



# *Bloom GK Olympiad Sample Paper 1*

Maximum Time : 60 Minutes

Maximum Marks : 60

## INSTRUCTIONS

1. There are 50 Multiple Choice Questions in this paper divided into two sections :  
**Section A** 40 MCQs; 1 Mark each  
**Section B** 10 MCQs; 2 Marks each
2. Each question has Four Options out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.
3. All questions are compulsory.
4. There is no negative marking.
5. No electric device capable of storing and displaying visual information such as calculator and mobile is allowed during the course of the exam.

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## Section A

- Which planet is also known as the 'Morning star'?  
(a) Venus (b) Jupiter  
(c) Mercury (d) Mars
- It is the second largest dome ever built, next in size only to St Peter's Basilica in Rome. Identify the monument from the given image.



- (a) Humayun's Tomb (b) Gol Gumbaz  
(c) Bara Imambara (d) Bibi ka Maqbara
- The Ajanta painting belongs to the \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Harappan Period (b) Gupta Period  
(c) Mauryan Period (d) Buddhist Period
  - A preliminary or preparatory statement of the constitution is \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Fundamental Duties (b) Fundamental Rights  
(c) Preamble (d) Federal System
  - Which continent has the most number of countries?  
(a) Asia (b) Europe  
(c) Africa (d) Australia
  - Which of the following is the extension to Notepad file?  
(a) .ppt (b) .txt  
(c) .jpeg (d) .bmp
  - Dhyan Chand Trophy is associated with which sports?  
(a) Cricket (b) Football  
(c) Hockey (d) Volleyball
  - Sarnath is related to which of the following events in the life of Buddha?  
(a) First Sermon (b) Last Sermon  
(c) Enlightenment (d) Both (a) and (c)
  - Which among the following animal is found only in Africa?  
(a) Giraffe (b) Okapi  
(c) Pangolin (d) Hyena

- 10.** Which of the following trees is found in hilly and mountain areas?  
(a) Oak Tree (b) Pine Tree  
(c) Cedar Tree (d) All of these
- 11.** Which country has won the highest number of Football World Cups?  
(a) Germany (b) Italy  
(c) Brazil (d) France
- 12.** What is the minimum age prescribed to become the Vice-President of India?  
(a) 25 Years (b) 30 Years  
(c) 35 Years (d) 40 Years
- 13.** Who of these Mughal emperors was known as Prince Khurram?  
(a) Jahangir (b) Shah Jahan  
(c) Aurangzeb (d) Akbar
- 14.** Suez Canal links which two seas?  
(a) Red Sea and Mediterranean Sea (b) Baltic Sea and North Sea  
(c) Caspian Sea and Black Sea (d) Red Sea and Black Sea
- 15.** Which state is known as the 'Sugar Bowl of India'?  
(a) Punjab (b) Uttar Pradesh  
(c) Himachal Pradesh (d) Andhra Pradesh
- 16.** Which among the following is the oldest dynasty?  
(a) Maurya (b) Gupta  
(c) Kushana (d) Maratha
- 17.** The Greenhouse effect is produced in the atmosphere due to which of the following gases?  
(a) Nitrogen (b) Methane  
(c) Oxygen (d) Hydrogen
- 18.** The two states of India through which Tropic of Cancer as well as Indian Standard Meridian passes is \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh (b) Assam and Gujarat  
(c) Arunachal Pradesh and Gujarat (d) Sikkim and Madhya Pradesh
- 19.** The capital city of 'Ashoka the Great' was \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Sarnath (b) Patliputra  
(c) Bodh Gaya (d) Hastinapur
- 20.** The oldest Mountain range in India is the \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Himalayas (b) Western Ghats  
(c) Aravalli Hills (d) Eastern Ghats

- 21.** This building is famous for its roof's architecture resembling shells or sails. Identify the building from the image given below.



- (a) Sydney Opera House (b) Chichen Itza  
(c) The Colosseum (d) St. Basil's Cathedral
- 22.** The Constitution of India is Parliamentary because \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) there is an elected President (b) there is a Bicameral Legislature  
(c) there is a Supreme Court (d) the Executive is responsible to the Legislature
- 23.** To produce high quality graphics (hardcopy) in colour, you have to use a \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Laser Printer (b) Ink-Jet Printer  
(c) Plotter (d) 3-D Printer
- 24.** Which among the following Delta is formed when the Ganga and Brahmaputra flow into the Bay of Bengal?  
(a) Sunderban Delta (b) Mahanadi River Delta  
(c) Krishna River Delta (d) Godavari River Delta
- 25.** The famous monument 'Imperial Palace' is located in which country?  
(a) France (b) Japan (c) China (d) Russia
- 26.** Which of the following is the highest governing body of Lawn Tennis?  
(a) Tennis Association of the World (b) World Tennis Federation  
(c) International Tennis Federation (d) World Tennis Authority
- 27.** A book entitled, 'The Stories of Malgudi Days' was written by \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Abdul Kalam (b) Premchand  
(c) R.K. Narayan (d) Mulk Raj Anand
- 28.** India's first satellite Aryabhata was launched with the help of which country?  
(a) India (b) Soviet Union (Russia)  
(c) United States of America (d) China
- 29.** Which is the largest plateau in the world which is also known as 'Roof of the World'?  
(a) Deccan Plateau (b) Tibetan Plateau  
(c) Mexican Plateau (d) Columbia – Snake Plateau

- 30.** Which of the following is a unique and remarkable feature of the Indus Valley Civilization?  
(a) Religious Practices (b) Buildings  
(c) Town Planning (d) Use of Coins
- 31.** Which comet appears in every 76 years?  
(a) Holme's (b) Alpha Centauri  
(c) Halley's (d) Donati's
- 32.** The imaginary line on the Earth's surface that closely follows the 180 degree Meridian is \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Prime Meridian (b) International Date Line  
(c) Tropic of Cancer (d) Tropic of Capricorn
- 33.** Which is the largest museum in India?  
(a) National Museum, Delhi (b) Imperial Museum, West Bengal  
(c) Patna Museum, Bihar (d) Sarnath Museum, Varanasi
- 34.** The temperate grasslands in Africa are also known as \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Steppe (b) Veld  
(c) Pampas (d) Prairies
- 35.** 'jpg' extension refers usually to what kind of file?  
(a) Image file (b) System file  
(c) Animation file (d) None of these
- 36.** Which state in India has the largest share of population?  
(a) Rajasthan (b) Madhya Pradesh  
(c) Karnataka (d) Uttar Pradesh
- 37.** The great silk-route was opened to the Indians by \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Ashoka (b) Kanishka  
(c) Harsha (d) Sri Gupta
- 38.** Whose achievements are recorded in the Allahabad Pillar inscription?  
(a) Chandragupta Maurya (b) Samudragupta  
(c) Vikramaditya (d) Skandagupta
- 39.** Monsoon is caused by \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(a) Impact of summer temperatures on the seas  
(b) Movement of clouds  
(c) Seasonal reversal of winds  
(d) Rise in temperature

- 40.** The decision of introducing a new ₹ 2000 note was taken by which level of government?  
 (a) State Level (b) Central or Union Level  
 (c) Local Level (d) Both (a) and (b)

## Section B

- 41.** Match the following.

| Name of Sports | Terms Associated with Sports |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| A. Archery     | 1. Knock-Out                 |
| B. Boxing      | 2. Checkmate                 |
| C. Chess       | 3. Penalty Shootout          |
| D. Football    | 4. Bull's Eye                |

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| A     | B | C | D | A     | B | C | D |
| (a) 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | (b) 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| (c) 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | (d) 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |

- 42.** State T for True and F for False for the given statements.

- A. In democracy, people have the power to elect their leaders.  
 B. Monarchy is a best form of governance system.  
 C. Elections are usually held once in four years in India.  
 D. All governments are elected for a fixed period of time.

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| (a) T | F | F | T | (b) T | F | T | F |
| (c) F | T | F | T | (d) F | F | T | T |

- 43.** Match the following.

| Shortcut Keys | Use                         |
|---------------|-----------------------------|
| A. F5         | 1. Delete files permanently |
| B. Ctrl+ Y    | 2. Start Menu               |
| C. Ctrl+ Esc  | 3. Redo last action         |
| D. Shift+ Del | 4. Refresh contents         |

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| A     | B | C | D | A     | B | C | D |
| (a) 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | (b) 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| (c) 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | (d) 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 |

44. State T for True and F for False for the given statements.

- A. Jupiter, Saturn and Uranus have rings around them.
- B. Ursa Major is an example of comet.
- C. Mercury is the nearest planet to the Sun.
- D. The Moon has favourable conditions for life.

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|-----|---|---|---|---|-----|---|---|---|---|
|     | A | B | C | D |     | A | B | C | D |
| (a) | T | F | T | F | (b) | F | T | F | T |
| (c) | T | F | F | T | (d) | F | F | T | T |

45. Match the following.

| Name of Country | Capital       |
|-----------------|---------------|
| A. Canada       | 1. Copenhagen |
| B. Sri Lanka    | 2. Ottawa     |
| C. Denmark      | 3. Cairo      |
| D. Egypt        | 4. Colombo    |

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|     | A | B | C | D |     | A | B | C | D |
| (a) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | (b) | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| (c) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | (d) | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |

46. State T for True and F for False for the given statements.

- A. The Indus Valley Civilization was a rural civilization.
- B. The most important event of Chandragupta's reign was the conquest of Kalinga.
- C. Samudragupta was a great military genius.
- D. Alexander invaded India, after crossing the river Indus.

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| (a) | T | F | T | F | (b) | F | T | F | T |
| (c) | F | F | T | T | (d) | T | T | F | F |

47. Match the following.

| Name of Books           | Author                          |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| A. A Tale of Two Cities | 1. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru      |
| B. Discovery of India   | 2. Rabindranath Tagore          |
| C. Chitra               | 3. Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay |
| D. Anand Math           | 4. Charles Dickens              |

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|     | A | B | C | D |     | A | B | C | D |
| (a) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | (b) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| (c) | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | (d) | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |

**48.** State T for True and F for False for the given statements.

- A. Greenhouse Gas Emissions are considered the major cause of rise in temperature.
- B. Renewable energy can only work when sky is not cloudy.
- C. It is important to protect the environment so as to reduce the destruction of eco-systems.
- D. The Sun is responsible for global warming.

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|     | A | B | C | D |     | A | B | C | D |
| (a) | T | F | T | F | (b) | T | T | F | F |
| (c) | F | T | F | T | (d) | F | F | T | T |

**49.** Match the following.

| Name of Monument   | Location                         |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|
| A. Elephanta Caves | 1. New Delhi                     |
| B. Bara Imambara   | 2. Fatehpur Sikri, Uttar Pradesh |
| C. Humayun's Tomb  | 3. Mumbai, Maharashtra           |
| D. Buland Darwaza  | 4. Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh        |

**Codes**

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|     | A | B | C | D |     | A | B | C | D |
| (a) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | (b) | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| (c) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | (d) | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 |

**50.** Which country has opened the first Islamic school for transgender community?

- (a) Syria
- (b) Afghanistan
- (c) Bangladesh
- (d) Sudan

### Answers

|         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1. (a)  | 2. (b)  | 3. (b)  | 4. (c)  | 5. (c)  | 6. (b)  | 7. (c)  | 8. (a)  | 9. (b)  | 10. (d) |
| 11. (c) | 12. (c) | 13. (b) | 14. (a) | 15. (b) | 16. (a) | 17. (b) | 18. (a) | 19. (b) | 20. (c) |
| 21. (a) | 22. (d) | 23. (a) | 24. (a) | 25. (b) | 26. (c) | 27. (c) | 28. (b) | 29. (b) | 30. (c) |
| 31. (c) | 32. (b) | 33. (b) | 34. (b) | 35. (a) | 36. (d) | 37. (b) | 38. (b) | 39. (c) | 40. (b) |
| 41. (c) | 42. (a) | 43. (c) | 44. (a) | 45. (b) | 46. (c) | 47. (c) | 48. (a) | 49. (b) | 50. (c) |