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Question 1 Pakistan Affairs

Which rivers were given to India under Indus Waters Treaty 1960?

- A. Jhelum, Sutlej, Ravi
- B. Chenab, Beas, Ravi
- C. Sutlej, Beas, Ravi ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: the Jhelum was given to Pakistan, not India.

B. Wrong: the Chenab was given to Pakistan, not India.

nder the Indus Waters Treaty (1960) the three eastern rivers — Sutlej, Beas and Ravi — were given to India.

D. Wrong: Sutlej, Beas and Ravi are among the options and are correct.

Question 2 Pakistan Affairs

Quaid-e-Azam joined All India Muslim League in _____?

- A. 1908
- B. 1909
- C. 1907
- D. 1913 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: Jinnah joined the Muslim League in 1913, not 1908.

B. Wrong: not 1909.

C. Wrong: not 1907.

D. Correct: Muhammad Ali Jinnah joined the All India Muslim League in 1913.

Question 3 Pakistan Affairs

Badshahi mosque at Lahore in 1673 was made by?

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

A. Wrong: Shah Jahan built the Taj Mahal and the Lahore Fort's Shish Mahal, not the Badshahi Mosque.

B. Correct: the Badshahi Mosque, Lahore, was built by Emperor Aurangzeb in 1673.

C. Wrong: Akbar built the Lahore Fort, not the Badshahi Mosque.

urranged is among the options and is correct.

Question 4 English (Grammar)

It was raining heavily yesterday night, so they _____ out.

- A. Did not go ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Did not gone
- C. Did not went
- D. None of these

A. Correct: after 'did not' the base form 'go' is used — 'they did not go out'.

B. Wrong: 'gone' is the past participle; after 'did not' the base form is needed.

C. Wrong: 'went' is the past tense; after 'did not' the base form is needed.

D. Wrong: 'did not go' is among the options and is correct.

Question 5 Geography

What is the total length of Pakistan India boundary line?

- A. 1610 km
- B. 1900 km
- C. 2700 km
- D. 2100 km

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. NO CORRECT OPTION — DEFECTIVE-excluded (decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation) DEFECTIVE-excluded, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation — no answer is asserted. The India–Pakistan border is 3,323 km in total (Wikipedia 'India–Pakistan border'; Testbook) — the international boundary, the Line of Control and the Actual Ground Position Line together. None of the options (1,610 / 1,900 / 2,700 / 2,100 km) is 3,323 km, and there is no 'None of these' option, so no option is correct. The printed

km", is wrong. The item must never be taught as having an answer.

Question 6 Computer

RAM stands for ____?

- A. Random Access Memory ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Random Access Money
- C. Random Accurate Memory
- D. None of these

A. Correct: RAM stands for Random Access Memory.

B. Wrong: 'money' is not part of the term.

C. Wrong: 'accurate' is not part of the term.

D. Wrong: Random Access Memory is among the options and is correct.

Question 7 Pakistan Affairs

Who Presented Lahore Resolution (Pakistan Resolution) on 23rd March, 1940 at Minto Park?

- A. Allama Iqbal
- B. A.K Fazlul-Haq ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah
- D. Liaquat Ali Khan

A. Wrong: Iqbal gave the Allahabad Address (1930) but did not present the Lahore Resolution.

B. Correct: A. K. Fazlul-Haq presented (moved) the Lahore Resolution on 23 March 1940 at Minto Park, Lahore.

C. Wrong: Jinnah presided over the session but did not present the resolution.

aquat Ali Khan seconded the resolution but did not present it.

Question 8 Islamiat

How many Prophets mentioned in Holy Quran?

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

A. Correct: exactly 25 prophets are named in the Holy Quran — 18 in Surah Al-An'am (6:83–86) and 7 elsewhere (Buruj Academy, iqra.com, Encyclopedia.com, islamweb, learn-islam — all agree on 25).

B. Wrong: 26 is not the count of prophets named in the Quran.

C. Wrong: 27 is not the count.

D. Wrong: 28 is not the count.

Note: Printed-key correction: the reproduction keys B '26'; corrected to A '25' (see verification summary).

Question 9 Islamiat

Salat-e-Kasoof is offered at the time of ____?

- A. Earthquake
- B. Lunar eclipse
- C. Solar (Sun) eclipse ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Heavy rain

A. Wrong: no special prayer is offered at an earthquake (the prayer for rain is Salat-e-Istisqa).

e prayer at a lunar eclipse is Salat-e-Khusuf, not Kasoof.

C. Correct: Salat-e-Kasoof is offered at a solar eclipse.

D. Wrong: the prayer for rain is Salat-e-Istisqa, not Kasoof.

Question 10 Pakistan Affairs

Under Indus Water Treaty which of the following rivers were given to Pakistan?

- A. Indus, Jhelum and Chenab ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Ravi and Indus
- C. Indus and Jhelum
- D. None of the above

A. Correct: under the Indus Waters Treaty (1960) the three western rivers — Indus, Jhelum and Chenab — were given to Pakistan.

B. Wrong: the Ravi was given to India, not Pakistan.

C. Wrong: incomplete — the Chenab was also given to Pakistan.

D. Wrong: Indus, Jhelum and Chenab are among the options and are correct.

Question 11 Geography

Name the mountain range that separates China from Pakistan?

- A. Great Himalayas
- B. Siwaliks Range
- C. Hindu Kush Range
- D. Karakoram Range ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: the Great Himalayas do not separate China from Pakistan.

B. Wrong: the Siwaliks are the foothills of the Himalayas, not the China–Pakistan border range.

e Hindu Kush is on the Pakistan–Afghanistan border, not the China border.

D. Correct: the Karakoram range separates China from Pakistan (the Khunjerab Pass crosses it).

Question 12 Pakistan Affairs

Who give the title “Quaid-e-Azam” to Muhammad Ali Jinnah?

- A. Maulana Mazharuddin Shaheed ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Moulana Muhammad Ali Johar
- C. Syed Ameer Ali
- D. Allama Iqbal

A. Correct: Maulana Mazharuddin Shaheed first gave Jinnah the title 'Quaid-e-Azam'.

B. Wrong: Muhammad Ali Johar did not give the title.

C. Wrong: Syed Ameer Ali did not give the title.

D. Wrong: Iqbal did not give the title.

Question 13 Islamiat

Which Surah contains the order about Wuzu, Ghusal and Tayammum?

- A. Al-Maidah ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Al-Baqara
- C. Al-Mominoon
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Surah Al-Ma'idah (5:6) contains the order about wudu, ghusl and tayammum.

B. Wrong: Surah Al-Baqarah does not contain this order.

C. Wrong: Surah Al-Mu'minun (printed 'Al-Mominoon') does not contain this order.

-Maidan is among the options and is correct.

Question 14 Islamiat

Hazrat Sulaiman (AS) founded the following mosque?

- A. Al-Aqsa ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Al-Kartaba
- C. Blue Mosque
- D. Masjid Hanifia

A. Correct: in Islamic tradition the foundation of Al-Aqsa Mosque is attributed to Hazrat Sulaiman (Solomon).

B. Wrong: there is no such mosque founded by Sulaiman.

C. Wrong: the Blue Mosque (Istanbul) was built by Sultan Ahmed I, not Sulaiman.

D. Wrong: there is no such mosque founded by Sulaiman.

Question 15 Islamiat

How many Sajdas (Prostration) are there in the holy Quran?

- A. 11
- B. 12
- C. 13
- D. 14 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: not 11.

B. Wrong: not 12.

C. Wrong: not 13.

D. Correct: there are 14 places of prostration (Sajda-e-Tilawat) in the Holy Quran.

16 Geography

Kallar Kahar lake is located in _____?

- A. Suleman range
- B. Salt range ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Kirthar range
- D. Noshaq

A. Wrong: the Sulaiman range is in western Pakistan; Kallar Kahar is not there.

B. Correct: Kallar Kahar lake is in the Salt Range (Chakwal district, Punjab).

C. Wrong: the Kirthar range is in Sindh and Balochistan; Kallar Kahar is not there.

D. Wrong: Noshaq is a mountain peak in the Hindu Kush, not a lake's location.

Question 17 History

Who was the first and last woman ruler of India (Delhi)?

- A. Chand BiBi
- B. Maryam Noor
- C. Mumtaz Mahal
- D. Razia Sultana ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: Chand Bibi ruled Ahmednagar, not Delhi.

B. Wrong: there is no such ruler of Delhi.

C. Wrong: Mumtaz Mahal was the wife of Shah Jahan, not a ruler of Delhi.

D. Correct: Razia Sultana (reigned 1236–40) was the first and only woman ruler of the Delhi Sultanate.

18 General Science

Which is the only metal expands on Solidification?

- A. Lithium
- B. Bismuth ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Dysprosium
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: lithium contracts on solidification like most metals.

B. Correct: bismuth is the metal among the options that expands on solidification (like water, gallium and antimony).

C. Wrong: dysprosium contracts on solidification.

D. Wrong: bismuth is among the options and is correct.

Question 19 Islamiat

Who was the leader of pagans (non Muslims) in the Battle of Badr?

- A. Abu Sufyan
- B. Utba
- C. Abu Jehal ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Hind bint Utbah

A. Wrong: Abu Sufyan led the Quraysh later (at Uhud and the Trench), not at Badr.

B. Wrong: Utba ibn Rabi'ah was a Quraysh chief killed at Badr, but the army's leader was Abu Jahl.

C. Correct: Abu Jahl led the Quraysh (pagan) army at the Battle of Badr.

D. Wrong: Hind was the wife of Abu Sufyan, not the army's leader at Badr.

20 Pakistan Affairs

Partition of India Plan was announced on?

- A. 3 June 1944
- B. 3 June 1949
- C. 3 June 1948
- D. 3 June 1947 ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: not 1944.

B. Wrong: not 1949 — Pakistan already existed by then.

C. Wrong: not 1948.

D. Correct: the Partition Plan (Mountbatten Plan) was announced on 3 June 1947.

Question 21 English (Vocabulary)

The Synonym of 'Spurious' is?

- A. Pedantic
- B. Superstitious
- C. Fake ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Real

A. Wrong: 'pedantic' means fussy about small rules, not fake.

B. Wrong: 'superstitious' means believing in superstitions, not fake.

C. Correct: 'spurious' means false or fake.

D. Wrong: 'real' is the opposite of spurious, not its synonym.

Question 22 English (Vocabulary)

What is the feminine of Bachelor?

nster ✓ **Correct answer**

- B. Mistress
- C. Lady
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the feminine of 'bachelor' (an unmarried man) is 'spinster' (an unmarried woman).

B. Wrong: 'mistress' is the feminine of 'master', not of bachelor.

C. Wrong: 'lady' is the feminine of 'gentleman', not of bachelor.

D. Wrong: 'spinster' is among the options and is correct.

Question 23 Pakistan Affairs

How many members of the National Assembly of Pakistan?

- A. 342
- B. 336 ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. 360
- D. 320

A. Wrong: 342 was the old total before the 26th Amendment (342 = 272 general + 60 women + 10 minority).

B. Correct: after the 26th Amendment the National Assembly has 336 members (266 general + 60 women + 10 minority seats).

C. Wrong: not 360.

D. Wrong: not 320.

Question 24 English (Idiom)

Idiom: By leaps and bounds means ___?

- / fast/quickly ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Very slow
- C. In details
- D. None of these

A. Correct: 'by leaps and bounds' means very fast, rapidly (to grow by leaps and bounds).

B. Wrong: it means the opposite — very fast.

C. Wrong: it does not mean 'in detail'.

D. Wrong: 'very fast/quickly' is among the options and is correct.

Question 25 Geography

In which region of Pakistan, Siachen glacier is located?

- A. Chitral
- B. Shigar
- C. Skardu
- D. Baltistan ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: Chitral is in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa; Siachen is not there.

B. Wrong: Shigar is a district of Gilgit-Baltistan, but the book's region for Siachen is Baltistan.

C. Wrong: Skardu is the town in Baltistan, but the region named in the book answer is Baltistan.

D. Correct: the Siachen Glacier is in Baltistan (Gilgit-Baltistan).

Question 26 English (Idiom)

To be at daggers drawn means _____?

- A. Complete Agreement

- er Enmity ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Strong Friendship
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: 'at daggers drawn' means the opposite — open hostility.

B. Correct: 'to be at daggers drawn' means to be in a state of bitter enmity, ready to fight.

C. Wrong: it means the opposite of friendship.

D. Wrong: 'bitter enmity' is among the options and is correct.

Question 27 Current Affairs

Which hypersonic missile was tested in 2024 by Pakistan?

- A. RAAD-II
- B. Fatah-II ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Babur
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: the Ra'ad-II air-launched cruise missile was tested in 2020, not 2024.

B. Correct as the intended answer: Fatah-II was training-launched on 15 May 2024.

C. Wrong: the Babur cruise missile was not the 2024 test of this question.

D. Wrong: Fatah-II is among the options and is the intended answer.

Question 28 Geography

The salt range is located in the _____ section of the Indus plain.

- A. North-Western ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. East
- C. West
- D. None of these

The Salt Range is in the north-western section of the Indus plain (northern Punjab).

B. Wrong: the Salt Range is not in the eastern section.

C. Wrong: the Salt Range is north-western, not simply western.

D. Wrong: 'north-western' is among the options and is correct.

Question 29 Geography

Broghil Pass connects Pakistan with?

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

A. Wrong: the Broghil Pass does not connect Pakistan with China (the Khunjerab Pass does).

B. Wrong: the Broghil Pass does not connect Pakistan with Iran.

C. Correct: the Broghil Pass connects Chitral (Pakistan) with the Wakhan Corridor (Afghanistan).

D. Wrong: the Broghil Pass does not connect Pakistan with India.

Question 30 English (Grammar)

My Dad was delighted when I showed him my result. The sentence is _____?

- A. Simple
- B. Compound
- C. Complex ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. Compound-complex

e sentence has two clauses (a main clause and a 'when' clause), so it is not simple.

B. Wrong: a compound sentence joins two independent clauses; 'when I showed him my result' is a dependent clause.

C. Correct: the sentence has one main clause and one subordinate clause ('when I showed him my result'), so it is a complex sentence.

D. Wrong: a compound-complex sentence needs two independent clauses plus a dependent one; this has only one independent clause.

Question 31 General Science

Father transfers 'Y' Chromosomes to _____?

- A. Daughter
- B. Son ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Both A and B
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: a father gives his X chromosome to a daughter, not his Y.

B. Correct: a father transfers his Y chromosome to his son (the son gets Y from the father and X from the mother).

C. Wrong: the father gives Y only to sons.

D. Wrong: 'son' is among the options and is correct.

Question 32 English (Vocabulary)

What is the feminine of "Colt"?

- A. Mare
- B. Filly ✓ **Correct answer**

- D. None of these

A. Wrong: a mare is an adult female horse, not the feminine of a colt (a young male horse).

B. Correct: a filly is a young female horse — the feminine of 'colt'.

C. Wrong: a cow is a female bovine, not a horse.

D. Wrong: 'filly' is among the options and is correct.

Question 33 General Science

Which one of the following is used in oven?

- A. Radio waves
- B. Microwaves ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. X-Rays
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: radio waves are not used to heat food in an oven.

B. Correct: a microwave oven uses microwaves to heat food.

C. Wrong: X-rays are not used in ovens.

D. Wrong: microwaves are among the options and are correct.

Question 34 Pakistan Affairs

Which of the following is the most important feature of the Government of India Act of 1935?

- A. Provinces were made separate legal entities ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Introduction of direct elections for all legislative bodies
- C. Creation of the Indian Independence League

A. Correct: the book's most important feature of the 1935 Act is that the provinces were made separate legal entities (provincial autonomy).

B. Wrong: the 1935 Act did not introduce direct elections for all legislative bodies (the franchise remained limited).

C. Wrong: no such body was created by the 1935 Act.

D. Wrong: the provinces-as-legal-entities answer is among the options and is correct.

Question 35 Geography

Khabikki Lake is in which district?

- A. Lahore
- B. Khushab ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Peshawar
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: Khabikki Lake is not in Lahore district.

B. Correct: Khabikki Lake is in Khushab district, Punjab (in the Salt Range).

C. Wrong: Khabikki Lake is not in Peshawar district.

D. Wrong: Khushab is among the options and is correct.

Question 36 Pakistan Affairs

Pakistan's Second Nuclear Power Plant was set up at ___?

- A. Karachi
- B. Mianwali
- C. Chashma ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

Karachi had the FIRST nuclear power plant (KANUPP), not the second.

B. Wrong: Mianwali is the district where Chashma is located, but the plant is named Chashma, not Mianwali.

C. Correct: Pakistan's second nuclear power plant (CHASNUPP-1) was set up at Chashma.

D. Wrong: Chashma is among the options and is correct.

Question 37 Pakistan Affairs

When was the local government system under the devolution of power plan, 2001, inaugurated?

- A. Aug 14, 2001 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Aug 4, 2001
- C. Aug 4, 2002
- D. Aug 4, 2005

A. Correct: the local government system under the Devolution of Power Plan was inaugurated on 14 August 2001.

B. Wrong: not 4 August 2001.

C. Wrong: not 2002.

D. Wrong: not 2005.

Question 38 General Science

The Karakoram is a word of which language?

- A. Turkish word ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Hindi word
- C. Urdu word
- D. None of these

'Karakoram' is a Turkic word ('kara' = black, 'koram' = gravel).

B. Wrong: it is not a Hindi word.

C. Wrong: it is not an Urdu word.

D. Wrong: 'Turkish word' is among the options and is correct.

Question 39 English (Vocabulary)

The Antonym of Garrulous is?

- A. Talkative
- B. Mouthy
- C. Reserved ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: 'talkative' is a synonym of garrulous, not its antonym.

B. Wrong: 'mouthy' means talkative, a synonym of garrulous, not its antonym.

C. Correct: 'reserved' (quiet, saying little) is the opposite of garrulous (very talkative).

D. Wrong: 'reserved' is among the options and is correct.

Question 40 Geography

Hamal lake is located in _____?

- A. Sargodha
- B. Qambar Shahdadkot ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Sialkot
- D. Multan

A. Wrong: Hamal Lake is not in Sargodha district.

B. Correct: Hamal Lake is in Qambar Shahdadkot district, Sindh.

amal Lake is not in Sialkot district.

D. Wrong: Hamal Lake is not in Multan district.

Question 41 Pakistan Affairs

The 24th Amendment in the Constitution (1973) is about _____?

- A. Kashmir Revolution
- B. Minority Rights
- C. New Province
- D. Right to Protection of Property.

No answer is given for this question, and none is taught. NO CORRECT OPTION — DEFECTIVE-excluded (decided by assistant under owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation) DEFECTIVE-excluded, decided by the assistant under the owner's 8 Nov 2026 delegation — no answer is asserted. The Constitution (Twenty-fourth Amendment) Act, 2017 is about the delimitation of constituencies and the reallocation of National Assembly seats on the provisional 2017 census results (Wikipedia; The Nation, 20 Dec 2017; the Senate bill). The printed key D, 'Right to Protection of Property', is wrong — that is the subject of Article 24 of the Constitution, not the 24th Amendment. No option describes delimitation, so no option is correct. The item must never be taught as having an answer.

Question 42 Pakistan Affairs

Mangla dam is located in _____?

- A. KPK
- B. Punjab
- C. FATA
- D. AJ&K ✓ **Correct answer**
- E. None of these

A. Wrong: Mangla Dam is not in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

angla Dam is just across the border in Azad Jammu and Kashmir, not in Punjab.

C. Wrong: Mangla Dam is not in the former FATA.

D. Correct: Mangla Dam is in Mirpur district, Azad Jammu and Kashmir.

E. Wrong: AJ&K is among the options and is correct.

Question 43 Current Affairs

Which continent will hold the Football World Cup in 2026?

- A. North America ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Asia
- C. Europe
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the 2026 FIFA World Cup is held in North America (USA, Canada and Mexico).

B. Wrong: Asia hosted the 2022 World Cup (Qatar), not 2026.

C. Wrong: Europe is not the 2026 host continent.

D. Wrong: North America is among the options and is correct.

Question 44 English (Vocabulary)

The Synonym of Garish is?

- A. Modest
- B. Flashy ✓ **Correct answer**
- C. Dull
- D. None of these

A. Wrong: 'modest' is the opposite of garish, not its synonym.

garish' means gaudily bright and showy — 'flashy'.

C. Wrong: 'dull' is the opposite of garish.

D. Wrong: 'flashy' is among the options and is correct.

Question 45 English (Grammar)

He went to the park, but she stayed at home. The sentence is _____?

- A. Compound ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Simple
- C. Complex
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the sentence joins two independent clauses ('He went to the park' and 'she stayed at home') with 'but', so it is a compound sentence.

B. Wrong: a simple sentence has one clause; this has two.

C. Wrong: a complex sentence needs a dependent clause; both clauses here are independent.

D. Wrong: 'compound' is among the options and is correct.

Question 46 Pakistan Affairs

Mir Shahdad Jo Qubo (Tomb of Mir Shahdad Talpur) is in _____?

- A. Shahpur Chakar ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Mithi
- C. Khipro
- D. None of these

A. Correct: the tomb of Mir Shahdad Talpur is at Shahpur Chakar, Sanghar district, Sindh.

B. Wrong: Mithi is the headquarters of Tharparkar, not where the tomb is.

ipro is a town in Sanghar district, not where the tomb is.

D. Wrong: Shahpur Chakar is among the options and is correct.

Question 47 Pakistan Affairs

When Karachi was made the capital of Pakistan?

- A. 12th March 1948
- B. 10 March 1948
- C. 23rd March 1948
- D. None of these ✓ **Correct answer**

A. Wrong: Karachi was not made the capital on 12 March 1948.

B. Wrong: Karachi was not made the capital on 10 March 1948.

C. Wrong: Karachi was not made the capital on 23 March 1948.

D. Correct: Karachi was made the national capital on 15 August 1947, and the Constituent Assembly's formal decision making it the federal capital came on 22 May 1948 — no March 1948 date is right, so 'none of these' is the answer.

Note: Printed-key correction: the reproduction keys A '12th March 1948'; corrected to D 'None of these' (see verification summary).

Question 48 General Science

Who invented the Air-Conditioner?

- A. Willis Carrier ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Thomas Edison
- C. Nikola Tesla
- D. None of these

A. Correct: Willis Carrier invented the modern air conditioner (1902).

lison invented the light bulb and the phonograph, not the air conditioner.

C. Wrong: Tesla worked on alternating current and radio, not the air conditioner.

D. Wrong: Willis Carrier is among the options and is correct.

Question 49 Pakistan Affairs

First Governor-General of Pakistan fixed his salary as?

- A. Rs 1 ✓ **Correct answer**
- B. Rs 4
- C. Rs 6
- D. Rs 10

A. Correct: Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah, the first Governor-General, fixed his salary at Re 1 per month.

B. Wrong: not Rs 4.

C. Wrong: not Rs 6.

D. Wrong: not Rs 10.

Question 50 General Science

The number of bones in a newborn baby is ____?

- A. 206
- B. 250
- C. 300 ✓ **Correct answer**
- D. 360

A. Wrong: 206 is the number of bones in an ADULT, not a newborn.

B. Wrong: not 250.

newborn baby has about 300 bones (many fuse together as the child grows, leaving 206 in the adult).

D. Wrong: not 360.

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