

Class 3 · General Knowledge Olympiad

Total questions 35	Total marks 40	Time 60 minutes	Negative marking None
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Each question has four options, of which only one is correct. Mark your answer on the answer sheet. The Achievers Section carries higher marks per question. The answer key with full solutions is at the end of this paper.

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General Awareness

20 questions · 1 mark each · 20 marks

Q1. How many months are there in a year?

- (A) Eleven (B) Twelve (C) Ten (D) Fourteen

Q2. Durga Puja is the biggest festival of which state?

- (A) West Bengal (B) Gujarat (C) Punjab (D) Kerala

Q3. Children's Day in India is celebrated on which date?

- (A) 5 September (B) 1 June (C) 26 January (D) 14 November

Q4. Which shape has no corners?

- (A) Circle (B) Triangle (C) Square (D) Rectangle

Q5. What is the capital of West Bengal?

- (A) Siliguri (B) Kolkata (C) Howrah (D) Durgapur

Q6. What is the colour at the BOTTOM of the Indian national flag?

- (A) White (B) Blue (C) Saffron (D) Green

Q7. Which city is known as the City of Joy?

- (A) Jaipur (B) Kolkata (C) Hyderabad (D) Mumbai

Q8. Who flies an aeroplane?

- (A) A pilot (B) A driver (C) A sailor (D) A guard

Q9. Which ocean lies to the south of India?

- (A) The Pacific Ocean (B) The Arctic Ocean
(C) The Indian Ocean (D) The Atlantic Ocean

Q10. Who treats us when we are ill?

- (A) A doctor (B) A tailor (C) A pilot (D) A teacher

Q11. Which festival is known as the festival of lights?

- (A) Diwali (B) Christmas (C) Eid (D) Holi

Q12. What colour is the sky on a clear day?

- (A) Brown (B) Blue (C) Black (D) Green

Q13. What is the national animal of India?

- (A) Elephant (B) Tiger (C) Lion (D) Peacock

Q14. Which is the last month of the year?

- (A) October (B) November (C) January (D) December

Q15. What is the national bird of India?

- (A) Eagle (B) Parrot (C) Peacock (D) Sparrow

Q16. How many days are there in a week?

- (A) Seven (B) Five (C) Ten (D) Six

Q17. How many continents are there on Earth?

- (A) Seven (B) Six (C) Eight (D) Five

Q18. What do we call the place where animals are kept for people to see?

- (A) A bank (B) A hospital (C) A zoo (D) A school

Q19. How many coloured bands does the Indian national flag have?

- (A) Three (B) Four (C) Two (D) Five

Q20. What colour do we get by mixing red and yellow?

- (A) Green (B) Purple (C) Orange (D) Brown

Current Affairs

5 questions · 1 mark each · 5 marks

Q21. Which helper keeps our streets and city clean?

- (A) A librarian (B) A banker
(C) A pilot (D) A sweeper or sanitation worker

Q22. A "green" way to travel to school over a short distance is:

- (A) Taking a helicopter (B) Going alone by car
(C) Riding a motorbike alone (D) Walking or cycling

Q23. What is the capital city of our country?

- (A) Kolkata (B) Bengaluru (C) New Delhi (D) Chennai

Q24. Which day is celebrated as Independence Day in India?

- (A) 1 January (B) 25 December (C) 15 August (D) 26 January

Q25. Which colour traffic light means GO?

- (A) Green (B) Red (C) Yellow (D) White

Life Skills

5 questions · 1 mark each · 5 marks

Q26. You break a classmate's pencil by accident. What should you do?

- (A) Say nothing (B) Blame someone else
(C) Hide it (D) Say sorry and offer to replace it

Q27. A younger child has fallen and is crying. What is the kindest response?

- (A) Help the child up and call an adult (B) Walk past
(C) Tell the child to be quiet (D) Laugh at the child

Q28. Which is the healthiest choice for a daily school snack?

- (A) A fruit (B) A packet of chips
(C) A fizzy drink (D) A bar of chocolate

Q29. You find a wallet with money in the school corridor. What should you do?

- (A) Share it with friends (B) Keep the money
(C) Leave it on the floor (D) Hand it to a teacher or the office

Q30. What should you do before crossing a road?

- (A) Cross between parked cars (B) Cross while using a phone
(C) Stop, look both ways and listen (D) Run across quickly

Achievers Section

5 questions · 2 marks each · 10 marks

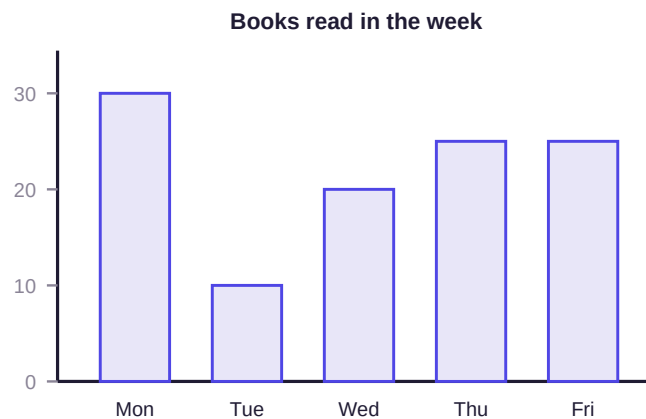
Q31. Using each of the digits 4, 1, 0, 6 exactly once, what is the smallest 4-digit number that can be formed?

- (A) 0146 (B) 6410 (C) 1046 (D) 1055

Q32. $126 + \underline{\quad} = 140$

- (A) 140 (B) 4 (C) 24 (D) 14

Q33. The bar graph shows the number of books read by a class on each day of one week. How many books were read in the whole week?



- (A) 120 (B) 105 (C) 115 (D) 110

Q34. There are 8 boxes with 10 apples in each box. If 51 apples are eaten, how many are left?

- (A) 29 (B) 32 (C) 26 (D) 80

Q35. Choose the correct form: "The ____ playing in the park." (use the plural of 'woman')

- (A) woman are (B) womans are (C) women are (D) women is

Answer Key

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
B	A	D	A	B	D	B	A	C	A
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
A	B	B	D	C	A	A	C	A	C
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
D	D	C	C	A	D	A	A	D	C
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C	D	D	A	C					

Solutions

- Q1. (B) A year has twelve months.
- Q2. (A) Durga Puja is the largest festival in West Bengal.
- Q3. (D) Children's Day marks Jawaharlal Nehru's birthday on 14 November.
- Q4. (A) A circle is round and has no corners.
- Q5. (B) Kolkata is the capital of West Bengal.
- Q6. (D) The Indian flag has green at the bottom.
- Q7. (B) Kolkata is popularly called the City of Joy.
- Q8. (A) A pilot flies an aeroplane.
- Q9. (C) The Indian Ocean lies to the south of the Indian peninsula.
- Q10. (A) A doctor treats sick people.
- Q11. (A) Diwali is celebrated with lamps and lights.
- Q12. (B) On a clear day the sky looks blue.
- Q13. (B) The Bengal tiger is the national animal of India.
- Q14. (D) December is the last month.
- Q15. (C) The Indian peacock is the national bird.
- Q16. (A) A week has seven days.
- Q17. (A) There are seven continents.
- Q18. (C) Animals are kept in a zoo.
- Q19. (A) The tricolour has three bands - saffron, white and green - with the navy blue Ashoka Chakra in the centre.
- Q20. (C) Red mixed with yellow makes orange.
- Q21. (D) Sanitation workers keep our streets and city clean. The answer is A sweeper or sanitation worker.
- Q22. (D) Walking or cycling gives out no pollution.
- Q23. (C) New Delhi is the capital of India.
- Q24. (C) India became free on 15 August 1947.
- Q25. (A) A green light means go.
- Q26. (D) Owning up and putting it right is honest and kind. The answer is Say sorry and offer to replace it.
- Q27. (A) Helping and getting an adult is the caring and safe response. The answer is Help the child up and call an adult.
- Q28. (A) Fruit gives vitamins and fibre without too much sugar or salt. The answer is A fruit.
- Q29. (D) Returning lost property is the honest thing to do. The answer is Hand it to a teacher or the office.
- Q30. (C) Stopping and looking both ways keeps you safe. The answer is Stop, look both ways and listen.

Q31. (C) A 4-digit number cannot begin with 0, so the smallest possible first digit is 1. The remaining digits are then placed in increasing order: 1046.

Q32. (D) The missing number is $140 - 126 = 14$.

Q33. (D) $30 + 10 + 20 + 25 + 25 = 110$ books.

Q34. (A) $8 \times 10 = 80$ apples in all, and $80 - 51 = 29$ are left.

Q35. (C) The plural of 'woman' is 'women', and a plural subject takes 'are', so the answer is "women are".

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