

Q1. USB stands for:

- ✓ (A) **Universal Serial Bus**
- (B) United Serial Bus
- (C) Universal System Board
- (D) Unique Serial Base

Q2. Which device produces a hard copy (printout) of a document?

- (A) Monitor
- (B) Scanner
- ✓ (C) **Printer**
- (D) Projector

Q3. A man walks 4 km in 1 hour. In 3 hours he walks:

- (A) 8 km
- (B) 10 km
- ✓ (C) **12 km**
- (D) 16 km

Q4. Which historic 2026 event saw the reported assassination of Iran's Supreme Leader, Ali Khamenei, amid escalating tensions?

- ✓ (A) **The February 2026 strikes attributed to US-Israeli action**
- (B) A domestic political transition
- (C) A natural death from illness
- (D) An unrelated accident

Q5. An angle greater than 90° but less than 180° is called:

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

Q6. CPU stands for:

- ✓ (A) **Central Processing Unit**
- (B) Computer Personal Unit
- (C) Central Program Utility
- (D) Control Processing Unit

Q7. The Government of India Act 1935 introduced:

- (A) Separate electorates
- ✓ (B) **Provincial autonomy**
- (C) The partition of Bengal
- (D) Diarchy at the centre only

Q8. 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

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

Q9. Gilgit-Baltistan was formerly known as:

- (A) FATA
- ✓ (B) **Northern Areas**
- (C) Azad Kashmir
- (D) Frontier Regions

Q10. Which country's leadership faced mass protests in 2024, leading to the ouster of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina?

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

Q11. 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

Q12. Which gas do humans breathe out in the largest amount compared to inhaled air?

- (A) Oxygen
- ✓ (B) **Carbon dioxide**
- (C) Nitrogen
- (D) Hydrogen

Q13. What is the capital of Thailand?

- (A) Chiang Mai
- ✓ (B) **Bangkok**
- (C) Phuket
- (D) Pattaya

Q14. The largest archipelago in the world is:

- (A) Philippines
- (B) Japan
- ✓ (C) **Indonesia**
- (D) Maldives

Q15. A 'decade' is a period of:

- (A) 5 years
- ✓ (B) **10 years**
- (C) 50 years
- (D) 100 years

Q16. The doctrine used by Justice Munir to validate the 1954 dissolution of the Constituent Assembly was the doctrine of:

- (A) Separation of powers
- ✓ (B) **Necessity**
- (C) Judicial review
- (D) Basic structure

Q17. The youngest recipient of Nishan-e-Haider is:

- ✓ (A) **Rashid Minhas**
- (B) Sawar Muhammad Hussain
- (C) Major Shabbir Sharif
- (D) Lalak Jan

Q18. The square root of 225 is:

- (A) 13
- (B) 14
- ✓ (C) **15**
- (D) 16

Q19. One word for 'a speech delivered without preparation':

- (A) Monologue
- ✓ (B) **Extempore**
- (C) Soliloquy
- (D) Rhetoric

Q20. It took me _____ hour to reach the office.

- (A) a
- ✓ (B) **an**
- (C) the
- (D) no article

Q21. The perimeter of a square with side 6 cm is:

- (A) 12 cm
- (B) 18 cm
- ✓ (C) **24 cm**
- (D) 36 cm

Q22. Quaid-e-Azam died in:

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

Q23. Which basketball player holds the NBA's all-time career scoring record as of recent seasons?

- ✓ (A) **LeBron James**
- (B) Michael Jordan
- (C) Kareem Abdul-Jabbar
- (D) Kobe Bryant

Q24. Which 1978 agreement led to a peace treaty between Egypt and Israel?

- ✓ (A) **Camp David Accords**
- (B) Oslo Accords
- (C) Abraham Accords
- (D) Treaty of Versailles

Q25. What is the capital of Armenia?

- (A) Gyumri
- ✓ (B) **Yerevan**
- (C) Vanadzor
- (D) Vagharshapat

Q26. 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

Q27. Which symbol is always part of an email address?

- (A) #
- ✓ **(B) @**
- (C) &
- (D) %

Q28. The smallest unit of life is the:

- (A) Atom
- ✓ **(B) Cell**
- (C) Molecule
- (D) Tissue

Q29. Which organ purifies the blood in the human body?

- (A) Heart
- (B) Lungs
- ✓ **(C) Kidneys**
- (D) Stomach

Q30. 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

Q31. The value of $100 \div 45 + 5$ is:

- (A) 50
- (B) 55
- ✓ **(C) 60**
- (D) 65

Q32. Which golf major championship, also known as the British Open, is the oldest of the four major tournaments?

- ✓ **(A) The Open Championship**
- (B) The Masters
- (C) US Open (Golf)
- (D) PGA Championship

Q33. Which prophet was swallowed by a great fish?

- (A) Hazrat Yusuf (AS)
- ✓ **(B) Hazrat Yunus (AS)**
- (C) Hazrat Ayub (AS)
- (D) Hazrat Idris (AS)

Q34. The sum of angles of a triangle is:

- (A) 90°
- ✓ (B) **180°**
- (C) 270°
- (D) 360°

Q35. Which country's national team has traditionally dominated rugby union at the international level, including multiple World Cup titles?

- ✓ (A) **New Zealand (All Blacks), among strong contenders like South Africa**
- (B) Only England
- (C) Only Australia
- (D) Only France

Q36. The Battle of Khandaq (Trench) is also called the battle of:

- (A) Badr
- ✓ (B) **Ahzab**
- (C) Hunain
- (D) Tabuk

Q37. This is _____ university.

- ✓ (A) **a**
- (B) an
- (C) the
- (D) no article

Q38. The first migration (Hijrah) of Muslims was to:

- (A) Madinah
- (B) Taif
- ✓ (C) **Abyssinia (Habsha)**
- (D) Yemen

Q39. 20% of what number is 50?

- (A) 100
- (B) 200
- ✓ (C) **250**
- (D) 500

Q40. What is the capital of Norway?

- (A) Bergen
- ✓ (B) **Oslo**
- (C) Trondheim
- (D) Stavanger

Q41. What is the capital of Peru?

- (A) Arequipa
- ✓ (B) **Lima**
- (C) Cusco
- (D) Trujillo

Q42. Which is the largest ocean on Earth?

- ✓ (A) **Pacific Ocean**
- (B) Atlantic Ocean
- (C) Indian Ocean
- (D) Arctic Ocean

Q43. The deepest lake in the world is:

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

Q44. Which country hosted the 2022 FIFA World Cup?

- ✓ (A) **Qatar**
- (B) Russia
- (C) Brazil
- (D) Germany

Q45. The 3rd June Plan for the partition of India was announced by:

- ✓ (B) **Lord Mountbatten**
- (A) Lord Wavell
- (C) Lord Linlithgow
- (D) Clement Attlee

Q46. We congratulated him _____ his success.

- ✓ (C) **on**
- (A) for
- (B) at
- (D) with

Q47. Which country's president, Ranil Wickremesinghe, led the nation through a severe economic crisis before a subsequent election changed leadership?

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

Q48. LAN stands for:

- ✓ (B) **Local Area Network**
- (A) Long Area Network
- (C) Linked Access Node
- (D) Local Access Number

Q49. Which historic pandemic, beginning around 2019-2020, caused a major global health and economic crisis?

- ✓ (A) **COVID-19 pandemic**
- (B) Spanish Flu (1918)
- (C) SARS outbreak (2003)
- (D) Ebola outbreak

Q50. Which South Korean stock market index tracks major companies listed in Seoul?

- ✓ **(A) KOSPI**
(B) Nikkei 225
(C) Hang Seng Index
(D) Shanghai Composite