

Airport Security Force (ASF) - Sub-Inspector Written Test 2024

Model Paper (based on frequently asked questions) • 50 MCQs • Time: 60 minutes

The correct option for every question is bolded and marked with a check.

Q1. The 'Ring of Fire', a zone of volcanoes and earthquakes, encircles the:

- (A) Atlantic Ocean
- (B) Indian Ocean
- ✓ (C) **Pacific Ocean**
- (D) Mediterranean Sea

Q2. Which regional organization promotes economic and political cooperation among Southeast Asian nations?

- ✓ (A) **Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)**
- (B) SAARC
- (C) African Union
- (D) European Union

Q3. The Objectives Resolution was moved in the Constituent Assembly by:

- (A) Quaid-e-Azam
- ✓ (B) **Liaquat Ali Khan**
- (C) Khawaja Nazimuddin
- (D) Chaudhry Muhammad Ali

Q4. The Reko Diq deposit, one of the world's largest untapped copper-gold reserves, is in:

- (A) Sindh
- (B) Punjab
- ✓ (C) **Balochistan**
- (D) Gilgit-Baltistan

Q5. If $x + 5 = 12$, then $x = ?$

- (A) 5
- (B) 6
- ✓ (C) **7**
- (D) 8

Q6. Which physicist, working at Los Alamos, is often referred to as the 'father of the atomic bomb'?

- ✓ (A) **J. Robert Oppenheimer**
- (B) Albert Einstein
- (C) Enrico Fermi
- (D) Niels Bohr

Q7. Which mountain range contains Mount Everest?

- ✓ (A) **Himalayas**
- (B) Andes
- (C) Alps
- (D) Rockies

Q8. Which term describes investment made by a foreign entity into productive assets of another country?

- ✓ (A) **Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)**
- (B) Balance of Trade
- (C) GDP
- (D) CPI

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Q9. Which country's monarch, King Felipe VI, met with Pope Leo XIV during the pope's 2026 visit to the country?

- ✓ **(A) Spain**
- (B) Portugal
- (C) Italy
- (D) Belgium

Q10. CD stands for:

- ✓ **(A) Compact Disc**
- (B) Computer Disc
- (C) Compressed Data
- (D) Central Drive

Q11. The Sun produces its energy through:

- (A) Burning coal
- (B) Nuclear fission
- ✓ **(C) Nuclear fusion**
- (D) Chemical reactions

Q12. A class has 40 students; 60% are boys. The number of girls is:

- (A) 12
- ✓ **(B) 16**
- (C) 20
- (D) 24

Q13. Which is the holy city of Muslims?

- (A) Baghdad
- (B) Cairo
- ✓ **(C) Makkah**
- (D) Istanbul

Q14. The next term of the series 4, 9, 19, 39, 79, ... is:

- (A) 119
- (B) 139
- ✓ **(C) 159**
- (D) 169

Q15. HTML is a:

- (A) Programming language
- ✓ **(B) Markup language**
- (C) Database
- (D) Operating system

Q16. Haemoglobin is found in:

- (A) White blood cells
- ✓ **(B) Red blood cells**
- (C) Platelets
- (D) Plasma

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- (A) Rs. 2500
- ✓ (B) **Rs. 3000**
- (C) Rs. 3500
- (D) Rs. 4000

Q18. Which African lake is the largest lake in Africa by surface area?

- ✓ (A) **Lake Victoria**
- (B) Lake Tanganyika
- (C) Lake Malawi
- (D) Lake Chad

Q19. The first prophet of Allah was:

- (A) Hazrat Nuh (AS)
- ✓ (B) **Hazrat Adam (AS)**
- (C) Hazrat Ibrahim (AS)
- (D) Hazrat Musa (AS)

Q20. Which planet is known as the Red Planet?

- (A) Jupiter
- (B) Venus
- ✓ (C) **Mars**
- (D) Saturn

Q21. The fourth Caliph of Islam was:

- ✓ (A) **Hazrat Ali (RA)**
- (B) Hazrat Muawiya (RA)
- (C) Hazrat Abu Bakr (RA)
- (D) Hazrat Talha (RA)

Q22. A person who writes the story of another person's life is called a:

- (A) Novelist
- (B) Autobiographer
- ✓ (C) **Biographer**
- (D) Historian

Q23. Which war, fought largely in the 1860s, was a major civil conflict in the United States over slavery and secession?

- ✓ (A) **American Civil War**
- (B) American Revolutionary War
- (C) War of 1812
- (D) Spanish-American War

Q24. Which organization coordinates policy among major industrialized democracies on economic development, based in Paris?

- ✓ (A) **Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)**
- (B) G7
- (C) G20
- (D) World Bank

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Q25. Which body oversees international standards for intellectual property rights?

- ✓ (A) **World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)**
- (B) WTO alone
- (C) WHO
- (D) UNESCO

Q26. The national tree of Pakistan is the:

- (A) Neem
- ✓ (B) **Deodar**
- (C) Banyan
- (D) Pine

Q27. Which organ controls the whole human body?

- (A) Heart
- ✓ (B) **Brain**
- (C) Liver
- (D) Spine

Q28. Aslam bought a bike for Rs. 50,000 and sold it for Rs. 55,000. His profit is:

- (A) 5%
- ✓ (B) **10%**
- (C) 15%
- (D) 20%

Q29. The passive voice of 'He wrote a letter' is:

- ✓ (A) **A letter was written by him**
- (B) A letter is written by him
- (C) A letter had been written by him
- (D) A letter has been written by him

Q30. Salat became obligatory during the Miraj, which occurred approximately in:

- (A) 5th year of Prophethood
- ✓ (B) **10th year of Prophethood**
- (C) 12th year of Prophethood
- (D) 2 AH

Q31. The Objectives Resolution was passed by the Constituent Assembly in:

- (A) 1947
- ✓ (B) **1949**
- (C) 1951
- (D) 1956

Q32. Which country's monarch, King Charles III, ascended the throne in 2022 following his mother's death?

- ✓ (A) **United Kingdom**
- (B) Spain
- (C) Sweden
- (D) Netherlands

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Q33. What is the official currency shared by most European Union member states?

- ✓ (A) Euro
- (B) Pound Sterling
- (C) Franc
- (D) Mark

Q34. The Constitution of 1973 was enforced on:

- (A) 23 March 1973
- ✓ (B) 14 August 1973
- (C) 6 September 1973
- (D) 1 January 1974

Q35. Which Indian-American astronaut, tragically lost in the 2003 Space Shuttle Columbia disaster, was a notable NASA mission specialist?

- ✓ (A) Kalpana Chawla
- (B) Sunita Williams
- (C) Rakesh Sharma
- (D) Sirisha Bandla

Q36. Choose the synonym of 'Vigilant':

- (A) Sleepy
- ✓ (B) Watchful
- (C) Violent
- (D) Careless

Q37. Which body monitors global nuclear energy use and non-proliferation, headquartered in Vienna?

- ✓ (A) International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA)
- (B) UN Security Council
- (C) NATO
- (D) WHO

Q38. Which failed 1961 US-backed invasion attempted to overthrow Fidel Castro's government in Cuba?

- ✓ (A) Bay of Pigs Invasion
- (B) Cuban Missile Crisis (a separate, later event)
- (C) Suez Crisis
- (D) Berlin Airlift

Q39. An item bought for Rs. 200 is sold for Rs. 250. The profit percentage is:

- (A) 20%
- ✓ (B) 25%
- (C) 30%
- (D) 50%

Q40. The idiom 'to burn the midnight oil' means:

- (A) To waste money
- ✓ (B) To work or study late into the night
- (C) To cause destruction
- (D) To celebrate all night

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- (A) Indian Ocean
- ✓ (B) **Pacific Ocean**
- (C) Arctic Ocean
- (D) Red Sea

Q42. The world's first computer programmer is considered to be:

- (A) Grace Hopper
- ✓ (B) **Ada Lovelace**
- (C) Alan Turing
- (D) Bill Gates

Q43. Which international body was formed by major oil-exporting countries to coordinate petroleum policies?

- ✓ (A) **Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC)**
- (B) World Trade Organization
- (C) IMF
- (D) World Bank

Q44. Which author wrote the widely popular Harry Potter book series?

- ✓ (A) **J.K. Rowling**
- (B) Stephen King
- (C) George R.R. Martin
- (D) J.R.R. Tolkien

Q45. What is the capital of Tunisia?

- (A) Sfax
- ✓ (B) **Tunis**
- (C) Sousse
- (D) Bizerte

Q46. Choose the synonym of 'Ubiquitous':

- (A) Rare
- ✓ (B) **Present everywhere**
- (C) Hidden
- (D) Enormous

Q47. The next number in the series 2, 6, 12, 20, 30, ... is:

- (A) 36
- (B) 40
- ✓ (C) **42**
- (D) 44

Q48. IP address is used to:

- (A) Print documents
- ✓ (B) **Identify a device on a network**
- (C) Store passwords
- (D) Scan viruses

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Q49. The aeroplane was invented by:

✓ **(A) Wright Brothers**

(B) Marconi

(C) Edison

(D) Ford

Q50. The Eiffel Tower is in:

(A) London

(B) Rome

✓ **(C) Paris**

(D) Berlin