

Q1. 1 MB (megabyte) equals how many kilobytes?

- (A) 100 KB
- (B) 512 KB
- (C) 1000 bits

✓ (D) **1024 KB**

Q2. A mixture of 40 L has milk and water in ratio 3:1. How much water must be added to make it 2:1?

- (A) 3 L
- (B) 4 L

✓ (C) **5 L**

- (D) 6 L

Q3. Which country's parliament is known as the 'Diet'?

- ✓ (A) **Japan**
- (B) South Korea
- (C) China
- (D) Thailand

Q4. A file with the extension .docx belongs to:

- (A) MS Excel

✓ (B) **MS Word**

- (C) MS PowerPoint
- (D) Notepad

Q5. Gilgit-Baltistan was formerly known as:

- (A) FATA

✓ (B) **Northern Areas**

- (C) Azad Kashmir
- (D) Frontier Regions

Q6. The capital of Sindh province is:

- (A) Hyderabad
- (B) Sukkur
- (C) Larkana

✓ (D) **Karachi**

Q7. Which prolonged conflict in Southeast Asia, involving the US and Vietnamese forces, ended in 1975?

✓ (A) **Vietnam War**

- (B) Korean War
- (C) Gulf War
- (D) Iran-Iraq War

Q8. Which Surah is named after a metal?

- (A) Al-Fil

✓ (B) **Al-Hadid**

- (C) Al-Kahf
- (D) Al-Tin

Q9. Which German political leader became Chancellor in 2025, succeeding Olaf Scholz?

- ✓ (A) **Friedrich Merz**
- (B) Angela Merkel
- (C) Gerhard Schroder
- (D) Olaf Scholz remained in office

Q10. The 8th Amendment, giving the President power to dissolve the Assembly (58-2b), was passed in:

- (A) 1977
- ✓ (B) **1985**
- (C) 1988
- (D) 1991

Q11. How many obligatory (Farz) prayers are offered daily?

- (A) 3
- (B) 4
- ✓ (C) **5**
- (D) 6

Q12. Which crisis in 1956 involved Egypt's nationalization of a major shipping canal, prompting international conflict?

- ✓ (A) **Suez Crisis**
- (B) Cuban Missile Crisis
- (C) Berlin Crisis
- (D) Yom Kippur War

Q13. Which UN body is primarily responsible for addressing health emergencies globally?

- ✓ (A) **World Health Organization (WHO)**
- (B) UNESCO
- (C) UNICEF
- (D) UNHCR

Q14. The Earth revolves around the:

- (A) Moon
- ✓ (B) **Sun**
- (C) Mars
- (D) Stars

Q15. Who has served as UN Secretary-General since 2017?

- ✓ (A) **Antonio Guterres**
- (B) Ban Ki-moon
- (C) Kofi Annan
- (D) Boutros Boutros-Ghali

Q16. HTML is a:

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

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Q17. Water is made up of which two elements?

- (A) Oxygen & Nitrogen
- ✓ (B) **Hydrogen & Oxygen**
- (C) Hydrogen & Carbon
- (D) Oxygen & Carbon

Q18. If $2x + 4 = 10$, then $x = ?$

- (A) 2
- ✓ (B) **3**
- (C) 4
- (D) 5

Q19. Which international body governs international cricket, including World Cups?

- ✓ (A) **International Cricket Council (ICC)**
- (B) FIFA
- (C) IOC
- (D) World Athletics

Q20. Which UK political leader preceded Keir Starmer as Prime Minister, serving from 2022 to 2024?

- ✓ (A) **Rishi Sunak**
- (B) Boris Johnson
- (C) Liz Truss
- (D) Theresa May

Q21. Which company, founded by Steve Jobs and Steve Wozniak, is known for products like the iPhone and Macintosh?

- ✓ (A) **Apple**
- (B) Microsoft
- (C) Google
- (D) IBM

Q22. Which renowned physicist, known for work on black holes and cosmology, became a celebrated public science communicator despite living with ALS?

- ✓ (A) **Stephen Hawking**
- (B) Albert Einstein
- (C) Richard Feynman
- (D) Carl Sagan

Q23. Which organization, headquartered in Basel, coordinates cooperation among central banks worldwide?

- ✓ (A) **Bank for International Settlements (BIS)**
- (B) IMF
- (C) World Bank
- (D) WTO

Q24. The compound interest on Rs. 8,000 at 5% for 2 years is:

- (A) Rs. 800
- (B) Rs. 810
- ✓ (C) **Rs. 820**
- (D) Rs. 840

Q25. Which organ controls the whole human body?

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

Q26. The Kaaba is located in which mosque?

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

Q27. Which entrepreneur co-founded Apple and is credited with pioneering personal computing and smartphone design?

- ✓ (A) **Steve Jobs**
- (B) Bill Gates
- (C) Elon Musk
- (D) Mark Zuckerberg

Q28. 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

Q29. The Siachen Glacier lies in which mountain range?

- (A) Himalaya
- (B) Hindu Kush
- ✓ (C) **Karakoram**
- (D) Sulaiman

Q30. Which of these is an input device?

- (A) Monitor
- (B) Printer
- ✓ (C) **Keyboard**
- (D) Speaker

Q31. A person who writes books is called a/an:

- (A) Editor
- ✓ (B) **Author**
- (C) Reader
- (D) Printer

Q32. The fastest land animal is the:

- (A) Lion
- (B) Horse
- ✓ (C) **Cheetah**
- (D) Leopard

Q33. Which scientists were awarded the Nobel Prize for developing the CRISPR gene-editing technique?

- ✓ (A) **Jennifer Doudna and Emmanuelle Charpentier**
- (B) James Watson and Francis Crick
- (C) Marie Curie and Pierre Curie
- (D) Barbara McClintock alone

Q34. Which company, founded by Jeff Bezos, is a major aerospace company alongside its e-commerce origins?

- ✓ (A) **Blue Origin (Bezos's aerospace venture)**
- (B) SpaceX
- (C) Virgin Galactic
- (D) Boeing

Q35. Which country's unification process in the 19th century is closely associated with figures like Garibaldi and Cavour?

- ✓ (A) **Italy**
- (B) Germany
- (C) Spain
- (D) Greece

Q36. The Constitution of 1973 was enforced on:

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

Q37. Which scientist developed the first successful smallpox vaccine?

- ✓ (A) **Edward Jenner**
- (B) Louis Pasteur
- (C) Alexander Fleming
- (D) Jonas Salk

Q38. In email, BCC stands for:

- ✓ (A) **Blind Carbon Copy**
- (B) Basic Carbon Copy
- (C) Blank Contact Copy
- (D) Backup Carbon Copy

Q39. The sum of angles of a square (quadrilateral) is:

- (A) 180°
- (B) 270°
- ✓ (C) **360°**
- (D) 400°

Q40. The largest country in the world by area is:

- (A) China
- (B) USA
- (C) Canada
- ✓ (D) **Russia**

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Q41. In which year did World War I end?

- ✓ (A) **1918**
- (B) 1914
- (C) 1939
- (D) 1945

Q42. The number of diagonals in a hexagon is:

- (A) 6
- ✓ (B) **9**
- (C) 12
- (D) 15

Q43. Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah is buried in:

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

Q44. The Treaty of Versailles ended which war?

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

Q45. The average of 5 numbers is 20. When one number is removed, the average becomes 19. The removed number is:

- (A) 20
- (B) 22
- ✓ (C) **24**
- (D) 26

Q46. Under the Indus Waters Treaty, Pakistan received the rights to which rivers?

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

Q47. The currency of the European Union is the:

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

Q48. Which UK Prime Minister holds the record for the shortest premiership in British history, lasting just 49 days?

- ✓ (A) **Liz Truss**
- (B) Boris Johnson
- (C) Rishi Sunak
- (D) Theresa May

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Q49. The probability of drawing a king from a standard pack of 52 cards is:

- (A) $1/4$
- ✓ (B) **$1/13$**
- (C) $1/26$
- (D) $4/13$

Q50. What is the capital of Jordan?

- (A) Aqaba
- ✓ (B) **Amman**
- (C) Irbid
- (D) Zarqa