

General Awareness Mega Quiz for SSC (Solutions)

S1. Ans.(a)

Sol. Higher order biotic level includes populations. A population is a summation of all the organisms of the same group or species, which live in the same geographical area, and have the capability of interbreeding. Population is defined as the area where inter-breeding is potentially possible between any pair within the area.

S2. Ans.(c)

Sol. Hydrological cycle is a part of Geological cycle. The example of hydrological cycle is water cycle in which sun plays an important role. This cycle is the only source of water for living organism present on earth surface.

S3. Ans.(a)

Sol. Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award is the highest sporting award in India. Bajrang Punia and Deepa Malik are awarded with this award in 2019. Viswanathan Anand was the first awardee of the Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award in 1992.

S4. Ans.(a)

Sol. Glimpses of World History, a book published by Jawaharlal Nehru in 1934, is a panoramic sweep of the history of humankind. It is a collection of 196 letters on world history written from various prisons in British India from 1930–1933.

S5. Ans.(d)

Sol. Dodge, Goal line, through pass, is some terms associated with the game of Hockey.

S6. Ans.(c)

Sol. Indian and French armies will conduct joint counter-terrorism drills under 'Exercise Shakti-2019' in the Mahajan field firing range in Rajasthan from October 31 to November 13.

S7. Ans.(b)

Sol. The 2019 meeting of Council of Heads of Government (CHG) of SCO was held in Tashkent.

S8. Ans.(a)

Sol. China has officially launched research and development work for its 6G mobile networks. The country only just turned on its 5G networks earlier this month, ahead of an initial 2020 schedule.

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S9. Ans.(d)

Sol. PS Sreedharan Pillai was sworn-in as the new governor of Mizoram.

S10. Ans.(b)

Sol. Abhishek Mohan Nayar born 8 October 1983 in Secunderabad, Telangana is an Indian international cricketer. He is an all-rounder who bats left-handed and bowls right-arm medium pace.

S11. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Great Himalayan National Park (GHNP), is one of India's national parks, is located in Kullu region in the state of Himachal Pradesh. The park was established in 1984.

S12. Ans.(c)

Sol. A type of colloid, of the form of one solid dispersed in another continuous solid is called Solid **sol**. Coloured Gems is an example of solid **sol**.

S13. Ans.(a)

Sol. 'Municipality' means an institution of self-government constituted under Article 243P.

S14. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Prithviraj Raso is a Brajhasha epic poem about the life of the 12th century Indian king Prithviraj Chauhan. It is written by Chand Bardai, who according to the text was a court poet of the king.

S15. Ans.(d)

Sol. Five Indian state shares their boundaries with Nepal. The Indian states that touch the border with Nepal are Bihar, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, West Bengal and Sikkim.

S16. Ans.(a)

Sol. The elements in each group have the same number of electrons in the outer orbital. Those outer electrons are also called valence electrons. They are the electrons involved in chemical bonds with other elements.

S17. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Constitution lays down only two qualifications for the appointment of a person as a governor are:

1. He should be a citizen of India.
2. He should have completed the age of 35 years.

S18. Ans.(c)

Sol. Muhammad-bin-Tughluq was one of the most remarkable rulers of his time. He was highly educated and was well versed in Arabic and Persian language. He was well read in the subjects of religion, philosophy, astronomy, mathematics, medicine and logic.

S19. Ans.(d)

Sol. The aphelion is the point in the orbit of a planet or comet where it is farthest from the Sun. The Earth reaches its aphelion when the Northern Hemisphere is experiencing summer on 4th July.

S20. Ans.(d)

Sol. Cloud seeding is the process of spreading either dry ice or more commonly silver Iodide into the upper part of clouds to try to stimulate the precipitation process and form rain.

S21. Ans.(a)

Sol. Article 15 of Constitution of India deals with Prohibition of discrimination on grounds of religion, race, caste, sex or place of birth. The guarantee under Article 15 is available to citizens only.

S22. Ans.(d)

Sol. The President has the power to direct that the whole or any part of a Scheduled area has ceased to be a Scheduled area. He can after consultation with the governor of that state increase the area of any Scheduled Area. In this way he possesses the power to alter the boundaries of any Schedule area.

S23. Ans.(b)

Sol. The President of India is elected by single transferrable vote.

S24. Ans.(a)

Sol. Sarfaroshi ki Tamanna is a patriotic poem written in Urdu by Bismil Azimabadi of Patna in 1921, and then it was also immortalised by Ram Prasad Bismil as a freedom war cry during the British Raj period in India. It was first published in the journal Sabah, published from Delhi.

S25. Ans.(d)

Sol. Warren Hastings (Governor General of British India from 1773-1784) opened the posts to the public in March 1774. Prior to this the main purpose of the postal system had been to serve the commercial interests of the East India Company.

S26. Ans.(c)

Sol. Jizya was abolished by the third Mughal emperor Akbar, in 1564.

S27. Ans.(b)

Sol. Non-cooperation movement was started by Mahatma Gandhi in 1920 to drive the British out of the country. The Civil disobedience movement was an important part of Indian freedom movement. It was led by Mahatma Gandhi in 1930 against certain laws and commands of the ruling British Government. The Chauri Chaura incident occurred at Chauri Chaura in the Gorakhpur district of the United Province, (modern Uttar Pradesh) in British India on 5 February 1922.



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S28. Ans.(c)

Sol. Faizi was the Minister of Education and a mentor to the sons of Emperor Akbar and poet. Abu'l Fazl ibn Mubarak was the Prime Minister, known as Grand Vizier, of Akbar's court. Raja Todar Mal was Finance Minister of Akbar. Raja Birbal was the Foreign Minister on Akbar's court.

S29. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Kalahari Desert is a large semi-arid sandy savanna in Southern Africa extending for 900,000 square kilometres (350,000 sq mi), covering much of Botswana, parts of Namibia and regions of South Africa.

S30. Ans.(a)

Sol. Amarkantak is the place from where the Narmada river originates. It rises from the Maikal ranges at the height of 1057 meter above the sea level. Amarkantak is located in the Shahdol district of Madhya Pradesh in India. Narmada river mainly flows in the central India.



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