

Pakistan Railways - Ticket Examiner Written Test 2020

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

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Q1. The capital of Balochistan is:

- (A) Gwadar
- (B) Turbat
- ✓ (C) Quetta
- (D) Khuzdar

Q2. A person with high blood sugar suffers from:

- (A) Asthma
- ✓ (B) Diabetes
- (C) Anemia
- (D) Arthritis

Q3. What is the official currency of Russia?

- ✓ (A) Ruble
- (B) Hryvnia
- (C) Lira
- (D) Dinar

Q4. Which memory is fastest?

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

Q5. If 8 workers finish a job in 6 days, 4 workers will finish it in:

- (A) 3 days
- (B) 8 days
- (C) 10 days
- ✓ (D) 12 days

Q6. 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

Q7. 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

Q8. The Simla Agreement of 1972 was signed by Zulfikar Ali Bhutto and:

- (A) Jawaharlal Nehru
- ✓ (B) Indira Gandhi
- (C) Morarji Desai
- (D) Rajiv Gandhi

Q9. At what rate of simple interest will a sum of money triple itself in 25 years?

- (A) 6%
- ✓ (B) 8%
- (C) 10%
- (D) 12%

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Q10. The number  $0.5 \times 0.5$  equals:

- (A) 0.10
- ✓ (B) **0.25**
- (C) 0.50
- (D) 1.00

Q11. The Maghrib prayer has how many Farz rakats?

- (A) 2
- ✓ (B) **3**
- (C) 4
- (D) 5

Q12. The International Court of Justice is seated in:

- (A) Geneva
- (B) New York
- ✓ (C) **The Hague**
- (D) Vienna

Q13. The idiom 'crocodile tears' means:

- (A) Real grief
- ✓ (B) **False or pretended sympathy**
- (C) Great fear
- (D) Sudden anger

Q14. The first Constitution of Pakistan was enforced in:

- (A) 1947
- ✓ (B) **1956**
- (C) 1962
- (D) 1973

Q15. The Durand Line is the border between Pakistan and:

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

Q16. 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

Q17. The compound interest on Rs. 8,000 at 5% for 2 years is:

- (A) Rs. 800
- (B) Rs. 810
- ✓ (C) **Rs. 820**
- (D) Rs. 840

Q18. The gland called the 'master gland' of the body is the:

- (A) Thyroid
- ✓ (B) **Pituitary**
- (C) Adrenal
- (D) Pancreas

Q19. Which UN agency addresses global food security and agricultural development?

✓ (A) **Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)**

(B) WHO

(C) UNESCO

(D) UNICEF

Q20. 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)

Q21. 1 KB (kilobyte) equals:

(A) 100 bytes

(B) 1000 bits

✓ (C) **1024 bytes**

(D) 1024 bits

Q22. The opposite gender of 'nephew' is:

(A) Uncle

✓ (B) **Niece**

(C) Aunt

(D) Cousin

Q23. The area of a rectangle with length 8 and width 5 is:

(A) 13

(B) 26

✓ (C) **40**

(D) 80

Q24. Which boxer, known for the phrase 'float like a butterfly, sting like a bee', became a global icon in the sport?

✓ (A) **Muhammad Ali**

(B) Mike Tyson

(C) Floyd Mayweather

(D) George Foreman

Q25. A completes a job in 10 days and B in 15 days. Working together they finish it in:

(A) 5 days

✓ (B) **6 days**

(C) 7.5 days

(D) 8 days

Q26. How many minutes are in 2.5 hours?

(A) 120

(B) 130

✓ (C) **150**

(D) 160

Q27. Which company developed the Claude family of AI models?

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

Q28. The call to prayer is known as:

- (A) Iqamah
- ✓ (B) Azan
- (C) Takbir
- (D) Talbiyah

Q29. 15% of 400 is:

- (A) 45
- (B) 50
- ✓ (C) 60
- (D) 65

Q30. The idiom 'a white elephant' means:

- (A) A rare animal
- ✓ (B) A costly but useless possession
- (C) A great treasure
- (D) A lucky charm

Q31. The value of x in the equation  $4x + 8 = 20$  is:

- (A) 2
- ✓ (B) 3
- (C) 4
- (D) 5

Q32. Who is the current President of the United States (as of 2026)?

- ✓ (A) Donald Trump
- (B) Joe Biden
- (C) Kamala Harris
- (D) Barack Obama

Q33. The chemical formula of water is:

- (A) CO<sub>2</sub>
- ✓ (B) H<sub>2</sub>O
- (C) O<sub>2</sub>
- (D) H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

Q34. A worker earns Rs. 500 daily. His earning in 6 days is:

- (A) Rs. 2500
- ✓ (B) Rs. 3000
- (C) Rs. 3500
- (D) Rs. 4000

Q35. Which revolution in 1917 led to the establishment of the Soviet Union?

- ✓ (A) Russian Revolution
- (B) French Revolution
- (C) American Revolution
- (D) Chinese Revolution

Q36. If it rains, we \_\_\_\_\_ at home.

- (A) stayed
- ✓ (B) **will stay**
- (C) would stay
- (D) stay

Q37. Which UK political figure, a former Greater Manchester Mayor, emerged as the frontrunner to succeed Keir Starmer in 2026?

- ✓ (A) **Andy Burnham**
- (B) Rachel Reeves
- (C) David Lammy
- (D) Wes Streeting

Q38. Which gas is most abundant in Earth's atmosphere?

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

Q39. The median of 3, 7, 9, 15 and 21 is:

- (A) 7
- ✓ (B) **9**
- (C) 11
- (D) 15

Q40. The Quaid-e-Azam joined the Muslim League in:

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

Q41. Which country hosted the 2020 Summer Olympics, delayed to 2021 due to the pandemic?

- ✓ (A) **Japan**
- (B) France
- (C) United Kingdom
- (D) Brazil

Q42. The 'Ring of Fire', a zone of volcanoes and earthquakes, encircles the:

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

Q43. Venice, the Italian city built on a lagoon, is famous for its:

- (A) Deserts
- ✓ (B) **Canals**
- (C) Volcanoes
- (D) Skyscrapers

**Q44. Which American football league organizes the Super Bowl championship game annually?**

- ✓ **(A) National Football League (NFL)**
- (B) NBA
- (C) MLB
- (D) NHL

**Q45. An electric transformer works on the principle of:**

- (A) Static electricity
- ✓ **(B) Electromagnetic induction**
- (C) Thermal expansion
- (D) Photoelectric effect

**Q46. Which Mother of the Believers narrated the largest number of Ahadith?**

- (A) Hazrat Khadija (RA)
- (B) Hazrat Hafsa (RA)
- ✓ **(C) Hazrat Aisha (RA)**
- (D) Hazrat Zainab (RA)

**Q47. The largest archipelago in the world is:**

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

**Q48. Neither he nor his friends \_\_\_\_\_ present at the meeting.**

- (A) was
- (B) is
- ✓ **(C) were**
- (D) has been

**Q49. The shortest Surah of the Holy Quran is:**

- (A) Al-Ikhlās
- ✓ **(B) Al-Kausar**
- (C) Al-Nas
- (D) Al-Asr

**Q50. Pakistan won the T20 Cricket World Cup in:**

- (A) 2007
- ✓ **(B) 2009**
- (C) 2010
- (D) 2012