

# BPSC Prelims Practice Paper 1

## 72nd BPSC CCE Prelims 2026 - General Studies

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

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### 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 paper.

### Sources Consulted for Pattern Alignment

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## Practice Paper 1 - Questions

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

- In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: COP29 - was held in.  
(A) Dubai  
(B) Baku  
(C) New Delhi  
(D) Tokyo  
(E) Not Attempted
- In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Bihar's economy post-independence - has faced challenges of.  
(A) lack of fertile soil  
(B) complete absence of agriculture  
(C) industrial backwardness and flood vulnerability  
(D) lack of rivers  
(E) Not Attempted
- In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: The speed of light in vacuum - is approximately.  
(A)  $3 \times 10^6$  m/s  
(B)  $3 \times 10^8$  m/s  
(C)  $3 \times 10^5$  m/s  
(D)  $1.5 \times 10^8$  m/s  
(E) Not Attempted
- Which of the following pairs is NOT correctly matched?  
(A) 44th Amendment - Irish Constitution  
(B) Article 21A - right to education  
(C) The residuary powers in India - Parliament  
(D) Gram Sabha - registered voters of the village area  
(E) Not Attempted
- Consider the following statements: 1. Mahavira is traditionally associated with birth at Harsha. 2. Hiuen Tsang visited India during the reign of Harsha. 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
- Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Article 21 protects \_\_\_\_' ?  
(A) state emergency  
(B) language rights only  
(C) finance commission  
(D) life and personal liberty  
(E) Not Attempted
- Which option correctly completes the statement: 'The Andaman and Nicobar Islands are separated by \_\_\_\_' ?  
(A) Gulf of Kachchh  
(B) Palk Strait  
(C) Ten Degree Channel  
(D) Duncan Passage only  
(E) Not Attempted
- In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Yeast - is used in.  
(A) photosynthesis only  
(B) blood clotting  
(C) fermentation  
(D) bone growth  
(E) Not Attempted
- Consider the following statements: 1. Article 44 mentions six freedoms. 2. Article 19 guarantees Uniform Civil Code as DPSP. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?  
(A) 1 only  
(B) Both 1 and 2  
(C) 2 only  
(D) Neither 1 nor 2  
(E) Not Attempted
- In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: G20 New Delhi Leaders' Summit - was held in.  
(A) 2023  
(B) 2024  
(C) 2020  
(D) 2021  
(E) Not Attempted

11. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: e-Shram portal - is for.
- (A) only exporters
  - (B) unorganised workers
  - (C) only foreign tourists
  - (D) only Supreme Court lawyers
  - (E) Not Attempted
12. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Article 44 - mentions.
- (A) Panchayati Raj
  - (B) emergency provisions
  - (C) official language only
  - (D) Uniform Civil Code as DPSP
  - (E) Not Attempted
13. A value increases from 27 to 33. The percentage increase is:
- (A) 20%
  - (B) 30%
  - (C) 25%
  - (D) 35%
  - (E) Not Attempted
14. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?
- (A) Takht Sri Patna Sahib - ancient Magadha and hot springs
  - (B) Takht Sri Patna Sahib - Kachnar
  - (C) Takht Sri Patna Sahib - Patna
  - (D) Takht Sri Patna Sahib - second official language of Bihar
  - (E) Not Attempted
15. A value increases from 47 to 58. The percentage increase is:
- (A) 25%
  - (B) 20%
  - (C) 35%
  - (D) 30%
  - (E) Not Attempted
16. Battle of Plassey was fought in which of the following?
- (A) 1857
  - (B) 1757
  - (C) 1764
  - (D) 1799
  - (E) Not Attempted
17. Bihar's state bird is which of the following?
- (A) House Sparrow
  - (B) Sarus crane
  - (C) Peacock
  - (D) Hornbill
  - (E) Not Attempted
18. Consider the following statements: 1. Article 32 is related to constitutional remedies. 2. Panchayati Raj in Bihar operates as constitutional remedies. 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
19. Consider the following statements: 1. The Kosi River is often called Sorrow of Bihar. 2. The Gandak River joins the Ganga near Hajipur/Sonepur. 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
20. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Article 315 deals with \_\_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Municipalities
  - (B) Comptroller and Auditor General
  - (C) Panchayats
  - (D) Public Service Commissions
  - (E) Not Attempted
21. Perimeter of a rectangle of length 12 cm and breadth 12 cm is:
- (A) 144
  - (B) 24
  - (C) 36
  - (D) 48
  - (E) Not Attempted

22. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Sagarmala Programme focuses on \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) cyber security only
  - (B) school education
  - (C) port-led development
  - (D) hill tourism
  - (E) Not Attempted
23. Article 21 protects which of the following?
- (A) state emergency
  - (B) finance commission
  - (C) life and personal liberty
  - (D) language rights only
  - (E) Not Attempted
24. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Ramsar Convention - is related to.
- (A) nuclear safety
  - (B) space law
  - (C) desertification only
  - (D) wetland conservation
  - (E) Not Attempted
25. Common salt has chemical formula which of the following?
- (A)  $\text{CaCO}_3$
  - (B)  $\text{NaCl}$
  - (C)  $\text{NaOH}$
  - (D)  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$
  - (E) Not Attempted
26. Xylem transports which of the following?
- (A) food only
  - (B) water and minerals
  - (C) oxygen only
  - (D) hormones only
  - (E) Not Attempted
27. The Pala dynasty was an important patron of which of the following?
- (A) Portuguese trade
  - (B) Buddhist learning
  - (C) Vijayanagara music
  - (D) Sangam literature
  - (E) Not Attempted
28. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Champaran Satyagraha was related to the exploitation of \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) indigo cultivators
  - (B) cotton mill workers
  - (C) coal miners
  - (D) tea workers
  - (E) Not Attempted
29. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Kabir - is associated with the.
- (A) Sufi silsila only
  - (B) Vedic ritualism only
  - (C) Nirguna Bhakti tradition
  - (D) Alvar movement
  - (E) Not Attempted
30. The Tropic of Cancer does not pass through which of the following?
- (A) West Bengal
  - (B) Madhya Pradesh
  - (C) Bihar
  - (D) Jharkhand
  - (E) Not Attempted
31. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Greenhouse gas - includes.
- (A) carbon dioxide
  - (B) oxygen only
  - (C) nitrogen only
  - (D) argon only
  - (E) Not Attempted
32. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Chandragupta Maurya established the Mauryan Empire with help from \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Kalidasa
  - (B) Megasthenes
  - (C) Chanakya/Kautilya
  - (D) Panini
  - (E) Not Attempted

33. Consider the following statements: 1. The next Summer Olympics after Paris 2024 will be hosted by vehicle safety rating. 2. Bharat NCAP is related to Los Angeles 2028. 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
34. Bimbisara ruled Magadha from his capital at which of the following?
- (A) Pataliputra
  - (B) Vaishali
  - (C) Rajagriha/Rajgir
  - (D) Taxila
  - (E) Not Attempted
35. If  $a:b = 19:5$ , then  $3a + 3b$  divided by  $(a+b)$  equals:
- (A) 4
  - (B) 6
  - (C) 2
  - (D) 3
  - (E) Not Attempted
36. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: The term biodiversity hotspot - refers to areas with high endemism and.
- (A) no species diversity
  - (B) habitat loss
  - (C) zero rainfall
  - (D) only deserts
  - (E) Not Attempted
37. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Article 32 - is related to.
- (A) language of parliament
  - (B) constitutional remedies
  - (C) finance commission
  - (D) appointment of governor
  - (E) Not Attempted
38. Which of the following pairs is NOT correctly matched?
- (A) Diamond - ampere
  - (B) Vitamin D deficiency - rickets
  - (C) Bases - blue
  - (D) Ribosomes - protein synthesis
  - (E) Not Attempted
39. NABARD is concerned with which of the following?
- (A) urban metro only
  - (B) space research
  - (C) agriculture and rural development finance
  - (D) higher judiciary
  - (E) Not Attempted
40. Dr. Rajendra Prasad was born in which of the following?
- (A) Gujarat
  - (B) Punjab
  - (C) Bihar
  - (D) Maharashtra
  - (E) Not Attempted
41. Consider the following statements: 1. World Environment Day is observed on 5 June. 2. UN Sustainable Development Goals target year is 2030. 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
42. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'National Science Day in India is observed on \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) 26 January
  - (B) 2 October
  - (C) 28 February
  - (D) 15 September
  - (E) Not Attempted
43. Which of the following pairs is NOT correctly matched?
- (A) Bodh Gaya - Gaya district
  - (B) Bihar's state animal - Bodh Gaya
  - (C) Muzaffarpur - Shahi Litchi
  - (D) Maithili - Eighth Schedule of the Constitution
  - (E) Not Attempted

44. Consider the following statements: 1. Dr. Rajendra Prasad was born in Bihar. 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
45. Consider the following statements: 1. Constitution Day is observed on 26 November. 2. Bharat NCAP is related to vehicle safety rating. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (A) Both 1 and 2
  - (B) 2 only
  - (C) 1 only
  - (D) Neither 1 nor 2
  - (E) Not Attempted
46. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Current account deficit - mainly reflects.
- (A) import-export and income/payment gap
  - (B) only government borrowings
  - (C) only bank deposits
  - (D) only tax evasion
  - (E) Not Attempted
47. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Newton's third law - states.
- (A) energy cannot be destroyed
  - (B) action and reaction are equal and opposite
  - (C) force equals mass into acceleration only
  - (D) pressure decreases with depth
  - (E) Not Attempted
48. Agni Prime is associated with which of the following?
- (A) vaccine programme
  - (B) missile technology
  - (C) solar mission
  - (D) crop variety
  - (E) Not Attempted
49. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Sher Shah Suri - is associated with strengthening the.
- (A) Qutub Minar
  - (B) Gateway of India
  - (C) Grand Trunk Road
  - (D) Konark Temple
  - (E) Not Attempted
50. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'COP30 is scheduled in \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Geneva
  - (B) Seoul
  - (C) Kathmandu
  - (D) Belem, Brazil
  - (E) Not Attempted
51. 86th Amendment is related to which of the following?
- (A) Right to Education
  - (B) Languages
  - (C) Right to Property
  - (D) GST
  - (E) Not Attempted
52. Rusting of iron requires which of the following?
- (A) nitrogen only
  - (B) oxygen and moisture
  - (C) helium only
  - (D) dry carbon dioxide only
  - (E) Not Attempted
53. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'El Nino is linked with warming of \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Bay of Bengal only
  - (B) Mediterranean Sea only
  - (C) central and eastern Pacific waters
  - (D) Arctic ice sheet
  - (E) Not Attempted
54. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Malaria - is transmitted by.
- (A) Aedes only
  - (B) Culex only
  - (C) female Anopheles mosquito
  - (D) housefly
  - (E) Not Attempted

55. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?
- (A) Indian Independence Act - 1947
  - (B) Indian Independence Act - Mahatma Gandhi
  - (C) Indian Independence Act - Mithila region
  - (D) Indian Independence Act - 1917
  - (E) Not Attempted
56. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Sasaram is famous for \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Sher Shah's tomb
  - (B) Charminar
  - (C) Victoria Memorial
  - (D) Qutub Minar
  - (E) Not Attempted
57. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Permanent Settlement was introduced in Bengal, Bihar and Odisha by \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Lord Ripon
  - (B) Lord Dalhousie
  - (C) Lord Cornwallis
  - (D) Lord Curzon
  - (E) Not Attempted
58. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Indirect tax is generally shifted to \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Supreme Court
  - (B) Parliament only
  - (C) final consumer
  - (D) Election Commission
  - (E) Not Attempted
59. Consider the following statements: 1. Non-Cooperation Movement was launched in Harsha. 2. Hiuen Tsang visited India during the reign of Harsha. 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
60. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Bhojpuri, Maithili and Magahi - are.
- (A) official currencies
  - (B) important regional languages of Bihar
  - (C) European languages
  - (D) tribal scripts only
  - (E) Not Attempted
61. Judicial review in India is influenced by which of the following?
- (A) China
  - (B) Russia
  - (C) Switzerland
  - (D) the USA
  - (E) Not Attempted
62. Rahul's age is three times Seema's age. If Seema is 6 years old, Rahul's age is:
- (A) 18
  - (B) 9
  - (C) 21
  - (D) 15
  - (E) Not Attempted
63. Consider the following statements: 1. Iodine deficiency can cause carbon. 2. Diamond is an allotrope of carbon. 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
64. Consider the following statements: 1. National Logistics Policy was launched to improve logistics efficiency. 2. Jal Jeevan Mission aims at tap water connection to households. 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
65. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Frequency is measured in \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) ohm
  - (B) watt
  - (C) hertz
  - (D) joule
  - (E) Not Attempted

66. Consider the following statements: 1. Vaishali is famous for being linked with 1855. 2. The Santhal Hul began in the Lichchhavi republic. 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
67. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?
- (A) 44th Amendment - equality before law
  - (B) 44th Amendment - Right to Property
  - (C) 44th Amendment - Finance Commission
  - (D) 44th Amendment - not mentioned in the Constitution
  - (E) Not Attempted
68. Which of the following pairs is NOT correctly matched?
- (A) Ashoka - Buddhist learning
  - (B) Gautama Buddha - Sarnath
  - (C) Odisha was separated from Bihar - 1936
  - (D) Chandragupta Maurya - Chanakya/Kautilya
  - (E) Not Attempted
69. Greenhouse gas includes which of the following?
- (A) oxygen only
  - (B) argon only
  - (C) nitrogen only
  - (D) carbon dioxide
  - (E) Not Attempted
70. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Bihar caste-based survey report - was released by the state in.
- (A) 2019
  - (B) 2023
  - (C) 2026
  - (D) 2011
  - (E) Not Attempted
71. In a row of 30 persons, Ramesh is 6th from the left. His position from the right is:
- (A) 25
  - (B) 24
  - (C) 7
  - (D) 26
  - (E) Not Attempted
72. Consider the following statements: 1. UDAN scheme is linked with regional air connectivity. 2. Jal Jeevan Mission aims at regional air connectivity. 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
73. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'The Kosi River is often called \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Sorrow of Bihar
  - (B) Dakshin Ganga
  - (C) Ardh Ganga
  - (D) Lifeline of Rajasthan
  - (E) Not Attempted
74. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?
- (A) National Logistics Policy - 22 March
  - (B) National Logistics Policy - RFID technology
  - (C) National Logistics Policy - logistics efficiency
  - (D) National Logistics Policy - NITI Aayog
  - (E) Not Attempted
75. Consider the following statements: 1. Bihar's state flower is Kachnar. 2. Bihar's state animal is Kachnar. 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
76. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'WPI measures \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) wholesale price inflation
  - (B) crop yield only
  - (C) employment rate
  - (D) consumer sentiment
  - (E) Not Attempted

77. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Food chain - starts generally with.
- (A) decomposers only
  - (B) producers
  - (C) parasites only
  - (D) top carnivores
  - (E) Not Attempted
78. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: SEBI - regulates.
- (A) civil services exams
  - (B) bank currency issue
  - (C) panchayat polls
  - (D) securities market
  - (E) Not Attempted
79. African Union became a permanent member of G20 during which of the following?
- (A) India's Presidency
  - (B) Brazil's 2014 Presidency
  - (C) France's 2011 Presidency
  - (D) China's 2016 Presidency only
  - (E) Not Attempted
80. A value increases from 34 to 40. The percentage increase is:
- (A) 20%
  - (B) 15%
  - (C) 25%
  - (D) 30%
  - (E) Not Attempted
81. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Kaziranga National Park - is famous for.
- (A) snow leopard
  - (B) Nilgiri tahr
  - (C) one-horned rhinoceros
  - (D) Asiatic lion
  - (E) Not Attempted
82. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Megasthenes wrote the account named \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Indica
  - (B) Arthashastra
  - (C) Mudrarakshasa
  - (D) Harshacharita
  - (E) Not Attempted
83. Consider the following statements: 1. PM Vishwakarma Scheme supports 2020. 2. National Education Policy was approved in traditional artisans and craftspeople. 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
84. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Ashoka - adopted Buddhism after the.
- (A) Kalinga War
  - (B) Battle of Plassey
  - (C) Third Buddhist Council
  - (D) Battle of Buxar
  - (E) Not Attempted
85. RBI headquarters is located at which of the following?
- (A) Chennai
  - (B) Mumbai
  - (C) Delhi
  - (D) Kolkata
  - (E) Not Attempted
86. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Agni Prime is associated with \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) solar mission
  - (B) vaccine programme
  - (C) missile technology
  - (D) crop variety
  - (E) Not Attempted
87. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Kyoto Protocol - is related to.
- (A) food safety
  - (B) ocean navigation
  - (C) biodiversity databases
  - (D) greenhouse gas reduction
  - (E) Not Attempted

88. In a row of 40 persons, Ramesh is 6th from the left. His position from the right is:
- (A) 35
  - (B) 34
  - (C) 36
  - (D) 7
  - (E) Not Attempted
89. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'PM Surya Ghar Muft Bijli Yojana is related to \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) rural toilets
  - (B) railway safety
  - (C) rooftop solar power
  - (D) crop procurement
  - (E) Not Attempted
90. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: The Himalayas - are young.
- (A) block mountains
  - (B) residual hills only
  - (C) fold mountains
  - (D) volcanic plateaus
  - (E) Not Attempted
91. Ozone has molecular formula which of the following?
- (A) CO<sub>2</sub>
  - (B) O<sub>3</sub>
  - (C) O<sub>2</sub>
  - (D) SO<sub>2</sub>
  - (E) Not Attempted
92. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Vaccination - helps by developing.
- (A) acidity
  - (B) bone mass
  - (C) blood pressure only
  - (D) immunity
  - (E) Not Attempted
93. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'The slogan 'Do or Die' was given during \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Home Rule Movement
  - (B) Champaran Satyagraha
  - (C) Swadeshi Movement
  - (D) Quit India Movement
  - (E) Not Attempted
94. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Startup India - was launched to promote.
- (A) river linking
  - (B) railway privatization only
  - (C) military recruitment
  - (D) entrepreneurship
  - (E) Not Attempted
95. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'INS Vikrant is India's \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) river vessel
  - (B) indigenous aircraft carrier
  - (C) nuclear submarine only
  - (D) satellite launcher
  - (E) Not Attempted
96. Consider the following statements: 1. The main rice-growing season in India is Kharif. 2. BOD in water pollution indicates biochemical oxygen demand. 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
97. A fuse wire is used to protect circuit from which of the following?
- (A) ultraviolet rays
  - (B) excess current
  - (C) low temperature
  - (D) excess oxygen
  - (E) Not Attempted
98. Ashoka adopted Buddhism after the which of the following?
- (A) Third Buddhist Council
  - (B) Kalinga War
  - (C) Battle of Plassey
  - (D) Battle of Buxar
  - (E) Not Attempted

99. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Indirect tax - is generally shifted to.
- (A) Election Commission
  - (B) final consumer
  - (C) Supreme Court
  - (D) Parliament only
  - (E) Not Attempted
100. Which of the following pairs is NOT correctly matched?
- (A) Sundarbans - mangrove forests
  - (B) The Himalayas - fold mountains
  - (C) Valmiki Tiger Reserve - warm and humid climate
  - (D) The Kosi River - Sorrow of Bihar
  - (E) Not Attempted
101. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'The SI unit of power is \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) volt
  - (B) joule
  - (C) watt
  - (D) candela
  - (E) Not Attempted
102. Consider the following statements: 1. BPSC Option E indicates the candidate has chosen not to answer the question. 2. African Union became a permanent member of G20 during 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
103. Consider the following statements: 1. Patna is located on the bank of Ganga. 2. India's standard meridian is Ganga. 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
104. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Rainbow - is caused by.
- (A) sound resonance
  - (B) magnetic field only
  - (C) dispersion, refraction and reflection of light
  - (D) nuclear fission
  - (E) Not Attempted
105. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Acceleration due to gravity near Earth's surface - is approximately.
- (A)  $98 \text{ m/s}^2$
  - (B)  $3.6 \text{ m/s}^2$
  - (C)  $1.6 \text{ m/s}^2$
  - (D)  $9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$
  - (E) Not Attempted
106. The 71st BPSC CCE Preliminary exam was conducted on which of the following?
- (A) 26 July 2026
  - (B) 13 September 2025
  - (C) 5 May 2026
  - (D) 31 October 2025
  - (E) Not Attempted
107. Consider the following statements: 1. The Buland Darwaza is located at Bihar. 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) 1 only
  - (C) Both 1 and 2
  - (D) 2 only
  - (E) Not Attempted
108. Kaziranga National Park is famous for which of the following?
- (A) one-horned rhinoceros
  - (B) Asiatic lion
  - (C) Nilgiri tahr
  - (D) snow leopard
  - (E) Not Attempted

**109.** Consider the following statements: 1. Champaran Satyagraha was launched in 1917. 2. Dandi March was started in 1917. 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

**110.** In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: 44th Amendment - changed the status of.

- (A) Right to Equality
- (B) Right to Vote
- (C) Right to Property
- (D) Right to Education
- (E) Not Attempted

**111.** Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?

- (A) Paris Agreement - Kangchenjunga
- (B) Paris Agreement - Godavari
- (C) Paris Agreement - climate change mitigation
- (D) Paris Agreement - Kerala
- (E) Not Attempted

**112.** Human heart has which of the following?

- (A) five chambers
- (B) four chambers
- (C) two chambers
- (D) three chambers
- (E) Not Attempted

**113.** Consider the following statements: 1. Bihar's economy post-independence has faced challenges of industrial backwardness and flood vulnerability. 2. Makhana production is concentrated in north Bihar wetlands. 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

**114.** Consider the following statements: 1. Article 17 abolishes untouchability. 2. Article 161 gives pardoning power to untouchability. 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

**115.** Consider the following statements: 1. Paris Agreement is associated with seasonal reversal of pressure and winds. 2. The monsoon winds in India are caused mainly by climate change mitigation. 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

**116.** Which option correctly completes the statement: 'The Aravalli Range is one of the \_\_\_\_'?

- (A) deltaic plains
- (B) coral islands
- (C) oldest fold mountains
- (D) youngest volcanic chains
- (E) Not Attempted

**117.** HIV attacks which of the following?

- (A) retina only
- (B) digestive enzymes only
- (C) immune system
- (D) bone marrow only
- (E) Not Attempted

**118.** In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: The first antibiotic discovered - was.

- (A) aspirin
- (B) quinine
- (C) penicillin
- (D) insulin
- (E) Not Attempted

119. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Article 315 - deals with.
- (A) Panchayats
  - (B) Municipalities
  - (C) Comptroller and Auditor General
  - (D) Public Service Commissions
  - (E) Not Attempted
120. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Malaria is transmitted by \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) Culex only
  - (B) Aedes only
  - (C) housefly
  - (D) female Anopheles mosquito
  - (E) Not Attempted
121. U-WIN platform is related to which of the following?
- (A) tax filing
  - (B) university ranking only
  - (C) waterway navigation
  - (D) immunization services
  - (E) Not Attempted
122. Which option correctly completes the statement: '61st Amendment reduced voting age from 21 to \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) 16
  - (B) 25
  - (C) 20
  - (D) 18
  - (E) Not Attempted
123. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: The first President of the Indian National Congress - was.
- (A) W.C. Bonnerjee
  - (B) A.O. Hume
  - (C) Dadabhai Naoroji
  - (D) Badruddin Tyabji
  - (E) Not Attempted
124. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?
- (A) Acids - protein synthesis
  - (B) Acids - scurvy
  - (C) Acids - red
  - (D) Acids - newton
  - (E) Not Attempted
125. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Concave lens - is also called.
- (A) plane glass
  - (B) convex mirror only
  - (C) diverging lens
  - (D) converging lens
  - (E) Not Attempted
126. Consider the following statements: 1. Odisha was separated from Bihar in 1855. 2. The Santhal Hul began in 1936. 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
127. In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Sher Shah Suri - issued a silver coin known as.
- (A) Pagoda
  - (B) Tanka
  - (C) Rupiya
  - (D) Dinar
  - (E) Not Attempted
128. Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Rowlatt Act was passed in \_\_\_\_'?
- (A) 1942
  - (B) 1935
  - (C) 1909
  - (D) 1919
  - (E) Not Attempted
129. In a row of 31 persons, Ramesh is 10th from the left. His position from the right is:
- (A) 23
  - (B) 11
  - (C) 21
  - (D) 22
  - (E) Not Attempted

**130.** Consider the following statements: 1. Biodegradable waste can be decomposed by microorganisms. 2. Platelets help in microorganisms. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (A) Both 1 and 2
- (B) 2 only
- (C) 1 only
- (D) Neither 1 nor 2
- (E) Not Attempted

**131.** Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Maner Sharif in Bihar is associated with \_\_\_\_'?

- (A) Mughal shipyard
- (B) Buddhist caves
- (C) Sufi heritage
- (D) Portuguese fort
- (E) Not Attempted

**132.** In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Gini coefficient - measures.

- (A) rainfall distribution
- (B) income inequality
- (C) inflation only
- (D) forest cover
- (E) Not Attempted

**133.** In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Acid rain - is mainly caused by emissions of.

- (A) oxygen and nitrogen only
- (B) helium and neon
- (C) SO<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub>
- (D) water vapour only
- (E) Not Attempted

**134.** The earliest capital of ancient Magadha was which of the following?

- (A) Darbhanga
- (B) Patna
- (C) Gaya
- (D) Rajgir
- (E) Not Attempted

**135.** Bihar's economy post-independence has faced challenges of which of the following?

- (A) lack of rivers
- (B) industrial backwardness and flood vulnerability
- (C) lack of fertile soil
- (D) complete absence of agriculture
- (E) Not Attempted

**136.** Simple interest on Rs. 1000 at 12% per annum for 1 year is:

- (A) Rs. 120
- (B) Rs. 70
- (C) Rs. 170
- (D) Rs. 220
- (E) Not Attempted

**137.** In BPSC General Studies context, identify the correct answer for: Makhana cultivation - is strongly associated with.

- (A) Punjab only
- (B) Bihar
- (C) Goa
- (D) Ladakh
- (E) Not Attempted

**138.** Consider the following statements: 1. Quit India Movement was launched in 1942. 2. Champaran Agrarian Committee included Mahatma Gandhi. 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

**139.** Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Dandi March was started in \_\_\_\_'?

- (A) 1917
- (B) 1942
- (C) 1922
- (D) 1930
- (E) Not Attempted

**140.** Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Champaran is associated with \_\_\_\_'?

- (A) Dandi March
- (B) Simon Commission
- (C) Gandhi's first satyagraha in India
- (D) Jallianwala Bagh
- (E) Not Attempted

**141.** Consider the following statements: 1. The August Offer was made in 1940. 2. The Mansabdari system was mainly developed under Akbar. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (A) 1 only
- (B) 2 only
- (C) Both 1 and 2
- (D) Neither 1 nor 2
- (E) Not Attempted

**142.** Consider the following statements: 1. Gaganyaan is associated with India's human spaceflight programme. 2. Chandrayaan-3 successfully soft-landed near the Moon's human spaceflight programme. 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

**143.** Which of the following pairs is NOT correctly matched?

- (A) PM Vishwakarma Scheme - traditional artisans and craftspeople
- (B) COP30 - Belem, Brazil
- (C) FASTag - Bihar handicraft
- (D) CoWIN - COVID-19 vaccination
- (E) Not Attempted

**144.** Cholera is caused by which of the following?

- (A) Vibrio cholerae
- (B) Salmonella typhi
- (C) Mycobacterium
- (D) Plasmodium
- (E) Not Attempted

**145.** Which option correctly completes the statement: 'Bihar's topography mainly consists of \_\_\_\_'?

- (A) desert plateau
- (B) coastal deltas only
- (C) volcanic island
- (D) fertile alluvial plains
- (E) Not Attempted

**146.** Which of the following pairs is NOT correctly matched?

- (A) SIDBI - small industries finance
- (B) Human Development Index - UNDP
- (C) Bihar Industrial Investment Promotion Policy - revenue expenditure exceeds revenue receipts
- (D) Gini coefficient - income inequality
- (E) Not Attempted

**147.** The Himalayan foothill belt of Bihar is located mainly in which of the following?

- (A) central Bihar only
- (B) south Bihar plateau
- (C) north Bihar
- (D) western Rajasthan
- (E) Not Attempted

**148.** El Nino is linked with warming of which of the following?

- (A) Arctic ice sheet
- (B) Bay of Bengal only
- (C) central and eastern Pacific waters
- (D) Mediterranean Sea only
- (E) Not Attempted

**149.** Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?

- (A) CPI - liquid assets
- (B) CPI - rural wage employment
- (C) CPI - retail inflation
- (D) CPI - Production Linked Incentive
- (E) Not Attempted

**150.** The fertile plains of Bihar are mainly formed by which of the following?

- (A) glaciers only
- (B) volcanic ash
- (C) Ganga and its tributaries
- (D) marine deposits
- (E) Not Attempted

## Practice Paper 1 - Answer Key

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

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