

Q1. The voice box of the human body is called the:

- (A) Pharynx
- ✓ **(B) Larynx**
- (C) Trachea
- (D) Oesophagus

Q2. 15% of 400 is:

- (A) 45
- (B) 50
- ✓ **(C) 60**
- (D) 65

Q3. After a 20% discount, the price paid for a Rs. 1,500 item is:

- (A) Rs. 1,100
- ✓ **(B) Rs. 1,200**
- (C) Rs. 1,250
- (D) Rs. 1,300

Q4. Which conflict-affected African region saw a temporary ceasefire coincide with Pope Leo XIV's 2026 visit to Cameroon?

- ✓ **(A) The Anglophone Crisis**
- (B) The Darfur conflict (a separate regional crisis)
- (C) The Tigray conflict (a separate regional crisis)
- (D) The Sahel insurgency (a separate regional crisis)

Q5. The Islamic (Hijri) calendar is based on the:

- (A) Solar cycle
- ✓ **(B) Lunar cycle**
- (C) Star positions
- (D) Seasons

Q6. Which country's tariff policy changes, following a Supreme Court ruling in early 2026, affected US trade relations, particularly with China?

- ✓ **(A) United States**
- (B) China
- (C) European Union
- (D) Japan

Q7. The difference between compound and simple interest on Rs. 1,000 at 10% for 2 years is:

- (A) Rs. 5
- ✓ **(B) Rs. 10**
- (C) Rs. 20
- (D) Rs. 100

Q8. The coldest continent on Earth is:

- (A) Europe
- (B) North America
- ✓ **(C) Antarctica**
- (D) Asia

Q9. A file with the extension .xlsx belongs to:

- (A) MS Word
- (B) MS Access
- ✓ (C) **MS Excel**
- (D) Paint

Q10. Which international humanitarian award, associated with the Nobel Committee, recognizes contributions to peace globally?

- ✓ (A) **Nobel Peace Prize**
- (B) World Food Prize
- (C) Templeton Prize
- (D) Pulitzer Prize

Q11. Which stock market index tracks the top 100 companies listed on the London Stock Exchange?

- ✓ (A) **FTSE 100**
- (B) DAX
- (C) CAC 40
- (D) Nikkei 225

Q12. Red blood cells are produced in the:

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

Q13. Wi-Fi technology is used to:

- (A) Print documents
- ✓ (B) **Connect devices to a network wirelessly**
- (C) Store files permanently
- (D) Scan photographs

Q14. He is senior _____ me.

- (A) than
- (B) from
- ✓ (C) **to**
- (D) over

Q15. One-third of 96 is:

- (A) 24
- (B) 30
- ✓ (C) **32**
- (D) 36

Q16. Choose the synonym of 'Commence':

- (A) Finish
- ✓ (B) **Begin**
- (C) Pause
- (D) Cancel

Q17. Choose the synonym of 'Abundant':

- (A) Scarce
- ✓ (B) **Plentiful**
- (C) Rare
- (D) Empty

Q18. Which country's legislature is called the 'Knesset'?

- ✓ (A) **Israel**
- (B) Jordan
- (C) Lebanon
- (D) Egypt

Q19. Quaid-e-Azam died in:

- (A) 1947
- ✓ (B) **1948**
- (C) 1949
- (D) 1951

Q20. The comparative degree of 'bad' is:

- (A) Badder
- ✓ (B) **Worse**
- (C) Worst
- (D) More bad

Q21. Defence Day of Pakistan is observed on:

- (A) 23 March
- (B) 14 August
- ✓ (C) **6 September**
- (D) 11 September

Q22. A permanent storage device in a computer is the:

- (A) RAM
- ✓ (B) **Hard disk**
- (C) Cache
- (D) Register

Q23. 1 MB (megabyte) equals:

- (A) 1024 bytes
- ✓ (B) **1024 KB**
- (C) 1024 GB
- (D) 100 KB

Q24. Which revolution led to the founding of the People's Republic of China in 1949?

- ✓ (A) **Chinese Communist Revolution**
- (B) Cultural Revolution (a later, separate event)
- (C) Xinhai Revolution (1911, distinct earlier event)
- (D) Boxer Rebellion (distinct earlier event)

Q25. Which martial art, originating in Japan, became an official Olympic sport starting with the 2021 Tokyo Games?

- ✓ **(A) Karate**
- (B) Judo (already long an Olympic sport)
- (C) Taekwondo (a Korean martial art, also Olympic)
- (D) Kung Fu (not yet an Olympic sport)

Q26. The sum of angles of a square (quadrilateral) is:

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

Q27. The value of x in the equation $4x + 8 = 20$ is:

- (A) 2
- ✓ **(B) 3**
- (C) 4
- (D) 5

Q28. Which Soviet cosmonaut became the first woman in space in 1963?

- ✓ **(A) Valentina Tereshkova**
- (B) Amelia Earhart
- (C) Sally Ride
- (D) Yuri Gagarin (the first man, not woman, in space)

Q29. One pipe fills a tank in 6 hours while another empties it in 12 hours. With both open, the tank fills in:

- (A) 8 hours
- (B) 9 hours
- ✓ **(C) 12 hours**
- (D) 18 hours

Q30. Which regional organization was formed to promote cooperation among South Asian countries?

- ✓ **(A) South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC)**
- (B) ASEAN
- (C) African Union
- (D) European Union

Q31. Who is widely regarded as the first President of the United States?

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

Q32. Which historic Middle Eastern leader, Bashar al-Assad, was ousted from power after leading Syria for over two decades?

- ✓ **(A) Bashar al-Assad**
- (B) Hafez al-Assad (his father, an earlier leader)
- (C) Saddam Hussein (Iraq, not Syria)
- (D) Muammar Gaddafi (Libya, not Syria)

Q33. What is the capital of Brazil?

- (A) Rio de Janeiro
- ✓ (B) **Brasilia**
- (C) Sao Paulo
- (D) Salvador

Q34. Which German stock market index tracks major companies listed in Frankfurt?

- ✓ (A) **DAX**
- (B) FTSE 100
- (C) CAC 40
- (D) Nikkei 225

Q35. Faisalabad is famous for which industry?

- (A) Steel
- ✓ (B) **Textiles**
- (C) Cement
- (D) Sugar

Q36. The next term of the series 4, 9, 19, 39, 79, ... is:

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

Q37. Hajj is obligatory on an able Muslim how many times in life?

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

Q38. The number of diagonals in a hexagon is:

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

Q39. The daughter of the Holy Prophet (PBUH) married to Hazrat Ali (RA) was:

- (A) Hazrat Zainab (RA)
- (B) Hazrat Ruqayyah (RA)
- ✓ (C) **Hazrat Fatima (RA)**
- (D) Hazrat Umm Kulthum (RA)

Q40. Wind is caused by:

- (A) Earth's rotation only
- ✓ (B) **Differences in air pressure**
- (C) Ocean waves
- (D) The moon

Q41. Photosynthesis in plants takes place mainly in the:

- (A) Roots
- (B) Stem
- ✓ (C) **Leaves**
- (D) Flowers

Q42. Which golfer is widely regarded as one of the greatest of all time, with numerous major championship victories?

- ✓ **(A) Tiger Woods, among legends like Jack Nicklaus**
- (B) Only Jack Nicklaus is considered great in golf history
- (C) Only Arnold Palmer is considered great in golf history
- (D) Only Rory McIlroy is considered great in golf history

Q43. The One Unit scheme merging West Pakistan's provinces was enforced in:

- (A) 1953
- (B) 1954
- ✓ **(C) 1955**
- (D) 1958

Q44. The 8th Amendment, giving the President power to dissolve the Assembly (58-2b), was passed in:

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

Q45. A clock shows 3:15. The angle between the hands is:

- (A) 0°
- ✓ **(B) 7.5°**
- (C) 15°
- (D) 30°

Q46. 25% of 200 is:

- (A) 25
- (B) 40
- ✓ **(C) 50**
- (D) 75

Q47. Haemoglobin is found in:

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

Q48. Which country will host the 2028 Summer Olympics?

- ✓ **(A) United States (Los Angeles)**
- (B) France
- (C) Australia
- (D) Germany

Q49. A person who writes books is called a/an:

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

Q50. The 'Land of the Rising Sun' is:

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