

Q1. MS Excel is used mainly for:

- (A) Documents
- (B) Presentations
- ✓ (C) **Spreadsheets & calculations**
- (D) Drawing

Q2. The Constitution of 1973 was enforced on:

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

Q3. Choose the synonym of 'Purchase':

- (A) Sell
- ✓ (B) **Buy**
- (C) Lend
- (D) Borrow

Q4. Normal human body temperature is about:

- (A) 35°C
- (B) 36°C
- ✓ (C) **37°C**
- (D) 39°C

Q5. Simple interest on Rs. 2,000 at 10% per year for 1 year is:

- (A) Rs. 100
- (B) Rs. 150
- ✓ (C) **Rs. 200**
- (D) Rs. 250

Q6. Which brief but decisive 1967 war significantly expanded Israeli-controlled territory?

- ✓ (A) **Six-Day War**
- (B) Yom Kippur War
- (C) Suez Crisis
- (D) Gulf War

Q7. The smallest continent is:

- (A) Europe
- (B) Antarctica
- ✓ (C) **Australia**
- (D) South America

Q8. The longest river in the world is the:

- (A) Amazon
- ✓ (B) **Nile**
- (C) Indus
- (D) Yangtze

Q9. Which country's legislature includes the House of Representatives and the Senate, mirroring the US structure but distinct in composition?

- ✓ (A) **Australia, among other countries with similar bicameral structures**
- (B) Only the United States uses this structure
- (C) United Kingdom
- (D) Germany

Q10. Tarbela Dam is built on which river?

- (A) Jhelum
- (B) Chenab
- ✓ (C) **Indus**
- (D) Ravi

Q11. The Simla Deputation met Viceroy Lord Minto in:

- (A) 1904
- (B) 1905
- ✓ (C) **1906**
- (D) 1908

Q12. The Second OIC Summit of 1974 was held at:

- (A) Islamabad
- (B) Jeddah
- ✓ (C) **Lahore**
- (D) Karachi

Q13. 1 GB (gigabyte) equals how many megabytes?

- (A) 100 MB
- (B) 1000 bits
- ✓ (C) **1024 MB**
- (D) 2048 MB

Q14. The first mosque of Islam built by the Prophet (PBUH) was:

- (A) Masjid-ul-Haram
- ✓ (B) **Masjid-e-Quba**
- (C) Masjid-e-Nabwi
- (D) Masjid-e-Aqsa

Q15. What is the capital of Germany?

- (A) Munich
- ✓ (B) **Berlin**
- (C) Frankfurt
- (D) Hamburg

Q16. The Hijrah (migration) of the Holy Prophet (PBUH) was from:

- (A) Makkah to Taif
- ✓ (B) **Makkah to Madinah**
- (C) Madinah to Makkah
- (D) Makkah to Abyssinia

Q17. Malala Yousafzai won the Nobel Peace Prize in:

- (A) 2012
- (B) 2013
- ✓ (C) **2014**
- (D) 2015

Q18. A number increased by 20% becomes 240. The number is:

- (A) 180
- (B) 192
- ✓ (C) **200**
- (D) 220

Q19. No sooner had she entered _____ the phone rang.

- (A) when
- ✓ (B) **than**
- (C) then
- (D) that

Q20. The Treaty of Versailles (1919) formally ended:

- (A) The Crimean War
- ✓ (B) **World War I**
- (C) World War II
- (D) The Cold War

Q21. Separate electorates for Muslims were first granted under the:

- (A) Government of India Act 1935
- ✓ (B) **Minto-Morley Reforms 1909**
- (C) Montagu-Chelmsford Reforms 1919
- (D) Lucknow Pact 1916

Q22. 'Durand Cup' is associated with which sport?

- (A) Hockey
- (B) Cricket
- ✓ (C) **Football**
- (D) Polo

Q23. Which body administers the Nobel Prizes, based in Sweden (with the Peace Prize awarded separately in Norway)?

- ✓ (A) **The Nobel Foundation (Sweden), with the Peace Prize administered in Norway**
- (B) United Nations
- (C) European Union
- (D) World Economic Forum

Q24. Which entrepreneur founded Facebook (now part of Meta Platforms)?

- ✓ (A) **Mark Zuckerberg**
- (B) Bill Gates
- (C) Steve Jobs
- (D) Larry Page

Q25. A light-year is a unit of:

- (A) Time
- (B) Speed
- ✓ (C) **Distance**
- (D) Brightness

Q26. A word that imitates a natural sound (e.g. 'buzz', 'hiss') is called:

- (A) Alliteration
- ✓ (B) **Onomatopoeia**
- (C) Assonance
- (D) Oxymoron

Q27. It took me _____ hour to reach the office.

- (A) a
- ✓ (B) **an**
- (C) the
- (D) no article

Q28. The plural of 'child' is:

- (A) Childs
- (B) Childes
- ✓ (C) **Children**
- (D) Childrens

Q29. Which Surah is named after a metal?

- (A) Al-Fil
- ✓ (B) **Al-Hadid**
- (C) Al-Kahf
- (D) Al-Tin

Q30. Which strait separates Spain from Morocco?

- (A) Strait of Hormuz
- (B) Bosphorus
- ✓ (C) **Strait of Gibraltar**
- (D) Strait of Malacca

Q31. Which is the hottest place in Pakistan?

- (A) Multan
- ✓ (B) **Jacobabad**
- (C) Sibi
- (D) Larkana

Q32. Which satellite, launched in 1957 by the Soviet Union, became the first artificial satellite in space?

- ✓ (A) **Sputnik 1**
- (B) Apollo 11
- (C) Voyager 1
- (D) Hubble Space Telescope

Q33. The Fajr prayer has how many Farz rakats?

- ✓ (A) **2**
- (B) 3
- (C) 4
- (D) 6

Q34. Pakistan's first Constituent Assembly was dissolved in 1954 by:

- (A) Khawaja Nazimuddin
- ✓ (B) Ghulam Muhammad
- (C) Iskander Mirza
- (D) Muhammad Ali Bogra

Q35. Imam Bukhari's celebrated collection of Hadith is called:

- (A) Sahih Muslim
- (B) Sunan Abu Dawood
- ✓ (C) Sahih Bukhari
- (D) Jami Tirmizi

Q36. The fourth Caliph of Islam was:

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

Q37. What is the capital of Kenya?

- (A) Mombasa
- ✓ (B) Nairobi
- (C) Kisumu
- (D) Nakuru

Q38. Which economic term describes a sustained increase in the general price level of goods and services?

- ✓ (A) Inflation
- (B) Deflation
- (C) Stagnation
- (D) Recession

Q39. The river Nile flows through which country to the sea?

- (A) Sudan
- (B) Ethiopia
- ✓ (C) Egypt
- (D) Libya

Q40. 'Hardworking' students usually succeed. The underlined word is a/an:

- (A) Noun
- (B) Verb
- ✓ (C) Adjective
- (D) Adverb

Q41. Choose the antonym of 'Ancient':

- (A) Old
- (B) Antique
- ✓ (C) Modern
- (D) Historic

Q42. The idiom 'to spill the beans' means:

- (A) To waste food
- ✓ (B) **To reveal a secret**
- (C) To make a mess
- (D) To start a quarrel

Q43. The sun rises _____ the east.

- (A) on
- (B) at
- ✓ (C) **in**
- (D) from

Q44. The Regional Cooperation for Development (RCD) was established in 1964 between:

- ✓ (A) **Pakistan, Iran, Turkey**
- (B) Pakistan, Iran, Afghanistan
- (C) Pakistan, Turkey, Saudi Arabia
- (D) Pakistan, Iran, Iraq

Q45. 'D-8' is an organization of eight:

- (A) Developed countries
- ✓ (B) **Developing Muslim countries**
- (C) African countries
- (D) Asian countries

Q46. The book 'The Wealth of Nations' was written by:

- (A) Karl Marx
- ✓ (B) **Adam Smith**
- (C) John Keynes
- (D) David Ricardo

Q47. Which country's government structure includes both a President and a Prime Minister, exemplifying a semi-presidential system?

- ✓ (A) **France**
- (B) United Kingdom
- (C) Germany (mostly ceremonial presidency)
- (D) United States

Q48. Which revolution in 1789 significantly reshaped France's political system?

- ✓ (A) **French Revolution**
- (B) Russian Revolution
- (C) American Revolution
- (D) Industrial Revolution

Q49. Which South Korean stock market index tracks major companies listed in Seoul?

- ✓ (A) **KOSPI**
- (B) Nikkei 225
- (C) Hang Seng Index
- (D) Shanghai Composite

Q50. The human heart beats about how many times per minute at rest?

- (A) 30-40
- (B) 50-60
- ✓ (C) **70-75**
- (D) 100-120