revenue minister of Akbar.

B. Todar Mal was not the revenue minister of Babar.

C. Todar Mal was not the revenue minister of Shah Jahan.

D. Todar Mal was not the revenue minister of Bahadur Shah Zafar.

Question 28 History

Who founded the 'Arya Samaj'?

- A. Ambedkar
- B. Raja Ram Mohan
- C. Swami Dayananda Saraswati ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Ram Gopal Acharya

A. Ambedkar did not found the Arya Samaj.

B. Raja Ram Mohan Roy did not found the Arya Samaj.

C. Correct: Swami Dayananda Saraswati founded the Arya Samaj (1875).

D. Ram Gopal Acharya did not found the Arya Samaj.

Question 29 History

Bengal was divided into two provinces in 1905 by___

- B. Viceroy Curzon ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Lord Linlithgow
- D. Sir James Oliver

A. Lord Ripon did not divide Bengal in 1905.

B. Correct: Bengal was divided into two provinces in 1905 by Viceroy Curzon.

C. Lord Linlithgow did not divide Bengal in 1905.

D. Sir James Oliver did not divide Bengal in 1905.

Question 30 History

Chairman of the first session of the All India Muslim League was:

- A. Sir Adamjee Pirbhai ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Sir Agha Khan
- C. Nawab Salimullah
- D. Nawab Viqar-ul-Mulk

A. Correct: Sir Adamjee Pirbhai chaired the first session of the All India Muslim League (Karachi, December 1907).

B. Sir Agha Khan did not chair the first session of the All India Muslim League.

C. Nawab Salimullah did not chair the first session of the All India Muslim League.

D. Nawab Viqar-ul-Mulk did not chair the first session of the All India Muslim League.

Question 31 Pakistan Studies

Name the area of Kashmir where a spontaneous armed uprising took place against the Dogra tyranny, on the eve of partition

- A. Rawalakot

agar

- C. Poonch ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Jammu

A. Rawalakot was not where the spontaneous armed uprising against Dogra rule took place on the eve of partition.

B. Srinagar was not where the uprising took place.

C. Correct: the spontaneous armed uprising against Dogra tyranny took place in Poonch on the eve of partition.

D. Jammu was not where the uprising took place.

Question 32 Pakistan Studies

The Maharaja of Kashmir signed the so-called Instrument of Accession to India on ____

- A. 25 October 1947
- B. 26 October 1947 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 27 October 1947
- D. 28 October 1947

A. The Maharaja of Kashmir did not sign the Instrument of Accession on 25 October 1947.

B. Correct: the Maharaja of Kashmir signed the Instrument of Accession to India on 26 October 1947.

C. The Maharaja of Kashmir did not sign the Instrument of Accession on 27 October 1947.

D. The Maharaja of Kashmir did not sign the Instrument of Accession on 28 October 1947.

Question 33 Pakistan Studies

After the assassination of Liaquat Ali Khan, who became the Prime Minister of Pakistan?

- A. Ghulam Muhammad

Fatima Jinnah

- C. Abdul Rab Nishtar
- D. Khawaja Nazimuddin ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Ghulam Muhammad did not become Prime Minister after Liaquat Ali Khan's assassination.

B. Fatima Jinnah did not become Prime Minister after Liaquat Ali Khan's assassination.

C. Abdul Rab Nishtar did not become Prime Minister after Liaquat Ali Khan's assassination.

D. Correct: Khawaja Nazimuddin became Prime Minister after Liaquat Ali Khan's assassination.

Question 34 Pakistan Studies

The capital of Pakistan was transferred from Karachi to Islamabad on____

- A. 10 December 1961
- B. 12 December 1963
- C. 1 August 1960 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 2 July 1970

A. The capital was not transferred from Karachi to Islamabad on 10 December 1961.

B. The capital was not transferred from Karachi to Islamabad on 12 December 1963.

C. Correct: Islamabad was officially declared the new capital on 1 August 1960 (government functions moved there in 1967).

D. The capital was not transferred from Karachi to Islamabad on 2 July 1970.

Note: Note: Islamabad was officially declared the new capital on 1 August 1960; government functions moved there in 1967 (Rawalpindi was the interim capital).

35 Pakistan Studies

Pakistan tested its first nuclear device on ____

- A. 19 May 1998
- B. 11 May 1998
- C. 28 May 1998 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Pakistan did not test its first nuclear device on 19 May 1998.

B. Pakistan did not test its first nuclear device on 11 May 1998.

C. Correct: Pakistan tested its first nuclear device on 28 May 1998.

D. 'None of these' is wrong — the test was on 28 May 1998.

Question 36 Pakistan Studies

In Pakistan the Governor is answerable to the ___

- A. Parliament
- B. Provincial Assembly
- C. President ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. The Governor is not answerable to Parliament.

B. The Governor is not answerable to the Provincial Assembly.

C. Correct: in Pakistan the Governor is answerable to the President.

D. 'None of these' is wrong — the Governor is answerable to the President.

Question 37 Pakistan Studies

In which year did the Cease Fire Line in Kashmir come into existence?

- B. 1947
- C. 1951
- D. 1949 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Cease Fire Line in Kashmir did not come into existence in 1953.

B. The Cease Fire Line in Kashmir did not come into existence in 1947.

C. The Cease Fire Line in Kashmir did not come into existence in 1951.

D. Correct: the Cease Fire Line in Kashmir came into existence in 1949 (Karachi Agreement, 27 July 1949).

Question 38 General Knowledge

Manchhar is a ___

- A. River
- B. Regional Language
- C. Canal
- D. Lake ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Manchar is not a river.

B. Manchar is not a regional language.

C. Manchar is not a canal.

D. Correct: Manchar (Manchhar) is a lake in Sindh.

Question 39 General Knowledge

Name the narrow strip of Afghan territory which separates Pakistan from Tajikistan.

- A. Wakhan Corridor ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Pamir Knot

- D. Khyber Pass

A. Correct: the Wakhan Corridor is the narrow strip of Afghan territory separating Pakistan from Tajikistan.

B. The Pamir Knot is not the strip separating Pakistan from Tajikistan.

C. The Tora Bora Mountains are not the strip separating Pakistan from Tajikistan.

D. The Khyber Pass is not the strip separating Pakistan from Tajikistan.

Question 40 General Knowledge

'Trango Tower' is a ____

- A. A Communication Tower
- B. Mountain Peak of Pakistan ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Skyscraper in Chicago
- D. Tallest Building in Thailand

A. Trango Tower is not a communication tower.

B. Correct: Trango Tower (Great Trango, 6,286 m) is a mountain peak of Pakistan in the Karakoram.

C. Trango Tower is not a skyscraper in Chicago.

D. Trango Tower is not the tallest building in Thailand.

Note: Note: the stem spells it 'Tango Tower' — the peak is Trango Tower (Great Trango, 6,286 m, Karakoram, Pakistan).

Question 41 Pakistan Studies

The author of 'Kashf-ul-Mahjub' is ___

a Ganj Baksh ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Shah Ruken-e-Alam
- C. Bahauddin Zakariya
- D. Mian Mir

A. Correct: Kashf-ul-Mahjub was written by Data Ganj Baksh (Ali Hajveri).

B. Kashf-ul-Mahjub was not written by Shah Rukn-e-Alam.

C. Kashf-ul-Mahjub was not written by Bahauddin Zakariya.

D. Kashf-ul-Mahjub was not written by Mian Mir.

Question 42 Pakistan Studies

Waris Shah, the author of 'Heer', is buried in ___

- A. Nankana Sahib
- B. Pakpattan
- C. Jandiala Sher Khan ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Mithankot

A. Waris Shah is not buried in Nankana Sahib.

B. Waris Shah is not buried in Pakpattan.

C. Correct: Waris Shah, the author of 'Heer', is buried in Jandiala Sher Khan.

D. Waris Shah is not buried in Mithankot.

Question 43 General Knowledge

Which of the following is not an official language of the United Nations?

- A. Chinese
- B. Spanish
- C. Arabic

mart ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Chinese is an official language of the United Nations.

B. Spanish is an official language of the United Nations.

C. Arabic is an official language of the United Nations.

D. Correct: German is not an official language of the United Nations.

Question 44 General Knowledge

The instrument used to measure the specific gravity of milk is____

- A. Hygrometer
- B. Barometer
- C. Lactometer ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Hydrometer

A. A hygrometer measures humidity, not the specific gravity of milk.

B. A barometer measures air pressure, not the specific gravity of milk.

C. Correct: a lactometer is used to measure the specific gravity of milk.

D. A hydrometer measures the specific gravity of liquids in general, but the instrument for milk is the lactometer.

Question 45 General Knowledge

The Pentagon is the military headquarters of ___

- A. United Kingdom
- B. Australia
- C. USA ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Belgium

gon is not the military headquarters of the United Kingdom.

B. The Pentagon is not the military headquarters of Australia.

C. Correct: the Pentagon is the military headquarters of the USA.

D. The Pentagon is not the military headquarters of Belgium.

Question 46 General Knowledge

In which month does a new session of the UN General Assembly begin?

- A. January
- B. July
- C. February
- D. September ✓ **Correct answer**

A. A new session of the UN General Assembly does not begin in January.

B. A new session of the UN General Assembly does not begin in July.

C. A new session of the UN General Assembly does not begin in February.

D. Correct: a new session of the UN General Assembly begins in September.

Question 47 General Knowledge

In which month does a new session of the UN General Assembly begin?

- A. January
- B. July
- C. February
- D. September ✓ **Correct answer**

A. A new session of the UN General Assembly does not begin in January.

B. A new session of the UN General Assembly does not begin in July.

D. Correct: a new session of the UN General Assembly begins in September.

Note: Note: this question is identical to Q46 — a duplicate in the reproduction; both are filed as printed.

Question 48 General Knowledge

Pure gold is called ____ carat gold.

- A. 18
- B. 22
- C. 14
- D. 24 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 18 carat gold is not pure gold.

B. 22 carat gold is 91.6% gold, not pure gold.

C. 14 carat gold is not pure gold.

D. Correct: pure gold is called 24 carat gold.

Note: Note: the printed key (B, 22) is rejected; pure gold is 24 carat, while 22 carat is 91.6% gold.

Question 49 General Knowledge

Which two oceans are connected by the Panama Canal?

- A. Atlantic and Indian
- B. Indian and Pacific
- C. Indian and Arabian Sea
- D. Atlantic and Pacific ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Panama Canal does not connect the Atlantic and Indian oceans.

na Canal does not connect the Indian and Pacific oceans.

C. The Panama Canal does not connect the Indian Ocean and the Arabian Sea.

D. Correct: the Panama Canal connects the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

Question 50 General Knowledge

"Amicus Curiae" Means ____

- A. American citizen
- B. An amusing person
- C. Friend of the court ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. 'Amicus curiae' does not mean 'American citizen'.

B. 'Amicus curiae' does not mean 'an amusing person'.

C. Correct: 'amicus curiae' means 'friend of the court'.

D. 'None of these' is wrong — 'amicus curiae' means 'friend of the court'.

Question 51 General Knowledge

"Kyoto Protocol " is an international Treaty dealing with ___

- A. Human Rights
- B. Nuclear issues
- C. Refugees
- D. Environmental problem ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Kyoto Protocol is not a treaty on human rights.

B. The Kyoto Protocol is not a treaty on nuclear issues.

C. The Kyoto Protocol is not a treaty on refugees.

The Kyoto Protocol is an international treaty dealing with environmental problems (greenhouse gas emissions).

Question 52 General Knowledge

Fear of the enclosed spaces is called ___

- A. Acrophobia
- B. Claustrophobia ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Heliophobia
- D. Hydrophobia

A. Acrophobia is the fear of heights, not of enclosed spaces.

B. Correct: claustrophobia is the fear of enclosed spaces.

C. Heliophobia is the fear of the sun, not of enclosed spaces.

D. Hydrophobia is the fear of water, not of enclosed spaces.

Question 53 General Knowledge

The world's first female Prime Minister was ___

- A. Ms. Margaret Thatcher
- B. Ms. Golda Meir
- C. Indira Gandhi
- D. Sirimavo Bandaranaike ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Margaret Thatcher was not the world's first female Prime Minister.

B. Golda Meir was not the world's first female Prime Minister.

C. Indira Gandhi was not the world's first female Prime Minister.

D. Correct: Sirimavo Bandaranaike (Sri Lanka, 1960) was the world's first female Prime Minister.

54 General Knowledge

KANUPP (Nuclear Power Plant) was provided to Pakistan by _____

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

A. Correct: KANUPP (Karachi Nuclear Power Plant) was provided to Pakistan by Canada.

B. KANUPP was not provided by China.

C. KANUPP was not provided by the USA.

D. KANUPP was not provided by France.

Question 55 General Knowledge

McMahon Line is the border between ____

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

A. The McMahon Line is not the border between Iran and Turkey.

B. The McMahon Line is not the border between Pakistan and China.

C. Correct: the McMahon Line is the border between China and India.

D. The McMahon Line is not the border between Afghanistan and Uzbekistan.

Question 56 General Knowledge

Which is the national animal of Pakistan?

khor ✓ Correct answer

- B. Snow Leopard
- C. Buffalo
- D. Brown Bear

A. Correct: the markhor is the national animal of Pakistan.

B. The snow leopard is not the national animal of Pakistan.

C. The buffalo is not the national animal of Pakistan.

D. The brown bear is not the national animal of Pakistan.

Question 57 General Knowledge

Which component of diet helps in Preventing constipation?

- A. Proteins
- B. Fiber ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Fats
- D. Carbohydrates

A. Proteins do not mainly help prevent constipation.

B. Correct: fibre helps prevent constipation.

C. Fats do not mainly help prevent constipation.

D. Carbohydrates do not mainly help prevent constipation.

Question 58 General Knowledge

Entomology is a Science of _____

- A. Snakes
- B. Reptiles
- C. Insects ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Entomology is not the science of snakes.

B. Entomology is not the science of reptiles.

C. Correct: entomology is the science of insects.

D. Entomology is not the science of rodents.

Question 59 Current Affairs

What is the name of present Ambassador of Pakistan to the USA?

- A. Ms. Maleeha Lodhi
- B. Hussain Haqqani
- C. Ashraf Jahangir Qazi
- D. Jalil Abbas Jilani ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Maleeha Lodhi was not Pakistan's ambassador to the USA in 2015.

B. Hussain Haqqani was not Pakistan's ambassador to the USA in 2015.

C. Ashraf Jahangir Qazi was not Pakistan's ambassador to the USA in 2015.

D. Correct: Jalil Abbas Jilani was Pakistan's ambassador to the USA in 2015.

Question 60 Current Affairs

Name the Indian Foreign Secretary who visited Pakistan recently

- A. Shiv Shankar Manon
- B. I.K. Gujral
- C. S. Jaishankar ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. V.K Menon

A. Shiv Shankar Menon was not the Indian Foreign Secretary who visited Pakistan in 2015.

I was not the Indian Foreign Secretary who visited Pakistan in 2015.

C. Correct: S. Jaishankar was the Indian Foreign Secretary who visited Pakistan in March 2015.

D. V. K. Menon was not the Indian Foreign Secretary who visited Pakistan in 2015.

Question 61 Current Affairs

Ms. Aung San Suu Kyi is a famous political leader of ____

- A. Thailand
- B. Vietnam
- C. Myanmar ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. South Korea

A. Aung San Suu Kyi is not a political leader of Thailand.

B. Aung San Suu Kyi is not a political leader of Vietnam.

C. Correct: Aung San Suu Kyi is a famous political leader of Myanmar.

D. Aung San Suu Kyi is not a political leader of South Korea.

Question 62 Current Affairs

Who is the current President of Iran?

- A. Syed Ali Khamenei
- B. Mahmoud Ahmadinejad
- C. Sadaq Vazeer Zadeh
- D. Hassan Rouhani ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Syed Ali Khamenei is the Supreme Leader of Iran, not the President.

B. Mahmoud Ahmadinejad was President of Iran until 2013, not in 2015.

eer Zaderi was not the President of Iran in 2015.

D. Correct: Hassan Rouhani was the President of Iran in 2015.

Question 63 Pakistan Studies

According to Article 47 of the Constitution, the President of Pakistan can be

- A. Arrested
- B. Impeached ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Tried in the Court of law
- D. None of these

A. Under Article 47 the President cannot simply be arrested.

B. Correct: under Article 47 of the Constitution, the President of Pakistan can be impeached.

C. Under Article 47 the President cannot be tried in a court of law.

D. 'None of these' is wrong — the President can be impeached under Article 47.

Question 64 General Knowledge

SCO stands for___

- A. South Asian Cooperation Organization
- B. State's Council Organization
- C. Shanghai Cooperation Organization ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Sri Lanka Cricket Office

A. SCO does not stand for South Asian Cooperation Organization.

B. SCO does not stand for State's Council Organization.

C. Correct: SCO stands for Shanghai Cooperation Organization.

not stand for Sri Lanka Cricket Office.

Question 65 General Knowledge

Which is the cheapest and most environmentally friendly source of electricity?

- A. Solar
- B. Thermal
- C. Hydroelectric ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Nuclear

A. Solar power is not the cheapest and most environmentally friendly source in the standard textbook answer.

B. Thermal power is not the cheapest and most environmentally friendly source.

C. Correct: hydroelectric power is the cheapest and most environmentally friendly source of electricity (the standard textbook answer).

D. Nuclear power is not the cheapest and most environmentally friendly source.

Question 66 General Knowledge

Under which agreement was the name of Cease Fire Line changed to Line of Control?

- A. Geneva Agreement
- B. Simla Agreement ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Tashkent Agreement
- D. Amritsar Accord

A. The Cease Fire Line was not renamed under the Geneva Agreement.

B. Correct: the Cease Fire Line was renamed the Line of Control under the Simla Agreement (1972).

C. The Cease Fire Line was not renamed under the Tashkent Agreement.

e Fire Line was not renamed under the Amritsar Accord.

Question 67 English

A penny for your _____

- A. Apples
- B. Efforts
- C. Writings
- D. Thoughts ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 'A penny for your apples' is not the idiom.

B. 'A penny for your efforts' is not the idiom.

C. 'A penny for your writings' is not the idiom.

D. Correct: 'A penny for your thoughts.'

Question 68 English

Actions speak louder than____

- A. The game
- B. Words ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Writings
- D. Thoughts

A. 'Actions speak louder than the game' is not the idiom.

B. Correct: 'Actions speak louder than words.'

C. 'Actions speak louder than writings' is not the idiom.

D. 'Actions speak louder than thoughts' is not the idiom.

69 English

Bite more than you can ____

- A. Eat
- B. Digest
- C. Chew ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Swallow

A. 'Bite more than you can eat' is not the idiom.

B. 'Bite more than you can digest' is not the idiom.

C. Correct: 'Bite more than you can chew.'

D. 'Bite more than you can swallow' is not the idiom.

Question 70 English

It takes two to ___

- A. Clap
- B. Construct
- C. Climb
- D. Tango ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 'It takes two to clap' is not the idiom.

B. 'It takes two to construct' is not the idiom.

C. 'It takes two to climb' is not the idiom.

D. Correct: 'It takes two to tango.'

Question 71 English

Let the sleeping dogs___

- B. Die
- C. Sleep
- D. Lie ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 'Let the sleeping dogs bark' is not the idiom.

B. 'Let the sleeping dogs die' is not the idiom.

C. 'Let the sleeping dogs sleep' is not the idiom.

D. Correct: 'Let sleeping dogs lie.'

Question 72 English

Enigmatic

- A. Elusive
- B. Puzzling ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Pithy
- D. Complicated

A. 'Elusive' means hard to catch, not 'enigmatic'.

B. Correct: 'puzzling' is a synonym of 'enigmatic'.

C. 'Pithy' means concise, not 'enigmatic'.

D. 'Complicated' is close to 'enigmatic' but 'puzzling' is the standard synonym.

Question 73 English

Infallible

- A. Authentic
- B. Outpoken
- C. Weak

A. 'Authentic' means genuine, not 'infallible'.

B. 'Outspoken' means frank, not 'infallible'.

C. 'Weak' is not a synonym of 'infallible'.

D. Correct: 'perfect' is the closest synonym of 'infallible' (incapable of error).

Note: Note: the printed key (A, Authentic) is rejected; 'infallible' means incapable of error, and 'perfect' is the closest synonym — 'authentic' is not one.

Question 74 English

Transient

- A. Permanent
- B. Transparent
- C. Fleeting ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Brief

A. 'Permanent' is the opposite of 'transient', not a synonym.

B. 'Transparent' is not a synonym of 'transient'.

C. Correct: 'fleeting' is a synonym of 'transient' (lasting only a short time).

D. 'Brief' is a near-synonym of 'transient', but 'fleeting' is the standard match.

Note: Note: 'brief' is a near-synonym of 'transient'; 'fleeting' is the standard match.

Question 75 English

Adversity

- A. Opponent

dship ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. Opening
- D. Agency

A. 'Opponent' is not a synonym of 'adversity'.

B. Correct: 'hardship' is a synonym of 'adversity'.

C. 'Opening' is not a synonym of 'adversity'.

D. 'Agency' is not a synonym of 'adversity'.

Question 76 English

Abbreviate

- A. Abridge
- B. Expand ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Achieve
- D. Accept

A. 'Abridge' is a synonym of 'abbreviate', not an antonym.

B. Correct: 'expand' is the antonym of 'abbreviate'.

C. 'Achieve' is not an antonym of 'abbreviate'.

D. 'Accept' is not an antonym of 'abbreviate'.

Question 77 English

Absurd

- A. Silly
- B. Adom
- C. Abnormal
- D. Rational ✓ **Correct answer**

synonym of 'absurd', not an antonym.

B. 'Adom' is not an antonym of 'absurd'.

C. 'Abnormal' is close in meaning to 'absurd', not an antonym.

D. Correct: 'rational' is the antonym of 'absurd'.

Question 78 English

Active

- A. Animated
- B. Adjust
- C. Passive ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Agile

A. 'Animated' is close in meaning to 'active', not an antonym.

B. 'Adjust' is not an antonym of 'active'.

C. Correct: 'passive' is the antonym of 'active'.

D. 'Agile' is close in meaning to 'active', not an antonym.

Question 79 English

Sublime

- A. Strange
- B. low ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Ridiculous
- D. Mean

A. 'Strange' is not an antonym of 'sublime'.

B. Correct: 'low' is the antonym of 'sublime' (lofty).

's' is not an antonym of 'sublime'.

D. 'Mean' is not an antonym of 'sublime'.

Question 80 English

Vilify

- A. Commend ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Admonish
- C. Pray
- D. Excuse

A. Correct: 'commend' (to praise) is the antonym of 'vilify' (to speak ill of).

B. 'Admonish' (to scold) is not an antonym of 'vilify'.

C. 'Pray' is not an antonym of 'vilify'.

D. 'Excuse' is not an antonym of 'vilify'.

Question 81 English

I am intent____

- A. to win
- B. of winning
- C. on winning ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. for winning

A. 'I am intent to win' is not the correct construction.

B. 'I am intent of winning' is not the correct construction.

C. Correct: 'I am intent on winning.' — 'intent on' is the correct preposition.

D. 'I am intent for winning' is not the correct construction.

82 English

If bi _____worked hard I would have succeeded.

- A. effect
- B. affect
- C. action
- D. itself

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (The stem as printed in both the HTML and the PDF ('If bi _____ worked hard I would have succeeded.', with options effect / affect / action / itself) is ungrammatical; no option fits ('If he had worked hard' needs 'had').)

A. 'Effect' (noun) does not fit the conditional sentence.

B. 'Affect' (verb) does not fit the conditional sentence.

C. 'Action' does not fit the conditional sentence.

D. 'Itself' does not fit the conditional sentence.

Question 83 English

The new law came into ____ last month.

- A. effect ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. affect
- C. action
- D. have

A. Correct: 'The new law came into effect last month.' — 'come into effect' is the idiom.

B. 'Came into affect' is wrong — 'affect' is a verb, not the noun needed here.

C. 'Came into action' is not the idiom for a law.

o have is ungrammatical.

Question 84 English

It became ___ that he was going to die.

- A. visible
- B. distinct
- C. apparent ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. manifest

A. 'Visible' does not fit 'It became ___ that he was going to die'.

B. 'Distinct' does not fit the sentence as well as 'apparent' does.

C. Correct: 'It became apparent that he was going to die.'

D. 'Manifest' does not fit the sentence as well as 'apparent' does.

Note: Note: the reproduction prints 'It become ___ that he was going to sie.'; the filed stem carries 'It became ___ that he was going to die.'

Question 85 English

I do not have any ___ to share my secrets.

- A. confident
- B. confidant ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. confidential
- D. confiderate

A. 'Confident' means self-assured, not a person to share secrets with.

B. Correct: 'confidant' is a person to whom one shares secrets.

C. 'Confidential' means secret, not a person to share secrets with.

ate" is not the word for a person to share secrets with.

Question 86 Everyday Science

'Bile juice' is secreted by ___

- A. Pancreas
- B. Stomach
- C. Gall Bladder
- D. Kidneys

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. DEFECTIVE — EXCLUDED, no answer taught (Bile is secreted by the liver (hepatocytes) and only stored and concentrated in the gall bladder; the gall bladder does not secrete bile, and the correct answer (liver) is not among the options. The printed key (C, Gall Bladder) is rejected.)

A. Bile is not secreted by the pancreas.

B. Bile is not secreted by the stomach.

C. Bile is not secreted by the gall bladder — it is only stored and concentrated there.

D. Bile is not secreted by the kidneys.

Question 87 Mathematics

A number whose 7 percent is 42 is ___.

- A. 300
- B. 400
- C. 500
- D. 600 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. 7% of 300 is 21, not 42.

B. 7% of 400 is 28, not 42.

is 35, not 42.

D. Correct: 7% of 600 is 42 (42 / 0.07 = 600).

Question 88 Mathematics

In the examination, 45% of students failed and 550 students passed. What was the total number of students who appeared in the examination?

- A. 1000 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 900
- C. 1500
- D. 800

A. Correct: 45% failed, so 55% passed; 550 is 55% of 1,000, so 1,000 students appeared.

B. 900 students is wrong — 55% of 900 is 495, not 550.

C. 1,500 students is wrong — 55% of 1,500 is 825, not 550.

D. 800 students is wrong — 55% of 800 is 440, not 550.

Question 89 Mathematics

A pizza is divided into 12 slices. if 4 slices are eaten. what fraction of pizza is left?

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

A. 3/4 is wrong — 12 − 4 = 8 slices left, and 8/12 is not 3/4.

B. Correct: 12 − 4 = 8 slices left; 8/12 = 2/3 of the pizza is left.

C. 1/3 is wrong — 8/12 is 2/3, not 1/3.

ng — 8/12 simplifies to 2/3, not 2/4.

Question 90 Mathematics

If 3x +8=20 then what is the value of x?

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

A. 3x + 8 = 20 gives 3x = 12, so x is not 3.

B. 3x + 8 = 20 gives 3x = 12, so x is not 2.

C. Correct: 3x + 8 = 20 gives 3x = 12, so x = 4.

D. 3x + 8 = 20 gives 3x = 12, so x is not 5.

Question 91 Mathematics

If Y=3x +12 and Y= 5 then what is x equal to?

- A. 7/3
- B. 3/7
- C. -7
- D. -7/3 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Y = 3x + 12 and Y = 5 gives 3x = −7, so x is not 7/3.

B. Y = 3x + 12 and Y = 5 gives 3x = −7, so x is not 3/7.

C. Y = 3x + 12 and Y = 5 gives 3x = −7, so x is not −7.

D. Correct: Y = 3x + 12 and Y = 5 gives 3x = −7, so x = −7/3.

92 Everyday Science

GPS is the abbreviation of ____

- A. Global Poles System
- B. Global Polymer System
- C. Global Positioning System ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Global Position Structure

A. GPS is not the abbreviation of 'Global Poles System'.

B. GPS is not the abbreviation of 'Global Polymer System'.

C. Correct: GPS is the abbreviation of 'Global Positioning System'.

D. GPS is not the abbreviation of 'Global Position Structure'.

Question 93 Everyday Science

The camera uses ___ lens to form an image.

- A. Convex ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Concave
- C. Condenser
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the camera uses a convex lens to form an image.

B. The camera does not use a concave lens to form an image.

C. The camera does not use a condenser lens to form an image.

D. 'None of these' is wrong — the camera uses a convex lens.

Question 94 Everyday Science

CNG stands for___

verted Natural Gas

- B. Conducted Natural Gas
- C. Concentrated Natural Gas
- D. Compressed Natural Gas ✓ **Correct answer**

A. CNG does not stand for 'Converted Natural Gas'.

B. CNG does not stand for 'Conducted Natural Gas'.

C. CNG does not stand for 'Concentrated Natural Gas'.

D. Correct: CNG stands for 'Compressed Natural Gas'.

Question 95 Everyday Science

When natural light is passed through a prism it splits into ___ colors

- A. 5
- B. 6
- C. 7 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 8

A. Natural light through a prism does not split into 5 colours.

B. Natural light through a prism does not split into 6 colours.

C. Correct: natural light through a prism splits into 7 colours.

D. Natural light through a prism does not split into 8 colours.

Question 96 Everyday Science

ECG is used for the diagnosis of ailments related to___.

- A. Brain Tumors
- B. Kidneys
- C. Heart ✓ **Correct answer**

A. ECG is not used for the diagnosis of brain tumours.

B. ECG is not used for the diagnosis of kidney ailments.

C. Correct: ECG is used for the diagnosis of ailments related to the heart.

D. ECG is not used for the diagnosis of respiratory ailments.

Question 97 General Knowledge

Meteorology is the science of ___

- A. Meteorites
- B. Planets
- C. Weather ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Metals

A. Meteorology is not the science of meteorites.

B. Meteorology is not the science of planets.

C. Correct: meteorology is the science of weather.

D. Meteorology is not the science of metals.

Question 98 General Knowledge

Jaundice affects the __- in the human body.

- A. Kidneys
- B. Liver ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Lungs
- D. Heart

A. Jaundice does not affect the kidneys.

jaundice affects the liver.

C. Jaundice does not affect the lungs.

D. Jaundice does not affect the heart.

Question 99 General Knowledge

"Davis Cup" is associated with which of the following game?

- A. Cricket
- B. Polo
- C. Tennis ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Golf

A. The Davis Cup is not associated with cricket.

B. The Davis Cup is not associated with polo.

C. Correct: the Davis Cup is associated with tennis.

D. The Davis Cup is not associated with golf.

Question 100 General Knowledge

Where was the first Football World Cup held?

- A. Brazil
- B. Argentina
- C. Uruguay ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. France

A. The first Football World Cup was not held in Brazil.

B. The first Football World Cup was not held in Argentina.

C. Correct: the first Football World Cup was held in Uruguay in 1930.

ootball World Cup was not held in France.

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