

Intelligence Bureau (IB) - Junior Intelligence Officer Written Test 2021

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

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Q1. Which 1991 conflict saw a US-led coalition respond to Iraq's invasion of Kuwait?

- ✓ (A) **Gulf War**
- (B) Iraq War (2003)
- (C) Vietnam War
- (D) Korean War

Q2. Which countries will jointly host the 2026 FIFA World Cup?

- ✓ (A) **United States, Canada and Mexico**
- (B) Only the United States
- (C) Only Mexico
- (D) Only Canada

Q3. How many colors are there in a rainbow?

- (A) 5
- (B) 6
- ✓ (C) **7**
- (D) 8

Q4. The normal resting pulse rate of a healthy adult is about:

- (A) 50 beats/min
- ✓ (B) **72 beats/min**
- (C) 100 beats/min
- (D) 120 beats/min

Q5. Iodine deficiency causes:

- (A) Anemia
- ✓ (B) **Goitre**
- (C) Rickets
- (D) Scurvy

Q6. Which city is called the 'City of Saints'?

- (A) Lahore
- ✓ (B) **Multan**
- (C) Uch Sharif
- (D) Sehwan

Q7. 'Phishing' is:

- (A) A hardware fault
- ✓ (B) **Tricking users into revealing sensitive information**
- (C) A type of firewall
- (D) Data compression

Q8. Choose the antonym of 'Scarcity':

- (A) Shortage
- ✓ (B) **Abundance**
- (C) Poverty
- (D) Famine

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Q9. Which international financial index tracks major US stock market performance, comprising 30 large companies?

- ✓ **(A) Dow Jones Industrial Average**
- (B) S&P 500 (a broader index)
- (C) NASDAQ Composite (a different index)
- (D) FTSE 100 (a UK index)

Q10. The Quaid-e-Azam joined the Muslim League in:

- (A) 1906
- ✓ **(B) 1913**
- (C) 1916
- (D) 1920

Q11. Which country's 2022 full-scale invasion of a neighboring state significantly reshaped European security discussions?

- ✓ **(A) Russia's invasion of Ukraine**
- (B) China's actions toward Taiwan
- (C) Iran's actions toward Iraq
- (D) Turkey's actions toward Syria

Q12. Which 2025 diplomatic summit addressed peace and reconstruction planning for Gaza, with several world leaders attending?

- ✓ **(A) The Gaza Peace Summit**
- (B) The G7 Summit (a separate, broader forum)
- (C) The G20 Summit (a separate, broader forum)
- (D) The Davos Forum (a separate, broader forum)

Q13. RAM stands for:

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

Q14. One word for 'a person who speaks many languages':

- (A) Linguist
- ✓ **(B) Polyglot**
- (C) Translator
- (D) Grammarian

Q15. Which male tennis player holds one of the records for most Grand Slam singles titles in the modern era?

- ✓ **(A) Novak Djokovic, among top contenders including Rafael Nadal and Roger Federer**
- (B) Only Roger Federer holds this record outright without contest
- (C) Only Rafael Nadal holds this record outright without contest
- (D) Only Pete Sampras holds this record outright without contest

Q16. Dolly, the first cloned mammal, was a:

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- (B) Cow
- ✓ **(C) Sheep**
- (D) Monkey

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Q17. A person who can speak many languages is called a:

- (A) Linguist
- ✓ (B) **Polyglot**
- (C) Translator
- (D) Orator

Q18. 'D-8' is an organization of eight:

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

Q19. How many Paras (Juz) are there in the Holy Quran?

- (A) 28
- (B) 29
- ✓ (C) **30**
- (D) 32

Q20. Which battle in 1815 marked Napoleon's final defeat?

- ✓ (A) **Battle of Waterloo**
- (B) Battle of Trafalgar
- (C) Battle of Austerlitz
- (D) Battle of Leipzig

Q21. Which international trade agreement did the UK negotiate with major partners including India, the EU, and the US during Keir Starmer's premiership?

- ✓ (A) **Multiple free trade agreements, including with India, the EU, and the US**
- (B) Only an agreement with India
- (C) Only an agreement with the EU
- (D) No trade agreements were concluded

Q22. The first prophet of Allah was:

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

Q23. Which of the following is NOT a permanent member of the UN Security Council?

- ✓ (A) **Germany**
- (B) China
- (C) Russia
- (D) France

Q24. Which company developed the widely used Android mobile operating system?

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

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Q25. Standard copies of the Quran were sent to the provinces in the era of:

- (A) Hazrat Abu Bakr (RA)
- (B) Hazrat Umar (RA)
- ✓ (C) **Hazrat Usman (RA)**
- (D) Hazrat Ali (RA)

Q26. The aeroplane was invented by:

- ✓ (A) **Wright Brothers**
- (B) Marconi
- (C) Edison
- (D) Ford

Q27. Two workers can do a job in 12 and 6 days respectively. Working together they finish in:

- (A) 3 days
- ✓ (B) **4 days**
- (C) 5 days
- (D) 9 days

Q28. Which Winter Olympics host city hosted the 2022 Games?

- ✓ (A) **Beijing, China**
- (B) Pyeongchang, South Korea
- (C) Sochi, Russia
- (D) Vancouver, Canada

Q29. The shortcut key to select all is:

- (A) Ctrl + S
- ✓ (B) **Ctrl + A**
- (C) Ctrl + E
- (D) Ctrl + L

Q30. How many players are in a football (soccer) team?

- (A) 9
- (B) 10
- ✓ (C) **11**
- (D) 12

Q31. He _____ to school daily.

- (A) go
- ✓ (B) **goes**
- (C) going
- (D) gone

Q32. Which country's leader, Volodymyr Zelenskyy, continued to lead wartime governance through the ongoing conflict with Russia?

- ✓ (A) **Ukraine**
- (B) Belarus
- (C) Moldova
- (D) Georgia

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- ✓ (A) **Algeria (and later Cameroon)**
- (B) Egypt
- (C) Nigeria
- (D) South Africa

Q34. An adult human body has how many bones?

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

Q35. $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} = ?$

- (A) $\frac{1}{6}$
- (B) $\frac{2}{6}$
- ✓ (C) **$\frac{3}{4}$**
- (D) $\frac{1}{8}$

Q36. What is the capital of France?

- (A) Marseille
- ✓ (B) **Paris**
- (C) Lyon
- (D) Nice

Q37. Which winter sport features athletes racing down a mountain course with gates, on skis?

- ✓ (A) **Alpine skiing (slalom/downhill)**
- (B) Figure skating
- (C) Ice hockey
- (D) Bobsled

Q38. Which economic term combines stagnant growth with high inflation, a challenging policy scenario?

- ✓ (A) **Stagflation**
- (B) Recession
- (C) Deflation
- (D) Hyperinflation

Q39. The shortcut key to undo is:

- (A) Ctrl + U
- ✓ (B) **Ctrl + Z**
- (C) Ctrl + Y
- (D) Ctrl + N

Q40. Pakistan's first Prime Minister was:

- ✓ (A) **Liaquat Ali Khan**
- (B) Khawaja Nazimuddin
- (C) Ayub Khan
- (D) Muhammad Ali Bogra

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Q41. The blinking symbol on a computer screen showing typing position is the:

- (A) Icon
- ✓ (B) **Cursor**
- (C) Menu
- (D) Tab

Q42. Which court, associated with the Council of Europe, adjudicates human rights cases for European citizens?

- ✓ (A) **European Court of Human Rights**
- (B) International Court of Justice
- (C) International Criminal Court
- (D) WTO Dispute Panel

Q43. Which country's president, Anura Kumara Dissanayake, was elected in 2024 following a period of severe economic crisis?

- ✓ (A) **Sri Lanka**
- (B) Bangladesh
- (C) Nepal
- (D) Myanmar

Q44. Choose the correct sentence:

- (A) She go to school.
- ✓ (B) **She goes to school.**
- (C) She going to school.
- (D) She gone to school.

Q45. What is the capital of Mexico?

- (A) Guadalajara
- ✓ (B) **Mexico City**
- (C) Monterrey
- (D) Cancun

Q46. Which treaty formally ended World War I in 1919?

- ✓ (A) **Treaty of Versailles**
- (B) Treaty of Paris
- (C) Treaty of Westphalia
- (D) Treaty of Tordesillas

Q47. Donald Trump is serving as which numbered President of the United States?

- ✓ (A) **47th (also previously the 45th)**
- (B) 46th
- (C) 44th
- (D) 48th

Q48. Choose the antonym of 'Humble':

- (A) Modest
- ✓ (B) **Arrogant**
- (C) Gentle
- (D) Quiet

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- (B) Hazrat Musa (AS)
- ✓ **(C) Hazrat Muhammad (PBUH)**
- (D) Hazrat Ibrahim (AS)

Q50. Hajj is obligatory on an able Muslim how many times in life?

- ✓ **(A) Once**
- (B) Twice
- (C) Every year
- (D) Every five years