

Q1. Which body administers the Nobel Prizes, based in Sweden (with the Peace Prize awarded separately in Norway)?

- ✓ (A) **The Nobel Foundation (Sweden), with the Peace Prize administered in Norway**
- (B) United Nations
- (C) European Union
- (D) World Economic Forum

Q2. Which body oversees international standards for intellectual property rights?

- ✓ (A) **World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)**
- (B) WTO alone
- (C) WHO
- (D) UNESCO

Q3. Choose the synonym of 'Annual':

- (A) Monthly
- (B) Weekly
- ✓ (C) **Yearly**
- (D) Daily

Q4. Which technology company developed the widely used ChatGPT conversational AI system?

- ✓ (A) **OpenAI**
- (B) Google
- (C) Meta
- (D) Microsoft (a major investor, not the originating developer)

Q5. Which Chinese leader is credited with initiating major economic reforms and opening China's economy from the late 1970s?

- ✓ (A) **Deng Xiaoping**
- (B) Mao Zedong
- (C) Xi Jinping
- (D) Sun Yat-sen

Q6. Milk is a good source of:

- (A) Iron
- ✓ (B) **Calcium**
- (C) Iodine
- (D) Vitamin C

Q7. The Lahore Resolution was passed in:

- (A) 1930
- (B) 1935
- ✓ (C) **1940**
- (D) 1947

Q8. The 'Muwatta' is the famous Hadith collection of:

- (A) Imam Bukhari
- ✓ (B) **Imam Malik**
- (C) Imam Muslim
- (D) Imam Ahmad

Q9. Rs. 60 is divided between Ali and Bilal in the ratio 2:3. Ali receives:

(A) Rs. 20

✓ (B) **Rs. 24**

(C) Rs. 30

(D) Rs. 36

Q10. The 'Father of the Nation' of India is:

(A) Nehru

✓ (B) **Gandhi**

(C) Patel

(D) Ambedkar

Q11. The probability of drawing a king from a standard pack of 52 cards is:

(A) $\frac{1}{4}$

✓ (B) **$\frac{1}{13}$**

(C) $\frac{1}{26}$

(D) $\frac{4}{13}$

Q12. Which country's unification in 1871, under Otto von Bismarck's leadership, reshaped European geopolitics?

✓ (A) **Germany**

(B) Italy

(C) Austria

(D) Poland

Q13. A doctor who treats teeth is called a:

(A) Surgeon

✓ (B) **Dentist**

(C) Optician

(D) Physician

Q14. Which historic disaster in 1986 involved a nuclear power plant explosion in Ukraine (then USSR)?

✓ (A) **Chernobyl disaster**

(B) Fukushima disaster

(C) Three Mile Island incident

(D) Bhopal disaster

Q15. The largest bird in the world is the:

(A) Eagle

✓ (B) **Ostrich**

(C) Albatross

(D) Peacock

Q16. The committee _____ divided in its opinion.

(A) was

✓ (B) **were**

(C) is always

(D) have

Q17. The Khilafat Movement formally began in:

- (A) 1918
- ✓ (B) **1919**
- (C) 1920
- (D) 1922

Q18. Which mountain range contains Mount Everest?

- ✓ (A) **Himalayas**
- (B) Andes
- (C) Alps
- (D) Rockies

Q19. The largest gulf in the world is the:

- (A) Persian Gulf
- (B) Gulf of Aden
- ✓ (C) **Gulf of Mexico**
- (D) Gulf of Oman

Q20. Choose the antonym of 'Scarcity':

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

Q21. Who is widely regarded as the first President of the United States?

- ✓ (A) **George Washington**
- (B) Thomas Jefferson
- (C) Abraham Lincoln
- (D) John Adams

Q22. The capital of Punjab province is:

- (A) Multan
- (B) Rawalpindi
- ✓ (C) **Lahore**
- (D) Faisalabad

Q23. A permanent storage device in a computer is the:

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

Q24. The currency of Bangladesh is the:

- (A) Rupee
- ✓ (B) **Taka**
- (C) Ringgit
- (D) Rupiah

Q25. Photosynthesis in plants takes place mainly in the:

- (A) Roots
- (B) Stem
- ✓ (C) **Leaves**
- (D) Flowers

Q26. How many bones does an adult human have?

- (A) 106
- ✓ (B) **206**
- (C) 306
- (D) 406

Q27. Choose the correct sentence:

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

Q28. Which attacks on 11 September 2001 significantly reshaped US foreign policy and global security priorities?

- ✓ (A) **The September 11 attacks**
- (B) The Pearl Harbor attack
- (C) The Oklahoma City bombing
- (D) The London bombings

Q29. The average of 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 is:

- (A) 5
- ✓ (B) **6**
- (C) 7
- (D) 8

Q30. 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

Q31. Which country's president, Anura Kumara Disanayake, was elected in 2024 following a period of severe economic crisis?

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

Q32. Which Israeli-Hamas conflict, ongoing since October 2023, has seen extensive humanitarian crises in Gaza through 2025-2026?

- ✓ (A) **The Gaza war**
- (B) The Yom Kippur War (a historic, distinct conflict)
- (C) The Six-Day War (a historic, distinct conflict)
- (D) The Suez Crisis (a historic, distinct conflict)

Q33. The highest mountain range partly located in Pakistan is the:

- (A) Himalayas
- ✓ (B) **Karakoram**
- (C) Hindu Kush
- (D) Sulaiman

Q34. The device that converts electrical energy into mechanical energy is a:

- (A) Generator
- ✓ (B) **Motor**
- (C) Transformer
- (D) Battery

Q35. Which continental organization promotes unity and cooperation among African nations, succeeding the Organization of African Unity?

- ✓ (A) **African Union (AU)**
- (B) SAARC
- (C) ASEAN
- (D) Arab League

Q36. The currency of Indonesia is the:

- (A) Ringgit
- (B) Baht
- ✓ (C) **Rupiah**
- (D) Peso

Q37. The largest archipelago in the world is:

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

Q38. The first revelation came to the Holy Prophet (PBUH) in:

- (A) Cave Thaur
- ✓ (B) **Cave Hira**
- (C) Masjid-e-Nabwi
- (D) Mina

Q39. What is the capital of Libya?

- (A) Benghazi
- ✓ (B) **Tripoli**
- (C) Misrata
- (D) Sabha

Q40. In which year did World War I begin?

- ✓ (A) **1914**
- (B) 1918
- (C) 1939
- (D) 1945

Q41. What is the capital of Ghana?

- (A) Kumasi
- ✓ (B) **Accra**
- (C) Tamale
- (D) Cape Coast

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Q42. Which Indian cricketer is widely regarded as one of the greatest batsmen in history, holding numerous international records?

✓ **(A) Sachin Tendulkar**

- (B) Virat Kohli
- (C) MS Dhoni
- (D) Sunil Gavaskar

Q43. Which protocol is used to send email?

- (A) FTP
- ✓ **(B) SMTP**
- (C) HTTP
- (D) SNMP

Q44. Who administered the oath of office to Quaid-e-Azam as the first Governor-General?

- (A) Lord Mountbatten
- ✓ **(B) Justice Mian Abdul Rashid**
- (C) Liaquat Ali Khan
- (D) Sir Zafarullah Khan

Q45. Which line separates Pakistan and India in Kashmir?

- (A) Durand Line
- (B) Radcliffe Line
- ✓ **(C) Line of Control**
- (D) McMahon Line

Q46. The file format 'PDF' is short for:

- (A) Printed Document File
- ✓ **(B) Portable Document Format**
- (C) Public Data File
- (D) Personal Document Folder

Q47. Which gene-editing technology, developed in the 2010s, allows precise modification of DNA sequences?

- ✓ **(A) CRISPR**
- (B) PCR (a different, older technique)
- (C) RNA interference (a related but distinct technique)
- (D) Gene sequencing (a broader related field)

Q48. The teacher is proud _____ her students.

- (A) from
- (B) at
- ✓ **(C) of**
- (D) with

Q49. Which country's parliament is called the 'Majlis' in common usage, among others using similar terminology?

- ✓ **(A) Iran, among various countries using similar regional terms**
- (B) France
- (C) Germany
- (D) United States

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Q50. 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