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> **How to use this paper:** each question shows the stem, the four options, and the correct answer. Click “Why each option?” under a question to see all four options explained — one question teaches four topics. General Knowledge answers are as of the 2023 sitting.

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Question 1 Pak Studies

Which is the National bird of Pakistan ?

- A. Chakor ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Eagle
- C. Peacock
- D. Parrot

A. Correct: the chukar partridge (Chakor) is Pakistan's national bird.

e eagle holds no national-bird status in Pakistan (the markhor is the national animal).

C. Wrong: the peacock is the national bird of India, not Pakistan.

D. Wrong: the parrot holds no national status in Pakistan.

Question 2 Pak Studies

Which is the highest peak of Himalayas range in Pakistan ?

- A. K2
- B. Broad Peak
- C. None of these
- D. Nanga Parbat ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: K2 (8,611 m) is the highest peak of the Karakoram range, not the Himalayas.

B. Wrong: Broad Peak is also a Karakoram peak, not a Himalayan one.

C. Wrong: 'None of these' fails because Nanga Parbat is offered and is correct.

D. Correct: Nanga Parbat (8,126 m) is the western anchor of the Himalaya range and the highest Himalayan peak in Pakistan.

Question 3 Pak Studies

Baluchistan Plateau is located in the west of ?

- A. Salt Range
- B. Thar Desert
- C. Koh e Suleiman & Kirthar Range ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Indus River

A. Wrong: the Salt Range lies in Punjab, east of the Baluchistan Plateau, not west of it.

B. Wrong: the Thar Desert lies in Sindh, to the east/south-east, not to the west of the

C. Correct: the Baluchistan Plateau lies west of the Suleiman and Kirthar ranges, which separate it from the Indus plain.

D. Wrong: the Indus River flows to the east of the plateau, not to its west.

Question 4 Pak Studies

In which year did Quaid-e-Azam join the All India National Congress ?

- A. 1906 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1902
- C. 1920
- D. 1910

A. Correct: Jinnah joined the Indian National Congress in 1906 (Calcutta session).

B. Wrong: 1902 predates his Congress membership.

C. Wrong: 1920 is the year Jinnah left the Congress (Nagpur session), not joined it.

D. Wrong: 1910 is neither his joining nor his leaving year.

Question 5 Pak Studies

18th Amendment was inserted in the constitution of Pakistan on ____?

- A. 19th April 2010 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 12th October 2002
- C. 23rd March 2011
- D. 10th March 2008

A. Correct: the 18th Amendment was passed by the National Assembly on 8 April 2010, by the Senate on 15 April, and received presidential assent on 19 April 2010 — the date it was inserted in the Constitution.

: October 2002 is the date of the general election held under Musharraf, not the 18th Amendment.

C. Wrong: 23 March is Pakistan Day (1940 Resolution / 1956 Constitution); no 18th Amendment event falls on 23 March 2011.

D. Wrong: 10 March 2008 is around the 2008 general election, not the 18th Amendment.

Question 6 Pak Studies

First Viceroy of India after the war of Independence 1857 ?

- A. Lord Ripon
- B. Lord Curzon
- C. Lord Canning ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Lord Dalhousie

A. Wrong: Lord Ripon was a later Viceroy (1880-84), not the first.

B. Wrong: Lord Curzon was a later Viceroy (1899-1905), not the first.

C. Correct: Lord Canning became the first Viceroy of India in 1858, after the Government of India Act 1858 transferred power from the East India Company to the Crown.

D. Wrong: Lord Dalhousie was the last Governor-General under the Company (1848-56), before the Viceroyalty was created.

Question 7 Pak Studies

Doctrine of necessity in Pakistan was first time used by ?

- A. Justice Munir ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Justice Muhammad Haleem
- C. Justice Iftikhar Chaudhary
- D. Justice A.R. Cornelius

hief Justice Muhammad Munir first used the doctrine of necessity in the Maulvi Tamizuddin Khan case (1955), validating the Governor-General's dissolution of the Constituent Assembly.

B. Wrong: Justice Muhammad Haleem was a later Chief Justice (1981-89), not the author of the doctrine.

C. Wrong: Justice Iftikhar Chaudhry was Chief Justice in the 2000s, half a century later.

D. Wrong: Justice A. R. Cornelius was a distinguished judge but did not originate the doctrine of necessity.

Question 8 Pak Studies

Indian Councils Act 1861 was enforced on ?

- A. 24th July 1859
- B. 15th November 1858
- C. 1st August 1861 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 2nd January 1872

A. Wrong: 24 July 1859 is not the date of the Indian Councils Act 1861.

B. Wrong: 15 November 1858 is not connected with this Act.

C. Correct: the Indian Councils Act 1861 received royal assent and came into force on 1 August 1861.

D. Wrong: 2 January 1872 is not the date of this Act.

Question 9 Pak Studies

Indira Gandhi was assassinated in ____?

- A. October 31 , 1984 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. December 6, 1992

- D. January 30, 1948

A. Correct: Indira Gandhi was assassinated on 31 October 1984 by her Sikh bodyguards.

B. Wrong: 6 December 1992 is the date of the Babri Masjid demolition.

C. Wrong: 25 June 1975 is the date the Emergency was declared in India.

D. Wrong: 30 January 1948 is the date Mahatma Gandhi was assassinated.

Question 10 Pak Studies

The Battle of karnal was fought between Mughal Emperor Muhammad Shah and ?

- A. Babur
- B. Sher Shah Suri
- C. Nadir Shah Durrani ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Ahmad Shah Abdali

A. Wrong: Babur fought the first Battle of Panipat (1526), two centuries before Karnal.

B. Wrong: Sher Shah Suri fought Humayun (Chausa, 1539), not Muhammad Shah at Karnal.

C. Correct: the Battle of Karnal (1739) was fought between Mughal Emperor Muhammad Shah and the Persian invader Nadir Shah, who won and sacked Delhi.

D. Wrong: Ahmad Shah Abdali fought the third Battle of Panipat (1761), not Karnal (1739).

Question 11 Pak Studies

Burma was separated from India during ___?

- A. 1937 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1939
- C. 1941

A. Correct: Burma was separated from British India with effect from 1 April 1937, under the Government of India Act 1935.

B. Wrong: 1939 is the year of the Second World War's outbreak, not Burma's separation.

C. Wrong: 1941 is not connected with Burma's separation.

D. Wrong: 1935 is the year the Government of India Act was passed, but separation took effect in 1937.

Question 12 Pak Studies

All parties Conference regarding freedom of India against British Rule was made in ?

- A. 1928 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1919
- C. 1931
- D. 1939

A. Correct: the All Parties Conference met in 1928 and produced the Nehru Report (a draft constitution for India).

B. Wrong: 1919 is the year of the Rowlatt Act, Jallianwala Bagh and the Montagu-Chelmsford Reforms.

C. Wrong: 1931 is the year of the second Round Table Conference.

D. Wrong: 1939 is the year of the Second World War's outbreak.

Question 13 Pak Studies

Which article of the constitution gives the supreme court the Suo Motu Power ?

- A. Article 184 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Article 89

- D. Article 62

A. Correct: Article 184(3) of the 1973 Constitution gives the Supreme Court suo motu power in matters of public importance concerning fundamental rights.

B. Wrong: Article 89 deals with the President's power to promulgate ordinances.

C. Wrong: Article 99 deals with the conduct of business of the Federal Government.

D. Wrong: Article 62 lays down qualifications for membership of Parliament.

Question 14 Pak Studies

Who started the Faraizi Movement?

- A. Haji Shariat ullah ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
- C. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad
- D. Siraj ud Din Muhammad Khan

A. Correct: Haji Shariatullah founded the Faraizi Movement in Bengal (1818), calling for the observance of the faraiz (obligatory duties of Islam).

B. Wrong: Sir Syed Ahmed Khan founded the Aligarh Movement, not the Faraizi Movement.

C. Wrong: Maulana Abul Kalam Azad was a Congress leader and scholar, not the Faraizi founder.

D. Wrong: Siraj ud Din Muhammad Khan is not the founder of the Faraizi Movement.

Question 15 Pak Studies

Who was the last governor of undivided Punjab ?

- A. Sir Evan Jenkins ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. Geoffrey Montmorency
- D. Sir Bertrand James Glancy

A. Correct: Sir Evan Jenkins was the last Governor of undivided Punjab (1946-47), serving until Partition.

B. Wrong: Francis Mudie became the first Governor of West Punjab after Partition, not the last governor of undivided Punjab.

C. Wrong: Sir Geoffrey Montmorency was an earlier Punjab Governor (1928-33).

D. Wrong: Sir Bertrand James Glancy was Governor of Punjab earlier (1941-46), before Jenkins.

Question 16 Pak Studies

The cabinet mission came to India in the year ?

- A. 1946 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1948
- C. 1942
- D. 1944

A. Correct: the Cabinet Mission arrived in India in March 1946 to discuss the transfer of power.

B. Wrong: 1948 is after Independence and Partition.

C. Wrong: 1942 is the year of the Cripps Mission and the Quit India Movement.

D. Wrong: 1944 is not the year of the Cabinet Mission.

Question 17 Pak Studies

Johar Town Lahore blast in 2021 was aimed to ___?

- B. Attack Hafiz Saeed
- C. None of these
- D. Both A and B ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Partly right but incomplete on its own: the blast was widely linked to the FATF context — which is why D, combining both, is the answer.

B. Partly right but incomplete on its own: the blast (23 June 2021) struck near Hafiz Saeed's residence in Johar Town, Lahore, and was reported as targeting him — which is why D, combining both, is the answer.

C. Wrong: both A and B are live explanations, so 'None of these' fails.

D. Correct: both A and B — the blast was aimed at Hafiz Saeed's residence and was linked to the FATF case against Pakistan. The second source (sawalnama) keys the same pair: 'FATF, Hafiz Saeed'.

Question 18 Pak Studies

Qazi Isa was the _____ Baluchistan Muslim League .

- A. Leader
- B. President ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Secretary
- D. Chairman

A. Wrong: Qazi Muhammad Isa was not merely a leader in a general sense — the banked answer is the specific office he held.

B. Correct: Qazi Muhammad Isa was the President of the Baluchistan Muslim League. The second source (sawalnama) agrees: 'President'.

C. Wrong: Secretary was not his office in the Baluchistan Muslim League.

chairman was not his office in the Baluchistan Muslim League.

Question 19 Pak Studies

PAIMAN is the organization which works for ?

- A. Training to fight women against Extremism ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Women Rights
- C. Against Child Labour
- D. Protection of Women

A. Correct (PICK-ONE): the PAIMAN Alumni Trust works on women's role in countering violent extremism — option A, garbled as 'Training to fight women against Extremism', points to that work. See the flag: the second source keys a different PAIMAN (mothers/newborns), which is not offered here.

B. Wrong: 'Women Rights' in general is not the specific work PAIMAN is named for in this item.

C. Wrong: PAIMAN is not an anti-child-labour organisation.

D. Wrong: 'Protection of Women' in general is not the specific work PAIMAN is named for in this item. **Flag:** PICK-ONE. Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: the PAIMAN Alumni Trust works on women's role in countering violent extremism, which is what option A (garbled as 'Training to fight women against Extremism') points to — but the second source's parallel item keys a different PAIMAN altogether, the Pakistan Initiative for Mothers and Newborns (maternal/newborn health), which is not among test360's options. A is kept as the best fit among the options offered; the conflict is recorded, not hidden.

Question 20 Pak Studies

Which type of forests are found in Chitral ,Swat , Dir , and Northern areas ?

- A. Mangrove

- C. Alpine ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Deciduous

A. Wrong: mangrove forests grow on the tidal coast (Indus delta), not in Chitral, Swat, Dir and the northern areas.

B. Wrong: Pakistan has no true tropical rainforest in its northern mountains.

C. Correct (PICK-ONE): alpine forest is the banked answer for the high northern valleys — but see the flag: the second source keys 'Coniferous', which is also genuinely true of these forests.

D. Wrong: deciduous forest is not the characteristic forest type of the northern high valleys. **Flag:** PICK-ONE. Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: the printed key C (Alpine) is kept, but the second source keys 'Coniferous' for the same northern forests (Chitral, Swat, Dir, northern areas) — and coniferous forest is genuinely what grows there, alongside alpine forest at higher altitude. Both are defensible; Alpine is the banked answer and is kept.

Question 21 Pak Studies

According to the 1998 Census the number of urban settlements in Pakistan was ?

- A. 711
- B. 710
- C. 1500
- D. 850

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. NO CORRECT OPTION — DEFECTIVE-excluded (Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: the 1998 Census counted 501 urban localities in Pakistan (up from 415 in 1981) — the figure is 501, which is not among the options (711 / 710 / 1500 / 850). The printed key B (710) is unsupported by any census figure found. No correct option exists, so nothing is asserted

A. Wrong: 711 is not the 1998 Census figure for urban localities.

B. Wrong: 710 is the printed key, but no census figure supports it — the true figure is 501, which is not offered.

C. Wrong: 1500 is not the 1998 Census figure for urban localities.

D. Wrong: 850 is not the 1998 Census figure for urban localities.

Question 22 Pak Studies

Identify the location of Punjab Province ?

- A. 31.1704^{0}N, 72.7097^{0}E ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 23.6850^{0}N, 90.3563^{0}E
- C. 18.5204^{0}N , 73.8567^{0}E
- D. 30.3753^{0}N, 69.3451^{0}E

A. Correct: Punjab, Pakistan is centred around 31.17° N, 72.71° E. The second source corroborates the latitude band (27.42° N to 34.02° N).

B. Wrong: 23.6850° N, 90.3563° E is in Bangladesh (Dhaka area).

C. Wrong: 18.5204° N, 73.8567° E is Pune, India.

D. Wrong: 30.3753° N, 69.3451° E is the approximate centre of Pakistan as a whole, not of Punjab province.

Question 23 Pak Studies

Chaj Doab lies between which two rivers ?

- A. Chenab & Jhelum Rivers ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Beas & Ravi Rivers
- C. Indus & Sutlej Rivers

nges & Yamuna Rivers

A. Correct: the Chaj Doab lies between the Chenab and the Jhelum rivers.

B. Wrong: the Bari Doab lies between the Beas and the Ravi.

C. Wrong: no doab lies between the Indus and the Sutlej as a pair.

D. Wrong: the Ganges and Yamuna are Indian rivers; no Punjab doab lies between them.

Question 24 Pak Studies

Ganda Singh Border connects ?

- A. Lahore (Pakistan)& Amritsar (India)
- B. Rawalpindi (Pakistan)& Wagah (India)
- C. Kasur (Pakistan)& Firozpur (India) ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Sialkot (Pakistan)& Jammi (India)

A. Wrong: Lahore-Amritsar is the Wagah-Attari crossing, not Ganda Singh.

B. Wrong: Rawalpindi-Wagah is not a border crossing pair.

C. Correct: the Ganda Singh Wala border connects Kasur (Pakistan) with Ferozepur (India), opposite Hussainiwala village. The second source agrees: 'Ferozpur-Kasur'.

D. Wrong: Sialkot-Jammu is not the Ganda Singh crossing.

Question 25 General Knowledge

Diego Garcia is ____ Naval Base located in the Indian Ocean ?

- A. USA ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. UK
- C. Australia
- D. France

iego Garcia is a United States naval base in the Indian Ocean (on British Indian Ocean Territory, leased to the US). The second source agrees: 'US'.

B. Wrong: the base is operated by the US, not by the UK (the UK owns the territory but the base is American).

C. Wrong: Australia does not operate Diego Garcia.

D. Wrong: France does not operate Diego Garcia.

Question 26 General Knowledge

CN Tower is located in ?

- A. New York
- B. London
- C. Toronto ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Paris

A. Wrong: the CN Tower is not in New York (New York's landmark is the Empire State Building).

B. Wrong: the CN Tower is not in London (London's landmark is the Shard / Big Ben).

C. Correct: the CN Tower stands in Toronto, Canada. The second source agrees: 'Toronto'.

D. Wrong: the CN Tower is not in Paris (Paris's landmark is the Eiffel Tower).

Question 27 General Knowledge

Ashgabat is capital of ?

- A. Uzbekistan
- B. None of these (Turkmenistan) ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Kyrgyzstan
- D. Tajikistan

ishkent is the capital of Uzbekistan, and Ashgabat is not in Uzbekistan.

B. Correct: Ashgabat is the capital of Turkmenistan — and since Turkmenistan is not listed as an option, 'None of these (Turkmenistan)' is the answer.

C. Wrong: Bishkek is the capital of Kyrgyzstan, and Ashgabat is not in Kyrgyzstan.

D. Wrong: Dushanbe is the capital of Tajikistan, and Ashgabat is not in Tajikistan.

Question 28 General Knowledge

Statue of Liberty is located in ?

- A. New York ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Los Angeles
- C. San Francisco
- D. Washington DC

A. Correct: the Statue of Liberty stands in New York Harbour (Liberty Island, New York).

B. Wrong: the Statue of Liberty is not in Los Angeles.

C. Wrong: the Statue of Liberty is not in San Francisco.

D. Wrong: the Statue of Liberty is not in Washington DC.

Question 29 General Knowledge

Louvre Museum is located in b?

- A. Spain
- B. France ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Italy
- D. Germany

A. Wrong: the Louvre is not in Spain (Madrid's museum is the Prado).

he Louvre Museum is in Paris, France. (The stem's 'located in b?' is a reproduction typo for 'located in?'.)

C. Wrong: the Louvre is not in Italy (Rome's museums are the Vatican Museums).

D. Wrong: the Louvre is not in Germany (Berlin's museum is the Pergamon).

Question 30 General Knowledge

London City is located on the bank of which river ?

- A. Danube River
- B. Rhine River
- C. Thames River ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Seine River

A. Wrong: the Danube flows through Central Europe (Vienna, Budapest), not London.

B. Wrong: the Rhine flows through Germany, not London.

C. Correct: London stands on the River Thames.

D. Wrong: the Seine flows through Paris, not London.

Question 31 General Knowledge

The largest ocean of the World is ?

- A. Pacific Ocean ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Arctic Ocean
- C. Indian Ocean
- D. Atlantic Ocean

A. Correct: the Pacific is the largest ocean on Earth (about 165 million sq km).

B. Wrong: the Arctic is the smallest ocean.

e Indian Ocean is the third largest, smaller than the Pacific and Atlantic.

D. Wrong: the Atlantic is the second largest, smaller than the Pacific.

Question 32 General Knowledge

Zika Virus is a Mosquito borne virus named after a forest located in ?

- A. Malaysia
- B. Thailand
- C. Brazil
- D. Uganda ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: the Zika forest is not in Malaysia.

B. Wrong: the Zika forest is not in Thailand.

C. Wrong: the Zika forest is not in Brazil (though the 2015 outbreak was centred there).

D. Correct: the Zika virus is named after the Zika Forest in Uganda, where it was first identified in 1947. The second source agrees: 'Uganda'.

Question 33 General Knowledge

NATO was established in ?

- A. 1949 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1961
- C. 1951
- D. 1955

A. Correct: NATO (the North Atlantic Treaty Organization) was established on 4 April 1949.

B. Wrong: 1961 is not NATO's founding year.

C. Wrong: 1951 is not NATO's founding year.

1955 is the year of the Warsaw Pact, not NATO.

Question 34 General Knowledge

On 14th Dec which Country's President issued executive order to establish " Space Force Unit" in South Korea ?

- A. China
- B. USA ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. South Korea
- D. Russia

A. Wrong: China did not activate a space force unit in South Korea on 14 December 2022.

B. Correct: US Space Forces Korea was activated on 14 December 2022 at Osan Air Base, South Korea. The second source states the same event and answers 'US'.

C. Wrong: South Korea did not activate a foreign space force unit on its own soil — the unit activated was American.

D. Wrong: Russia did not activate a space force unit in South Korea.

Question 35 General Knowledge

The runway for long jump is about in _____ width ?

- A. 1.22 meter ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1.50 meter
- C. 0.91 meter
- D. 1.00 meter

A. Correct: the runway (take-off board run-up) for the long jump is 1.22 metres wide. The second source agrees: '1.22 m'.

B. Wrong: 1.50 m is not the standard runway width.

91 m is not the standard runway width.

D. Wrong: 1.00 m is not the standard runway width.

Question 36 General Knowledge

The first Asian Secretary General of the United Nations was ?

- A. Boutros Boutros Ghali
- B. U Thant ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Ban ki moon
- D. Kofi Annan

A. Wrong: Boutros Boutros-Ghali (Egypt) was Secretary-General 1992-96, but he was African, not Asian, and not the first Asian.

B. Correct: U Thant of Burma was the first Asian Secretary-General of the United Nations (1961-71).

C. Wrong: Ban Ki-moon (South Korea) was a later Asian Secretary-General (2007-16), not the first.

D. Wrong: Kofi Annan (Ghana) was Secretary-General 1997-2006; he was African, not Asian.

Question 37 General Knowledge

The Soviet Union invaded Afghanistan in ____?

- A. 26th December 1979
- B. 27th December 1979
- C. 24th December 1979 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 25th December 1979

A. Wrong: 26 December 1979 is after the invasion began.

December 1979 is the date Kabul was seized / Amin killed, not the start of the invasion.

C. Correct: Soviet troops began crossing into Afghanistan on 24 December 1979. The second source agrees: '24 December 1979'.

D. Wrong: 25 December 1979 is the date most often quoted for the main invasion, but the first crossings were on the 24th, which is the answer both sources key.

Question 38 General Knowledge

Globalization has improved the living standard of ?

- A. Workers in under developed countries
- B. Workers Countries
- C. Workers in developing countries ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. CEOs of multinational corporations in developed

A. Wrong: the banked answer is not workers in under-developed countries specifically.

B. Wrong: 'Workers Countries' is not a meaningful category.

C. Correct (SINGLE-SOURCE): the textbook/banked completion is 'workers in developing countries'. See the flag — this rests on the banked wording only.

D. Wrong: the banked answer is not CEOs of multinationals in developed countries. **Flag:** SINGLE-SOURCE. The answer rests on the banked/textbook wording only: the stem asserts that globalisation improved living standards, and C is the conventional textbook completion. No independent fact-check can settle a textbook assertion, so it is flagged SINGLE-SOURCE.

Question 39 General Knowledge

Ottoman Caliphate was abolished by ?

- A. Mustafa kamal Pasha ✓ **Correct answer**

- C. Mehmed II
- D. Selim II

A. Correct: Mustafa Kemal Pasha (Atatürk) abolished the Ottoman Caliphate on 3 March 1924. The second source agrees: 'Mustafa Kamal'.

B. Wrong: Suleiman the Magnificent was a 16th-century sultan who expanded the empire, not the man who abolished the Caliphate.

C. Wrong: Mehmed II conquered Constantinople (1453), four centuries before the Caliphate's abolition.

D. Wrong: Selim II was a 16th-century sultan, not the abolisher of the Caliphate.

Question 40 General Knowledge

Israel captured East Jerusalem in ?

- A. 1967 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1973
- C. 1948
- D. 1956

A. Correct: Israel captured East Jerusalem in the Six-Day War of June 1967.

B. Wrong: 1973 is the Yom Kippur War, in which East Jerusalem was already held by Israel.

C. Wrong: 1948 is the Arab-Israeli War, in which East Jerusalem was held by Jordan.

D. Wrong: 1956 is the Suez Crisis, not the capture of East Jerusalem.

Question 41 General Knowledge

How many players in a basketball game in each team ?

- A. 7

Correct answer

- C. 4
- D. 6

A. Wrong: 7 is not the number of players per team on court in basketball.

B. Correct: each basketball team has 5 players on the court. The second source agrees: '5'.

C. Wrong: 4 is not the number of players per team in basketball.

D. Wrong: 6 is not the number of players per team in basketball.

Question 42 General Knowledge

Anwar Sadat was president of ?

- A. Jordan
- B. Iraq
- C. Egypt ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Saudi Arabia

A. Wrong: Anwar Sadat was not president of Jordan (Jordan's king was Hussein).

B. Wrong: Anwar Sadat was not president of Iraq (Iraq's president was Saddam Hussein).

C. Correct: Anwar Sadat was President of Egypt (1970-81). The second source agrees: 'Egypt'.

D. Wrong: Anwar Sadat was not president of Saudi Arabia (a monarchy).

Question 43 General Knowledge

On 8th January 2022 , Ukraine International Airline Flight 752 was shot down minutes after takeoff from Tehran Iran by an Iranian Surface to air missile . What was the cause ?

- A. Weather Conditions
- B. Human Error ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. Sabotage

A. Wrong: weather conditions did not cause the shoot-down.

B. Correct: Iran admitted that Ukraine International Airlines Flight 752 was shot down by its own air defences because of human error (misidentified as a cruise missile). The second source agrees: 'Human error'. Note: the stem prints '8th January 2022' — the flight was shot down on 8 January 2020, a reproduction date error that does not change the answer.

C. Wrong: no technical malfunction caused the shoot-down; it was a missile fired in error.

D. Wrong: no sabotage caused the shoot-down; Iran admitted its own human error.

Question 44 General Knowledge

Who is the winner of ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2021 ?

- A. Australia ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. England
- C. India
- D. Pakistan

A. Correct: Australia won the ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2021, beating New Zealand in the final.

B. Wrong: England won the 2022 T20 World Cup, not 2021.

C. Wrong: India did not win the 2021 T20 World Cup.

D. Wrong: Pakistan reached the semi-final in 2021 but did not win.

Question 45 General Knowledge

Who is the current President of Iran ?

- B. Masoud Pezeshkian
- C. Hassan Rouhani
- D. Mahmoud Ahmadinejad

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. NO CORRECT OPTION — DEFECTIVE-excluded (Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: as served, the printed key is B (Masoud Pezeshkian) — but Pezeshkian became President of Iran only in July 2024. On the exam date, 15 January 2023, the President of Iran was Ebrahim Raisi, who is not among the options. The item is therefore an anachronism: no correct option existed on the exam date. Both reproductions carry the same post-2024 re-keying (sawalnama also keys Pezeshkian), so this is a shared post-exam edit, not a 2023 exam item as served. Nothing is asserted for this question.)

A. Wrong: Mohammad Khatami was President of Iran 1997-2005, not in 2023 or later.

B. Wrong as a 2023 answer: Masoud Pezeshkian became President of Iran only in July 2024 — he was not president on the exam date, and the correct president then (Ebrahim Raisi) is not offered. See the defective note.

C. Wrong: Hassan Rouhani was President of Iran 2013-21, not in 2023 or later.

D. Wrong: Mahmoud Ahmadinejad was President of Iran 2005-13, not in 2023 or later.

Question 46 Everyday Science

Who among the following proposed the Law of Planetary Motion ?

- A. Johannes Kepler ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Isaac Newton
- C. Albert Einstein
- D. Galileo Galilei

A. Correct: Johannes Kepler proposed the three laws of planetary motion (1609-19).

Newton proposed the law of universal gravitation, building on Kepler — not the laws of planetary motion themselves.

C. Wrong: Einstein proposed relativity, not the laws of planetary motion.

D. Wrong: Galileo supported heliocentrism and made telescopic observations, but did not propose the laws of planetary motion.

Question 47 Everyday Science

Non flowering plants are called as ?

- A. Angiosperm
- B. Cryptogam ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Gymnosperm
- D. Pteridophyte

A. Wrong: angiosperms are flowering plants — the opposite of what is asked.

B. Correct: non-flowering plants (algae, mosses, ferns) are called cryptogams — plants that reproduce by spores, not flowers or seeds.

C. Wrong: gymnosperms (conifers) are seed plants classed as phanerogams; the banked term for non-flowering plants is cryptogam.

D. Wrong: pteridophytes (ferns) are only one subgroup of cryptogams, not the general term.

Question 48 Everyday Science

Optical Fiber works on the Principal of ?

- A. Dispersion
- B. Diffraction
- C. Total Internal Reflection ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Polarization

sperson (splitting of light) is not the principle of optical fibre.

B. Wrong: diffraction (bending around obstacles) is not the principle of optical fibre.

C. Correct: optical fibre works on total internal reflection — light is reflected repeatedly inside the fibre core. The second source agrees.

D. Wrong: polarisation (orientation of light waves) is not the principle of optical fibre.

Question 49 Everyday Science

The gases used in different types of welding include ?

- A. Acetylene & Carbon ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Dioxide Methane
- C. Helium & Argon Oxygen
- D. Nitrogen & Hydrogen

A. Correct (PICK-ONE): acetylene is the fuel gas of gas welding — A is the intended key. See the flag: as printed the pair is garbled ('Acetylene & Carbon' — carbon is not a gas) and C is also a true welding-gas pair.

B. Wrong: 'Dioxide Methane' is not a welding gas pair (methane is not a standard welding gas, and 'dioxide methane' is not a gas name).

C. Wrong as the set answer, though factually true: helium and argon ARE shielding gases used in TIG/MIG welding — recorded in the flag as the defensible alternative to the garbled key.

D. Wrong: nitrogen and hydrogen are used in some plasma processes but are not the standard answer for welding gases. **Flag:** PICK-ONE. Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: acetylene is the fuel gas of gas welding, so A is the intended key — but as printed ('Acetylene & Carbon') the pair is garbled, since carbon is not a gas; the textbook pair is acetylene and oxygen, which is not offered. Note also that C (helium and argon) is a genuinely true pair of welding shielding gases (TIG/MIG), so the item is

t as the banked answer, the defect is recorded.

Question 50 Everyday Science

Which is the 1st element in the Periodic Table ?

- A. Lithium
- B. Helium
- C. Beryllium
- D. Hydrogen ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: lithium is the third element (atomic number 3).

B. Wrong: helium is the second element (atomic number 2).

C. Wrong: beryllium is the fourth element (atomic number 4).

D. Correct: hydrogen, atomic number 1, is the first element in the periodic table.

Question 51 Everyday Science

Law of Electromagnetic Induction was proposed by ?

- A. James Clerk Maxwell
- B. Michael Faraday ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Albert Einstein
- D. Nikola Tesla

A. Wrong: Maxwell formulated the mathematical theory of electromagnetism, building on Faraday — he did not propose the law of induction.

B. Correct: Michael Faraday proposed the law of electromagnetic induction (1831). The second source agrees: 'Michael Faraday'.

C. Wrong: Einstein proposed relativity, not electromagnetic induction.

D. Wrong: Tesla worked on alternating current and induction motors, but the law of

Question 52 Everyday Science

How many neutrons in hydrogen atom ?

- A. Zero ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Three
- C. Two
- D. One

A. Correct: the common hydrogen atom (protium, 1H) has one proton and zero neutrons.

B. Wrong: hydrogen does not have three neutrons (tritium has two).

C. Wrong: hydrogen does not have two neutrons (that would be tritium).

D. Wrong: hydrogen does not have one neutron (that would be deuterium).

Question 53 English

The meaning of the idiom Laugh in one's sleeves is ?

- A. To laugh secretly on
- B. To laugh secretly ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. To laugh loudly
- D. To laugh at someone openly

A. Wrong: 'to laugh secretly on' is ungrammatical — the idiom takes no 'on'.

B. Correct: 'to laugh in one's sleeve' means to laugh secretly (to oneself, quietly).

C. Wrong: to laugh loudly is the opposite of the idiom.

D. Wrong: to laugh openly at someone is the opposite of the idiom.

54 English

Who wrote the novel Pride and Prejudice ?

- A. Louisa May Alcott
- B. Emily Dickinson
- C. Jane Austen ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Charlotte Bronte

A. Wrong: Louisa May Alcott wrote Little Women, not Pride and Prejudice.

B. Wrong: Emily Dickinson was a poet, not the novelist of Pride and Prejudice.

C. Correct: Jane Austen wrote Pride and Prejudice (1813).

D. Wrong: Charlotte Bronte wrote Jane Eyre, not Pride and Prejudice.

Question 55 English

The antonym of Impertinent is ?

- A. Noble
- B. Obedient
- C. Disobedient
- D. Polite ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong — the printed key, corrected: 'noble' means honourable/high-born; it is not the opposite of 'impertinent' (rude, disrespectful).

B. Wrong: 'obedient' is the antonym of 'disobedient', not of 'impertinent' — impertinence is about manner (rudeness), not obedience.

C. Wrong: 'disobedient' is a near-synonym of impertinent, not its antonym.

D. Correct (CORRECTED): 'polite' is the true antonym of 'impertinent' — impertinent means rude and disrespectful, polite means courteous and respectful.

56 English

Fill in the blanks with a suitable preposition : Near the London Eye there is a bridge constructed ____ the Thames River ?

- A. Over ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Around
- C. Above
- D. Beside

A. Correct: a bridge is constructed 'over' a river.

B. Wrong: 'around' the river does not describe a bridge crossing it.

C. Wrong: 'above' the river is possible in principle but is not the idiomatic preposition for a bridge.

D. Wrong: 'beside' the river means next to it, not crossing it.

Question 57 English

She _____ for the upcoming tennis tournament ?

- A. Training
- B. Trains
- C. Is training ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Trained

A. Wrong: 'training' alone has no auxiliary and is not a complete verb form here.

B. Wrong: 'trains' (simple present) does not fit a specific upcoming tournament.

C. Correct: 'She is training for the upcoming tennis tournament' — present continuous for a planned near-future activity.

D. Wrong: 'trained' (simple past) does not fit an upcoming event.

58 English

My elder brother has got a motor bike but I ____?

- A. Had not
- B. Have not ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Don't have
- D. Have

A. Wrong: 'had not' (past perfect) does not parallel the present perfect 'has got'.

B. Correct: 'My elder brother has got a motor bike but I have not' — present perfect, parallel to 'has got'.

C. Wrong: 'don't have' is grammatical in speech but does not parallel 'has got' as the set answer does.

D. Wrong: 'have' would mean the speaker does have a bike, contradicting 'but'.

Question 59 English

White ball ____ for the first time in the 1992 Cricket World Cup .

- A. Is used
- B. Had used
- C. Used
- D. Was used ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: 'is used' is present tense; the first use was in 1992, in the past.

B. Wrong: 'had used' is active and wrong in sense — the ball was used, it did not use something.

C. Wrong: 'used' alone is not a complete passive verb form here.

D. Correct: 'White ball was used for the first time in the 1992 Cricket World Cup' — passive past.

60 English

If john ____ earlier he would always be on time ?

- A. Got up ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Get up
- C. Getting up
- D. Gets up

A. Correct: second conditional — 'If John got up earlier, he would always be on time.'

B. Wrong: 'get up' (present) does not go with 'would' in the second conditional.

C. Wrong: 'getting up' is not a finite verb form for this conditional.

D. Wrong: 'gets up' (present) does not go with 'would' in the second conditional.

Question 61 English

You can go neither by train ____ by bus .

- A. Or
- B. Nor ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Not
- D. Either

A. Wrong: 'neither ... or' is incorrect — the pair is 'neither ... nor'.

B. Correct: 'You can go neither by train nor by bus.'

C. Wrong: 'not' does not complete the 'neither' pair.

D. Wrong: 'either' pairs with 'or', not with 'neither'.

Question 62 English

If you work hard you ____ good marks ?

- B. Would get
- C. Will get ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Get

A. Wrong: 'getting' is not a finite verb form for this conditional.

B. Wrong: 'would get' belongs to the second conditional (unreal), not the first (real) conditional here.

C. Correct: first conditional — 'If you work hard, you will get good marks.'

D. Wrong: 'get' (present) is not the standard first-conditional form after 'if you work hard'.

Question 63 English

Emile is not at home at the moment she is _____?

- A. At work ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Shopping
- C. Playing
- D. Sleeping

A. Correct (PICK-ONE): 'she is at work' is the idiomatic completion — 'Emile is not at home at the moment, she is at work.' See the flag: the stem gives no context, so this is kept as the set answer, not proved.

B. Wrong as the set answer: 'shopping' is possible in principle but is not the idiomatic completion.

C. Wrong as the set answer: 'playing' is possible in principle but is not the idiomatic completion.

D. Wrong as the set answer: 'sleeping' is possible in principle but is not the idiomatic completion. **Flag:** PICK-ONE. Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov

he stem gives no context, so no option is strictly forced; 'at work' is the idiomatic completion ('she is at work') and the printed key, so A is kept. Shopping, playing and sleeping are possible in principle but are not the idiomatic set answer.

Question 64 English

_____ sign is used at the end of a sentence or a short phrase which expresses strong feelings ?

- A. Ellipsis
- B. Exclamation! ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Question ?
- D. Period .

A. Wrong: an ellipsis (...) marks omission, not strong feeling.

B. Correct: the exclamation mark (!) is used at the end of a sentence or short phrase expressing strong feeling.

C. Wrong: the question mark (?) marks a question, not strong feeling.

D. Wrong: the full stop (.) ends an ordinary statement, not an exclamation.

Question 65 English

_____ of the two sisters are in the same class ?

- A. Each
- B. Both ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. All
- D. None

A. Wrong: 'each' refers to one at a time, not to the pair together.

B. Correct: 'Both of the two sisters are in the same class' — 'both' is used for two.

l' is used for three or more, not for two.

D. Wrong: 'none' would make the sentence negative ('none ... are'), contradicting the sense.

Question 66 English

Correction of adverb placement : Let us play here nicely ?

- A. Let us nicely play here ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Let us play here nice
- C. Let us play nicely
- D. Let nicely us play her were

A. Correct (PICK-ONE): 'Let us nicely play here' — the printed key, keeping every word of the original. See the flag: the fully natural sentence ('Let us play nicely here') is not offered.

B. Wrong: 'let us play here nice' uses the adjective 'nice' where the adverb 'nicely' is needed.

C. Wrong as the set answer: 'Let us play nicely' is grammatical but drops 'here', changing the sentence — see the flag.

D. Wrong: 'Let nicely us play her were' is garbled and ungrammatical. **Flag:** PICK-ONE. Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: the fully natural sentence is 'Let us play nicely here', which is not offered. Option A ('Let us nicely play here') keeps every word but places the adverb awkwardly; option C ('Let us play nicely') is grammatical but drops 'here' and so changes the sentence. The printed key A is kept; the defect is recorded.

Question 67 English

The wages of sin ____ hell.

- A. Are

- C. Were
- D. Is ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: 'are' does not agree with the idiom — 'the wages of sin' takes a singular verb here.

B. Wrong: 'was' is past tense; the proverb is in the present.

C. Wrong: 'were' is plural and past; the proverb needs singular present.

D. Correct: 'The wages of sin is hell' — in this proverb (from Romans 6:23, 'the wages of sin is death'), 'wages' takes the singular verb 'is'.

Question 68 English

Identify the underline part of speech: Faint heart never won fair lady .

- A. Adjective
- B. Verb ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Noun
- D. Adverb

A. Wrong: 'faint heart' contains the adjective 'faint' (describing 'heart') — but the underlined word, which the reproduction does not show, is the verb; see the flag.

B. Correct (SINGLE-SOURCE): 'won' is the verb in 'Faint heart never won fair lady' — kept on the printed key alone, since the underline is not visible in the reproduction.

C. Wrong: 'fair lady' contains the noun 'lady' — but the underlined word is the verb; see the flag.

D. Wrong: no adverb is underlined in this sentence; see the flag. **Flag:** SINGLE-SOURCE. The underlined word is not visible in the test360 reproduction, so the answer rests on the printed key alone. 'Won' is the verb in 'Faint heart never won fair lady', which

with B, flagged SINGLE-SOURCE because the underline cannot be checked.

Question 69 English

Anna has finished her work , now she is _____ home ?

- A. Going ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Go
- C. Went
- D. Goes

A. Correct: 'Anna has finished her work, now she is going home' — present continuous for the action now in progress.

B. Wrong: 'go' (base form) cannot follow 'is'.

C. Wrong: 'went' (past) does not fit 'now she is ...'.

D. Wrong: 'goes' (simple present) does not fit the immediate 'now' sense.

Question 70 Computer / IT

Which product of Microsoft is not available in Linux Operating System ?

- A. MS Excel
- B. MS Word
- C. MS Access ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. MS PowerPoint

A. Wrong: MS Excel is available on Linux (web version / Office online).

B. Wrong: MS Word is available on Linux (web version / Office online).

C. Correct: MS Access has no Linux version — it is the Microsoft product with no Linux offering.

D. Wrong: MS PowerPoint is available on Linux (web version / Office online).

Amazon was founded in ___?

- A. 1994 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1995
- C. 1992
- D. 1993

A. Correct: Amazon was founded in 1994 (as Cadabra; Amazon.com launched in 1995). The second source agrees: '1994'.

B. Wrong: 1995 is the year Amazon.com launched, not the year the company was founded.

C. Wrong: Amazon was not founded in 1992.

D. Wrong: Amazon was not founded in 1993.

Question 72 Computer / IT

What is the extension of Microsoft word files ?

- A. PDF
- B. DOC
- C. TXT
- D. None of these (.docx) ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: PDF is the extension of Portable Document Format files, not Word files.

B. Wrong: DOC is the legacy Word format; the current Word extension is .docx, which is not listed — hence 'None of these'.

C. Wrong: TXT is the extension of plain-text files, not Word files.

D. Correct: the extension of modern Microsoft Word files is .docx, which is not among A-C — so 'None of these (.docx)'.

DNS stands for ?

- A. Domain Naming Service
- B. Digital Network Service
- C. Domain Name System ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Data Network System

A. Wrong: 'Domain Naming Service' is not the expansion of DNS.

B. Wrong: 'Digital Network Service' is not the expansion of DNS.

C. Correct: DNS stands for Domain Name System.

D. Wrong: 'Data Network System' is not the expansion of DNS.

Question 74 Computer / IT

Page number can be inserted in Microsoft Word document at ?

- A. Header ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Sidebar
- C. View
- D. Main Content

A. Correct: a page number is inserted in the Header (or Footer) of a Word document — Header is the offered location. The second source agrees: 'Header'.

B. Wrong: the Sidebar is not where page numbers are inserted.

C. Wrong: View is a ribbon tab, not the place page numbers are inserted.

D. Wrong: the main content body is not where page numbers are inserted.

75 Computer / IT

1 Giga byte is equal to ____?

- A. 1000 MB
- B. 100 MB
- C. 1024 MB ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 512 MB

A. Wrong: 1000 MB is the decimal gigabyte (as used by drive makers), not the binary gigabyte of computing.

B. Wrong: 100 MB is far too small for a gigabyte.

C. Correct: 1 gigabyte = 1024 megabytes (binary). The second source agrees: '1024 megabytes'.

D. Wrong: 512 MB is half a gigabyte, not one.

Question 76 Islamiyat

For how many days Hazrat younis remained in the abdomen of the fish ?

- A. 40 Days ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 50 Days
- C. 20 Days
- D. 30 Days

A. Correct: according to the traditional account, Hazrat Younus (AS) remained in the belly of the fish for 40 days. The second source agrees: '40 days'.

B. Wrong: 50 days is not the traditional figure.

C. Wrong: 20 days is not the traditional figure.

D. Wrong: 30 days is not the traditional figure.

77 Islamiyat

Battle in which Holy Prophet (SAW) not participated is known as ?

- A. Hajj
- B. Jihad
- C. Sarriya ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Ghazwa

A. Wrong: Hajj is the pilgrimage to Makkah, not a battle the Prophet did not join.

B. Wrong: Jihad is the general term for struggle, not the name of a battle not joined.

C. Correct: a Sarriya is a military expedition that the Holy Prophet (SAW) did not personally join; a Ghazwa is one he did join.

D. Wrong: a Ghazwa is a battle the Holy Prophet (SAW) DID participate in — the opposite of what is asked.

Question 78 Islamiyat

Which Quranic Surah starts without Bismillah ?

- A. Surah Al Mulk
- B. Surah Fatiha
- C. Surah Al Ikhlas
- D. Surah Taubah ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: Surah Al-Mulk begins with Bismillah.

B. Wrong: Surah Al-Fatiha begins with Bismillah.

C. Wrong: Surah Al-Ikhlas begins with Bismillah.

D. Correct: Surah Taubah (Surah 9) is the only surah that does not begin with Bismillah. The second source agrees: 'Al Tauba'.

79 Islamiyat

Prophet Muhammad (PBUH) Was born in ____?

- A. 572 AD
- B. 570 AD ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 610 BC
- D. 710 AD

A. Wrong: 572 AD is not the standard date for the Prophet's birth.

B. Correct (PICK-ONE): 570 AD — the Year of the Elephant — is the standard date. See the flag: the second source keys 571 AD, which is also defended; 570 is kept as the banked answer.

C. Wrong: 610 BC is before the Prophet's time altogether (610 AD is the year of the first revelation, not his birth).

D. Wrong: 710 AD is a century after the Prophet's birth. **Flag:** PICK-ONE. Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: 570 AD (the Year of the Elephant) is the standard date for the Prophet's birth and the printed key — but the second source keys 571 AD, and both dates are defended in the literature. 570 is kept as the banked answer; the alternative is recorded.

Question 80 Islamiyat

Which article of the constitution 1973 is related to the affairs of Zakat ?

- A. Article 27
- B. Article 22
- C. Article 37
- D. Article 31 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: Article 27 is the safeguard against discrimination in services.

B. Wrong: Article 22 is the safeguard regarding religious education and institutions.

ticle 37 is the promotion of social justice and eradication of social evils.

D. Correct: Article 31 of the 1973 Constitution is related to the Islamic way of life, including the promotion of the Zakat and Ushr system. The second source agrees: '31'.

Question 81 Islamiyat

Bait e Rizwan took place in which Hijrah ?

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

A. Correct: Bait-e-Rizwan (the Pledge of the Tree at Hudaybiyyah) took place in the 6th Hijrah (628 CE). The second source agrees: '6'.

B. Wrong: the 3rd Hijrah is the year of the Battle of Uhud, not Bait-e-Rizwan.

C. Wrong: the 4th Hijrah is not the year of Bait-e-Rizwan.

D. Wrong: the 5th Hijrah is the year of the Battle of the Trench, not Bait-e-Rizwan.

Question 82 Islamiyat

The Term Islam literally means ?

- A. Unity
- B. Peace ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Submission
- D. Love

A. Wrong: 'unity' (wahdat) is not the literal meaning of 'Islam'.

B. Correct (PICK-ONE): 'Peace' is the banked answer and is kept — 'Islam' shares its root (s-l-m) with 'salam' (peace). See the flag: the literal derivation is 'submission' (C).

the set answer, though literally correct: 'submission/surrender (to Allah)' is the literal meaning of 'Islam' — recorded in the flag as the defensible alternative.

D. Wrong: 'love' (muhabbat) is not the literal meaning of 'Islam'. **Flag:** PICK-ONE. Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: 'Peace' is the banked answer and is kept — but strictly, 'Islam' comes from the root s-l-m and literally means 'submission/surrender' (to Allah); 'Submission' (C) is the literal derivation and is recorded as the defensible alternative. 'Unity' and 'Love' are wrong either way.

Question 83 Urdu

دن کو بھی یہاں شب کی سیاہی کا سماں ہے کہتے ہیں یہ آرام گاہ نور جہاں ہے نور جہاں کا مزار نظم کے شاعر کون ہیں ؟

A. بانو قدسیہ

Correct answer ✓ B. تلوک چند محروم

C. احمد فراز

D. اسرار الحق

A. Wrong: Bano Qudsia did not write the nazm 'Nur Jahan ka mazar'.

B. Correct: Tilok Chand Mahroom wrote the nazm 'Nur Jahan ka mazar' — Rekhta attributes the poem (opening line exactly as stemmed) to him.

C. Wrong: Ahmed Faraz did not write the nazm 'Nur Jahan ka mazar'.

D. Wrong: Asrar-ul-Haq (Majaz) did not write the nazm 'Nur Jahan ka mazar'.

Question 84 Urdu

حمد نعت اور قصیدہ کے سب سے دل آویز شعر کو کیا کہتے ہیں ؟

A. نعت

B. شاہ نور

D. بیت الغزل

A. Wrong: 'naat' is the name of the poem in praise of the Prophet, not of its best verse.

B. Wrong: 'Shah Noor' is not the term for the most delightful verse.

C. Correct: the most delightful verse of a hamd, naat or qasida is called the 'shah bait'.

D. Wrong: 'bait-ul-ghazal' is the best verse of a ghazal, not of a hamd/naat/qasida.

Question 85 Urdu

فارسی اور اردو کے کس معروف و مقبول شاعر نے اپنی شاعری کو بے رنگ من است کہا ہے ؟

A. حسرت موہانی

B. مومن خان مومن

Correct answer ✓ C. مرزا غالب

D. شبلی نعمانی

A. Wrong: Hasrat Mohani did not call his poetry 'be-rang'.

B. Wrong: Momin Khan Momin did not call his poetry 'be-rang'.

C. Correct: Mirza Ghalib called his (Urdu) poetry colourless beside his Persian verse — 'See my Persian [poetry] so that you may see colorful pictures of many hues. Pass over my Urdu collection; it's only a sketch.'

D. Wrong: Shibli Nomani did not call his poetry 'be-rang'.

Question 86 Urdu

تقسیم ہند کے موضوع پر ناول کون سا ہے ؟

Correct answer ✓ آنگن .A•

باگھ .B•

اندھیرا اجالا .C•

آگ کا دریا .D•

A. Correct: 'Aangan' by Khadija Mastoor is the novel on the theme of the Partition of India.

B. Wrong: 'Baagh' is not the Partition novel named in this item.

C. Wrong: 'Andhera Ujala' is not the Partition novel named in this item.

D. Wrong: 'Aag ka Darya' (Qurratulain Hyder) also deals with Partition-era history, but the banked answer for this item is 'Aangan'.

Question 87 Urdu

بالائے طاق رکھنا کا کیا مفہوم ہے ؟

غرور کرنا .A•

Correct answer ✓ پروانہ کرنا .B•

محبت کرنا .C•

پریشان ہونا .D•

A. Wrong: 'gharoor karna' (to be proud) is not the meaning of 'bala-e-taaq rakhna'.

B. Correct (PICK-ONE): 'bala-e-taaq rakhna' means to put aside / disregard / pay no attention (پروانہ کرنا'). Option B as printed appears to be a misprint of 'پروا نہ کرنا' (not to care).

C. Wrong: 'muhabbat karna' (to love) is not the meaning of 'bala-e-taaq rakhna'.

D. Wrong: 'pareshan hona' (to be worried) is not the meaning of 'bala-e-taaq rakhna'.

CK-ONE. Decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov delegation: 'Bala-e-
پروانہ') taaq rakhna' means to put aside, disregard, pay no attention. Option B as printed
the meaning that fits — (not to care) 'پروا نہ کرنا' appears to be a misprint of ('کرنا
the idiom. The other options (pride, love, worry) are plainly wrong, so B is kept by
.elimination; the apparent misprint is recorded

Question 88 Urdu

اصطلاح میں دیومالئ ساحری اور مذہب کے باہمی رشتوں کے متعلق ایسا علم جس نے علم اللسان کے علاوہ جدید ادب
اور نفسیات پر گہرے نقوش مرتب کیے کہلاتا ہے ؟

•A. آفاقیت

•B. ایمائیت

•C. اساطیر ✓ **Correct answer**

•D. بلاغت

A. Wrong: 'afaqiyat' (universality) is not the term for the study of myths.

B. Wrong: 'ima'iyat' is not the term for the study of myths.

is the study of myths and of the relations (mythology, اساطیر) '**C.** Correct: 'asateer
between myth, magic and religion, which deeply influenced linguistics, modern literature
.and psychology

D. Wrong: 'balaghat' (rhetoric/eloquence) is not the term for the study of myths.

Question 89 Urdu

علامہ اقبال کی مشہور نظمیں شکوہ اور جواب شکوہ کی ہیت کیا ہے ؟

•A. رباعی

C. مربع

Correct answer ✓ D. مسدس

A. Wrong: a rubai is a four-line stanza, not the form of Shikwa and Jawab-e-Shikwa.

B. Wrong: a mukhammas is a five-line stanza, not the form of Shikwa and Jawab-e-Shikwa.

C. Wrong: a murabba is a four-line stanza, not the form of Shikwa and Jawab-e-Shikwa.

D. Correct: Shikwa and Jawab-e-Shikwa are written in musaddas form — stanzas of six lines.

Question 90 Urdu

قلمی نسخے دستاویز یا غیر مطبوعہ کتاب کو کیا کہتے ہیں ؟

Correct answer ✓ A. مخطوطہ

B. نسخہ

C. ضمیمہ

D. مقدمہ

A. Correct: a handwritten manuscript, document or unpublished book is called a (مخطوطہ) '' məkht oot a.

B. Wrong: 'nuskha' is a copy or version in general, not the specific term for a manuscript.

C. Wrong: 'zameema' is a supplement/appendix, not a manuscript.

D. Wrong: 'muqaddima' is an introduction/preface, not a manuscript.

بیڑہ اٹھانا کا کیا مطلب ہے ؟

A. کسی کام کو برباد کرنا

B. کسی کام کو جلدی سے کرنا

Correct answer ✓ C. کسی مشکل کام کو سرانجام دینے کا ذمہ لینا

D. کسی کام کو نظر انداز کرنا

A. Wrong: 'beera uthana' does not mean to ruin a task.

B. Wrong: 'beera uthana' does not mean to do a task quickly.

C. Correct: 'beera uthana' means to take on the responsibility of accomplishing a difficult task.

D. Wrong: 'beera uthana' does not mean to ignore a task — it means the opposite, to take it on.

Question 92 Urdu

انور مسعود کس مضمون کے استاد ہیں ؟

A. اردو

Correct answer ✓ B. فارسی

C. انگریزی

D. عربی

A. Wrong: Anwar Masood was not a teacher of Urdu.

B. Correct: Anwar Masood was a teacher (professor) of Persian.

C. Wrong: Anwar Masood was not a teacher of English.

nwar Masood was not a teacher of Arabic.

Question 93 Mathematics

A fort had provision of food for 150 men for 45 days . After 10 days 25 men left the fort . The number of days for which the remaining food will last is ?

- A. 42 Days ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 50 Days
- C. 25 Days
- D. 35 Days

A. Correct: total food = 150 men × 45 days = 6,750 man-days. After 10 days, 150 × 10 = 1,500 man-days are used, leaving 5,250. Men remaining = 150 − 25 = 125. Days = 5,250 ÷ 125 = 42 days.

B. Wrong: 50 days would require 6,250 man-days of food remaining, but only 5,250 remain.

C. Wrong: 25 days would use only 3,125 man-days, leaving food unused.

D. Wrong: 35 days would use only 4,375 man-days, leaving food unused.

Question 94 Mathematics

If a car is traveling at a speed of 36 km/h , What is the distance covered in 20 seconds ?

- A. 200 meters ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 40 meters
- C. 20 meters
- D. 100 meters

A. Correct: 36 km/h = 36,000 m ÷ 3,600 s = 10 m/s. In 20 seconds the car covers 10 × 20 = 200 metres.

B. Wrong: 40 m would be the distance at 2 m/s, not 10 m/s.

m would be the distance in 2 seconds, not 20.

D. Wrong: 100 m would be the distance in 10 seconds, not 20.

Question 95 Mathematics

A manufacturer produced 600 units in the third year and 700 units in the seventh year . Assuming that the production increases uniformly by a fixed number every year , find the production in the 1st year ?

- A. 600
- B. 650
- C. 500
- D. 550 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: 600 is the production in the 3rd year, not the 1st.

B. Wrong: 650 is between the 3rd- and 7th-year figures; the 1st year must be below the 3rd.

C. Wrong: 500 would give a 3rd-year production of 550 at the same rate of increase, not 600.

D. Correct: the increase from year 3 to year 7 is 700 − 600 = 100 over 4 years, so 25 per year. Production in year 1 = 600 − 2 × 25 = 550.

Question 96 Mathematics

Find the height of a parallelogram whose area is 54 cm^2 and the base is 15cm ?

- A. 4.5 cm
- B. 3.6 cm ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 2.7 cm
- D. 3.0 cm

A. Wrong: 4.5 cm × 15 cm = 67.5 cm^2, not 54 cm^2.

eight = area ÷ base = 54 ÷ 15 = 3.6 cm.

C. Wrong: 2.7 cm × 15 cm = 40.5 cm², not 54 cm².

D. Wrong: 3.0 cm × 15 cm = 45 cm², not 54 cm².

Question 97 Mathematics

What is the value of 3x-8=-23,6x-7=?

- A. -43
- B. -33
- C. -39
- D. -37 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: -43 does not follow from x = -5 (6 × -5 − 7 = -37).

B. Wrong — the printed key, corrected: -33 does not follow from x = -5; the worked value is -37.

C. Wrong: -39 does not follow from x = -5 (6 × -5 − 7 = -37).

D. Correct (CORRECTED): 3x − 8 = -23 gives 3x = -15, so x = -5. Then 6x − 7 = 6(−5) − 7 = -30 − 7 = -37.

Question 98 Mathematics

If An-2=3n-11 find the value of An?

- A. 3n-9
- B. 3n-13
- C. 3n-7
- D. 3n-5 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: 3n − 9 is not the shift of 3n − 11 by two steps.

B. Wrong: 3n − 13 is not the shift of 3n − 11 by two steps.

-7 is not the shift of $3n - 11$ by two steps.

D. Correct: A(n−2) = 3n − 11, so A(n) = 3(n+2) − 11 = 3n + 6 − 11 = 3n − 5.

Question 99 Mathematics

The value of (√-25+3√-4+2√-9)?

- A. 17i ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 11i
- C. 9i
- D. 8i

A. Correct: √-25 = 5i, 3√-4 = 3 × 2i = 6i, 2√-9 = 2 × 3i = 6i. Total = 5i + 6i + 6i = 17i.

B. Wrong: 11i counts only two of the three terms (5i + 6i).

C. Wrong: 9i does not match any correct sum of the three terms.

D. Wrong: 8i does not match any correct sum of the three terms.

Question 100 Mathematics

Which of the following fractions is greater than 3/4 and less than 5/6 ?

- A. 2/3
- B. 7/8
- C. 4/5 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 1/2

A. Wrong: 2/3 ≈ 0.667 is less than 3/4 (0.75).

B. Wrong: 7/8 = 0.875 is greater than 5/6 (≈ 0.833).

C. Correct: 4/5 = 0.80, and 3/4 (0.75) < 0.80 < 5/6 (≈ 0.833).

D. Wrong: 1/2 = 0.50 is less than 3/4 (0.75).

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