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# Class 6 · General Knowledge Olympiad

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| 50 | 60 | 60 minutes | 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. Your teacher has the answers.
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## General Awareness

30 questions · 1 mark each · 30 marks

Q1. Which is the national tree of India?

(A) Mango tree (B) Banyan (C) Peepal (D) Neem

Q2. Children's Day in India is celebrated on which date?

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

Q3. The Great Wall is in which country?

(A) China (B) Korea (C) Mongolia (D) Japan

Q4. Which sport is associated with Wimbledon?

(A) Hockey (B) Cricket (C) Tennis (D) Football

Q5. Which is the smallest continent by area?

(A) Antarctica (B) Europe

(C) South America (D) Australia

Q6. What is the currency of the United Kingdom?

(A) Euro (B) Dollar

(C) Franc (D) Pound sterling

Q7. Which festival is known as the festival of colours?

(A) Onam (B) Diwali (C) Pongal (D) Holi

Q8. How many continents are there on Earth?

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

Q9. How many rings are there on the Olympic flag?

(A) Five (B) Four (C) Seven (D) Six

Q10. Who is known as the chief architect of the Indian Constitution?

(A) Mahatma Gandhi (B) Rabindranath Tagore

(C) Dr B. R. Ambedkar (D) Jawaharlal Nehru

Q11. Which is the largest country in the world by area?

(A) China (B) Russia (C) Canada (D) India

Q12. Who is known as the Father of the Nation in India?

(A) Subhas Chandra Bose (B) Sardar Patel

(C) Mahatma Gandhi (D) Jawaharlal Nehru

Q13. What is the national flower of India?

(A) Lotus (B) Rose (C) Marigold (D) Sunflower

Q14. Which is the longest river in India?

(A) The Ganga (B) The Narmada (C) The Godavari (D) The Yamuna

Q15. Which ocean lies to the south of India?

(A) The Pacific Ocean (B) The Atlantic Ocean

(C) The Arctic Ocean (D) The Indian Ocean

Q16. Which Indian city is famous for the Taj Mahal?

(A) Jaipur (B) Lucknow (C) Delhi (D) Agra

Q17. What is the national bird of India?

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

Q18. On which date does India celebrate Republic Day?

(A) 26 January (B) 15 August (C) 5 September (D) 2 October

Q19. Which musical instrument did Pandit Ravi Shankar play?

(A) The flute (B) The tabla (C) The sitar (D) The violin

Q20. Which festival is known as the festival of lights?

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

Q21. Which line divides the Earth into the Northern and Southern Hemispheres?

(A) The Arctic Circle (B) The Tropic of Cancer

(C) The Prime Meridian (D) The Equator

Q22. Which mountain range lies to the north of India?

(A) The Himalayas (B) The Vindhyas

(C) The Aravallis (D) The Western Ghats

Q23. Which is the national river of India?

(A) The Yamuna (B) The Ganga

(C) The Kaveri (D) The Brahmaputra

Q24. How many players of one team take the field in a cricket match?

(A) Ten (B) Nine (C) Eleven (D) Twelve

Q25. The Summer Olympic Games are held once in how many years?

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

Q26. The Eiffel Tower is in which city?

(A) Rome (B) London (C) Berlin (D) Paris

Q27. Which festival marks the harvest season in Punjab?

(A) Baisakhi (B) Onam (C) Pongal (D) Bihu

Q28. Which is the largest hot desert in the world?

(A) The Kalahari (B) The Thar (C) The Gobi (D) The Sahara

Q29. Which is the largest ocean in the world?

(A) The Arctic Ocean (B) The Atlantic Ocean

(C) The Indian Ocean (D) The Pacific Ocean

Q30. How many days are there in a leap year?

(A) 365 (B) 367 (C) 364 (D) 366

## Current Affairs

10 questions · 1 mark each · 10 marks

Q31. Which organisation brings countries together to keep world peace?

(A) The United Nations (B) The Olympic Committee

(C) The Red Cross (D) UNESCO

Q32. A citizen is stopped from entering a public library only because she speaks another language. Which constitutional value is mainly violated?

(A) Equality (B) Federalism

(C) Secularism (D) Universal adult franchise

Q33. What is the head of government of an Indian state called?

(A) The President (B) The Governor

(C) The Chief Minister (D) The Mayor

Q34. Which Indian mission was sent to study the Moon?

(A) Aryabhata (B) Mangalyaan (C) Gaganyaan (D) Chandrayaan

Q35. At what age does an Indian citizen get the right to vote?

(A) 25 years (B) 16 years (C) 21 years (D) 18 years

Q36. Several countries want one forum to discuss peace after a conflict. Which organisation is meant for this role?

(A) United Nations (B) UNESCO

(C) World Health Organization (D) International Monetary Fund

Q37. Who is the head of the Government of India?

(A) The Chief Justice (B) The Prime Minister

(C) The Governor (D) The President

Q38. A "green" way to travel to school over a short distance is:

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

Q39. What does ISRO stand for?

(A) International Space Research Organisation
(B) Indian Science Research Office
(C) Indian Space Research Organisation
(D) Indian Satellite and Rocket Organisation

Q40. What is the lower house of the Indian Parliament called?

(A) Gram Sabha (B) Lok Sabha (C) Vidhan Sabha (D) Rajya Sabha

## Life Skills

5 questions · 1 mark each · 5 marks

Q41. Four students must submit one model. Two want to paint, but nobody has measured the base. What is the best team move?

(A) Let both paint while others wait
(B) Ask only the fastest student to decide
(C) Start painting and measure later
(D) Assign measuring first, then divide painting

Q42. What should you do with a plastic bottle after use?

(A) Leave it on the road
(B) Throw it in the river
(C) Burn it
(D) Put it in the recycling bin

Q43. Your friend is being teased by others. What is the right thing to do?

(A) Laugh quietly
(B) Join in the teasing
(C) Walk away and say nothing
(D) Support your friend and tell a teacher

Q44. At noon, sunlight is enough, but the tube light and fan are on in an empty room. What should Diya do?

(A) Leave them for the next person
(B) Switch off only the tube light
(C) Switch off both before leaving
(D) Open windows but keep the fan on

Q45. You find a wallet with money in the school corridor. What should you do?

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

## Achievers Section

5 questions · 3 marks each · 15 marks

Q46. A map scale says 1 cm = 10 km. A fort and a lake are 3 cm apart on the map. What is their real distance?

(A) 30 km (B) 13 km (C) 3 km (D) 300 km

Q47. A camel walks easily on loose desert sand. Which feature most directly helps it avoid sinking?

(A) Long eyelashes
(B) Broad padded feet
(C) Nostrils that close
(D) Fat-storing hump

Q48. Riya faces east while holding a compass level. What should happen to the compass needle?

(A) The needle keeps pointing north
(B) The needle turns east with her
(C) The needle points to the Sun
(D) The needle stops moving

Q49. A child often has bleeding gums and slow-healing cuts. Which food pair would best help prevent this deficiency?

(A) Chapati and ghee
(B) Amla and guava
(C) Rice and sugar
(D) Butter and cream

Q50. You see sparks and smoke from a classroom switchboard. What is the safest first action for a Class 6 student?

(A) Fan smoke with a notebook
(B) Alert teacher and move away
(C) Pull plug with bare hands
(D) Pour water on the sparks

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