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Class 10

SUBJECT

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DURATION

60 Min

MAX MARKS

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- All questions are Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) with options A, B, C, D, E
- Each correct answer carries 1 mark. No negative marking for wrong answers.
- Rough work should be done separately. Do not write on question paper.

PAPER HIGHLIGHTS

• Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ)

Five options per question (A, B, C, D, E). Select the single most appropriate answer.

• No Negative Marking

1 mark per correct answer. Zero deductions — attempt every question.

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SUBJECTS

- Cyber
- English
- Entrepreneurship
- Mathematics
- Commerce
- Economics
- GK & Current Affairs
- Science
- Western Music
- Sanskrit
- Indian Music
- Hindi
- Reasoning & Aptitude
- Spell Talent

ALL IOF OLYMPIAD PROGRAMMES

IFCO International Foundation Cyber Olympiad	IFEEO International Foundation English Olympiad	IFEnO International Foundation Entrepreneurship Olympiad	IFMO International Foundation Mathematics Olympiad	ICS Institute of Company Secretaries of India Commerce Olympiad	IFEcO International Foundation Economics Olympiad	IFGCO International Foundation General Knowledge & Current Affairs Olympiad
IFSO International Foundation Science Olympiad	IFWMuO International Foundation Western Music Olympiad	IFSaO International Foundation Sanskrit Olympiad	IFIMuO International Foundation Indian Music Olympiad	IFHO International Foundation Hindi Olympiad	IFRAO International Foundation Reasoning & Aptitude Olympiad	IFSTO International Foundation Spell Talent Olympiad

Q1. This International group is a popular American chain of hotels. Identify its brand name.

[+1]
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- A. Hyatt Hotels & Resorts
- B. Holiday Inn
- C. Radisson
- D. Hilton Hotels & Resorts
- E. None of the above is correct

Q2. Which company is famous for its 'Express Yourself' advertising campaign?

[+1]
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- A. Xiaomi
- B. Samsung
- C. One Plus
- D. Airtel
- E. None of the above is correct

Q3. Which of the following products is associated with the Microsoft brand?

[+1]
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- A. Windows operating system
- B. Google Chromebook
- C. Samsung Galaxy phone
- D. Apple MacBook
- E. None of the above is correct

Q4. Bajaj Auto is the world's third-largest manufacturer of motorcycles and the second-largest in India. Which is NOT a product of Bajaj?

[+1]
[-0]



- A. Pulsar
- B. Ninja
- C. Platina
- D. Avenger
- E. None of the above is correct

- Q5.** This brand's name is a bit more catchy now – which business started off as Blue Ribbon Sports? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Adidas
 - B. Reebok
 - C. Nike
 - D. Puma
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q6.** Which of the following is performed when I respect the ideals and institutions of our constitution and respect national flag and national anthem ? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Perform my Fundamental Duties
 - B. Exercise my Right to Freedom
 - C. Exercise my Cultural and Education Rights
 - D. Exercise my Right to Constitutional Remedies
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q7.** Which of the following article of the Constitution is related to the Liberty of Press ? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Article 17
 - B. Article 18
 - C. Article 19
 - D. Article 20
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q8.** What is the form of government where an elite class of citizens rule? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Totalitarian
 - B. Theocracy
 - C. Monarchy
 - D. Aristocracy
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q9.** In which case the Supreme Court ruled that the Parliament cannot amend the basic features of the Constitution of India? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Golaknath Case
 - B. Keshavnanda Bharti Case
 - C. Minerva Mills Case
 - D. LIC of India Case
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q10.** A command asking a public authority to perform its public duty is called the writ of _____. [+1]
[-0]
- A. Habeas Corpus
 - B. Prohibition
 - C. Mandamus
 - D. Quo Warranto
 - E. None of the above is correct

Q11. Which of the following is NOT a feature of Election system in India?

[+1]
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- A. Universal Adult Franchise
- B. Communal Electorate
- C. Secret Voting
- D. Reservation of seats in the legislature for the members of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes
- E. None of the above is correct

Q12. Who opposed Stalin early in his reign, and was then later exiled and finally murdered in 1940 in Mexico City?

[+1]
[-0]



- A. A
- B. B
- C. C
- D. D
- E. None of the above is correct

Q13. On 17th June 1789, with the failure of efforts to reconcile the three estates, the delegates of the Third Estate voted to call themselves by a new name. What was it?

[+1]
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- A. The People's Assembly
- B. The Committee of Public Safety
- C. The National Parliament of France
- D. The National Assembly
- E. None of the above is correct

Q14. The first UN peacekeeping mission was authorized in 1948. United Nations Truce Supervision Organisation (UNTSO) is also the longest running mission of the UN. Where is this mission headquartered?

[+1]
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- A. Palestine
- B. Israel
- C. Qatar
- D. Egypt
- E. None of the above is correct

Q15. A white serpent wound around a wooden staff (the symbol of the ancient Greek god Asclepius), in front of a map of the world, as seen from the North Pole, extending to 40 degrees South Latitude and flanked by two olive branches, on a blue background is a description of the flag of which UN organization?

[+1]
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- A. World Food Programme
- B. International Labour Organization
- C. World Health Organization
- D. International Courts of Justice
- E. None of the above is correct

Q16. Which country's parliament is called 'Congress'?

[+1]
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- A. China
- B. Japan
- C. UK
- D. USA
- E. None of the above is correct

Q17. Which river drains Lake Baikal, the only outflow of this world's deepest lake?

[+1]
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- A. River Yensei - Angara
- B. River Selenga
- C. River Barguzin
- D. River Turka
- E. None of the above is correct

Q18. Up to a third of its plant life is unique. Due to the island's unusual geography, it has been described as 'the most alien-looking place on Earth'. Name this island which has been designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

[+1]
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- A. Madagascar
- B. Mauritius
- C. Socotra
- D. Galapagos Islands
- E. None of the above is correct

- Q19.** In which African country would you find one of the largest National Parks, which has the largest salt pans of Africa. It is also a haven for diverse wildlife, including four of the Big Five? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Tanzania, Serengeti National Park
 - B. South Africa, Kruger National Park
 - C. Kenya, Masai Mara National Park
 - D. Namibia, Etosho National Park
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q20.** Which is the oldest port in the world which has been in use since around 6500 BC? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Byblos port, Lebanon
 - B. Lothal port, India
 - C. Port of Athens, Greece
 - D. Marseille, France
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q21.** SAPTA trade agreement's primary goal was to promote regional trade cooperation. It is signed by which group of nations? [+1]
[-0]
- A. EU Nations
 - B. SAARC Nations
 - C. ASEAN Nations
 - D. APEC Nations
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q22.** Which one of the following countries was last one to become member of the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC)? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Mauritius
 - B. Nepal
 - C. Sri Lanka
 - D. Afghanistan
 - E. None of the above is correct
- Q23.** In 1992, who was the first film maker to receive the Bharat Ratna Award, India's highest civilian honour? [+1]
[-0]
- A. Satyajit Ray
 - B. Prithviraj Kapoor
 - C. Ashok Kumar
 - D. Dadasaheb Phalke
 - E. None of the above is correct

Q24. Benjamin Franklin was a prolific inventor. He invented the lightning rod, the Franklin stove, studied electricity, discovered the Gulf Stream, started the first library, and on and on. Among his many other inventions, what musical instrument did he invent?

[+1]
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- A. Banjo
- B. Clarinet
- C. The glass harmonica
- D. Oboe
- E. None of the above is correct

Q25. Euro coins and banknotes were launched on 01 January 2002. What was the currency of Portugal before it adopted Euro as its currency?

[+1]
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- A. Franc
- B. Escudo
- C. Lira
- D. Guilder
- E. None of the above is correct

Q26. Eisenhower Cup is associated with which of the following sports?

[+1]
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- A. Golf
- B. Chess
- C. Tennis
- D. Football
- E. None of the above is correct

Q27. Which one of the following is NOT a part of export documents?

[+1]
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- A. Mate's receipt
- B. Certificate of origin
- C. Commercial invoice
- D. Bill of entry
- E. None of the above is correct

Q28. What type of account allows customers to earn interest on their savings while providing easy access to funds?

[+1]
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- A. Current account
- B. Savings account
- C. Fixed deposit
- D. Certificate of deposit
- E. None of the above is correct

Q29. Which term is apt to describe the payout made to shareholders representing their share in the company's profits?

[+1]
[-0]

- A. Coupon
- B. Interest
- C. Dividend
- D. Profit
- E. None of the above is correct

Q30. Exercise Sea Dragon, a multinational anti-submarine warfare (ASW) exercise, involves the navies and air forces of different nations. Which of the following countries is NOT a participant in this exercise?

[+1]
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- A. China
- B. USA
- C. Australia
- D. South Korea
- E. None of the above is correct

Q31. Recently, who has been appointed as Israel's new Chief of Staff?

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- A. Aviv Kochavi
- B. Herzi Halevi
- C. Benjamin Netanyahu
- D. Eyal Zamir
- E. None of the above is correct

Q32. Which country awarded Prime Minister Narendra Modi its highest civilian honour, the Grand Collar of the National Order of the Southern Cross?

[+1]
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- A. Portugal
- B. South Africa
- C. Brazil
- D. Argentina
- E. None of the above is correct

Q33. In August 2025, which state government has launched the 'Garud Drishti' social media monitoring and cyber intelligence project?

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- A. Gujarat
- B. Maharashtra
- C. Odisha
- D. Delhi
- E. None of the above is correct

Q34. On 01 Aug 2025, who was honoured with the 43rd Lokmanya Tilak National Award 2025?

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- A. Nitin Gadkari
- B. Amit Shah
- C. Rajnath Singh
- D. Piyush Goyal
- E. None of the above is correct

Q35. Name the Indian who made history by becoming the first women's World Cup chess champion by winning at the FIDE Women's World Cup 2025 held in Batumi, Georgia.

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- A. A
- B. B
- C. C
- D. D
- E. None of the above is correct

Q36. Who won the Women's Singles title at the French Open 2025, becoming the youngest American champion since Serena Williams in 2002?

[+1]
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- A. Elena Rybakina
- B. Coco Gauff
- C. Naomi Osaka
- D. Iga Swiatek
- E. None of the above is correct

Q37. Who is the author of the recently launched book 'The World after Gaza'?

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- A. Pankaj Mishra
- B. Arundhati Roy
- C. Chetan Bhagat
- D. Shashi Tharoor
- E. None of the above is correct

Q38. Which organisation released the Global Risks Report 2025? This report provides insights into the most pressing global risks and their potential impact.

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- A. United Nations Environment Programme
- B. United Nations Development Programme
- C. International Monetary Fund
- D. World Economic Forum
- E. None of the above is correct

Q39. In June 2025, who was the pilot of the Axiom-4 mission to the International Space Station (ISS) where they spent 18 days?

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- A. Tibor Kapu
- B. Shubhanshu Shukla
- C. Peggy Whitson
- D. Sławosz Uznański-Wiśniewski
- E. None of the above is correct

Q40. From which country did the Indian Army receive its first batch of Apache AH-64E attack helicopters?

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- A. Russia
- B. Israel
- C. USA
- D. France
- E. None of the above is correct

Q41. Commissioned on 18 July 2025, what is the name of India's first indigenously designed and constructed Diving Support Vessel commissioned by the Indian Navy?

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- A. INS Nistar
- B. INS Shankush
- C. INS Viraat
- D. INS Arihant
- E. None of the above is correct

Q42. Pralay is an indigenously-developed quasi-ballistic missile with advanced guidance and navigation for high precision. Which organisation has developed this missile?

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- A. Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL)
- B. Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO)
- C. Bharat Dynamics Limited (BDL)
- D. Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO)
- E. None of the above is correct

Q43. Which movie won the Best Picture Oscar at the 97th Academy Awards 2025?

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- A. A
- B. B
- C. C
- D. D
- E. None of the above is correct

Q44. What is the name of Odia film whose first look was unveiled at 78th Cannes film festival?

[+1]
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- A. Kalahandi Stories
- B. Sambalpuri Saga
- C. Utkal Blues
- D. Baghuni (Dance Like a Tiger)
- E. None of the above is correct

Q45. Who won the Best Director Award at the 71st National Film Awards for his film, 'The Kerala Story'?

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- A. Sudipto Sen
- B. Rajkumar Hirani
- C. Sanjay Leela Bhansali
- D. Vidhu Vinod Chopra
- E. None of the above is correct

Q46. Where was India's first 'Make in India' one megawatt green hydrogen plant commissioned recently?

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- A. Mumbai Port
- B. Chennai Port
- C. Kandla Port
- D. Visakhapatnam Port
- E. None of the above is correct

Q47. Recently, African Swine Fever (ASF) outbreak was confirmed at a pig farm in Ravas Brahmanan village, Patiala, Punjab. What kind of disease is this?

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- A. Fungal disease
- B. Viral disease
- C. Parasitic disease
- D. Bacterial disease
- E. None of the above is correct

Q48. Celebrated on 12th August, What is the theme of International Youth Day for the year 2025?

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- A. Transforming Food Systems
- B. Intergenerational Solidarity
- C. Local Youth Actions for the SDGs and Beyond
- D. Green Skills for Youth
- E. None of the above is correct

Q49. Which country was certified by WHO as having eliminated human African trypanosomiasis (HAT) in August 2025?

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- A. Kenya
- B. Somalia
- C. Botswana
- D. Ethiopia
- E. None of the above is correct

Q50. What is 'Parthenium', also called carrot weed, white top or congress grass, that was recently mentioned in news?

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- A. Drought resistant crop
- B. Traditional medicine
- C. Newly discovered species of Fish
- D. Invasive weed
- E. None of the above is correct

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ANSWER SHEET — 50 QUESTIONS

Q.NO	ANSWER	Q.NO	ANSWER	Q.NO	ANSWER	Q.NO	ANSWER	Q.NO	ANSWER
01	B	11	B	21	B	31	D	41	A
02	D	12	A	22	D	32	C	42	D
03	A	13	D	23	A	33	B	43	C
04	B	14	B	24	C	34	A	44	D
05	C	15	C	25	B	35	C	45	A
06	A	16	D	26	A	36	B	46	C
07	C	17	A	27	D	37	A	47	B
08	D	18	C	28	B	38	D	48	C
09	B	19	D	29	C	39	B	49	A
10	C	20	A	30	A	40	C	50	D

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