

KPPSC (KP Public Service Commission) - Assistant Written Test 2022

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

The correct option for every question is bolded and marked with a check.

Q1. Which war, fought between 1950 and 1953, involved North and South Korea along with international forces?

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

Q2. Which blockchain platform, launched after Bitcoin, is widely used for smart contracts and decentralized applications?

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

Q3. Which company developed the Claude family of AI models?

- ✓ **(A) Anthropic**
- (B) OpenAI
- (C) Google
- (D) Meta

Q4. Which is the largest lake in the world by surface area, sometimes classified as a sea?

- ✓ **(A) Caspian Sea**
- (B) Lake Superior
- (C) Lake Victoria
- (D) Lake Baikal

Q5. What is the capital of Morocco?

- (A) Casablanca
- ✓ **(B) Rabat**
- (C) Marrakesh
- (D) Fez

Q6. Normal human body temperature is about:

- (A) 35°C
- (B) 36°C
- ✓ **(C) 37°C**
- (D) 39°C

Q7. Which international benchmark commodity is commonly used to price crude oil globally, alongside WTI?

- ✓ **(A) Brent Crude**
- (B) Gold bullion
- (C) Silver bullion
- (D) Copper futures

Q8. Which country left the European Union in 2020?

- (A) Norway
- (B) Switzerland
- ✓ **(C) United Kingdom**
- (D) Denmark

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Q9. The Sun produces its energy through:

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

Q10. A hygrometer measures:

- (A) Wind speed
- (B) Rainfall
- ✓ (C) **Humidity**
- (D) Air pressure

Q11. Who was the first person to win Nobel Prizes in two different scientific fields?

- ✓ (A) **Marie Curie**
- (B) Albert Einstein
- (C) Linus Pauling
- (D) Frederick Sanger

Q12. Which Dutch Formula 1 driver won multiple consecutive World Championships in the early-to-mid 2020s?

- ✓ (A) **Max Verstappen**
- (B) Lewis Hamilton
- (C) Michael Schumacher
- (D) Sebastian Vettel

Q13. The plural of 'child' is:

- (A) Childs
- (B) Childes
- ✓ (C) **Children**
- (D) Childrens

Q14. Which economic term describes a sustained decrease in the general price level of goods and services?

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

Q15. The square root of 169 is:

- (A) 11
- (B) 12
- ✓ (C) **13**
- (D) 14

Q16. The value of $\log_{10} 1000$ is:

- (A) 2
- ✓ (B) **3**
- (C) 10
- (D) 100

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Q17. Which desert is the largest hot desert in the world?

✓ (A) **Sahara Desert**

(B) Gobi Desert

(C) Thar Desert

(D) Kalahari Desert

Q18. 'Ashra Mubashra' refers to:

(A) Ten battles

✓ (B) **Ten companions promised Paradise**

(C) Ten Surahs

(D) Ten commandments

Q19. Who serves as the Crown Prince and de facto leader of Saudi Arabia, driving major reforms?

✓ (A) **Mohammed bin Salman**

(B) King Salman (the monarch)

(C) Mohammed bin Zayed (UAE, not Saudi)

(D) Sheikh Tamim (Qatar, not Saudi)

Q20. Deficiency of which vitamin causes scurvy?

(A) Vitamin A

(B) Vitamin B12

✓ (C) **Vitamin C**

(D) Vitamin K

Q21. The past tense of 'eat' is:

(A) Eated

✓ (B) **Ate**

(C) Eaten

(D) Eating

Q22. She sings 'beautifully'. The underlined word is a/an:

(A) Adjective

✓ (B) **Adverb**

(C) Noun

(D) Pronoun

Q23. Which historic agreement in 1993 marked a milestone in Israeli-Palestinian peace efforts?

✓ (A) **Oslo Accords**

(B) Camp David Accords

(C) Abraham Accords

(D) Treaty of Versailles

Q24. Which major war between Russia and a neighboring country, ongoing since 2022, continued to affect global security discussions through 2025-2026?

✓ (A) **Russo-Ukrainian War**

(B) Syrian Civil War

(C) Yemeni Civil War

(D) Nagorno-Karabakh conflict

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Q25. The train _____ before we reached the station.

- (A) leaves
- (B) left
- ✓ (C) **had left**
- (D) has left

Q26. Which major regional conflict escalated in early 2026 involving US and Israeli strikes on Iranian targets, including the reported death of a senior Iranian leader?

- ✓ (A) **The 2026 Iran conflict**
- (B) The Syrian Civil War
- (C) The Yemeni Civil War
- (D) The Libyan Civil War

Q27. Which entrepreneur founded Amazon and later founded the aerospace company Blue Origin?

- ✓ (A) **Jeff Bezos**
- (B) Elon Musk
- (C) Bill Gates
- (D) Mark Zuckerberg

Q28. The organ of balance in the human body is located in the:

- (A) Eye
- ✓ (B) **Inner ear**
- (C) Brain stem
- (D) Spinal cord

Q29. Which political and military alliance, formed in 1949, unites many Western countries?

- ✓ (A) **NATO**
- (B) Warsaw Pact
- (C) European Union
- (D) United Nations

Q30. Choose the correct sentence:

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

Q31. What is the capital of Kenya?

- (A) Mombasa
- ✓ (B) **Nairobi**
- (C) Kisumu
- (D) Nakuru

Q32. The sun rises _____ the east.

- (A) on
- (B) at
- ✓ (C) **in**
- (D) from

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Q33. A boat's speed is 12 km/h in still water and the stream flows at 3 km/h. Time to travel 45 km downstream is:

- (A) 2.5 hours
- ✓ (B) **3 hours**
- (C) 3.75 hours
- (D) 5 hours

Q34. Who is credited with abolishing slavery in the United States through the Emancipation Proclamation?

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

Q35. The human heart has how many chambers?

- (A) 2
- (B) 3
- ✓ (C) **4**
- (D) 5

Q36. Which country's monarch, King Charles III, ascended the throne in 2022 following his mother's death?

- ✓ (A) **United Kingdom**
- (B) Spain
- (C) Sweden
- (D) Netherlands

Q37. Which organization regulates international trade rules among member nations?

- ✓ (A) **World Trade Organization (WTO)**
- (B) World Bank
- (C) IMF
- (D) UNCTAD

Q38. The Indus Waters Treaty between Pakistan and India was signed in:

- (A) 1948
- (B) 1955
- ✓ (C) **1960**
- (D) 1965

Q39. Which European organization coordinates space exploration efforts among its member states?

- ✓ (A) **European Space Agency (ESA)**
- (B) NASA
- (C) Roscosmos
- (D) CNSA

Q40. The plural of 'Criterion' is:

- (A) Criteria
- ✓ (B) **Criteria**
- (C) Criterias
- (D) Criterion

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Q41. The electric bulb was invented by:

- (A) Faraday
- (B) Tesla
- ✓ (C) **Thomas Edison**
- (D) Volta

Q42. How many players does a cricket team have on the field?

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

Q43. The pH of pure water is:

- (A) 5
- (B) 6
- ✓ (C) **7**
- (D) 8

Q44. 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

Q45. Simple interest on Rs. 2,000 at 10% per year for 1 year is:

- (A) Rs. 100
- (B) Rs. 150
- ✓ (C) **Rs. 200**
- (D) Rs. 250

Q46. Which country is called the 'Land of the Midnight Sun'?

- (A) Iceland
- ✓ (B) **Norway**
- (C) Finland
- (D) Canada

Q47. Which function key is commonly used to open Help?

- ✓ (A) **F1**
- (B) F5
- (C) F7
- (D) F12

Q48. Which crisis in 1962 brought the US and Soviet Union close to nuclear conflict over missile placements in Cuba?

- ✓ (A) **Cuban Missile Crisis**
- (B) Berlin Crisis
- (C) Suez Crisis
- (D) Bay of Pigs Invasion

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Q49. The River Nile empties into the:

- (A) Red Sea
- ✓ **(B) Mediterranean Sea**
- (C) Atlantic Ocean
- (D) Arabian Sea

Q50. Which social media platform, founded by Mark Zuckerberg, became one of the world's largest?

- ✓ **(A) Facebook**
- (B) Twitter (now X)
- (C) Instagram (also owned by Meta)
- (D) LinkedIn