

Q1. The 'father of the computer' who designed the Analytical Engine was:

- (A) Alan Turing
- ✓ **(B) Charles Babbage**
- (C) John von Neumann
- (D) Blaise Pascal

Q2. The powerhouse of the cell is the:

- (A) Nucleus
- ✓ **(B) Mitochondria**
- (C) Ribosome
- (D) Cell wall

Q3. HTTP stands for:

- ✓ **(A) HyperText Transfer Protocol**
- (B) High Transfer Text Protocol
- (C) HyperText Terminal Process
- (D) Home Tool Transfer Protocol

Q4. The probability of getting a sum of 7 when two dice are thrown is:

- ✓ **(A) 1/6**
- (B) 1/9
- (C) 1/12
- (D) 5/36

Q5. Iron deficiency in blood causes:

- (A) Goitre
- ✓ **(B) Anemia**
- (C) Diabetes
- (D) Asthma

Q6. Choose the synonym of 'Ubiquitous':

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

Q7. Choose the synonym of 'Astute':

- (A) Foolish
- ✓ **(B) Shrewd**
- (C) Honest
- (D) Lazy

Q8. Choose the synonym of 'Diligent':

- (A) Lazy
- ✓ **(B) Hardworking**
- (C) Careless
- (D) Slow

Q9. A person who abstains completely from alcoholic drinks is called a:

- (A) Vegetarian
- ✓ **(B) Teetotaler**
- (C) Puritan
- (D) Hermit

Q10. Choose the synonym of 'Mitigate':

- (A) Aggravate
- ✓ (B) **Lessen**
- (C) Ignore
- (D) Examine

Q11. Which entrepreneur co-founded Microsoft and later became known for global philanthropic work?

- ✓ (A) **Bill Gates**
- (B) Steve Jobs
- (C) Mark Zuckerberg
- (D) Jeff Bezos

Q12. What is the capital of Italy?

- (A) Milan
- ✓ (B) **Rome**
- (C) Naples
- (D) Venice

Q13. Which explorer's voyages established a sea route from Europe to India around Africa?

- ✓ (A) **Vasco da Gama**
- (B) Christopher Columbus
- (C) Ferdinand Magellan
- (D) Marco Polo

Q14. The idiom 'to let the cat out of the bag' means:

- (A) To lose something
- ✓ (B) **To reveal a secret**
- (C) To create trouble
- (D) To run away

Q15. Which international organization was established in 1945 to promote peace and cooperation among nations?

- ✓ (A) **United Nations**
- (B) League of Nations
- (C) NATO
- (D) European Union

Q16. The Sun produces its energy through:

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

Q17. Red blood cells are produced in the:

- (A) Heart
- (B) Liver
- ✓ (C) **Bone marrow**
- (D) Kidneys

Q18. The national language of Pakistan is:

- (A) Punjabi
- (B) English
- ✓ (C) **Urdu**
- (D) Sindhi

Q19. 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

Q20. A class has 40 students; 60% are boys. The number of girls is:

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

Q21. Which device is used to move the pointer on screen?

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

Q22. The number of teeth in a normal adult human is:

- (A) 28
- (B) 30
- ✓ (C) **32**
- (D) 36

Q23. An adult human body has how many bones?

- (A) 106
- ✓ (B) **206**
- (C) 306
- (D) 406

Q24. Which US President is closely associated with abolishing slavery through the Civil War era?

- ✓ (A) **Abraham Lincoln**
- (B) George Washington
- (C) Thomas Jefferson
- (D) Theodore Roosevelt

Q25. Which country has won the most FIFA World Cup titles historically?

- ✓ (A) **Brazil**
- (B) Germany
- (C) Italy
- (D) Argentina

Q26. She has been living here _____ 2015.

- (A) for
- ✓ (B) **since**
- (C) from
- (D) by

Q27. RAM is a type of:

- (A) Permanent storage
- ✓ (B) **Temporary (volatile) memory**
- (C) Processor
- (D) Output device

Q28. Choose the synonym of 'Ostentatious':

- (A) Modest
- ✓ (B) **Showy**
- (C) Quiet
- (D) Careful

Q29. Which of these is a search engine?

- (A) Facebook
- ✓ (B) **Google**
- (C) WhatsApp
- (D) Windows

Q30. Venice, the Italian city built on a lagoon, is famous for its:

- (A) Deserts
- ✓ (B) **Canals**
- (C) Volcanoes
- (D) Skyscrapers

Q31. The State Bank of Pakistan was inaugurated by Quaid-e-Azam in:

- (A) 1947
- ✓ (B) **1948**
- (C) 1949
- (D) 1950

Q32. The idiom 'to beat about the bush' means:

- (A) To speak directly
- ✓ (B) **To avoid the main point**
- (C) To search a garden
- (D) To win easily

Q33. The first wife of the Holy Prophet (PBUH) was:

- (A) Hazrat Aisha (RA)
- (B) Hazrat Hafsa (RA)
- ✓ (C) **Hazrat Khadija (RA)**
- (D) Hazrat Zainab (RA)

Q34. Who serves as US Vice President as of 2026?

- ✓ (A) **JD Vance**
- (B) Kamala Harris
- (C) Mike Pence
- (D) Marco Rubio

Q35. The first electronic general-purpose computer was:

- (A) UNIVAC
- ✓ (B) **ENIAC**
- (C) EDVAC
- (D) IBM 701

Q36. Which East Asian territory operates under a 'one country, two systems' framework with mainland China?

- ✓ **(A) Hong Kong**
- (B) Taiwan (status is separately disputed)
- (C) Macau (also under this framework, alongside Hong Kong)
- (D) Singapore

Q37. The Simla Deputation met Viceroy Lord Minto in:

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

Q38. An angle greater than 90° but less than 180° is called:

- (A) Acute
- (B) Right
- ✓ **(C) Obtuse**
- (D) Reflex

Q39. Which South African Archbishop and Nobel Peace laureate was a prominent anti-apartheid activist?

- ✓ **(A) Desmond Tutu**
- (B) Nelson Mandela
- (C) F.W. de Klerk
- (D) Steve Biko

Q40. The capital of Sri Lanka is:

- (A) Kandy
- ✓ **(B) Colombo**
- (C) Galle
- (D) Jaffna

Q41. RAM stands for:

- (A) Read Access Memory
- ✓ **(B) Random Access Memory**
- (C) Run All Memory
- (D) Rapid Access Mode

Q42. Who is widely regarded as the first President of the United States?

- ✓ **(A) George Washington**
- (B) Thomas Jefferson
- (C) Abraham Lincoln
- (D) John Adams

Q43. What is the official currency of Japan?

- ✓ **(A) Yen**
- (B) Won
- (C) Yuan
- (D) Ringgit

Q44. The abbreviation 'etc.' stands for:

- ✓ **(A) Etcetera**
- (B) End of the chapter
- (C) Extra terms considered
- (D) Et cetera only in Latin

Q45. 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

Q46. 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

Q47. The first man in space was:

- (A) Neil Armstrong
- ✓ **(B) Yuri Gagarin**
- (C) Buzz Aldrin
- (D) Alan Shepard

Q48. Laylat-ul-Qadr is found in the last ten nights of:

- (A) Muharram
- ✓ **(B) Ramadan**
- (C) Shawwal
- (D) Rajab

Q49. The largest planet in our solar system is:

- (A) Earth
- (B) Saturn
- ✓ **(C) Jupiter**
- (D) Neptune

Q50. What is the capital of South Africa?

- (A) Cape Town (legislative)
- (B) Pretoria (administrative)
- ✓ **(C) Both Pretoria and Cape Town serve distinct capital functions**
- (D) Johannesburg