



SAMPLE PAPER

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OLYMPIADS

MCQ

FORMAT

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NEGATIVE MARKS

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GK & Current Affairs Olympiad

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Class 8

SUBJECT

IFGCO

DURATION

60 Min

MAX MARKS

50

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

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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 is an American multinational telecommunications company. Identify its brand name.

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- A. Motorola
- B. AT & T
- C. Orange
- D. Bharti Airtel
- E. None of the above is correct

Q2. Which company is famous for its 'Let's Go Places' advertising campaign?

[+1]
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- A. BMW
- B. Audi
- C. Toyota
- D. General Motors
- E. None of the above is correct

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

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- A. Banking
- B. Electronics
- C. Clothing
- D. Infrastructure
- E. None of the above is correct

Q4. Which of the following is NOT a product line offered by Amazon?

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- A. Kindle e-readers
- B. Echo smart speaker Alexa
- C. Prime membership
- D. Roku streaming devices
- E. None of the above is correct

Q5. Which car manufacturer was formerly known as Datsun?

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- A. Volkswagen
- B. Nissan
- C. Ford
- D. Honda
- E. None of the above is correct

Q6. What is a Ganymede in our Universe ?

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- A. Earth's nearest star
- B. Largest comet to hit the Earth
- C. Asteroid
- D. Largest moon of our Solar System
- E. None of the above is correct

Q7. What is the name of the theory that explains the origin of the Universe?

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- A. The Multiverse Theory
- B. The Steady State Theory
- C. The Big Bang Theory
- D. The Oscillating Universe Theory
- E. None of the above is correct

Q8. In 1867, due to financial constraints, this country sold Alaska to USA. Which was this country?

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- A. Mexico
- B. Russia
- C. France
- D. Britain
- E. None of the above is correct

Q9. The first cloned mammal was Dolly, the sheep born in Scotland. Which year was Dolly born?

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- A. 1996
- B. 2000
- C. 2001
- D. 2010
- E. None of the above is correct

Q10. SQL is a standardized programming language. What does it stand for?

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- A. Simple Query Link
- B. Standardized Query Link
- C. Structured Query Language
- D. Sequential Query Language
- E. None of the above is correct

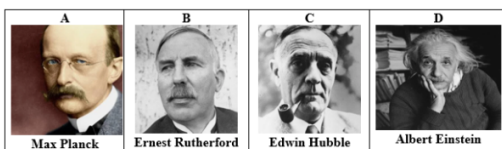
Q11. In case of person experiencing a heart attack, doctors recommend giving them CPR. This can save the person's life. What does CPR stand for?

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- A. Cardiopulmonary resuscitation
- B. Cardio Pulse Recovery
- C. Cardiac Pulse Resuscitation
- D. Cardio-Pulmonary Cerebral Resuscitation
- E. None of the above is correct

Q12. I formulated the famous mass-energy equation $E=mc^2$. My theory on General Relativity is considered the greatest achievement of 20th century physics. I received the Nobel Prize for physics in 1921 for my work on the Photoelectric Effect. Who am I?

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

Q13. A philosopher, economist and political theorist, this German is well-known for his theory that those who provide labour (proletarians) and those who employ people (capitalists) are at odds with each other, as they have opposing interests. Name this person.

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- A. Gregor Mendel
- B. Karl Marx
- C. Lise Meitner
- D. Immanuel Kant
- E. None of the above is correct

Q14. UNIFIL is a peacekeeping force created by the United Nations in 1978 to monitor border areas of two middle east countries. What does UNIFIL stand for?

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- A. United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon
- B. United Nations International Force in Lebanon
- C. United Nations Internal Forces in Libya
- D. United Nations Interim Forces in Libya
- E. None of the above is correct

Q15. Which of the following UN agencies focuses on poverty reduction and the improvement of living standards worldwide?

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- A. International Monetary Fund
- B. World Health Organization
- C. International Labour Organization
- D. World Bank
- E. None of the above is correct

Q16. Which principle does NAM NOT advocate?

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- A. Anti Imperialism and Anti Colonialism
- B. Disarmament
- C. Joining Multilateral military alliances
- D. Promoting economic equity
- E. None of the above is correct

Q17. Which conference is considered a significant step in the formation of NAM?

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- A. Belgrade Conference (1961)
- B. Bandung Conference (1955)
- C. New Delhi Conference (1947)
- D. Lusaka Summit (1970)
- E. None of the above is correct

Q18. Which of the following is one of the three pillars of ASEAN community?

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- A. ASEAN Military Community
- B. ASEAN Political Community
- C. ASEAN Scientific Community
- D. ASEAN Economic community
- E. None of the above is correct

Q19. Where is the South Asian University, jointly established by eight SAARC members states located?

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- A. Islamabad
- B. New Delhi
- C. Kathmandu
- D. Dhaka
- E. None of the above is correct

Q20. The Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT) is a landmark international treaty whose objective is to prevent the spread of nuclear weapons and weapons technology. Which one of the following countries signed this treaty?

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- A. China
- B. Pakistan
- C. Israel
- D. India
- E. None of the above is correct

Q21. There's a series of fantasy novels written by J. R. R. Tolkien about the power of a special object and the Hobbit named Frodo who must carry the precious item through many adventures. The story includes dwarves, wizards, elves and many other fantastical creatures. Do you know the name of the first book of Frodo's travels?

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- A. The Two Towers
- B. The Return of the King
- C. The Fellowship of the Ring
- D. The Fall of Gondolin
- E. None of the above is correct

Q22. The iconic 'Rain Vortex' (world's largest indoor waterfall) is an attraction at which airport?

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- A. Dubai International Airport
- B. Singapore Changi Airport
- C. Frankfurt Airport
- D. Hamad International Airport
- E. None of the above is correct

Q23. Kabul and Kandhar were linked to which historic sea route?

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- A. Silk Route
- B. Suez Canal route
- C. The Cape Route
- D. The North Atlantic Sea Route
- E. None of the above is correct

Q24. Which country did British India fight against in the Sikkim expedition in 1888?

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- A. Burma
- B. China
- C. Tibet
- D. West Bengal
- E. None of the above is correct

Q25. Which woman led her country to a victory in a major war, oversaw its first nuclear tests and was voted 'the greatest woman of the millennium' by the BBC poll in 1999?

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- A. Angela Merkel
- B. Benazir Bhutto
- C. Margaret Thatcher
- D. Indira Gandhi
- E. None of the above is correct

Q26. Who among the following was NOT a member of the Drafting Committee of the Indian Constitution?

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- A. Dr Rajendra Prasad
- B. Dr BR Ambedkar
- C. Alladi Krishnaswami Ayyar
- D. N Gopaldaswami
- E. None of the above is correct

Q27. The Constitution of India provides which kind of judicial system?

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- A. Federal Judicial System
- B. Dual Judicial System
- C. Integrated Judicial System
- D. Religious Judicial System
- E. None of the above is correct

Q28. Which article of the Indian Constitution encompasses the Right to Sleep Peacefully?

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- A. Article 14
- B. Article 21
- C. Article 32
- D. Article 19
- E. None of the above is correct

Q29. If you are planning to travel to Baku on a holiday, what currency will you carry with you?

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- A. Krone
- B. Riyal
- C. Dram
- D. Manat
- E. None of the above is correct

Q30. Konkan Naval exercise, an annual bilateral maritime exercise, is conducted between which two countries?

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- A. India and Bangladesh
- B. India and China
- C. India and United Kingdom
- D. India and Singapore
- E. None of the above is correct

Q31. In March 2025, which country's army took full control of the Presidential Palace in its capital, Khartoum?

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- A. Sudan
- B. Chad
- C. Libya
- D. Ethiopia
- E. None of the above is correct

Q32. Which Indian state recently reintroduced the critically endangered Asian Giant Tortoise into a community reserve?

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- A. Sikkim
- B. Arunachal Pradesh
- C. Assam
- D. Nagaland
- E. None of the above is correct

Q33. In July 2025, what did the U.K. announce that it would allow 16- and 17-year-olds to do?

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- A. Join military
- B. Right to vote
- C. Join politics
- D. Permit alcohol
- E. None of the above is correct

Q34. Which wrestler won India's first UWW Ranking Series gold in Budapest 2025?

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- A. Rahul Aware
- B. Deepak Punia
- C. Sujeet Kalkal
- D. Bajrang Punia
- E. None of the above is correct

Q35. Where was the first-ever Khelo India Water Sports Festival held?

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- A. Bhopal
- B. Kochi
- C. Jaipur
- D. Srinagar
- E. None of the above is correct

Q36. Which Indian school won first prize in the 2025 NASA-NSS Space Settlement Design Contest in the 8th grade category?

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- A. SRN Mehta School
- B. Delhi Public School
- C. Vidya Mandir Senior Secondary School
- D. St Xavier High School
- E. None of the above is correct

Q37. The Dhanauri wetland, recently which is seen in the news due to ongoing efforts to protect it as a Ramsar site and concerns about its drying up, is located in which state?

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- A. Uttrakhand
- B. Uttar Pradesh
- C. Maharashtra
- D. Bihar
- E. None of the above is correct

Q38. From which state were the Prithvi-II and Agni-I ballistic missiles successfully test-fired on July 17, 2025?

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- A. Rajasthan
- B. Tamil Nadu
- C. Andhra Pradesh
- D. Odisha
- E. None of the above is correct

Q39. In which sea India and the Philippines conducted their first joint naval exercise ?

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- A. Philippine Sea
- B. Bay of Bengal
- C. South China Sea
- D. Arabian Sea
- E. None of the above is correct

Q40. What is the name of the high-intensity annual security exercise launched by the Indian Army to protect the Shri Amarnath Yatra in 2025?

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- A. Operation Shiva
- B. Operation Trident
- C. Operation Rakshak
- D. Operation Vajra
- E. None of the above is correct

Q41. Which movie won the maximum number of awards including Best Film and Best Direction at the International Indian Film Academy (IIFA) 2025?

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- A. Article 370
- B. Laapataa Ladies
- C. Kill
- D. Bhool Bhulaiya 3
- E. None of the above is correct

Q42. Which movie got Vikrant Massey the Best Actor Award at the 71st National Film Awards?

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- A. 12th Fail
- B. Chhapaak
- C. Haseen Dilruba
- D. Gaslight
- E. None of the above is correct

Q43. Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) plans to launch the Block 2 BlueBird communication satellite soon. This is developed by which country?

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

Q44. The given picture of Rayyan Arkan Dikha, an 11-year-old boy who lives in Indonesia, went viral in July and helped popularize which phrase? He became an internet sensation for his unique dance moves on a traditional racing boat.

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- A. Rizz maxxing
- B. Barong
- C. Aura farming
- D. Boat flexing
- E. None of the above is correct

Q45. In which state, Vishnugad Pipalkoti Hydroelectric Project is located on River Alaknanda?

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- A. Odisha
- B. Uttarakhand
- C. Himachal Pradesh
- D. Madhya Pradesh
- E. None of the above is correct

Q46. Recently, the Great Barrier Reef recorded its steepest decline in hard coral cover in nearly 40 years due to climate change-induced heat stress, cyclones and coral-eating starfish outbreaks. Where is it located?

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- A. South Korea
- B. Japan
- C. Indonesia
- D. Australia
- E. None of the above is correct

Q47. Where is the newly discovered Harappan site Ratadiya Ri Dheri located? This marks the first Indus Valley settlement in the Thar Desert region.

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- A. Punjab
- B. Haryana
- C. Rajasthan
- D. Gujarat
- E. None of the above is correct

Q48. Typhoon Co-May, locally called Zhu Jie Cao, recently hit which countries with strong winds of 83 km/h and heavy rain?

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- A. China and Philippines
- B. Philippines and Japan
- C. Japan and China
- D. China and Russia
- E. None of the above is correct

Q49. Kabak Yano, a mountaineer from Arunachal Pradesh, has successfully climbed Mount Kilimanjaro. It is located in which country?

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- A. Nigeria
- B. Tanzania
- C. Rwanda
- D. Madagascar
- E. None of the above is correct

Q50. Gavri festival is primarily celebrated by which community of Rajasthan in the month of August?

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- A. Mina community
- B. Sahariya community
- C. Garasia community
- D. Bhil community
- E. None of the above is correct



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TOTAL QUESTIONS

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ANSWER SHEET — 50 QUESTIONS

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

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