

Q1. Where is the headquarters of the United Nations located?

✓ **(A) New York City**

(B) Geneva

(C) Vienna

(D) Brussels

Q2. The perimeter of a square with side 6 cm is:

(A) 12 cm

(B) 18 cm

✓ **(C) 24 cm**

(D) 36 cm

Q3. 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

Q4. 1 kilogram equals:

(A) 100 g

(B) 500 g

✓ **(C) 1000 g**

(D) 10000 g

Q5. How many member states are typically listed as founding SAARC in 1985?

✓ **(A) Seven**

(B) Five

(C) Ten

(D) Twelve

Q6. A cyclist covers 36 km in 90 minutes. His speed in km/h is:

(A) 18 km/h

✓ **(B) 24 km/h**

(C) 27 km/h

(D) 40 km/h

Q7. The Eiffel Tower is in:

(A) London

(B) Rome

✓ **(C) Paris**

(D) Berlin

Q8. Donald Trump is serving as which numbered President of the United States?

✓ **(A) 47th (also previously the 45th)**

(B) 46th

(C) 44th

(D) 48th

Q9. Which 2011 nuclear disaster in Japan followed a massive earthquake and tsunami?

✓ **(A) Fukushima disaster**

(B) Chernobyl disaster

(C) Three Mile Island incident

(D) Bhopal disaster

Q10. Which revolutionary leader founded the Soviet state after the 1917 Russian Revolution?

- ✓ **(A) Vladimir Lenin**
- (B) Joseph Stalin
- (C) Leon Trotsky
- (D) Nikita Khrushchev

Q11. The Indus Waters Treaty (1960) between Pakistan and India was brokered by:

- ✓ **(B) The World Bank**
- (A) The United Nations
- (C) The USA
- (D) The Commonwealth

Q12. The national flower of Pakistan is:

- ✓ **(B) Jasmine**
- (A) Rose
- (C) Tulip
- (D) Sunflower

Q13. If the ratio of two numbers is 3:5 and their sum is 96, the larger number is:

- ✓ **(C) 60**
- (A) 36
- (B) 48
- (D) 72

Q14. Which separate court, also based in The Hague, prosecutes individuals for war crimes, genocide, and crimes against humanity?

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

Q15. Tariq bin Ziyad is famous for the conquest of:

- ✓ **(C) Spain (Andalus)**
- (A) Sindh
- (B) Egypt
- (D) Persia

Q16. Gwadar, home to Pakistan's deep-sea port, is in which province?

- ✓ **(C) Balochistan**
- (A) Sindh
- (B) Punjab
- (D) Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Q17. Who is the President of Ukraine, leading the country through the ongoing Russo-Ukrainian war?

- ✓ **(A) Volodymyr Zelenskyy**
- (B) Petro Poroshenko
- (C) Viktor Yanukovich
- (D) Leonid Kuchma

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

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

Q19. The abbreviation 'etc.' stands for:

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

Q20. Which type of memory retains its data when the power is switched off?

- (A) RAM
- (B) Cache
- ✓ (C) **ROM**
- (D) Registers

Q21. Which city is called the 'City of Saints'?

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

Q22. Which cryptocurrency, launched in 2009, is widely regarded as the first and most prominent decentralized digital currency?

- ✓ (A) **Bitcoin**
- (B) Ethereum
- (C) Litecoin
- (D) Dogecoin

Q23. The currency of Japan is the:

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

Q24. Choose the synonym of 'Astute':

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

Q25. Which contemporary astrophysicist hosted the reboot of 'Cosmos' and is known for popular science communication?

- ✓ (A) **Neil deGrasse Tyson**
- (B) Carl Sagan
- (C) Stephen Hawking
- (D) Brian Cox

Q26. Which historic 1912 revolution ended China's imperial dynastic system, preceding the Communist era?

- ✓ **(A) Xinhai Revolution**
- (B) Cultural Revolution
- (C) Boxer Rebellion
- (D) Long March

Q27. What is the capital of Germany?

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

Q28. Which scientist developed the first successful smallpox vaccine?

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

Q29. Separate electorates for Muslims were first granted under the:

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

Q30. The LCM of 4 and 6 is:

- ✓ **(C) 12**
- (A) 8
- (B) 10
- (D) 24

Q31. The binary number 1010 equals which decimal number?

- ✓ **(B) 10**
- (A) 8
- (C) 12
- (D) 14

Q32. The pH of pure water is:

- ✓ **(C) 7**
- (A) 5
- (B) 6
- (D) 8

Q33. The next number in the series 2, 6, 12, 20, 30, ... is:

- ✓ **(C) 42**
- (A) 36
- (B) 40
- (D) 44

Q34. Choose the antonym of 'Scarcity':

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

Q35. 1 GB (gigabyte) equals how many megabytes?

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

Q36. What is the capital of Vietnam?

- (A) Ho Chi Minh City
- ✓ (B) **Hanoi**
- (C) Da Nang
- (D) Hue

Q37. Which treaty in 1648 ended the Thirty Years' War in Europe?

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

Q38. How many authentic (Sahih Sitta) books of Hadith are there?

- (A) 4
- (B) 5
- ✓ (C) **6**
- (D) 7

Q39. The Durand Line is the border between Pakistan and:

- (A) India
- (B) Iran
- (C) China
- ✓ (D) **Afghanistan**

Q40. The first census of Pakistan was held in:

- (A) 1947
- ✓ (B) **1951**
- (C) 1955
- (D) 1961

Q41. Choose the synonym of 'Ostentatious':

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

Q42. The capital of Bangladesh is:

- (A) Chittagong
- (B) Khulna
- ✓ (C) **Dhaka**
- (D) Sylhet

Q43. Which German dictator led the Nazi regime responsible for World War II and the Holocaust?

- ✓ **(A) Adolf Hitler**
- (B) Otto von Bismarck
- (C) Kaiser Wilhelm II
- (D) Heinrich Himmler

Q44. How many permanent members does the UN Security Council have?

- ✓ **(A) 5**
- (B) 10
- (C) 15
- (D) 20

Q45. FATA was merged into Khyber Pakhtunkhwa by the:

- (A) 18th Amendment
- (B) 21st Amendment
- ✓ **(C) 25th Amendment**
- (D) 26th Amendment

Q46. Which economic term describes a period of declining economic activity typically lasting more than a few months?

- ✓ **(A) Recession**
- (B) Inflation
- (C) Deflation
- (D) Expansion

Q47. Which desert is the largest hot desert in the world?

- ✓ **(A) Sahara Desert**
- (B) Gobi Desert
- (C) Thar Desert
- (D) Kalahari Desert

Q48. What is the capital of Colombia?

- (A) Medellin
- ✓ **(B) Bogota**
- (C) Cali
- (D) Cartagena

Q49. 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

Q50. The capital of Australia is:

- (A) Sydney
- (B) Melbourne
- ✓ **(C) Canberra**
- (D) Perth