

Kerala PSC - Village Field Assistant (VFA)

General Knowledge Practice Set: 30 MCQs with Answer Key

1. Kerala State was formed on

- (A) 1 November 1956
- (B) 15 August 1947
- (C) 26 January 1950
- (D) 1 January 1957

2. Who was the first Chief Minister of Kerala?

- (A) C. Achutha Menon
- (B) E.M.S. Namboodiripad
- (C) Pattom Thanu Pillai
- (D) R. Sankar

3. Who was the first Governor of Kerala?

- (A) V.V. Giri
- (B) B. Ramakrishna Rao
- (C) P. Sivasankar
- (D) Bhagwan Sahay

4. The highest peak in Kerala is

- (A) Meesapulimala
- (B) Chembra Peak
- (C) Anamudi
- (D) Agasthyakoodam

5. The longest river in Kerala is

- (A) Bharathapuzha
- (B) Pamba
- (C) Chaliyar
- (D) Periyar

6. The largest freshwater lake in Kerala is

- (A) Vembanad
- (B) Sasthamkotta
- (C) Ashtamudi
- (D) Vellayani

7. Which is the largest district of Kerala by area?

- (A) Palakkad
- (B) Idukki
- (C) Wayanad
- (D) Malappuram

8. The state bird of Kerala is

- (A) Great Hornbill
- (B) Peacock
- (C) Malabar Trogon
- (D) Indian Roller

9. The Vaikom Satyagraha was held in the year

- (A) 1919
- (B) 1921
- (C) 1924
- (D) 1931

10. Who led the Guruvayur Satyagraha of 1931-32?

- (A) K. Kelappan
- (B) Mannathu Padmanabhan
- (C) Ayyankali
- (D) T.K. Madhavan

11. In which year did Marthanda Varma defeat the Dutch at the Battle of Colachel?

- (A) 1741
- (B) 1757
- (C) 1792
- (D) 1805

12. Kerala was declared the first fully literate state of India in

- (A) 1981
- (B) 1989
- (C) 1991
- (D) 2001

13. Who was the first Malayali to receive the Jnanpith Award?

- (A) Thakazhi Sivasankara Pillai
- (B) G. Sankara Kurup
- (C) S.K. Pottekkatt
- (D) M.T. Vasudevan Nair

14. The first Malayalam newspaper, Rajyasamacharam, was started by

- (A) Hermann Gundert
- (B) Kandathil Varghese Mappillai
- (C) Swadeshabhimani Ramakrishna Pillai
- (D) Benjamin Bailey

15. Who was the President of the Constituent Assembly of India?

- (A) B.R. Ambedkar
- (B) Jawaharlal Nehru
- (C) Rajendra Prasad
- (D) Sardar Patel

16. Who was the Chairman of the Drafting Committee of the Indian Constitution?

- (A) B.N. Rau
- (B) B.R. Ambedkar
- (C) K.M. Munshi
- (D) Alladi Krishnaswamy Iyer

17. The Constitution of India came into force on

- (A) 15 August 1947
- (B) 26 November 1949
- (C) 26 January 1950
- (D) 2 October 1950

18. Fundamental Duties were added to the Constitution by which Amendment?

- (A) 24th
- (B) 42nd
- (C) 44th
- (D) 73rd

19. The Battle of Plassey was fought in the year

- (A) 1757
- (B) 1764
- (C) 1857
- (D) 1699

- 20. The Quit India Movement was launched in**
(A) 1930
(B) 1940
(C) 1942
(D) 1946
- 21. The Jallianwala Bagh massacre took place in**
(A) 1905
(B) 1919
(C) 1920
(D) 1930
- 22. Who was the first Governor-General of independent India?**
(A) C. Rajagopalachari
(B) Lord Mountbatten
(C) Lord Wavell
(D) Lord Linlithgow
- 23. Which is the largest Indian state by area?**
(A) Madhya Pradesh
(B) Maharashtra
(C) Rajasthan
(D) Uttar Pradesh
- 24. The gas commonly used in fire extinguishers is**
(A) Oxygen
(B) Nitrogen
(C) Hydrogen
(D) Carbon dioxide
- 25. Deficiency of which vitamin causes scurvy?**
(A) Vitamin A
(B) Vitamin C
(C) Vitamin D
(D) Vitamin K
- 26. The SI unit of force is**
(A) Joule
(B) Pascal
(C) Newton
(D) Watt
- 27. The largest planet in the Solar System is**
(A) Saturn
(B) Jupiter
(C) Neptune
(D) Earth
- 28. The 'powerhouse of the cell' is the**
(A) Nucleus
(B) Ribosome
(C) Golgi body
(D) Mitochondria
- 29. The largest gland in the human body is the**
(A) Pancreas
(B) Thyroid
(C) Liver
(D) Pituitary

30. The hardest natural substance is

- (A) Diamond
- (B) Quartz
- (C) Graphite
- (D) Corundum

Answer Key

Q	Ans	Q	Ans	Q	Ans
1	(A) 1 November 1956	11	(A) 1741	21	(B) 1919
2	(B) E.M.S. Namboodiripad	12	(C) 1991	22	(B) Lord Mountbatten
3	(B) B. Ramakrishna Rao	13	(B) G. Sankara Kurup	23	(C) Rajasthan
4	(C) Anamudi	14	(A) Hermann Gundert	24	(D) Carbon dioxide
5	(D) Periyar	15	(C) Rajendra Prasad	25	(B) Vitamin C
6	(B) Sasthamkotta	16	(B) B.R. Ambedkar	26	(C) Newton
7	(A) Palakkad	17	(C) 26 January 1950	27	(B) Jupiter
8	(A) Great Hornbill	18	(B) 42nd	28	(D) Mitochondria
9	(C) 1924	19	(A) 1757	29	(C) Liver
10	(A) K. Kelappan	20	(C) 1942	30	(A) Diamond