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Question 1 General Knowledge

International women's Day is celebrated is here on?

- A. 6 March
- B. 8 March ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 12 March
- D. 10 March

nal Women's Day is not celebrated on 6 March.

B. International Women's Day is celebrated on 8 March.

C. International Women's Day is not celebrated on 12 March.

D. International Women's Day is not celebrated on 10 March.

Question 2 General Knowledge

The first Oscar Awards ceremony was held in:

- A. 1929 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. 1922
- C. 1963
- D. 1970

A. The first Oscar Awards ceremony was held in 1929.

B. The first Oscar Awards ceremony was not held in 1922.

C. The first Oscar Awards ceremony was not held in 1963.

D. The first Oscar Awards ceremony was not held in 1970.

Question 3 Current Affairs

Which countries are planning mega projects on the CPEC pattern?

- A. Pakistan and China
- B. Pakistan and South Korea
- C. Pakistan and Saudi Arabia ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Pakistan and Russia

A. Pakistan and China are the CPEC partners themselves, not the pair planning mega projects on the CPEC pattern.

nd South Korea are not the pair planning mega projects on the CPEC pattern.

C. Pakistan and Saudi Arabia are planning mega projects on the CPEC pattern: Pakistan's Planning Minister said Pakistan wants CPEC-style economic cooperation with Saudi Arabia as well.

D. Pakistan and Russia are not the pair planning mega projects on the CPEC pattern.

Question 4 Current Affairs

Current Chief Justice of Sindh High Court?

- A. Justice Mohammed shafi Siddiqui ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Justice Ahmed Ali M. Sheikh
- C. Justice Akeel Ahmed Abbas
- D. Justice sadaqat Hussain Raza

A. Justice Mohammed Shafi Siddiqui took oath as Chief Justice of the Sindh High Court on 13 July 2024, the exam date.

B. Justice Ahmed Ali M. Sheikh was not the Chief Justice of the Sindh High Court at the exam date.

C. Justice Akeel Ahmed Abbasi was the previous Chief Justice; he was elevated to the Supreme Court before the exam date.

D. Justice Sadaqat Hussain Raza was not the Chief Justice of the Sindh High Court at the exam date.

Question 5 General Knowledge

The graph used to show data on a nominal scale is called:

- A. Line graph
- B. Pai graph ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Speed graph

A. A line graph shows change over time, not data on a nominal scale.

B. A pie graph (printed 'Pai graph') is used to show data on a nominal scale.

C. A speed graph is not the graph for nominal-scale data.

D. One of the options is right, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Note: Note: REPRODUCTION NOTE: the option is printed 'Pai graph' for 'Pie graph'. Filed as printed. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 6 Computer Science

A set of instructions that directs a computer is hardware to perform a task is called:

- A. Command
- B. Program ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Operating system
- D. None of these

A. A command is a single instruction, not the set of instructions directing a computer to perform a task.

B. A program is a set of instructions that directs a computer (its hardware) to perform a task.

C. An operating system manages the computer, it is not the name for the set of instructions itself.

D. One of the options is right, so 'None of these' is wrong.

Question 7 Geography

The largest desert in the world is?

- B. Sahara Desert ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Gobi Desert
- D. Kalahari Desert

A. The Arabian Desert is not the largest desert in the world.

B. The Sahara Desert is the largest desert in the world.

C. The Gobi Desert is not the largest desert in the world.

D. The Kalahari Desert is not the largest desert in the world.

Question 8 Geography

Which is the longest river in North America?

- A. Missouri river ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mississippi river
- C. Yukon river
- D. Colorado river

A. The Missouri river is the longest river in North America.

B. The Mississippi river is slightly shorter than the Missouri.

C. The Yukon river is not the longest river in North America.

D. The Colorado river is not the longest river in North America.

Question 9 Pakistan Studies

Which event is considered the first step towards the creation of Pakistan?

- A. The Lucknow Pact
- B. The Khilafat movement
- C. The Simon Commission

partition of Bengal ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Lucknow Pact (1916) is not taken as the first step towards the creation of Pakistan in this paper's sense.

B. The Khilafat movement is not taken as the first step towards the creation of Pakistan in this paper's sense.

C. The Simon Commission is not taken as the first step towards the creation of Pakistan in this paper's sense.

D. The partition of Bengal (1905) is taken as the first step towards the creation of Pakistan.

Question 10 Pakistan Studies

Which British Viceroy announced the plan for the partition of India in 1947?

- A. Lord Curzon
- B. Lord Wavell
- C. Lord Linlithgow
- D. Lord Mountbatten ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Lord Curzon did not announce the plan for the partition of India in 1947.

B. Lord Wavell did not announce the plan for the partition of India in 1947.

C. Lord Linlithgow did not announce the plan for the partition of India in 1947.

D. Lord Mountbatten announced the plan for the partition of India in 1947 (the 3 June Plan).

Question 11 Pakistan Studies

Who was the 7th Prime Minister of Pakistan?

- A. Hussain Shahid saharwardi
- B. Chaudhary Muhammad Ali

oz Khan Noon ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. Nurul Amin

A. Hussain Shaheed Suhrawardy was the fifth prime minister of Pakistan, not the seventh.

B. Chaudhary Muhammad Ali was the fourth prime minister of Pakistan, not the seventh.

C. Feroz Khan Noon was the seventh prime minister of Pakistan.

D. Nurul Amin was the eighth prime minister of Pakistan, not the seventh.

Question 12 English

Choose the correct preposition: there was a notice____ the door that said: keep out!

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

A. The notice was on the door: 'there was a notice on the door that said: keep out!'

B. A notice is not 'with' the door in this sentence.

C. A notice is not 'at' the door in this sentence.

D. A notice is not 'in' the door in this sentence.

Note: Note: PRINTED-KEY CORRECTION: C to A. The correct preposition is 'on' ('a notice on the door'); the same item was corrected C to A in built 37vh Q5. Decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation.

Question 13 English

Choose the correct article: we are going to buy _____new car.

- A. The

- C. A ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Article not required

A. 'The new car' would mean a particular car already known, not a new car in general.

B. 'An new car' is wrong: 'an' goes before a vowel sound, and 'new' begins with a consonant sound.

C. 'A new car' is correct: 'a' goes before a consonant sound.

D. An article is required here, so 'article not required' is wrong.

Question 14 Mathematics

If A can complete a task in 10 days and B can complete the same task in 15 days, how long will it take for A and B to complete the task together?

- A. 4 days
- B. 6 days ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 7 days
- D. 9 days

A. 4 days is not the time: A does 1/10 of the task a day and B does 1/15, so together they do 1/10 + 1/15 = 1/6 a day.

B. Together they do 1/10 + 1/15 = 5/30 = 1/6 of the task a day, so the task takes 6 days.

C. 7 days is not the time: together they do 1/6 of the task a day.

D. 9 days is not the time: together they do 1/6 of the task a day.

Question 15 Mathematics

At what time between 4 and 5 o'clock will the hands of a watch coincide?

- A. 5:20

- C. 4:21 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 7:12

A. 5:20 is not between 4 and 5 o'clock.

B. 6:23 is not between 4 and 5 o'clock.

C. Between 4 and 5 o'clock the hands coincide at 4:21 (21 and 9/11 minutes past 4).

D. 7:12 is not between 4 and 5 o'clock.

Question 16 Islamiat

Which battle is referred to as "Ghazwa -e-Khandaq"(Battle of Trench)?Battle of trance

- A. Battle of Badr
- B. Battle of Uhud
- C. Battle of Khyber
- D. Battle of the Trench ✓ **Correct answer**

A. The Battle of Badr is not referred to as Ghazwa-e-Khandaq.

B. The Battle of Uhud is not referred to as Ghazwa-e-Khandaq.

C. The Battle of Khyber is not referred to as Ghazwa-e-Khandaq.

D. Ghazwa-e-Khandaq is the Battle of the Trench.

Question 17 Islamiat

Who was the first Caliph of Islam after the death of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH)

- A. Ali ibne abi Talib
- B. Umar ibn al-Khattab
- C. Abu Bakr al-Siddiq ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Uthman ibn Affan

...bi Talib was the fourth Caliph, not the first.

B. Umar ibn al-Khattab was the second Caliph, not the first.

C. Abu Bakr al-Siddiq was the first Caliph of Islam after the death of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH).

D. Uthman ibn Affan was the third Caliph, not the first.

Question 18 Urdu

اردو کی جین اسٹن کس کو قرار دیا جاتا ہے

Correct answer ✓ A. بشرا رحمان

B. پروین شاکر

C. بانو قدسیہ

D. ہاجرہ مسرور

A. بشرا رحمان is called the Jane Austen of Urdu literature.

B. پروین شاکر is not called the Jane Austen of Urdu literature.

C. بانو قدسیہ is not called the Jane Austen of Urdu literature.

D. ہاجرہ مسرور is not called the Jane Austen of Urdu literature.

Question 19 Urdu

مندرجہ ذیل شعر کس شاعر کا ہے ؟مدعی لاکھ برا چاہے تو کیا ہوتا ہے وہی ہوتا ہے جو منظور خدا ہوتا ہے

A. نظیر اکبر ابادی

Correct answer ✓ B. مرزا ضا بر ق

C. جوش

A. نظیر اکبر آبادی did not write this couplet.

B. The couplet 'مدعی لاکھ برا چاہے تو کیا ہوتا ہے، وہی ہوتا ہے جو منظور خدا ہوتا ہے' is by مرزا غالب.

C. جوش did not write this couplet.

D. داغ did not write this couplet.

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