

# BPSC Prelims Mock Test 9

## 72nd BPSC CCE Prelims 2026 - General Studies

**150 Objective Questions | 150 Marks | 2 Hours | Five Options Including E = Not Attempted**

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History & Culture	30
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General Science	28
Current Affairs & Schemes	23
Bihar Special GK	10
General Mental Ability	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>150</b>

### Important Instructions

1. Each question has five responses: A, B, C, D and E.
2. Choose only one response for each question.
3. Option E means Not Attempted. Use it when you do not want to answer.
4. Practice marking scheme used here: +1 for correct, -1/3 for wrong, 0 for E. If a question is left completely blank, apply -1/3 as per the new Option E practice rule.
5. The answer key is provided after the questions. Do not check it before completing the mock test.

### Sources Consulted for Pattern Alignment

BPSC Exam Calendar: <https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in/exam-calendar/>  
BPSC Official Syllabus Page: <https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in/syllabus/>  
BPSC Question Booklets Page: <https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in/question-booklets/>  
BPSC Notice on Option E: [https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/BPSC\\_content/Notices/Kaagaz\\_20260502\\_160639877178\\_BPSC-20260502-zjmn51.pdf](https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/BPSC_content/Notices/Kaagaz_20260502_160639877178_BPSC-20260502-zjmn51.pdf)  
BPSC 71st CCE Final Answer Key:  
[https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/BPSC\\_content/Notices/31-10-25-3-Final-Answer-Key-71st-CCE-Pre\\_BPSC-20251031-bmkwic.pdf](https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/BPSC_content/Notices/31-10-25-3-Final-Answer-Key-71st-CCE-Pre_BPSC-20251031-bmkwic.pdf)

## Mock Test 9 - Questions

General Studies - Attempt all questions in 2 hours. Mark A, B, C, D or E.

- Black soil is best known for growing:
  - saffron
  - tea
  - jute
  - cotton
  - Not Attempted
- Consider the following statements: 1. Jallianwala Bagh massacre occurred in 1919. 2. Rowlatt Act was passed in 1935. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - Neither 1 nor 2
  - 1 only
  - Both 1 and 2
  - 2 only
  - Not Attempted
- Which option correctly completes the statement: Hard water contains salts of \_\_\_\_?
  - oxygen and hydrogen
  - sodium and potassium only
  - calcium and magnesium
  - iron and silver only
  - Not Attempted
- Which option correctly completes the statement: Bihar's famous Sonepur Mela is traditionally held near the confluence of \_\_\_\_?
  - Karmanasa and Ganga
  - Ganga and Gandak
  - Son and Punpun
  - Ganga and Kosi
  - Not Attempted
- Consider the following statements: 1. Madhubani painting has a GI tag associated with Rajasthan. 2. African Union became a permanent member of G20 during France's 2011 Presidency. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - Both 1 and 2
  - 1 only
  - 2 only
  - Neither 1 nor 2
  - Not Attempted
- Consider the following statements: 1. Yeast is used in photosynthesis only. 2. The gas used in fire extinguishers is commonly oxygen. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - Neither 1 nor 2
  - 2 only
  - Both 1 and 2
  - 1 only
  - Not Attempted
- Consider the following statements: 1. 42nd Amendment added Right to Information. 2. The Supreme Court of India came into existence in 1935. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - Neither 1 nor 2
  - 2 only
  - 1 only
  - Both 1 and 2
  - Not Attempted
- Quit India Movement was launched in:
  - 1940
  - 1946
  - 1942
  - 1930
  - Not Attempted
- Consider the following statements: 1. Frequency is measured in ohm. 2. Platelets help in digestion. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - Neither 1 nor 2
  - 1 only
  - Both 1 and 2
  - 2 only
  - Not Attempted
- With reference to Geography/Environment, choose the correct option for: Silent Valley is located in.
  - Rajasthan
  - Kerala
  - Punjab
  - Bihar
  - Not Attempted

11. Which option correctly completes the statement: Bharat NCAP is related to \_\_\_\_?
- (A) university grants
  - (B) bank auditing
  - (C) vehicle safety rating
  - (D) rural housing
  - (E) Not Attempted
12. Which option correctly completes the statement: Tilka Manjhi is remembered for resistance against \_\_\_\_?
- (A) British authority
  - (B) Dutch merchants
  - (C) French officers
  - (D) Portuguese traders
  - (E) Not Attempted
13. Consider the following statements: 1. Maner Sharif in Bihar is associated with Buddhist caves. 2. The Doctrine of Lapse is associated with Lord Dalhousie. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
14. UN Sustainable Development Goals target year is:
- (A) 2025
  - (B) 2050
  - (C) 2030
  - (D) 2047
  - (E) Not Attempted
15. Consider the following statements: 1. Ecology is the study of earthquakes only. 2. White blood cells are mainly involved in immunity. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
16. Consider the following statements: 1. Bihar's northern boundary touches Nepal. 2. Khuda Bakhsh Oriental Library is located in Madhubani. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 1 only
  - (B) 2 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
17. In a row of 25 persons, Ramesh is 12th from the left. His position from the right is:
- (A) All of the above
  - (B) 13
  - (C) 14
  - (D) 15
  - (E) Not Attempted
18. Consider the following statements: 1. COP30 is scheduled in Belem, Brazil. 2. India's G20 Presidency concluded in 2022. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) 2 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) 1 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
19. Which option correctly completes the statement: Vitamin D deficiency causes \_\_\_\_?
- (A) rickets
  - (B) scurvy
  - (C) kwashiorkor
  - (D) night blindness
  - (E) Not Attempted
20. Bile is produced by:
- (A) kidney
  - (B) lungs
  - (C) heart
  - (D) liver
  - (E) Not Attempted

21. El Nino is linked with warming of:
- (A) Bay of Bengal only
  - (B) Mediterranean Sea only
  - (C) Arctic ice sheet
  - (D) central and eastern Pacific waters
  - (E) Not Attempted
22. Mithila Makhana received GI tag for:
- (A) Gujarat
  - (B) Bihar
  - (C) Tamil Nadu
  - (D) Punjab
  - (E) Not Attempted
23. Public Distribution System is aimed at:
- (A) stock market speculation
  - (B) judicial appointments
  - (C) space exploration
  - (D) food security
  - (E) Not Attempted
24. With reference to Economy, choose the correct option for: Bihar's economy has a major share of workforce in.
- (A) agriculture and allied activities
  - (B) oil refining only
  - (C) deep-sea fishing only
  - (D) automobile exports only
  - (E) Not Attempted
25. Yeast is used in:
- (A) blood clotting
  - (B) fermentation
  - (C) bone growth
  - (D) photosynthesis only
  - (E) Not Attempted
26. Which option correctly completes the statement: Bases turn red litmus \_\_\_\_\_?
- (A) blue
  - (B) yellow
  - (C) colourless
  - (D) red
  - (E) Not Attempted
27. International Yoga Day is observed on:
- (A) 14 November
  - (B) 5 June
  - (C) 24 January
  - (D) 21 June
  - (E) Not Attempted
28. With reference to Ancient India/Bihar, choose the correct option for: The Allahabad Pillar inscription praises the achievements of.
- (A) Rajaraja I
  - (B) Ashoka
  - (C) Kanishka
  - (D) Samudragupta
  - (E) Not Attempted
29. The monsoon winds in India are caused mainly by:
- (A) earthquakes
  - (B) permanent polar winds only
  - (C) ocean tides only
  - (D) seasonal reversal of pressure and winds
  - (E) Not Attempted
30. With reference to Current/Schemes, choose the correct option for: World Environment Day is observed on.
- (A) 31 October
  - (B) 22 March
  - (C) 5 June
  - (D) 21 June
  - (E) Not Attempted
31. Consider the following statements: 1. Human Development Index is published by WTO. 2. Revenue deficit occurs when exports exceed imports. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 2 only
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted

32. Which option correctly completes the statement: The SI unit of power is \_\_\_\_?
- (A) watt
  - (B) candela
  - (C) volt
  - (D) joule
  - (E) Not Attempted
33. Bharat NCAP is related to:
- (A) bank auditing
  - (B) university grants
  - (C) vehicle safety rating
  - (D) rural housing
  - (E) Not Attempted
34. In a row of 36 persons, Ramesh is 9th from the left. His position from the right is:
- (A) 29
  - (B) 28
  - (C) 10
  - (D) 27
  - (E) Not Attempted
35. Which option correctly completes the statement: Gaya is located near the river \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Falgu
  - (B) Kosi
  - (C) Mahanadi
  - (D) Gandak
  - (E) Not Attempted
36. Which option correctly completes the statement: The first President of the Indian National Congress was \_\_\_\_?
- (A) W.C. Bonnerjee
  - (B) Dadabhai Naoroji
  - (C) A.O. Hume
  - (D) Badruddin Tyabji
  - (E) Not Attempted
37. With reference to Current/Schemes, choose the correct option for: African Union became a permanent member of G20 during.
- (A) France's 2011 Presidency
  - (B) India's Presidency
  - (C) Brazil's 2014 Presidency
  - (D) China's 2016 Presidency only
  - (E) Not Attempted
38. Consider the following statements: 1. BPSC is headquartered at Patna. 2. Ujjwala Yojana is linked with LPG connections. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) 2 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) 1 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
39. Which option correctly completes the statement: The Aravalli Range is one of the \_\_\_\_?
- (A) youngest volcanic chains
  - (B) deltaic plains
  - (C) oldest fold mountains
  - (D) coral islands
  - (E) Not Attempted
40. Consider the following statements: 1. The Ashokan edicts were mostly written in Prakrit language. 2. Indian National Congress was founded in 1916. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) Both 1 and 2
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
41. Eutrophication is caused by excess:
- (A) oxygen in mountains
  - (B) nutrients in water bodies
  - (C) sand dunes
  - (D) helium gas
  - (E) Not Attempted
42. Consider the following statements: 1. The universal recipient blood group is O negative. 2. Newton's third law states energy cannot be destroyed. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 1 only
  - (B) Both 1 and 2
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted

43. Which option correctly completes the statement: The Speaker of Lok Sabha is elected by \_\_\_\_?
- (A) members of Lok Sabha
  - (B) President directly
  - (C) Rajya Sabha
  - (D) Election Commission
  - (E) Not Attempted
44. The Governor of a state is appointed by:
- (A) State Legislature
  - (B) Prime Minister directly
  - (C) President of India
  - (D) Chief Minister
  - (E) Not Attempted
45. Consider the following statements: 1. Gaganyaan is associated with India's human spaceflight programme. 2. The SI unit of power is joule. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 2 only
  - (C) Both 1 and 2
  - (D) 1 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
46. With reference to Modern India/National Movement, choose the correct option for: Champaran Satyagraha was launched in.
- (A) 1919
  - (B) 1930
  - (C) 1917
  - (D) 1920
  - (E) Not Attempted
47. Which option correctly completes the statement: Bihar's state bird is \_\_\_\_?
- (A) House Sparrow
  - (B) Sarus crane
  - (C) Peacock
  - (D) Hornbill
  - (E) Not Attempted
48. Which option correctly completes the statement: Champaran Agrarian Committee included \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Bhagat Singh
  - (B) Subhas Chandra Bose
  - (C) Mahatma Gandhi
  - (D) Dadabhai Naoroji
  - (E) Not Attempted
49. Consider the following statements: 1. Ozone has molecular formula  $O_2$ . 2. Electric resistance is measured in ohm. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 2 only
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
50. Consider the following statements: 1. The ozone layer is mainly located in the troposphere. 2. The Himalayas are young volcanic plateaus. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 1 only
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) Both 1 and 2
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
51. Which option correctly completes the statement: Jal Jeevan Mission aims at \_\_\_\_?
- (A) rural roads only
  - (B) tap water connection to households
  - (C) solar pumps only
  - (D) digital classrooms only
  - (E) Not Attempted
52. In a row of 43 persons, Ramesh is 10th from the left. His position from the right is:
- (A) 33
  - (B) 11
  - (C) 35
  - (D) 34
  - (E) Not Attempted

- 53.** Consider the following statements: 1. Hiuen Tsang visited India during the reign of Harsha. 2. Ashoka adopted Buddhism after the Third Buddhist Council. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 54.** With reference to Geography/Environment, choose the correct option for: The highest peak in India is.
- (A) Kangchenjunga
  - (B) Nanda Devi
  - (C) Anamudi
  - (D) Doddabetta
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 55.** Rahul's age is three times Seema's age. If Seema is 8 years old, Rahul's age is:
- (A) 27
  - (B) 21
  - (C) 24
  - (D) 11
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 56.** With reference to Economy, choose the correct option for: MGNREGA provides legal guarantee for.
- (A) defence pensions
  - (B) rural wage employment
  - (C) foreign scholarships only
  - (D) urban housing loans
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 57.** Consider the following statements: 1. Sufi order of Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti is associated with Ajmer. 2. Sher Shah Suri is associated with strengthening the Qutub Minar. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) Both 1 and 2
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 58.** Vaccination helps by developing:
- (A) bone mass
  - (B) immunity
  - (C) blood pressure only
  - (D) acidity
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 59.** With reference to Bihar Special, choose the correct option for: Buxar is famous for the battle fought in.
- (A) 1857
  - (B) 1757
  - (C) 1917
  - (D) 1764
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 60.** PLI scheme stands for:
- (A) Private Liability Insurance
  - (B) Price Level Index
  - (C) Production Linked Incentive
  - (D) Public Land Investment
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 61.** Consider the following statements: 1. Human heart has two chambers. 2. Tuberculosis is caused by Vibrio cholerae. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 62.** Mahabodhi Temple is a UNESCO World Heritage Site at:
- (A) Munger
  - (B) Vaishali
  - (C) Rajgir
  - (D) Bodh Gaya
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 63.** With reference to Ancient India/Bihar, choose the correct option for: Tilka Manjhi is remembered for resistance against.
- (A) Portuguese traders
  - (B) Dutch merchants
  - (C) French officers
  - (D) British authority
  - (E) Not Attempted

64. In a class, the ratio of boys to girls is 7:8 and total students are 45. Number of boys is:
- (A) 21
  - (B) 24
  - (C) 26
  - (D) 22
  - (E) Not Attempted
65. Consider the following statements: 1. The Regulating Act was passed in 1773. 2. The first newspaper published from Bihar is often identified as Patna Harkara. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 1 only
  - (B) Both 1 and 2
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
66. Bihar's economy has a major share of workforce in:
- (A) agriculture and allied activities
  - (B) automobile exports only
  - (C) oil refining only
  - (D) deep-sea fishing only
  - (E) Not Attempted
67. Consider the following statements: 1. Champaran Satyagraha was related to the exploitation of tea workers. 2. Battle of Buxar was fought in 1764. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) 1 only
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
68. With reference to Constitution/Governance, choose the correct option for: Money Bill can be introduced only in.
- (A) Rajya Sabha
  - (B) Joint Session
  - (C) State Council only
  - (D) Lok Sabha
  - (E) Not Attempted
69. Which option correctly completes the statement: Champaran Satyagraha was launched in \_\_\_\_?
- (A) 1920
  - (B) 1917
  - (C) 1919
  - (D) 1930
  - (E) Not Attempted
70. Consider the following statements: 1. Urdu has the status of foreign language only. 2. The Kosi project is related to urban metro only. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) Both 1 and 2
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
71. Sundarbans are famous for:
- (A) temperate conifers
  - (B) alpine meadows
  - (C) mangrove forests
  - (D) dry thorn forests
  - (E) Not Attempted
72. Consider the following statements: 1. Jal Jeevan Mission aims at tap water connection to households. 2. BPSO Option E indicates the candidate has chosen not to answer the question. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) 1 only
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
73. Consider the following statements: 1. Acids turn blue litmus red. 2. The smallest unit of life is cell. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted

74. Consider the following statements: 1. Greenhouse gas includes carbon dioxide. 2. Vaccination helps by developing immunity. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
75. Consider the following statements: 1. Convex lens is also called converging lens. 2. Sound waves are mechanical longitudinal waves. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 2 only
  - (B) Both 1 and 2
  - (C) 1 only
  - (D) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
76. Which option correctly completes the statement: Mission Daksh in Bihar is linked with \_\_\_\_?
- (A) remedial learning for weak students
  - (B) space research
  - (C) forest survey
  - (D) rural roads only
  - (E) Not Attempted
77. Which option correctly completes the statement: Qutub Minar was begun by \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Alauddin Khalji
  - (B) Shah Jahan
  - (C) Qutb-ud-din Aibak
  - (D) Akbar
  - (E) Not Attempted
78. With reference to Geography/Environment, choose the correct option for: Bihar's climate is broadly.
- (A) monsoon type
  - (B) Mediterranean
  - (C) polar
  - (D) equatorial rainforest
  - (E) Not Attempted
79. Which option correctly completes the statement: Ozone has molecular formula \_\_\_\_?
- (A) O<sub>3</sub>
  - (B) CO<sub>2</sub>
  - (C) SO<sub>2</sub>
  - (D) O<sub>2</sub>
  - (E) Not Attempted
80. Which option correctly completes the statement: Home Rule League movement is associated with \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Rajendra Prasad and JP Narayan
  - (B) Annie Besant and Bal Gangadhar Tilak
  - (C) Gandhi and Nehru
  - (D) Subhas Bose and Patel
  - (E) Not Attempted
81. With reference to Economy, choose the correct option for: Fiscal deficit means.
- (A) total export value
  - (B) expenditure minus receipts excluding borrowings
  - (C) tax revenue only
  - (D) forex reserves only
  - (E) Not Attempted
82. Which option correctly completes the statement: Maner Sharif in Bihar is associated with \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Buddhist caves
  - (B) Mughal shipyard
  - (C) Sufi heritage
  - (D) Portuguese fort
  - (E) Not Attempted
83. Consider the following statements: 1. Electric current is measured in ampere. 2. Insulin is secreted by pancreas. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 1 only
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
84. With reference to Modern India/National Movement, choose the correct option for: Battle of Plassey was fought in.
- (A) 1857
  - (B) 1757
  - (C) 1764
  - (D) 1799
  - (E) Not Attempted

85. BPSC Option E indicates:
- (A) extra marks for a difficult question
  - (B) a deleted question
  - (C) an error in the answer key
  - (D) the candidate has chosen not to answer the question
  - (E) Not Attempted
86. Consider the following statements: 1. UN Sustainable Development Goals target year is 2030. 2. One Nation One Ration Card supports crop insurance. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) Both 1 and 2
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) 1 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
87. A value increases from 73 to 80. The percentage increase is:
- (A) 10%
  - (B) 5%
  - (C) 15%
  - (D) 20%
  - (E) Not Attempted
88. Which option correctly completes the statement: Constitution Day is observed on \_\_\_\_?
- (A) 26 January
  - (B) 2 October
  - (C) 15 August
  - (D) 26 November
  - (E) Not Attempted
89. Which option correctly completes the statement: Transformer works on the principle of \_\_\_\_?
- (A) electrolysis
  - (B) osmosis
  - (C) electromagnetic induction
  - (D) diffusion
  - (E) Not Attempted
90. Which option correctly completes the statement: Rajgir is associated with \_\_\_\_?
- (A) ancient Magadha and hot springs
  - (B) Arctic tundra
  - (C) shipbuilding
  - (D) coastal trade
  - (E) Not Attempted
91. Which option correctly completes the statement: The Indira Gandhi Canal mainly benefits \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Nagaland
  - (B) Bihar
  - (C) Rajasthan
  - (D) Kerala
  - (E) Not Attempted
92. Antibiotics are mainly used against:
- (A) fractures
  - (B) bacterial infections
  - (C) viral infections only
  - (D) vitamin deficiency
  - (E) Not Attempted
93. With reference to Geography/Environment, choose the correct option for: Gir National Park is associated with.
- (A) one-horned rhinoceros
  - (B) Asiatic lion
  - (C) red panda
  - (D) great Indian bustard
  - (E) Not Attempted
94. Which option correctly completes the statement: Balance of payments records \_\_\_\_?
- (A) state budget only
  - (B) monsoon rainfall
  - (C) household savings only
  - (D) economic transactions with rest of world
  - (E) Not Attempted
95. Consider the following statements: 1. Mahavira is traditionally associated with birth at Lumbini. 2. Hiuen Tsang visited India during the reign of Harsha. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 2 only
  - (B) Both 1 and 2
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) 1 only
  - (E) Not Attempted

96. Which option correctly completes the statement: Article 280 provides for \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Finance Commission
  - (B) Election Commission
  - (C) NITI Aayog
  - (D) Union Public Service Commission
  - (E) Not Attempted
97. With reference to Modern India/National Movement, choose the correct option for: Lahore Session of Congress 1929 declared the goal of.
- (A) Separate electorate
  - (B) Purna Swaraj
  - (C) Dominion status only
  - (D) Provincial autonomy only
  - (E) Not Attempted
98. Which option correctly completes the statement: GDP measures \_\_\_\_?
- (A) only exports
  - (B) only tax collection
  - (C) only employment
  - (D) final value of goods and services produced
  - (E) Not Attempted
99. National Science Day in India is observed on:
- (A) 28 February
  - (B) 26 January
  - (C) 2 October
  - (D) 15 September
  - (E) Not Attempted
100. With reference to Modern India/National Movement, choose the correct option for: Birsa Munda's movement is associated mainly with.
- (A) naval revolt
  - (B) Indigo planters
  - (C) salt satyagraha
  - (D) tribal resistance
  - (E) Not Attempted
101. Consider the following statements: 1. Cabinet Mission came to India in 1946. 2. Home Rule League movement is associated with Subhas Bose and Patel. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) 1 only
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
102. The main rice-growing season in India is:
- (A) Rabi
  - (B) Kharif
  - (C) Zaid
  - (D) Winter only
  - (E) Not Attempted
103. Which option correctly completes the statement: Chauri Chaura incident led to suspension of \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Civil Disobedience Movement
  - (B) Non-Cooperation Movement
  - (C) Quit India Movement
  - (D) Swadeshi Movement
  - (E) Not Attempted
104. BPSC 72nd CCE 2026 advertisement was released in:
- (A) March 2025 only
  - (B) October 2023
  - (C) January 2024
  - (D) May 2026
  - (E) Not Attempted
105. Which option correctly completes the statement: Judicial review in India is influenced by \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Switzerland
  - (B) China
  - (C) the USA
  - (D) Russia
  - (E) Not Attempted
106. With reference to Current/Schemes, choose the correct option for: BPSC 72nd CCE 2026 advertisement was released in.
- (A) January 2024
  - (B) March 2025 only
  - (C) May 2026
  - (D) October 2023
  - (E) Not Attempted

107. Which option correctly completes the statement: NITI Aayog replaced \_\_\_\_?
- (A) RBI
  - (B) Finance Commission
  - (C) Election Commission
  - (D) Planning Commission
  - (E) Not Attempted
108. The Speaker of Lok Sabha is elected by:
- (A) President directly
  - (B) members of Lok Sabha
  - (C) Rajya Sabha
  - (D) Election Commission
  - (E) Not Attempted
109. Which option correctly completes the statement: El Nino is linked with warming of \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Mediterranean Sea only
  - (B) Bay of Bengal only
  - (C) Arctic ice sheet
  - (D) central and eastern Pacific waters
  - (E) Not Attempted
110. Gaya is located near the river:
- (A) Mahanadi
  - (B) Kosi
  - (C) Falgu
  - (D) Gandak
  - (E) Not Attempted
111. Which option correctly completes the statement: G20 New Delhi Leaders' Summit was held in \_\_\_\_?
- (A) 2024
  - (B) 2023
  - (C) 2021
  - (D) 2020
  - (E) Not Attempted
112. Consider the following statements: 1. Ibn Battuta came to India during the reign of Akbar. 2. Anugrah Narayan Sinha was an important leader from Bihar. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) 2 only
  - (C) 1 only
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
113. Paris Agreement is associated with:
- (A) postal union
  - (B) maritime piracy
  - (C) climate change mitigation
  - (D) heritage languages
  - (E) Not Attempted
114. With reference to Bihar Special, choose the correct option for: Mithila region is famous for.
- (A) Pattachitra only
  - (B) Warli painting
  - (C) Kathakali
  - (D) Madhubani painting
  - (E) Not Attempted
115. Which option correctly completes the statement: Biodegradable waste can be decomposed by \_\_\_\_?
- (A) microorganisms
  - (B) vacuum only
  - (C) laser light
  - (D) magnetic field
  - (E) Not Attempted
116. Rajya Sabha is a:
- (A) permanent House
  - (B) temporary committee
  - (C) judicial body
  - (D) dissolved every five years
  - (E) Not Attempted
117. Consider the following statements: 1. The Aravalli Range is one of the youngest volcanic chains. 2. Gaya is located near the river Kosi. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) 1 only
  - (E) Not Attempted

- 118.** Which option correctly completes the statement: Indian Independence Act was passed in \_\_\_\_?
- (A) 1950
  - (B) 1935
  - (C) 1946
  - (D) 1947
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 119.** Which option correctly completes the statement: Typhoid is caused by \_\_\_\_?
- (A) HIV
  - (B) Malarial parasite
  - (C) Salmonella typhi
  - (D) Vibrio cholerae
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 120.** Which option correctly completes the statement: The President of India is elected by \_\_\_\_?
- (A) direct popular vote
  - (B) an electoral college
  - (C) Rajya Sabha only
  - (D) Lok Sabha only
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 121.** Consider the following statements: 1. The Governor of a state is appointed by Chief Minister. 2. Article 44 mentions Uniform Civil Code as DPSP. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 1 only
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 122.** Consider the following statements: 1. Hard water contains salts of calcium and magnesium. 2. The pH of pure water is 7. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 2 only
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) 1 only
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 123.** A value increases from 67 to 73. The percentage increase is:
- (A) 15%
  - (B) 10%
  - (C) 5%
  - (D) 20%
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 124.** A vehicle covers 90 km in 2 hours. Its average speed is:
- (A) 35 km/h
  - (B) 55 km/h
  - (C) 45 km/h
  - (D) 65 km/h
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 125.** With reference to Constitution/Governance, choose the correct option for: Article 40 directs the state to organize.
- (A) finance commission
  - (B) village panchayats
  - (C) inter-state council only
  - (D) high courts
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 126.** With reference to Constitution/Governance, choose the correct option for: Article 72 gives pardoning power to.
- (A) Chief Justice of India
  - (B) Prime Minister
  - (C) President
  - (D) Governor only
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 127.** 73rd Amendment is related to:
- (A) Anti-defection
  - (B) Municipalities
  - (C) GST
  - (D) Panchayati Raj Institutions
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 128.** Consider the following statements: 1. Revenue deficit occurs when capital receipts exceed capital expenditure. 2. PLI scheme stands for Public Land Investment. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (B) Both 1 and 2
  - (C) 2 only
  - (D) 1 only
  - (E) Not Attempted

- 129.** With reference to Medieval India/Culture, choose the correct option for: Madhubani painting is traditionally associated with.
- (A) Doab region
  - (B) Malwa region
  - (C) Konkan coast
  - (D) Mithila region
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 130.** Consider the following statements: 1. The term biodiversity hotspot refers to areas with high endemism and zero rainfall. 2. Eutrophication is caused by excess helium gas. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 2 only
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 131.** Which option correctly completes the statement: Patna High Court was established in \_\_\_\_?
- (A) 1916
  - (B) 1936
  - (C) 1885
  - (D) 1950
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 132.** BPSC 72nd CCE Prelims 2026 is listed in the BPSC calendar for:
- (A) 15 August 2026
  - (B) 26 July 2026
  - (C) 2 October 2026
  - (D) 13 September 2025
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 133.** With reference to Constitution/Governance, choose the correct option for: State Public Service Commission Chairman is appointed by.
- (A) High Court Chief Justice
  - (B) President only
  - (C) Governor
  - (D) Chief Minister only
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 134.** Judicial review in India is influenced by:
- (A) Switzerland
  - (B) China
  - (C) Russia
  - (D) the USA
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 135.** Consider the following statements: 1. Ribosomes are sites of photosynthesis. 2. Mitochondria are called suicide bags. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) 2 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) 1 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 136.** Which option correctly completes the statement: Vaishali is linked with \_\_\_\_?
- (A) Portuguese settlement
  - (B) Mughal capital only
  - (C) Chola navy
  - (D) Lichchhavi republic and Jain-Buddhist heritage
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 137.** With reference to Current/Schemes, choose the correct option for: Aspirational Districts Programme is anchored by.
- (A) NITI Aayog
  - (B) Supreme Court
  - (C) Election Commission
  - (D) RBI
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 138.** The Allahabad Pillar inscription praises the achievements of:
- (A) Ashoka
  - (B) Kanishka
  - (C) Samudragupta
  - (D) Rajaraja I
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 139.** Makhana cultivation is strongly associated with:
- (A) Goa
  - (B) Bihar
  - (C) Punjab only
  - (D) Ladakh
  - (E) Not Attempted

- 140.** With reference to Geography/Environment, choose the correct option for: The Himalayan foothill belt of Bihar is located mainly in.
- (A) central Bihar only
  - (B) western Rajasthan
  - (C) south Bihar plateau
  - (D) north Bihar
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 141.** Perimeter of a rectangle of length 15 cm and breadth 8 cm is:
- (A) 46
  - (B) 38
  - (C) 120
  - (D) 23
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 142.** Biodegradable waste can be decomposed by:
- (A) magnetic field
  - (B) microorganisms
  - (C) vacuum only
  - (D) laser light
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 143.** Kosi basin is known for:
- (A) coral reefs
  - (B) volcanic lava
  - (C) flood-prone character
  - (D) permanent drought only
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 144.** Which option correctly completes the statement: National Unity Day marks birth anniversary of \_\_\_\_?
- (A) B.R. Ambedkar
  - (B) Jawaharlal Nehru
  - (C) Mahatma Gandhi
  - (D) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 145.** Perimeter of a rectangle of length 20 cm and breadth 12 cm is:
- (A) 52
  - (B) 240
  - (C) 64
  - (D) 32
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 146.** Consider the following statements: 1. Sher Shah Suri is associated with strengthening the Grand Trunk Road. 2. Bihar's famous Sonepur Mela is traditionally held near the confluence of Ganga and Gandak. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (C) 1 only
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 147.** With reference to Science, choose the correct option for: ISRO stands for.
- (A) Indian Space Research Organisation
  - (B) Integrated Space Research Organisation
  - (C) International Solar Research Office
  - (D) Indian Scientific Radio Observatory
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 148.** Consider the following statements: 1. Acceleration due to gravity near Earth's surface is approximately  $9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$ . 2. Rusting of iron requires oxygen and moisture. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 2 only
  - (B) 1 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 149.** Consider the following statements: 1. The Kosi River is often called Sorrow of Bihar. 2. The Chota Nagpur Plateau lies to the south of Bihar. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) 1 only
  - (B) 2 only
  - (C) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (D) Both 1 and 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
- 150.** La Nina is often associated with:
- (A) ozone depletion
  - (B) warming of Indian Ocean only
  - (C) cooling of equatorial Pacific waters
  - (D) volcanic ash
  - (E) Not Attempted

## Mock Test 9 - Answer Key

Correct answers are from options A-D. Option E is for Not Attempted and is not a correct answer in this mock set.

Q	Ans	Q	Ans	Q	Ans	Q	Ans	Q	Ans
1	D	31	C	61	D	91	C	121	C
2	B	32	A	62	D	92	B	122	D
3	C	33	C	63	D	93	B	123	B
4	B	34	B	64	A	94	D	124	C
5	D	35	A	65	B	95	A	125	B
6	A	36	A	66	A	96	A	126	C
7	A	37	B	67	D	97	B	127	D
8	C	38	A	68	D	98	D	128	A
9	A	39	C	69	B	99	A	129	D
10	B	40	B	70	A	100	D	130	C
11	C	41	B	71	C	101	C	131	A
12	A	42	C	72	A	102	B	132	B
13	C	43	A	73	D	103	B	133	C
14	C	44	C	74	A	104	D	134	D
15	C	45	D	75	B	105	C	135	C
16	A	46	C	76	A	106	C	136	D
17	C	47	A	77	C	107	D	137	A
18	D	48	C	78	A	108	B	138	C
19	A	49	A	79	A	109	D	139	B
20	D	50	B	80	B	110	C	140	D
21	D	51	B	81	B	111	B	141	A
22	B	52	D	82	C	112	B	142	B
23	D	53	B	83	D	113	C	143	C
24	A	54	A	84	B	114	D	144	D
25	B	55	C	85	D	115	A	145	C
26	A	56	B	86	D	116	A	146	A
27	D	57	B	87	A	117	B	147	A
28	D	58	B	88	D	118	D	148	D
29	D	59	D	89	C	119	C	149	D
30	C	60	C	90	A	120	B	150	C

## Score Sheet

Correct	Wrong	Marked E	Blank	Final Score

Formula for practice: Score = Correct answers - (Wrong answers x 1/3) - (Blank answers x 1/3). Marked E should be counted as 0.