NACT General Knowledge Practice Set – 100 Questions

Class-8th

Section 1 – Static GK (30 Questions)

- Which is the largest desert in the world?
 a) Thar Desert b) Sahara Desert c)
 Gobi Desert d) Kalahari Desert
- 2. Who wrote the Indian national anthem?a) Bankim Chandra Chatterjee b)Rabindranath Tagore c) Sarojini Naidud) Subhas Chandra Bose
- 3. The "Father of the Indian Constitution" is:
 a) Mahatma Gandhi b) Dr. B.R.
 Ambedkar c) Jawaharlal Nehru d)
 Rajendra Prasad
- 4. Which gas is most abundant in Earth's atmosphere?a) Oxygen b) Carbon dioxide c)Nitrogen d) Hydrogen
- 5. The fastest land animal is:a) Tiger b) Cheetah c) Horse d) Lion
- 6. Which is the longest river in the world?a) Amazon b) Nile c) Yangtze d)Mississippi
- 7. Which planet is called the "Morning Star" or "Evening Star"?a) Mars b) Venus c) Jupiter d) Mercury
- 8. Who invented the light bulb?a) Thomas Edison b) Alexander GrahamBell c) James Watt d) Isaac Newton
- 9. The Ajanta Caves are located in:a) Maharashtrab) Gujaratc) Odishad) Karnataka

- 10. In which state is the Sun Temple of Konark located?
 - a) Odisha b) Gujarat c) Tamil Nadu
 - d) Rajasthan
- 11. The currency of Japan is:
 - a) Yuan b) Yen c) Won d) Baht
- 12. Which is the smallest continent in the world?
 - a) Europe b) Australia c) Antarctica d) South America
- 13. The first woman Prime Minister of India was:
 - a) Sarojini Naidu b) Pratibha Patil c) Indira Gandhi d) Vijay Laxmi Pandit
- 14. Which organ purifies blood in the human body?
 - a) Heart b) Kidney c) Liver d) Lungs
- 15. Who is known as the "Missile Man of India"?
 - a) <mark>Vikram Sara</mark>bhai b) A.P.J. Abdul Kalam c) Homi Bhabha d) Satish Dhawan
- 16. The dance form "Kathakali" belongs to which state?
 - a) Kerala b) Punjab c) Assam d) Karnataka
- 17. Which element is used in thermometers?

 a) Silver b) Mercury c) Lead d) Iron
- 18. The Great Wall of China was built mainly to protect from:
 - a) Mongols b) Turks c) Russians d) Japanese
- 19. The first woman to go into space was:a) Valentina Tereshkova b) KalpanaChawla c) Sunita Williams d) SallyRide
- 20. Which is the national aquatic animal of India?

- a) Dolphin b) Whale c) Dugong d) Crocodile
- 21. Who was the first President of India?a) Dr. Rajendra Prasadb) S.Radhakrishnanc) Neelam SanjivaReddyd) Zakir Hussain
- 22. Which is the largest freshwater lake in the world (by area)?a) Lake Baikal b) Lake Victoria c) Lake Superior d) Lake Tanganyika
- 23. The planet known as the "Red Planet" is:
 a) Earth
 b) Mars
 c) Jupiter
 d) Saturn
- 24. Who is known as the "Father of the Nation" in India?

 a) Subhas Chandra Bose b) Mahatma Gandhi c) Bhagat Singh d) Nehru
- 25. Which is the smallest planet in our Solar System?a) Mercury b) Venus c) Mars d)

Pluto

- 26. The largest continent in the world is:a) Asiab) Africac) Europed) SouthAmerica
- 27. The national fruit of India is:a) Banana b) Mango c) Orange d)Apple
- 28. The deepest ocean in the world is:

 a) Atlantic b) Indian c) Pacific d)
 Arctic
- 29. Who invented the telephone?a) Graham Bell b) Edison c) Tesla d)Newton
- 30. Which bird is the national bird of India?
 a) Parrot b) Crow c) Peacock d) Eagle

Section 2 – Current Affairs (20 Questions)

- 31. Who is the current Prime Minister of the United Kingdom (2025)?
 - a) Boris Johnsonb) Rishi Sunakc) LizTrussd) Keir Starmer
- 32. Which country hosted the 2024 Summer Olympics?
 - a) France b) Japan c) USA d) Australia
- 33. India's Chandrayaan-3 successfully landed on which part of the Moon?
 - a) North Pole b) South Pole c) Equator
 - d) Western Hemisphere
- 34. Who won the ICC Men's Cricket World Cup 2023?
 - a) India b) England c) Australia d) New Zealand
- 35. Which Indian city was declared the "Cleanest City" in Swachh Survekshan 2024?
 - a) Surat b) Indore c) Bhopal d) Mysuru
- 36. Which country became the 31st member of NATO in 2024?
 - a) Sweden b) Finland c) Ukraine d) Georgia
- 37. The G20 Summit 2023 was hosted by:
 a) India b) Indonesia c) Italy d) Brazil
- 38. Who is the current President of India (2025)?
 - a) Droupadi Murmub) Ram NathKovindc) Pratibha Patild) MeiraKumar
- 39. Which Indian state launched "Mukhyamantri Yuva Udyami Yojana" in 2024?
 - a) Bihar b) Uttar Pradesh c) Rajasthan
 - d) Madhya Pradesh

- 40. Which movie won the Best Picture award at the Oscars 2024?
 - a) Oppenheimerb) Barbiec) TheFabelmansd) Everything EverywhereAll at Once
- 41. The Bharat Ratna in 2024 was awarded to:
 - a) Karpoori Thakur b) Lata Mangeshkar
 - c) Sachin Tendulkar d) Atal Bihari Vajpayee
- 42. Who is the current Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh (2025)?
 - a) Akhilesh Yadav b) Yogi Adityanath
 - c) Mayawati d) Keshav Prasad Maurya
- 43. COP28 Climate Summit 2023 was held in: a) UAE b) India c) France d) USA
- 44. The 2025 ICC Champions Trophy is scheduled in:
 - a) Pakistan b) India c) England d) Australia
- 45. Who is the current UN Secretary General (2025)?
 - a) Ban Ki-moon b) António Guterres c) Kofi Annan d) Jens Stoltenberg
- 46. Which country hosted FIFA World Cup 2022?
 - a) Qatar b) Russia c) USA d) France
- 47. "One Nation, One Election" committee 2023 was headed by:
 - a) Ram Nath Kovind b) Ranjan Gogoi
 - c) Pratibha Patil d) S. Jaishankar
- 48. Which country is the largest crude oil producer (2024)?
 - a) Saudi Arabia b) Russia c) USA d) Iran
- 49. Which space agency launched Artemis II Mission?
 - a) NASA b) ESA c) ISRO d) JAXA

- 50. The Indian Stock Market crossed which landmark in Sensex in 2024?
 - a) 60,000 b) 70,000 c) 75,000 d) 80,000

Section 3 – India & The World (Application Based) (30 Questions)

- 51. If the time in London is 12:00 noon, what will be the time in New Delhi (IST +5:30 hrs)?
 - a) 5:30 PM b) 4:30 PM c) 6:00 PM d) 5:00 PM
- 52. Which country shares the longest border with India?
 - a) China b) Pakistan c) Bangladesh d) Nepal
- 53. The Tropic of Cancer passes through how many Indian states?
 - a) 6 b) 8 c) 9 d) 10
- 54. If the population density is 1,000 per sq km and area is 250 sq km, population = ?
 a) 2,50,000 b) 25,000 c) 25 lakh d) 2,500
- 55. Which Indian state has the highest literacy rate?
 - a) Kerala b) Tamil Nadu c) Goa d) Himachal Pradesh
- 56. Arrange west to east: Kolkata, Mumbai, Bhopal, Guwahati
 - a) Mumbai-Bhopal-Kolkata-Guwahati
 - b) Mumbai-Kolkata-Bhopal-Guwahati
 - c) Bhopal-Mumbai-Kolkata-Guwahati
 - d) Mumbai-Bhopal-Guwahati-Kolkata
- 57. Which is the largest island in the world?
 a) Madagascar b) Greenland c)
 Borneo d) New Guinea

- 58. Which river flows through Paris?
 a) Seine b) Thames c) Danube d)
 Volga
- 59. The Great Barrier Reef is in:a) USAb) Australiac) Brazild) SouthAfrica
- 60.1 USD = ₹82. How much for 50 USD? a) ₹4,100 b) ₹4,200 c) ₹4,050 d) ₹4,250
- 61. The Silicon Valley of India is:
 - a) Pune b) Bengaluru c) Hyderabad
 - d) Chennai
- 62. The Suez Canal connects:
 - a) Mediterranean Sea & Red Sea
 - b) Red Sea & Arabian Sea
 - c) Black Sea & Caspian Sea
 - d) Arabian Sea & Bay of Bengal
- 63. Largest producer of coffee is:
 - a) Brazil b) India c) Vietnam d) Colombia
- 64. The mountain range separating Europe from Asia is:
 - a) Urals b) Alps c) Andes d) Himalayas
- 65. Which is the largest democracy by population?
 - a) USA b) India c) China d) Brazil
- 66. Which ocean surrounds Maldives?a) Indian Oceanb) Atlantic Oceanc) Pacific Oceand) Arctic Ocean
- 67. Which Indian city is called "City of Lakes"?a) Udaipur b) Jaipur c) Bhopal d) Srinagar
- 68. Mount Everest lies between:a) India-China b) Nepal-China c)India-Nepal d) Bhutan-China

- 69. Which country gifted the Statue of Liberty to USA?a) Britain b) France c) Spain d) Germany
- 70. Which is the largest desert in Asia?
 a) Thar b) Gobi c) Kyzylkum d)
 Karakum
- 71. Currency of Bangladesh is: a) Taka b) Rupee c) Yen d) Rial
- 72. Which Indian city is known as

 "Manchester of India"?

 a) Surat b) Kanpur c) Ahmedabad d)

 Mumbai
- 73. The Panama Canal connects:
 - a) Atlantic & Pacific Oceans
 - b) Indian & Pacific Oceans
 - c) Red Sea & Arabian Sea
 - d) Atlantic & Arctic
- 74. Which Indian port is the oldest?

 a) Mumbai b) Kolkata c) Chennai d)

 Kandla
- 75. Which Indian state is known as "Spice Garden of India"?

 a) Kerala b) Goa c) Assam d) Tamil Nadu
- 76. Hiroshima is in:
 - a) Japan b) China c) Korea d) Vietnam
- 77. Which line divides India and Pakistan?a) Durand Lineb) McMahon Linec) Radcliffe Lined) Maginot Line
- 78. Which is the smallest ocean in the world?a) Indianb) Pacificc) Arcticd) Atlantic
- 79. Which is the capital of Canada?a) Toronto b) Ottawa c) Montreal d)Vancouver

- 80. Which is the highest dam in India?
 - a) Bhakra Nangal b) Tehri Dam c) Sardar Sarovar d) Hirakud

Section 4 – Achievers Section (HOTS) (20 Questions)

- 81. A train travels 120 km in 2 hrs and 180 km in 3 hrs. Average speed?
 - a) 50 b) 55 c) 60 d) 65
- 82. Shopkeeper bought for ₹500, sold for ₹600. Profit %?
 - a) 10% b) 15% c) 20% d) 25%
- 83. If WATER \rightarrow YCVGT, then RAIN \rightarrow ?
 - a) TCKP b) UCKP c) TCKQ d) TCPK
- 84. You face north, turn right, walk 2 km, left 3 km, left again. Face?
 - a) North b) South c) East d) West
- 85. 2, 4, 8, 16, ?
 a) 18 b) 24 c) 32 d) 36
- 86. Bucket holds 15 L. Tank = 300 L. Buckets needed?
 - a) 15 b) 20 c) 25 d) 30
- 87. A clock shows 3:15. Angle between hands?
 - a) 0° b) 7.5° c) 30° d) 37.5°
- 88. Two numbers sum = 50, difference = 10.

 Larger number?
 - a) 25 b) 30 c) 35 d) 40
- 89. Rectangle's length doubled, width same. Area?
 - a) Doubles b) Triples c) Halves d) Same
- 90. A person walks 5 km south, then 3 km east. Distance from start?
 - a) 5 b) 6 c) 7 d) 8

- 91. If 15 workers build a wall in 10 days, 30 workers take?
 - a) 5 b) 10 c) 15 d) 20
- 92. Next term: 3, 9, 27, 81, ?
 - a) 243 b) 324 c) 162 d) 108
- 93. If 12 pens cost ₹144, what is cost of 5 pens?
 - a) ₹55 b) ₹60 c) ₹65 d) ₹70
- 94. If A = 1, B = 2 ... then word CAT = ?
 - a) 24 b) 26 c) 29 d) 21
- 95. Simplify: $144 \div 12 \times 3$
 - a) 36 b) 42 c) 34 d) 30
- 96. If Monday is 1st, what is the date after 15 days?
 - a) 15th b) 16th c) 17th d) 18th
- 97. Which is the odd one out?
 - a) Square b) Rectangle c) Circle d)
 Triangle
- 98. Cube has how many edges?
 - a) 12 b) 16 c) 8 d) 10
- 99. If 7x = 84, then x = ?
 - a) 10 b) 12 c) 14 d) 16
- 100. Which is greater: 3/4 or 4/5?
 - a) 3/4 b) 4/5 c) Equal d) Cannot say

Answer Key

Section 1: 1-b, 2-b, 3-b, 4-c, 5-b, 6-b, 7-b, 8-a, 9-a, 10-a, 11-b, 12-b, 13-c, 14-b, 15-b, 16-a, 17-b, 18-a, 19-a, 20-a, 21-a, 22-c, 23-b, 24-b, 25-a, 26-a, 27-b, 28-c, 29-a, 30-c

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93-b, 94-c, 95-a, 96-c, 97-c, 98-a, 99-b, 100-b

