

Kerala PSC - Village Field Assistant (VFA)

Important Laws - 30 MCQs with Answers

Questions

- 1. The Right to Information Act was enacted in which year?**
 - (A) 2000
 - (B) 2005
 - (C) 2009
 - (D) 2013
- 2. Under the RTI Act, the normal time limit for a Public Information Officer to reply is:**
 - (A) 7 days
 - (B) 15 days
 - (C) 30 days
 - (D) 60 days
- 3. Under the RTI Act, information concerning the life or liberty of a person must be given within:**
 - (A) 24 hours
 - (B) 48 hours
 - (C) 7 days
 - (D) 15 days
- 4. The Consumer Protection Act currently in force was enacted in:**
 - (A) 1986
 - (B) 2002
 - (C) 2019
 - (D) 2023
- 5. The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act was passed in:**
 - (A) 2002
 - (B) 2009
 - (C) 2012
 - (D) 2015
- 6. The Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act was enacted in:**
 - (A) 1961
 - (B) 1986
 - (C) 2005
 - (D) 2013
- 7. The POCSO Act, protecting children from sexual offences, was enacted in:**
 - (A) 2005
 - (B) 2009
 - (C) 2012
 - (D) 2019
- 8. The Information Technology Act was enacted in:**
 - (A) 1998
 - (B) 2000
 - (C) 2005
 - (D) 2008

9. The Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act was enacted in:

- (A) 1955
- (B) 1976
- (C) 1989
- (D) 2005

10. The Prevention of Corruption Act was enacted in:

- (A) 1947
- (B) 1988
- (C) 1999
- (D) 2005

11. The Environment (Protection) Act was passed in:

- (A) 1972
- (B) 1981
- (C) 1986
- (D) 1991

12. The Wildlife (Protection) Act was enacted in:

- (A) 1972
- (B) 1980
- (C) 1986
- (D) 2002

13. The National Food Security Act was enacted in:

- (A) 2005
- (B) 2009
- (C) 2013
- (D) 2016

14. MGNREGA guarantees at least how many days of wage employment per rural household in a financial year?

- (A) 50
- (B) 100
- (C) 150
- (D) 200

15. The Dowry Prohibition Act was passed in:

- (A) 1951
- (B) 1961
- (C) 1971
- (D) 1986

16. The Protection of Human Rights Act, which created the NHRC, was enacted in:

- (A) 1986
- (B) 1993
- (C) 2000
- (D) 2005

17. Who was the Revenue Minister who introduced the Kerala Agrarian Relations Bill in 1957?

- (A) K.R. Gouri Amma
- (B) C. Achutha Menon
- (C) E.M.S. Namboodiripad
- (D) T.V. Thomas

18. The Kerala Right to Services Act was enacted in:

- (A) 2008
- (B) 2012
- (C) 2016
- (D) 2019

19. The Kerala Conservation of Paddy Land and Wetland Act was enacted in:

- (A) 1996
- (B) 2003
- (C) 2008
- (D) 2013

20. Which amendment gave constitutional status to Panchayati Raj institutions?

- (A) 42nd
- (B) 44th
- (C) 73rd
- (D) 86th

21. Right to Education is a fundamental right under which Article?

- (A) Article 19
- (B) Article 21A
- (C) Article 32
- (D) Article 45

22. After the 44th Amendment, the right to property became a legal right under:

- (A) Article 300A
- (B) Article 19(1)(f)
- (C) Article 31
- (D) Article 14

23. Under the Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006, the minimum marriage age for a girl is:

- (A) 16
- (B) 18
- (C) 20
- (D) 21

24. Under the Juvenile Justice Act, 2015, a 'child' means a person below:

- (A) 14 years
- (B) 16 years
- (C) 18 years
- (D) 21 years

25. The Indian Penal Code was replaced by which law, in force from July 2024?

- (A) Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita
- (B) Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam
- (C) Nagarik Suraksha Act
- (D) Dand Sanhita 2020

26. Under the Maternity Benefit (Amendment) Act, 2017, paid maternity leave for the first two children is:

- (A) 12 weeks
- (B) 16 weeks
- (C) 26 weeks
- (D) 30 weeks

27. The Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act was passed in:

- (A) 2005
- (B) 2011
- (C) 2013
- (D) 2016

28. The Kerala Lok Ayukta Act was enacted in:

- (A) 1985
- (B) 1999
- (C) 2005
- (D) 2012

29. The Equal Remuneration Act, 1976 provides for:

- (A) Equal pay for men and women for the same work
- (B) Minimum wages
- (C) Bonus to workers
- (D) Child labour ban

30. The Whistle Blowers Protection Act was enacted in:

- (A) 2005
- (B) 2011
- (C) 2014
- (D) 2019

Answer Key

1. **(B) 2005** - RTI Act, 2005 (fully in force from 12 October 2005).
2. **(C) 30 days** - 30 days from receipt of the application.
3. **(B) 48 hours** - 48 hours.
4. **(C) 2019** - The Consumer Protection Act, 2019 replaced the 1986 Act.
5. **(B) 2009** - RTE Act, 2009, for children aged 6 to 14 under Article 21A.
6. **(C) 2005** - PWDVA, 2005.
7. **(C) 2012** - Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012.
8. **(B) 2000** - IT Act, 2000, the main law on cyber crime and e-commerce.
9. **(C) 1989** - The SC/ST (PoA) Act, 1989.
10. **(B) 1988** - Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.
11. **(C) 1986** - Passed in 1986 after the Bhopal gas tragedy.
12. **(A) 1972** - Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.
13. **(C) 2013** - NFSA, 2013.
14. **(B) 100** - 100 days of unskilled manual work.
15. **(B) 1961** - Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961.
16. **(B) 1993** - Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993.
17. **(A) K.R. Gouri Amma** - K.R. Gouri Amma, in the first EMS ministry.
18. **(B) 2012** - Kerala Right to Services Act, 2012.
19. **(C) 2008** - It was passed in 2008.
20. **(C) 73rd** - 73rd Amendment, 1992 (in force 1993).
21. **(B) Article 21A** - Article 21A, inserted by the 86th Amendment.
22. **(A) Article 300A** - Article 300A.
23. **(B) 18** - 18 for girls and 21 for boys.
24. **(C) 18 years** - Below 18 years.
25. **(A) Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita** - Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.
26. **(C) 26 weeks** - 26 weeks.
27. **(C) 2013** - Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act, 2013.
28. **(B) 1999** - Kerala Lok Ayukta Act, 1999.
29. **(A) Equal pay for men and women for the same work** - Equal pay for equal work, regardless of gender.
30. **(C) 2014** - Whistle Blowers Protection Act, 2014.