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Question 1 Islamic Studies

Which person is remembered as the teacher of Madinah

- A. IBN Abbas
- B. Hazrat Usman
- C. Mus'ab IBN Umyar ✓ **Correct answer**

ne of these

A. Ibn Abbas is remembered as a great commentator, not as the teacher of Madinah.

B. Hazrat Usman is not remembered as the teacher of Madinah.

C. Correct: Mus'ab ibn Umayr was sent to Madinah to teach Islam before the Hijra.

D. Wrong: Mus'ab ibn Umayr is the teacher of Madinah.

Question 2 Islamic Studies

Which Muslim scientist is considered to be the founder of chemistry

- A. IBN Al Nafees
- B. Jabir IBN Haiyan ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Abu Nasr Al Farabi
- D. None of these

A. Ibn al-Nafis is known for the circulation of blood, not as the founder of chemistry.

B. Correct: Jabir ibn Hayyan is considered the founder of chemistry.

C. Al-Farabi was a philosopher, not the founder of chemistry.

D. Wrong: Jabir ibn Hayyan founded chemistry.

Question 3 Islamic Studies

Which pillar of Islam washes the sins like water

- A. Nimaz
- B. Hajj ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Zakat
- D. None of these

A. Nimaz does not carry the 'washes sins like water' description in this item.

Hajj is the pillar said to wash away sins like water.

C. Zakat is charity, not the pillar described here.

D. Wrong: the pillar is Hajj.

Question 4 Islamic Studies

Who purchased the well of Ruma and declared it as a trust

- A. Hazrat Abu Bakar
- B. Hazrat Usman ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Hazrat Ali
- D. None of these

A. Hazrat Abu Bakr did not purchase the well of Ruma.

B. Correct: Hazrat Usman purchased the well of Ruma and made it a trust.

C. Hazrat Ali did not purchase the well of Ruma.

D. Wrong: Hazrat Usman bought the well.

Question 5 Islamic Studies

How many Umrahs did the Holy Prophet PBUH perform in his life

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 4 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. One Umrah is too few for the Prophet's life.

B. Two Umrahs is too few for the Prophet's life.

C. Correct: the Holy Prophet performed four Umrahs in his life.

e number is four.

Question 6 Islamic Studies

Which mosque was ordered by Allah to destroy

- A. Kafiroon
- B. Zirar ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Mushrikoon
- D. None of these

A. Kafiroon is not the mosque ordered to be destroyed.

B. Correct: Masjid al-Dirar (Zirar) was ordered by Allah to be destroyed.

C. Mushrikoon is not the mosque ordered to be destroyed.

D. Wrong: the mosque is Zirar.

Question 7 Computer Science

MS Access arranges the data in the

- A. Tables ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Queries
- C. Remarions
- D. None of these

A. Correct: MS Access arranges data in tables.

B. Queries ask questions of the data; they do not arrange it.

C. Remarions is not an Access object.

D. Wrong: the data is arranged in tables.

8 Computer Science

The capability of the organization to ensure high quality data is called

- A. Data governance ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Data integration
- C. Data analysis
- D. None of these

A. Correct: ensuring high-quality data is the job of data governance.

B. Data integration combines data from sources; it does not ensure quality.

C. Data analysis examines data; it does not ensure its quality.

D. Wrong: the capability is called data governance.

Note: Note: CORRECTION: printed key C (Data analysis) is wrong — analysis examines data; governance is the capability that ensures data quality.

Question 9 Computer Science

A repository for data, usually covering specific topic is

- A. Database
- B. Data requisition
- C. Databank ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. A database is a general store of data, not one covering a specific topic.

B. Data requisition is requesting data, not a repository.

C. Correct: a databank is a repository of data covering a specific topic.

D. Wrong: the repository is a databank.

10 Computer Science

Smart card is a

- A. Processing unit for software handling
- B. Processing unit contains memory for storing data
- C. Microprocessor cards ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. A smart card is not a processing unit for software handling.

B. A smart card is not a processing unit that merely contains memory.

C. Correct: a smart card is a microprocessor card.

D. Wrong: the smart card is a microprocessor card.

Question 11 English

Choose the correct meaning of "Hide one's light under a bushel

- A. To save electricity
- B. To conceal one's talents ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. To avoid limelight
- D. None of these

A. Saving electricity is not the idiom.

B. Correct: to hide one's light under a bushel is to conceal one's talents.

C. Avoiding the limelight is close but not the set meaning.

D. Wrong: the idiom means concealing one's talents.

Question 12 English

Hair breadth's escape means

un in a zig zag manner

- B. To be affected by riots
- C. To narrow escape ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Running in a zigzag is not the idiom.

B. Being affected by riots is not the idiom.

C. Correct: a hair's breadth escape is a narrow escape.

D. Wrong: the idiom means a narrow escape.

Question 13 English

Choose the correct meaning of :to fish in troubled water

- A. To make a personal profit out of disturbance ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. To dive in deep water
- C. To go for a daunting task
- D. None of these

A. Correct: to fish in troubled waters is to profit from a disturbance.

B. Diving in deep water is the literal reading, not the idiom.

C. Going for a daunting task is not the idiom.

D. Wrong: the idiom means profiting from trouble.

Question 14 English

Choose the correct meaning of :rule of thumb

- A. Mark the thumb on a legal papers
- B. A rough estimate ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. An easy choice

A. Marking a thumb on legal papers is not the idiom.

B. Correct: a rule of thumb is a rough estimate or practical rule.

C. An easy choice is not the idiom.

D. Wrong: the idiom means a rough estimate.

Question 15 English

Guess the closet possible meaning of the idiom:Les astray

- A. Misguided ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Loss the job
- C. Killed
- D. None of these

A. Correct: led astray means misguided.

B. Losing the job is not the idiom.

C. Being killed is not the idiom.

D. Wrong: led astray means misguided.

Note: Note: Note: the stem prints 'Les astray' for 'Led astray'.

Question 16 English

Face the music means

- A. Bear the consequences ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Wrong impression
- C. Tears shed by a crocodile
- D. None of these

o face the music is to bear the consequences.

B. A wrong impression is not the idiom.

C. Crocodile tears are false tears, not the idiom.

D. Wrong: the idiom means bearing the consequences.

Question 17 English

Guess the closet possible meaning of the idiom:cut the mustard

- A. To leave the job
- B. To get injured
- C. To come up expectations ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Leaving the job is not the idiom.

B. Getting injured is not the idiom.

C. Correct: to cut the mustard is to come up to expectations.

D. Wrong: the idiom means meeting the standard.

Question 18 English

Choose the correct meaning of:at arm's length

- A. Length of arm
- B. At a distance ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Insult
- D. None of these

A. The length of an arm is the literal reading, not the idiom.

B. Correct: at arm's length means at a distance.

s not the idiom.

D. Wrong: the idiom means keeping a distance.

Question 19 English

Choose the most appropriate one word substitute of:That which cannot be Pproachwd or reached

- A. Accessible
- B. Inaccessible ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Entry
- D. None of these

A. Accessible means reachable, the opposite of the definition.

B. Correct: that which cannot be approached or reached is inaccessible.

C. Entry means a way in, not the definition.

D. Wrong: the word is inaccessible.

Note: Note: Note: the stem prints 'Pproachwd' for 'approached'.

Question 20 English

Choose one word substitution of A government that is carried on through officers

- A. Dictatorship
- B. Class one
- C. Officiousness
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Dictatorship is rule by one person, not government through officers.

B. Class one is not a form of government.

ess is being over-officious, not a form of government.

D. Correct: government carried on through officers is bureaucracy, which is not offered.

Note: Note: No printed key: D determined independently — the word is 'bureaucracy', and it is not among the options.

Question 21 English

Choose one word substitution of policeman riding on motorcycle as guards of VIP

- A. Attendants
- B. Commandos
- C. Servant
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Attendants are servants in attendance, not motorcycle outriders.

B. Commandos are special soldiers, not motorcycle outriders.

C. A servant is a domestic worker, not a motorcycle outrider.

D. Correct: the word is 'outrider' (or escort), which is not offered.

Note: Note: No printed key: D determined independently — a policeman riding a motorcycle as a VIP guard is an outrider, and that word is not among the options.

Question 22 English

A place where pigs are kept

- A. Cellar
- B. Sty ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Brewery
- D. None of these

A. A cellar is an underground room, not a pig's place.

place where pigs are kept is a sty.

C. A brewery makes beer, not a pig's place.

D. Wrong: the place is a sty.

Question 23 English

A partner in a crime is called

- A. Accomplice ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Linguist
- C. Polyglot
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a partner in a crime is an accomplice.

B. A linguist studies languages, not a partner in crime.

C. A polyglot speaks many languages, not a partner in crime.

D. Wrong: the word is accomplice.

Question 24 English

A person who loves mankind

- A. Philanthropist ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Anthropologist
- C. Optometrist
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a person who loves mankind is a philanthropist.

B. An anthropologist studies mankind, not loves it.

C. An optometrist tests eyesight, nothing to do with loving mankind.

e word is philanthropist.

Question 25 English

Choose one word substitution of A speech without any previous preparation

- A. Temporary
- B. Deliberately
- C. Extempore ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Temporary means lasting a short time, not a speech without preparation.

B. Deliberately means on purpose, not a speech without preparation.

C. Correct: a speech without preparation is extempore.

D. Wrong: the word is extempore.

Question 26 English

You have no business to....pain on a weak and poor person

- A. Put
- B. Force
- C. Direct
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Put pain on is not the idiom.

B. Force pain on is not the idiom.

C. Direct pain on is not the idiom.

D. Correct: the verb is 'inflict' — to inflict pain on someone — and it is not offered.

Note: Note: No printed key: D determined independently — 'you have no business to

n a weak and poor person', 'inflict' is not among the options.

Question 27 English

Many young men were....at street corners for the coffee bar to open

- A. Hanging about ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Hanging in
- C. Hanging back
- D. None of these

A. Correct: hanging about means waiting around idly.

B. Hanging in is not the phrase for waiting around.

C. Hanging back means holding back, not waiting around.

D. Wrong: only hanging about fits waiting for the bar to open.

Question 28 English

Choose the correct sentence. He took his birth in 1961

- A. He has taken it birth in1961
- B. He was born in 1961 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. He is born in1961
- D. None of these

A. He has taken it birth is ungrammatical.

B. Correct: 'He was born in 1961' is the right sentence.

C. He is born is the wrong tense for 1961.

D. Wrong: only 'was born' is correct.

29 English

Water at 32° Fahrenheit boils at 212° Fahrenheit

- A. Freeze
- B. Frozen
- C. Freezes ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Freeze is the wrong verb form after 'water'.

B. Frozen is an adjective, not the verb needed.

C. Correct: water freezes at 32 degrees Fahrenheit.

D. Wrong: only 'freezes' fits.

Note: Note: Note: the stem is garbled ('Water at 32 F boils at 212 F'); the item tests that water freezes at 32 F.

Question 30 English

Choose the correct statement : how dare you to speak against me

- A. How dared you to speak against me
- B. How dared you to spoke against me
- C. How dare was you to speak against me
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. How dared you to speak is the wrong verb form.

B. How dared you to spoke is ungrammatical.

C. How dare was you is ungrammatical.

D. Correct: the right sentence is 'How dare you speak against me' (no 'to'), which is not offered.

No printed key. D determined independently — 'dare' takes the bare infinitive, so 'How dare you speak against me' is correct and no option states it.

Question 31 English

Choose one correct sentence: she is more prettier than her sister

- A. She is prettier than her sister ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. She is most prettier than her sister
- C. She has prettier than her sister
- D. None of these

A. Correct: 'She is prettier than her sister' — prettier is already comparative.

B. Most prettier doubles the comparative and is wrong.

C. Has prettier is ungrammatical.

D. Wrong: only A is correct.

Question 32 English

The charming girl was the....of all eyes

- A. Ambition
- B. Aim
- C. Cynosure ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Ambition is a goal, not what a charming girl is to all eyes.

B. Aim is a target, not what a charming girl is to all eyes.

C. Correct: a cynosure is the centre of attention of all eyes.

D. Wrong: the word is cynosure.

33 English

Choose one correct sentence:I think it fit to go and settle matter with him

- A. I consider to settle the matter to him
- B. I think to settle the issues of him
- C. I regard settle the matter to him
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. I consider to settle the matter to him is ungrammatical.

B. I think to settle the issues of him is ungrammatical.

C. I regard settle the matter to him is ungrammatical.

D. Correct: none of the options gives the right sentence ('I think it fit to go and settle the matter with him').

Note: Note: CORRECTION: printed key B is wrong — 'the issues of him' is ungrammatical; no option states the correct sentence.

Question 34 English

Choose the opposite word of inert

- A. Void
- B. Moving ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Immobile
- D. None of these

A. Void means empty, not the opposite of inert.

B. Correct: inert means motionless, so moving is its opposite.

C. Immobile is a synonym of inert, not its opposite.

D. Wrong: only moving is the opposite.

35 English

Choose the antonym of zeal

- A. Hostility
- B. Diffidence
- C. Apathy ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Hostility is enmity, not the opposite of zeal.

B. Diffidence is shyness, not the opposite of zeal.

C. Correct: zeal is enthusiasm, so apathy is its opposite.

D. Wrong: only apathy is the opposite.

Question 36 English

Choose the word opposite in meaning to the word:Facsimile

- A. Engineered
- B. Fact finding
- C. Original ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Engineered means designed, not the opposite of a copy.

B. Fact finding is investigation, not the opposite of a copy.

C. Correct: a facsimile is a copy, so original is its opposite.

D. Wrong: only original is the opposite.

Question 37 English

Choose the antonym of waive

- B. Renounce
- C. Demand ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Yield is a synonym of waive, not its opposite.

B. Renounce is a synonym of waive, not its opposite.

C. Correct: to waive is to give up a claim, so to demand is its opposite.

D. Wrong: only demand is the opposite.

Question 38 English

Choose the word opposite in meaning of the word:fickle

- A. Courageous
- B. Sincere
- C. Steadfast ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Courageous is the opposite of cowardly, not of fickle.

B. Sincere is the opposite of insincere, not of fickle.

C. Correct: fickle means changeable, so steadfast is its opposite.

D. Wrong: only steadfast is the opposite.

Question 39 English

Choose the antonym of venerate

- A. Criticize
- B. Abuse ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Accuse

A. Criticize is too mild to be the opposite of venerate.

B. Correct as picked: to abuse (treat with contempt) is the closest opposite of veneration offered.

C. Accuse is to charge with wrongdoing, not the opposite of venerate.

D. Wrong: the exact antonym (despise or dishonour) is not offered.

Note: Note: No printed key; PICK-ONE: the exact antonym of venerate is 'despise' or 'dishonour', which is not offered; B (Abuse) is the closest opposite among the options.

Question 40 English

Choose the antonym of gallant

- A. Bold
- B. Fine
- C. Frolic
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Bold is a synonym of gallant, not its opposite.

B. Fine is not an antonym of gallant.

C. Frolic is play, not an antonym of gallant.

D. Correct: the antonym of gallant is cowardly, which is not offered.

Note: Note: No printed key: D determined independently — gallant means brave and chivalrous; its opposite, cowardly, is not among the options.

Question 41 English

Choose the word opposite in meaning to the word:Anomalous

al ✓ Correct answer

- B. Connected
- C. Vicious
- D. None of these

A. Correct: anomalous means unusual, so usual is its opposite.

B. Connected is not the opposite of anomalous.

C. Vicious means cruel, not the opposite of anomalous.

D. Wrong: only usual is the opposite.

Question 42 English

Choose the synonym of devilish

- A. Virtual
- B. Satanic ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Simple
- D. None of these

A. Virtual means almost real, not devilish.

B. Correct: devilish means satanic.

C. Simple is not a synonym of devilish.

D. Wrong: only satanic fits.

Question 43 English

Fraud means

- A. Guile ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Improved
- C. Purified

ne of these

A. Correct: fraud is deceit, guile.

B. Improved means made better, not fraud.

C. Purified means cleaned, not fraud.

D. Wrong: only guile fits.

Question 44 English

Vulgar means

- A. Reprieve
- B. Crude ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Repress
- D. None of these

A. Reprieve is a pardon, not vulgar.

B. Correct: vulgar means crude.

C. Repress means to suppress, not vulgar.

D. Wrong: only crude fits.

Question 45 English

Choose the word similar in meaning:subjugate

- A. Confuse
- B. Conquer ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Cause of wither
- D. None of these

A. Confuse means to puzzle, not to subjugate.

o subjugate is to conquer.

C. Cause of wither is not the meaning.

D. Wrong: only conquer fits.

Question 46 English

Turn up is

- A. Red
- B. Solid
- C. Truthful
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Red is a colour, not the meaning of turn up.

B. Solid is a state of matter, not the meaning of turn up.

C. Truthful is honest, not the meaning of turn up.

D. Correct: to turn up is to appear or arrive, which is not offered.

Note: Note: No printed key: D determined independently — 'turn up' means to appear or arrive; none of the options states that.

Question 47 English

Choose the word similar in meaning:zany

- A. Clown ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Pet
- C. Thief
- D. None of these

A. Correct: a zany is a clown or buffoon.

tame animal, not a zany.

C. A thief steals, not a zany.

D. Wrong: the word is clown.

Question 48 English

Wreck means

- A. Certain
- B. Immaterial
- C. Ruin ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Certain means sure, not wreck.

B. Immaterial means unimportant, not wreck.

C. Correct: wreck means ruin.

D. Wrong: only ruin fits.

Question 49 English

Synonym of uncivilized

- A. Intelligent
- B. Energetic
- C. Observant
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Intelligent is the opposite of uncivilized, not a synonym.

B. Energetic is lively, not a synonym of uncivilized.

C. Observant is watchful, not a synonym of uncivilized.

he synonym is barbaric or savage, which is not offered.

Note: Note: No printed key: D determined independently — uncivilized means barbaric or savage; neither word is among the options.

Question 50 General Knowledge

Who is the consider one of the great investor in the world

- A. Bill Gates
- B. Elon musk
- C. Warren Buffett ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Bill Gates is known for software, not as the great investor.

B. Elon Musk is known for technology companies, not as the great investor.

C. Correct: Warren Buffett is considered one of the great investors in the world.

D. Wrong: Warren Buffett is the investor.

Question 51 Pakistan Studies

The number of seats reserved for non Muslims in Punjab assembly are

- A. 8 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 10
- C. 12
- D. None of these

A. Correct: 8 seats are reserved for non-Muslims in the Punjab Assembly.

B. 10 is the number of minority seats in the National Assembly, not Punjab.

C. 12 is not the number of non-Muslim seats in the Punjab Assembly.

e Punjab figure is 8.

Question 52 General Knowledge

In February 2020 former Pakistani batsman Nasir Jamshed was sentenced to.....months in prison in the UK for his role in a fixing scandal

- A. 17 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 18
- C. 19
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Nasir Jamshed was sentenced to 17 months in prison in February 2020.

B. 18 months is not the sentence he received.

C. 19 months is not the sentence he received.

D. Wrong: the sentence was 17 months.

Question 53 Pakistan Studies

...is the current chairman PCB

- A. Ehsan Mani ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Zafar Mirza
- C. Ibrahim gondal
- D. None of these

A. Correct as picked: Ehsan Mani was chairman of the PCB for most of 2021.

B. Zafar Mirza was not chairman of the PCB.

C. Ibrahim Gondal was not chairman of the PCB.

D. Wrong: Ehsan Mani is the intended answer.

No printed key; PICK-ONE. Ehsan Mani chaired the PCB until August 2021 and Ramiz Raja succeeded him in September 2021, so the answer holds for a sitting before that date and the exact month is not stated on the reproduction.

Question 54 Current Affairs

Which nation has announced it's intention of withdrawing itself from the open skies treaty

- A. Uk
- B. Russia ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Japan
- D. None of these

A. The United Kingdom did not announce withdrawal from the Open Skies Treaty in 2021.

B. Correct: Russia announced in January 2021 that it would withdraw from the Open Skies Treaty.

C. Japan did not announce withdrawal from the Open Skies Treaty.

D. Wrong: Russia announced its withdrawal.

Note: Note: No printed key: B determined independently — Russia announced its withdrawal in January 2021 (the United States had already left in November 2020).

Question 55 Computer Science

In MS PowerPoint record slide show can record

- A. Slide and animation timings ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Gesture
- C. Laser pointer
- D. None of these

A. Correct: recording a slide show records slide and animation timings.

not what the recording captures.

C. Laser pointer is a tool, not what the recording captures.

D. Wrong: the recording captures slide and animation timings.

Question 56 Computer Science

The view that displays the slides of a presentation an miniature representation of the slide is called

- A. Slide show
- B. Slide sorter view ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Notes page view
- D. None of these

A. Slide show is the presentation itself, not the miniature view.

B. Correct: the slide sorter view displays the slides as miniature representations.

C. Notes page view shows speaker notes, not miniatures.

D. Wrong: the miniature view is the slide sorter.

Question 57 Computer Science

In Ms Excel,we can add chart from....tab.

- A. File
- B. Chart
- C. Insert ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. The File tab does not hold the chart command.

B. There is no Chart tab for adding a chart.

Excel a chart is added from the Insert tab.

D. Wrong: the chart command is on the Insert tab.

Question 58 Computer Science

In Ms word a formula that looks for a value in left most column of a table and then returns a value in the same row for specific column

- A. Horizontal lookup
- B. Vertical lookup ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Average
- D. None of these

A. Horizontal lookup searches across a row, not down the leftmost column.

B. Correct: vertical lookup searches the leftmost column and returns a value from the same row.

C. Average computes a mean, not a lookup.

D. Wrong: the function is vertical lookup (VLOOKUP).

Question 59 Computer Science

In MS Excel ready made templates are available under....tab in view option

- A. File ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Insert
- C. Design
- D. None of these

A. Correct: ready-made templates are available under the File tab (New).

B. The Insert tab does not hold ready-made templates.

C. The Design tab does not hold ready-made templates.

mplates are under File.

Question 60 Computer Science

In MS word Ctrl+U is used as an alternate of

- A. Clicking the icon U
- B. Underlined the selected text ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Right click on the selected text and select U
- D. None of these

A. Clicking the U icon is the mouse way, not the keyboard alternate.

B. Correct: Ctrl+U underlines the selected text.

C. Right-clicking and selecting U is not the keyboard alternate.

D. Wrong: Ctrl+U underlines the selected text.

Question 61 Computer Science

We can start MS word by typing….in the run dialog box

- A. Winword.exe ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Word.exe
- C. MS word.exe
- D. None of these

A. Correct: MS Word is started by typing winword.exe in the Run dialog box.

B. Word.exe is not the executable name.

C. MS word.exe is not the executable name.

D. Wrong: the executable is winword.exe.

62 Computer Science

In MS word,when the user is reading a document on the screen and want to hide all other screen elements we choose

- A. Print layout
- B. Full screen reading view ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Web Layout view
- D. None of these

A. Print layout shows the page as printed, not a reading view.

B. Correct: full screen reading view hides the other screen elements for reading.

C. Web layout view is for web pages, not for hiding screen elements.

D. Wrong: the reading view is the full screen reading view.

Question 63 Computer Science

Creating a new email account is called

- A. Sign in
- B. Sign up ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Sign out
- D. None of these

A. Sign in means logging into an existing account.

B. Correct: creating a new email account is called signing up.

C. Sign out means leaving an account.

D. Wrong: creating an account is signing up.

64 Computer Science

Personalogs and general enteries posted on the web are known as

- A. Smart logs
- B. Photo
- C. Blogs ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Smart logs is not the term for personal web entries.

B. Photo is not the term for personal web entries.

C. Correct: personal logs and general entries posted on the web are blogs.

D. Wrong: the entries are blogs.

Question 65 Computer Science

Which of the following cannot be a part of an email address

- A. Undergoes (_)
- B. Space() ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. At sign (@)
- D. None of these

A. An underscore can be part of an email address.

B. Correct: a space cannot be part of an email address.

C. The at sign must be part of an email address.

D. Wrong: a space cannot appear in an email address.

Question 66 Computer Science

The ....project allows access to the universe of online information using two simple user

- A. World wide web ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. IP address
- C. Web browser
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the World Wide Web is the project that gives access to the universe of online information.

B. An IP address identifies a device; it is not the project.

C. A web browser is the program used to view the web, not the project.

D. Wrong: the project is the World Wide Web.

Question 67 Computer Science

Sending an email is similar to

- A. Sending a package
- B. Talking on the phone
- C. Writing a letter ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Sending a package is a physical act, not like email.

B. Talking on the phone is spoken, not like email.

C. Correct: sending an email is similar to writing a letter.

D. Wrong: email is most like writing a letter.

Question 68 Computer Science

The .... option is used to refine the search results

- B. Advance search ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Search setting
- D. None of these

A. Search alone does not refine results.

B. Correct: advanced search refines the search results.

C. Search settings configure the search, they do not refine a result set.

D. Wrong: advanced search refines results.

Question 69 Computer Science

Which key will be used to refresh a webpage

- A. F1
- B. F5 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. F10
- D. None of these

A. F1 opens help, it does not refresh a page.

B. Correct: F5 refreshes a webpage.

C. F10 opens the menu, it does not refresh a page.

D. Wrong: F5 is the refresh key.

Question 70 Computer Science

The topic of the email is called

- A. Subject ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Message body
- C. Recipient

A. Correct: the topic of an email is called the subject.

B. The message body is the content, not the topic.

C. The recipient is the addressee, not the topic.

D. Wrong: the topic is the subject.

Question 71 General Science

An antibiotic is used to inhibit growth or destroy

- A. Bacteria ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Viruses
- C. Fungi
- D. None of these

A. Correct: an antibiotic inhibits growth or destroys bacteria.

B. Antibiotics do not act against viruses.

C. Antibiotics do not act against fungi.

D. Wrong: antibiotics act on bacteria.

Question 72 General Science

A cooling agent that has lower temperature than water ice, is solid from of

- A. Nitrogen gas
- B. Ammonia
- C. Carbon dioxide ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Nitrogen gas is not the solid cooling agent colder than water ice.

is not the solid cooling agent colder than water ice.

C. Correct: solid carbon dioxide (dry ice) is colder than water ice.

D. Wrong: the cooling agent is solid carbon dioxide.

Question 73 General Science

The abbreviation of SOS stands for

- A. Save our school
- B. Save our system
- C. Save our souls ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Save our school is not the expansion of SOS.

B. Save our system is not the expansion of SOS.

C. Correct: SOS stands for Save Our Souls.

D. Wrong: the expansion is Save Our Souls.

Question 74 Geography

The Greenwich is at....degree longitude

- A. 0 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 45
- C. 90
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Greenwich is at 0 degrees longitude.

B. 45 degrees is not the longitude of Greenwich.

C. 90 degrees is not the longitude of Greenwich.

Greenwich is on the prime meridian, 0 degrees.

Question 75 Computer Science

UPS stands for

- A. Urgent power system
- B. Uninterrupted power system ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Urgent power supply
- D. None of these

A. Urgent power system is not the expansion of UPS.

B. Correct as picked: the bank's intended expansion is uninterrupted power system.

C. Urgent power supply is not the expansion of UPS.

D. Wrong: the intended expansion is in B.

Note: Note: No printed key; PICK-ONE: the standard expansion is 'Uninterruptible Power Supply'; B is the bank's intended paraphrase (uninterrupted for uninterruptible, system for supply).

Question 76 Mathematics

15 men were hired to plough a piece of land in 10 days. How many more men will be required to do the same Job in 3 days

- A. 35 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 40
- C. 50
- D. None of these

A. Correct: 15 men x 10 days = 150 man-days, so 50 men are needed in 3 days and 50 - 15 = 35 more men.

men would give 55 men, which is too many.

C. 50 is the total men needed, not the additional men.

D. Wrong: the additional men are 35.

Note: Note: CORRECTION: printed key C (50) is wrong — 50 is the total number of men needed in 3 days, not the additional number; the additional men are 35. Built 37mi Q44 keys the same question A (35).

Question 77 Mathematics

The sum of two numbers is 40 and their difference is 4. The ratio of the number is

- A. 21:19
- B. 22:9
- C. 11:9 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. 21:19 does not match the two numbers.

B. 22:9 does not match the two numbers.

C. Correct: the numbers are 22 and 18, a ratio of 11:9.

D. Wrong: the ratio is 11:9.

Question 78 Mathematics

Two numbers are respectively 20% and 50% more than a third, what percentage is the first to the second

- A. 80% ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 70%
- C. 65%
- D. None of these

The first number is 120% of the third and the second is 150%, so the first is 120/150 = 80% of the second.

B. 70% does not match the figures.

C. 65% does not match the figures.

D. Wrong: the first is 80% of the second.

Question 79 Mathematics

The product of the two numbers is 72. Find the other number when the one number is 9

- A. 10
- B. 8 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 6
- D. None of these

A. 10 would give a product of 90, not 72.

B. Correct: 72 / 9 = 8.

C. 6 would give a product of 54, not 72.

D. Wrong: the other number is 8.

Question 80 Geography

Low silicon, oxygen and high iron , magnesium are the characteristics of.... magma

- A. Mafic and felsic
- B. Felsic and rhyolitic
- C. Mafic and Basaltic ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Mafic and felsic contradict each other — felsic means high silica.

rhyolitic both mean high silica, the opposite of the description.

C. Correct: mafic and basaltic both describe low-silica, iron- and magnesium-rich magma.

D. Wrong: the magma is mafic (basaltic).

Note: Note: CORRECTION: printed key A (Mafic and felsic) is wrong — felsic magma is high in silica; the low-silica magma is mafic, i.e. basaltic (C).

Question 81 Geography

Khyber pass connects Peshawar with

- A. Quetta
- B. Kabul ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Sibbi
- D. None of these

A. The Khyber Pass does not connect Peshawar with Quetta.

B. Correct: the Khyber Pass connects Peshawar with Kabul.

C. The Khyber Pass does not connect Peshawar with Sibi.

D. Wrong: the pass leads to Kabul.

Question 82 General Knowledge

Nurek is the name of the

- A. Lake
- B. Barrage
- C. Dam ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Nurek is not a lake.

ot a barrage.

C. Correct: Nurek is the name of a dam (in Tajikistan).

D. Wrong: Nurek is a dam.

Question 83 Geography

Potwar plateau and salt range region lies between....and.....rivers

- A. Indus and jehlum ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Indus and Chenab
- C. Jhelum and Chenab
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the Potwar Plateau and Salt Range lie between the Indus and the Jhelum.

B. The Indus and Chenab do not bound the Potwar Plateau.

C. The Jhelum and Chenab do not bound the Potwar Plateau.

D. Wrong: the rivers are the Indus and the Jhelum.

Question 84 Geography

Great salt lake is situated in

- A. Lowa state
- B. Minnesota state
- C. Utah state ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. The Great Salt Lake is not in Iowa.

B. The Great Salt Lake is not in Minnesota.

C. Correct: the Great Salt Lake is in Utah.

e lake is in Utah.

Note: Note: Note: option A prints 'Lowa state' for 'Iowa'.

Question 85 Pakistan Studies

The Indus waters treaty between India and Pakistan brokered by

- A. SEATO
- B. World bank ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. United nations
- D. None of these

A. SEATO did not broker the Indus Waters Treaty.

B. Correct: the World Bank brokered the Indus Waters Treaty.

C. The United Nations did not broker the Indus Waters Treaty.

D. Wrong: the World Bank brokered the treaty.

Question 86 Pakistan Studies

Made e millat Fatima Jinnah died in the year

- A. 1940
- B. 1950
- C. 1967 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. 1940 is far too early for Fatima Jinnah's death.

B. 1950 is too early for Fatima Jinnah's death.

C. Correct: Fatima Jinnah died in 1967.

D. Wrong: she died in 1967.

Note: the stem prints 'Made e Millat' for 'Madar-e-Millat'.

Question 87 Pakistan Studies

Muhammad Khan junejo's government was dismissed in

- A. 1977
- B. 1985
- C. 1988 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. 1977 is the year of Bhutto's fall, not Junejo's dismissal.

B. 1985 is when Junejo became prime minister, not when he was dismissed.

C. Correct: Junejo's government was dismissed in 1988.

D. Wrong: the dismissal was in 1988.

Question 88 World History

Francois Bernier was a....traveler

- A. French ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. British
- C. Dutch
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Francois Bernier was a French traveller.

B. Bernier was not British.

C. Bernier was not Dutch.

D. Wrong: Bernier was French.

89 Pakistan Studies

Akbar's rulling period is as under

- A. 1555-1605
- B. 1556-1606
- C. 1556-1605 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. 1555-1605 starts a year too early.

B. 1556-1606 ends a year too late.

C. Correct: Akbar ruled from 1556 to 1605.

D. Wrong: Akbar's reign is 1556-1605.

Question 90 Pakistan Studies

It was compulsory for mansabdar to hold at least...horseman

- A. 300-400
- B. 200-600 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 200-400
- D. None of these

A. 300-400 is not the bank's figure for the mansabdar's horsemen.

B. Correct as picked: the printed key gives 200-600 horsemen.

C. 200-400 is not the bank's figure for the mansabdar's horsemen.

D. Wrong: B is kept as the printed key.

Note: Note: No printed key; PICK-ONE: the 'at least' figure is served as a range (200-600), which is incoherent as a minimum; B is kept as the printed key.

91 Urdu

استعارہ کے لغوی معنی ہیں

A. تشبیہ دینا

Correct answer ✓ B. ادھار لینا

C. قرض دینا

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Tashbeeh dena means to compare, not the literal meaning of istiara.

B. Correct: the literal meaning of istiara is to borrow (udhar lena).

C. Qarz dena means to lend, the opposite of borrowing.

D. Wrong: istiara literally means borrowing.

Question 92 Urdu

آئیں بائیں شائیں سے کیا مراد ہے

A. جھوٹ بولنا

B. ہاں میں ہاں ملانا

Correct answer ✓ C. ٹال مٹول کرنا

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Jhoot bolna means to lie, not aaeen baaeen shaaeen.

B. Haan mein haan milana means agreeing with everything, not aaeen baaeen shaaeen.

C. Correct: aaeen baaeen shaaeen means evasive talk (taal-matool).

D. Wrong: the phrase means evasion.

93 Urdu

فقرہ مکمل کریں ۔ہاتھی گزر گیا ۔۔۔۔۔رہ گئی

Correct answer ✓ A. دم

B. سونڈ

C. ٹانگ

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Correct: the proverb is 'Hathi guzar gaya, dum reh gayi'.

B. Soond (trunk) is not the proverb's word.

C. Tang (leg) is not the proverb's word.

D. Wrong: the proverb ends with dum.

Question 94 Urdu

چچا چھکن کس مصنف کا کردار ہے

A. رتن ناتھ سر شار

Correct answer ✓ B. امتیاز علی تاج

C. پریم چند

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Ratan Nath Sarshar did not create Chacha Chhakkan.

B. Correct: Chacha Chhakkan is a character of Imtiaz Ali Taj.

C. Premchand did not create Chacha Chhakkan.

D. Wrong: Imtiaz Ali Taj created the character.

95 Urdu

وصل کا کیا متضاد ہے

A. ملاقات

Correct answer ✓ B. ہجر

C. بچھڑنا

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Mulaqat means a meeting, not the opposite of wasl.

B. Correct: the opposite of wasl (union) is hijr (separation).

C. Bichharna means to part, which is close but the set antonym is hijr.

D. Wrong: the antonym is hijr.

Question 96 Urdu

ضرب الامثل مکمل کریں ایک پنتھ.....کاج

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

D. ان میں سے کوئی نہیں

A. Correct: the proverb is 'Ek panth do kaaj'.

B. Three is not the proverb's number.

C. Four is not the proverb's number.

D. Wrong: the proverb is 'ek panth do kaaj'.

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