

Q1. The first Nobel Prizes were awarded in:

- (A) 1895
- ✓ (B) **1901**
- (C) 1905
- (D) 1911

Q2. Which country is known as the 'Land of a Thousand Lakes'?

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

Q3. What is the capital of Canada?

- (A) Toronto
- ✓ (B) **Ottawa**
- (C) Vancouver
- (D) Montreal

Q4. The largest organ of the human body is the:

- (A) Liver
- (B) Brain
- ✓ (C) **Skin**
- (D) Heart

Q5. Which company operates the world's most widely used internet search engine?

- ✓ (A) **Google**
- (B) Microsoft (Bing)
- (C) Yahoo
- (D) Apple

Q6. Antonio Guterres, the UN Secretary-General, hails from which country?

- ✓ (A) **Portugal**
- (B) Spain
- (C) Brazil
- (D) Italy

Q7. The Faisal Mosque, one of the largest mosques in the world, is located in:

- (A) Lahore
- (B) Karachi
- ✓ (C) **Islamabad**
- (D) Multan

Q8. The shortcut key to select all is:

- (A) Ctrl + S
- ✓ (B) **Ctrl + A**
- (C) Ctrl + E
- (D) Ctrl + L

Q9. Who is the current President of China?

- ✓ (A) **Xi Jinping**
- (B) Li Qiang
- (C) Hu Jintao
- (D) Jiang Zemin

Q10. Which country's leader, Volodymyr Zelenskyy, continued to lead wartime governance through the ongoing conflict with Russia?

- ✓ (A) **Ukraine**
- (B) Belarus
- (C) Moldova
- (D) Georgia

Q11. Which China-led regional cooperation organization includes countries like Russia, India, Pakistan and Central Asian states?

- ✓ (A) **Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO)**
- (B) BRICS
- (C) ASEAN
- (D) OPEC

Q12. CPU stands for:

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

Q13. Which planet is called the 'Red Planet'?

- (A) Venus
- (B) Jupiter
- ✓ (C) **Mars**
- (D) Mercury

Q14. How many pillars does Islam have?

- (A) 3
- (B) 4
- ✓ (C) **5**
- (D) 6

Q15. Which country's parliament is known as the 'Duma' (specifically its lower house)?

- ✓ (A) **Russia**
- (B) Ukraine
- (C) Belarus
- (D) Kazakhstan

Q16. The Statue of Liberty is located in which city?

- (A) Washington D.C.
- (B) Los Angeles
- ✓ (C) **New York**
- (D) Chicago

Q17. The Taj Mahal is located in:

- (A) Delhi
- (B) Lahore
- ✓ (C) **Agra**
- (D) Jaipur

Q18. The headquarters of the IMF and World Bank are in:

- (A) New York
- ✓ (B) **Washington D.C.**
- (C) Geneva
- (D) London

Q19. Which company created the Android operating system's current development?

- (A) Apple
- (B) Microsoft
- ✓ (C) **Google**
- (D) Samsung

Q20. If $3x = 27$, then $x = ?$

- (A) 3
- (B) 6
- ✓ (C) **9**
- (D) 12

Q21. The unit of electric power is the:

- (A) Volt
- (B) Ampere
- ✓ (C) **Watt**
- (D) Ohm

Q22. The youngest recipient of Nishan-e-Haider is:

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

Q23. The collection of the Prophet's (PBUH) sayings is called:

- (A) Fiqh
- ✓ (B) **Hadith**
- (C) Tafsir
- (D) Seerah

Q24. 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)

Q25. The past tense of 'go' is:

- (A) Goed
- (B) Gone
- ✓ (C) **Went**
- (D) Going

Q26. The Lahore (Pakistan) Resolution of 1940 was moved by:

- (A) Liaquat Ali Khan
- ✓ (B) **A.K. Fazlul Haq**
- (C) Sardar Aurangzeb
- (D) Khawaja Nazimuddin

Q27. An earthquake is measured by a:

- (A) Barometer
- ✓ (B) **Seismograph**
- (C) Thermometer
- (D) Lactometer

Q28. Which sport features the 'Grand Slam' concept across four major tennis tournaments annually?

- ✓ (A) **Tennis**
- (B) Golf (which has its own separate major concept)
- (C) Cricket
- (D) Swimming

Q29. The Lahore Resolution was presented by:

- (A) Liaquat Ali Khan
- ✓ (B) **A.K. Fazlul Haq**
- (C) Sir Sikandar Hayat
- (D) Khawaja Nazimuddin

Q30. Which country's Prime Minister, Kristalina Georgieva, has led an important international financial institution rather than a national government (clarifying her actual role)?

- ✓ (A) **Georgieva leads the IMF as Managing Director, not a national government**
- (B) Bulgaria's Prime Minister
- (C) Romania's Prime Minister
- (D) Greece's Prime Minister

Q31. Which is the tallest mountain in the world?

- ✓ (A) **Mount Everest**
- (B) K2
- (C) Kangchenjunga
- (D) Denali

Q32. Which country's political and economic developments in 2025-2026 included large-scale privatisation reforms recommended by the IMF?

- ✓ (A) **Pakistan, among various countries pursuing IMF-linked reforms**
- (B) Only the United States
- (C) Only Germany
- (D) Only Japan

Q33. What is the capital of Ukraine?

- (A) Kharkiv
- ✓ (B) **Kyiv**
- (C) Lviv
- (D) Odesa

Q34. 'Khateeb-ul-Anbia' (Orator of the Prophets) is the title of:

- (A) Hazrat Musa (AS)
- ✓ (B) **Hazrat Shoaib (AS)**
- (C) Hazrat Yousuf (AS)
- (D) Hazrat Haroon (AS)

Q35. Choose the one-word substitute: 'A person who saves money':

- (A) Spendthrift
- ✓ (B) Miser
- (C) Economical
- (D) Banker

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

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

Q37. $144 \div 12 = ?$

- (A) 10
- (B) 11
- ✓ (C) 12
- (D) 14

Q38. Choose the antonym of 'Transparent':

- (A) Clear
- ✓ (B) Opaque
- (C) Bright
- (D) Thin

Q39. The 3rd June Plan for the partition of India was announced by:

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

Q40. Which company developed the Claude family of AI models?

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

Q41. 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

Q42. Choose the antonym of 'Import':

- ✓ (A) Export
- (B) Trade
- (C) Transport
- (D) Deport

Q43. Which dynasty ruled China for over two centuries until its fall in 1912, marking the end of imperial rule?

- ✓ **(A) Qing Dynasty**
- (B) Ming Dynasty
- (C) Han Dynasty
- (D) Tang Dynasty

Q44. The plural of 'Leaf' is:

- (A) Leafs
- ✓ **(B) Leaves**
- (C) Leafes
- (D) Leavies

Q45. Which of these is an operating system for mobile phones?

- (A) Windows XP
- ✓ **(B) Android**
- (C) MS Office
- (D) Oracle

Q46. Which entrepreneur leads companies including Tesla, SpaceX, and has been involved with the social platform X (formerly Twitter)?

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

Q47. Which is the lightest gas?

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

Q48. Which language do computers understand directly?

- (A) English
- (B) Assembly
- ✓ **(C) Binary (machine language)**
- (D) Python

Q49. A file with the extension .docx belongs to:

- (A) MS Excel
- ✓ **(B) MS Word**
- (C) MS PowerPoint
- (D) Notepad

Q50. What is the capital of Lebanon?

- (A) Tripoli
- ✓ **(B) Beirut**
- (C) Sidon
- (D) Byblos