

# **GK Questions for Class 5:MCQs**

#### Who was the first President of India?

- a) Jawaharlal Nehru
- b) Dr. Rajendra Prasad
- c) Mahatma Gandhi
- d) Sardar Patel

Answer: b) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

# When did India gain independence?

- a) 1942
- b) 1945
- c) 1947
- d) 1950

**Answer:** c) 1947

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#### Who wrote the national anthem of India?

- a) Bankim Chandra Chatterjee
- b) Rabindranath Tagore
- c) Sarojini Naidu
- d) Mahatma Gandhi

Answer: b) Rabindranath Tagore

#### Which sport is played at Wimbledon?

- a) Football
- b) Tennis
- c) Cricket
- d) Basketball

Answer: b) Tennis

#### Who is known as the "Flying Sikh" of India?

- a) Milkha Singh
- b) Kapil Dev
- c) Sunil Gavaskar
- d) P.T. Usha

Answer: a) Milkha Singh



# Which Indian leader is known as "Netaji"?

a) Jawaharlal Nehru

b) Subhas Chandra Bose

c) Bhagat Singh

d) Sardar Patel

Answer: b) Subhas Chandra Bose

#### Who was the first woman Prime Minister of India?

a) Sarojini Naidu

b) Indira Gandhi

c) Pratibha Patil

d) Sushma Swaraj

Answer: b) Indira Gandhi

#### Who was known as the "Iron Man of India"?

a) Mahatma Gandhi

b) Jawaharlal Nehru

c) Subhas Chandra Bose

d) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel

Answer: d) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel

# Who was the leader of the Indian National Army (INA)?

a) Bhagat Singh

b) Subhas Chandra Bose

c) Mahatma Gandhi

d) Lala Lajpat Rai

Answer: b) Subhas Chandra Bose

#### Which is the longest river in the world?

a) Amazon

b) Yangtze

c) Nile

d) Ganges

Answer: c) Nile

# Which Indian King embraced Buddhism after the Kalinga War?

a) Akbar

b) Chandragupta Maurya

c) Ashoka

d) Samudragupta

Answer: c) Ashoka



#### Who is known as the "Father of the Nation" in India?

- a) Bhagat Singh
- b) Mahatma Gandhi
- c) Jawaharlal Nehru
- d) Sardar Patel

**Answer:** b) Mahatma Gandhi

#### What is the largest ocean on Earth?

- a) Atlantic Ocean
- b) Indian Ocean
- c) Pacific Ocean
- d) Arctic Ocean

Answer: c) Pacific Ocean

# What was the capital of the Maurya Empire?

- a) Delhi
- b) Pataliputra
- c) Agra
- d) Ujjain

Answer: b) Pataliputra

# What gas do plants take in during photosynthesis?

- a) Oxygen
- b) Nitrogen
- c) Carbon dioxide
- d) Hydrogen

Answer: c) Carbon dioxide

#### Which is the largest continent in the world?

- a) Africa
- b) Asia
- c) Europe
- d) Australia

Answer: b) Asia

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- a) Amazon
- b) Yangtze
- c) Nile
- d) Ganges

Answer: c) Nile

# What is the capital city of India?

- a) Mumbai
- b) Kolkata
- c) New Delhi
- d) Chennai

Answer: c) New Delhi

#### Which river is considered the holiest river in India?

- a) Yamuna
- b) Brahmaputra
- c) Godavari
- d) Ganga (Ganges)

Answer: d) Ganga (Ganges)

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# Which is the smallest continent by land area?

- a) Europe
- b) Australia
- c) Antarctica
- d) South America

Answer: b) Australia

#### What is the highest mountain in the world?

- a) K2
- b) Mount Everest
- c) Kangchenjunga
- d) Lhotse

**Answer:** b) Mount Everest

#### Which is the largest desert in the world?

- a) Gobi Desert
- b) Thar Desert
- c) Sahara Desert
- d) Arabian Desert

**Answer:** c) Sahara Desert



# What is the nearest planet to the Sun?

- a) Earth
- b) Mars
- c) Venus
- d) Mercury

Answer: d) Mercury

#### What is the chemical symbol for water?

- a) CO<sub>2</sub>
- b) H<sub>2</sub>O
- c) O<sub>2</sub>
- d) N<sub>2</sub>

Answer: b) H<sub>2</sub>O

#### Which planet is known as the "Red Planet"?

- a) Mercury
- b) Mars
- c) Venus
- d) Jupiter

Answer: b) Mars

# Which Indian state is known as the "Land of Five Rivers"?

- a) Kerala
- b) Gujarat
- c) Punjab
- d) Rajasthan

Answer: c) Punjab

#### How many bones are there in the adult human body?

- a) 205
- b) 206
- c) 208
- d) 210

Answer: b) 206

#### Which organ in the human body pumps blood?

- a) Lungs
- b) Liver
- c) Brain
- d) Heart

Answer: d) Heart



#### How many rings are there on the Olympic flag?

a) 3

b) 4

c) 5

d) 6 **Answer:** c) 5

# Which country is known as the "Land of the Rising Sun"?

- a) India
- b) Japan
- c) China
- d) Korea

Answer: b) Japan

#### What is the hardest natural substance on Earth?

- a) Gold
- b) Silver
- c) Iron
- d) Diamond

Answer: d) Diamond

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#### What is the boiling point of water?

- a) 50°C
- b) 75°C
- c) 100°C
- d) 150°C

Answer: c) 100°C

#### What is the smallest unit of life?

- a) Atom
- b) Cell
- c) Organ
- d) Tissue

Answer: b) Cell

#### Which sport uses a shuttlecock?

- a) Tennis
- b) Badminton
- c) Cricket
- d) Basketball

**Answer:** b) Badminton

#### Which country has won the most FIFA World Cup titles?

- a) Germany
- b) Argentina



c) Brazil

d) France

Answer: c) Brazil

# Which planet is known as the "Blue Planet"?

a) Mars

b) Jupiter

c) Earth

d) Neptune

Answer: c) Earth

#### Who is known as the "God of Cricket"?

a) Virat Kohli

b) Sachin Tendulkar

c) MS Dhoni

d) Sunil Gavaskar

**Answer:** b) Sachin Tendulkar

# How many players are there in a football (soccer) team?

a) 9

b) 10

c) 11

d) 12

Answer: c) 11

# In which sport is the term "home run" used?

a) Cricket

b) Football

c) Baseball

d) Basketball

Answer: c) Baseball

#### What is the length of a marathon race?

a) 21.097 km

b) 30 km

c) 42.195 km

d) 50 km

**Answer:** c) 42.195 km

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# Who was the first emperor of the Roman Empire?

- a) Julius Caesar
- b) Augustus
- c) Nero
- d) Caligula

Answer: b) Augustus

# Who was the famous queen of ancient Egypt known for her beauty?

- a) Cleopatra
- b) Nefertiti
- c) Hatshepsut
- d) Tutankhamun

Answer: a) Cleopatra

#### Who was the leader of the French Revolution?

- a) Napoleon Bonaparte
- b) Louis XVI
- c) Maximilien Robespierre
- d) Charles de Gaulle

Answer: c) Maximilien Robespierre

# Which empire was ruled by Genghis Khan?

- a) Roman Empire
- b) Ottoman Empire
- c) Mongol Empire
- d) Byzantine Empire

Answer: c) Mongol Empire

#### What is the smallest continent in terms of population?

- a) Africa
- b) Europe
- c) Antarctica
- d) Australia

Answer: c) Antarctica



#### Which is the largest lake in Africa?

- a) Lake Victoria
- b) Lake Tanganyika
- c) Lake Malawi
- d) Lake Albert

Answer: a) Lake Victoria

# Which famous ship was commanded by Christopher Columbus on his first voyage to the Americas?

- a) Santa Maria
- b) Nina
- c) Pinta
- d) Victoria

Answer: a) Santa Maria

# Which country is the largest in South America by land area?

- a) Argentina
- b) Brazil
- c) Chile
- d) Peru

Answer: b) Brazil

# Which is the longest river in Asia?

- a) Mekong
- b) Yellow River
- c) Yangtze
- d) Ganges

Answer: c) Yangtze

#### Who is known as the "Father of Modern Science"?

- a) Galileo Galilei
- b) Isaac Newton
- c) Albert Einstein
- d) Charles Darwin

Answer: a) Galileo Galilei

#### Which U.S. President issued the Emancipation Proclamation?

- a) George Washington
- b) Thomas Jefferson
- c) Abraham Lincoln
- d) Theodore Roosevelt

Answer: c) Abraham Lincoln



#### What do you call a substance that speeds up a chemical reaction?

- a) Catalyst
- b) Solvent
- c) Solute
- d) Reactant

Answer: a) Catalyst

#### Which part of the plant performs photosynthesis?

- a) Roots
- b) Stem
- c) Leaves
- d) Flowers

Answer: c) Leaves

# What was the name of the first artificial satellite launched by the Soviet Union?

- a) Sputnik 1
- b) Explorer 1
- c) Apollo 11
- d) Hubble

Answer: a) Sputnik 1

# What was the name of the ship that brought the Pilgrims to America in 1620?

- a) Mayflower
- b) Santa Maria
- c) Nina
- d) Pinta

Answer: a) Mayflower

#### Who was the first woman to win a Nobel Prize?

- a) Marie Curie
- b) Ada Lovelace
- c) Rosalind Franklin
- d) Jane Goodall

Answer: a) Marie Curie

#### What is the capital city of Australia?

- a) Sydney
- b) Melbourne
- c) Canberra
- d) Brisbane

Answer: c) Canberra



#### Which desert is located in northern Africa?

- a) Kalahari
- b) Gobi
- c) Sahara
- d) Mojave

Answer: c) Sahara

#### Which U.S. state is known as the "Sunshine State"?

- a) California
- b) Texas
- c) Florida
- d) Arizona

Answer: c) Florida

#### Which country is known as the "Land of Fire and Ice"?

- a) Canada
- b) Greenland
- c) Iceland
- d) Norway

Answer: c) Iceland

# What is the primary function of the roots of a plant?

- a) Photosynthesis
- b) Reproduction
- c) Absorbing water and nutrients
- d) Protection

Answer: c) Absorbing water and nutrients

#### What is the process of water turning into steam called?

- a) Condensation
- b) Evaporation
- c) Precipitation
- d) Sublimation

**Answer:** b) Evaporation

#### Which river flows through Egypt?

- a) Amazon
- b) Nile
- c) Mississippi
- d) Yangtze

Answer: b) Nile



What is the maximum number of players allowed on a soccer field for one team?

a) 9

b) 10

c) 11

d) 12

Answer: c) 11

Which athlete is famous for winning multiple gold medals in track and field at the Olympics?

a) Michael Phelps

b) Usain Bolt

c) Serena Williams

d) Novak Djokovic

Answer: b) Usain Bolt

Which sport is played on a rectangular field with a net in the middle?

a) Tennis

b) Basketball

c) Volleyball

d) Hockey

Answer: c) Volleyball

Which sport is associated with the Tour de France?

a) Swimming

b) Cycling

c) Running

d) Rowing

Answer: b) Cycling

What is the capital of Canada?

a) Toronto

b) Vancouver

c) Montreal

d) Ottawa

Answer: d) Ottawa

Which Olympic sport involves jumping into water from a high platform?

a) Diving

b) Swimming

c) Synchronised Swimming

d) Water Polo

Answer: a) Diving



#### Which planet is known as the "Evening Star"?

- a) Jupiter
- b) Saturn
- c) Venus
- d) Mars

Answer: c) Venus

#### What is the centre of an atom called?

- a) Proton
- b) Electron
- c) Neutron
- d) Nucleus

Answer: d) Nucleus

# Which country won the FIFA World Cup in 2018?

- a) Brazil
- b) Germany
- c) France
- d) Argentina

Answer: c) France

# Which sport is known as "America's pastime"?

- a) Football
- b) Basketball
- c) Baseball
- d) Soccer

Answer: c) Baseball

#### Which element is represented by the symbol 'O'?

- a) Gold
- b) Silver
- c) Oxygen
- d) Osmium

Answer: c) Oxygen

# What is the name of the process by which plants make their food?

- a) Photosynthesis
- b) Respiration
- c) Transpiration
- d) Digestion

Answer: a) Photosynthesis



# What is the boiling point of water in Fahrenheit?

a) 100°F

b) 212°F

c) 32°F

d) 0°F

Answer: b) 212°F

#### Which organ in the human body is responsible for breathing?

a) Heart

b) Liver

c) Lungs

d) Stomach

Answer: c) Lungs

#### What is the chemical symbol for gold?

a) Au

b) Ag

c) Fe

d) Pb

Answer: a) Au

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#### Who is the famous scientist who developed the theory of relativity?

a) Isaac Newton

b) Albert Einstein

c) Galileo Galilei

d) Nikola Tesla

Answer: b) Albert Einstein

#### What is the capital city of India?

a) Mumbai

b) Bangalore

c) Delhi

d) Kolkata

Answer: c) Delhi

#### What is the main gas that makes up the Earth's atmosphere?

a) Oxygen

b) Nitrogen

c) Carbon Dioxide

d) Hydrogen

Answer: b) Nitrogen



# In which sport would you use a "puck"?

- a) Soccer
- b) Ice Hockey
- c) Cricket
- d) Baseball

Answer: b) Ice Hockey

#### What is the term for scoring three strikes in a row in bowling?

- a) Spare
- b) Strike
- c) Turkey
- d) Double

Answer: c) Turkey

#### Which country is known for the sport of sumo wrestling?

- a) China
- b) Japan
- c) Korea
- d) Mongolia

Answer: b) Japan

# Which sport uses a bat and a ball and is played on a diamond-shaped field?

- a) Baseball
- b) Cricket
- c) Golf
- d) Tennis

Answer: a) Baseball

# Which is the largest organ in the human body?

- a) Liver
- b) Heart
- c) Skin
- d) Brain

Answer: c) Skin

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#### Which is the fastest land animal?

- a) Lion
- b) Cheetah
- c) Leopard
- d) Gazelle

Answer: b) Cheetah

# What is the primary ingredient in bread?

- a) Flour
- b) Sugar
- c) Salt
- d) Yeast

Answer: a) Flour

# What is the largest and most famous rainforest in the world?

- a) Congo Rainforest
- b) Amazon Rainforest
- c) Daintree Rainforest
- d) Valdivian Temperate Rainforest

Answer: b) Amazon Rainforest

# What is the largest species of shark?

- a) Great White Shark
- b) Hammerhead Shark
- c) Whale Shark
- d) Tiger Shark

Answer: c) Whale Shark

#### Which planet is closest to the Sun?

- a) Venus
- b) Earth
- c) Mercury
- d) Mars

Answer: c) Mercury

# Which sport involves hitting a small ball into a series of holes in a course using the fewest strokes?

- a) Baseball
- b) Golf
- c) Cricket
- d) Tennis

Answer: b) Golf



# In which sport do players use a racket to hit a shuttlecock over a net?

a) Tennis

b) Badminton

c) Ping Pong

d) Squash

Answer: b) Badminton

#### What type of animal is a Komodo dragon?

a) Mammal

b) Bird

c) Reptile

d) Fish

Answer: c) Reptile

#### What is the chemical formula for water?

a) H2O

b) CO2

c) NaCl

d) CH4

Answer: a) H2O

# Who discovered America in 1492?

a) Vasco da Gama

b) Ferdinand Magellan

c) Christopher Columbus

d) James Cook

Answer: c) Christopher Columbus

#### Which ancient civilization built the pyramids?

- a) Greeks
- b) Romans
- c) Egyptians
- d) Mayans

Answer: c) Egyptians

#### Who was the first President of the United States?

- a) Thomas Jefferson
- b) Abraham Lincoln
- c) George Washington
- d) John Adams

Answer: c) George Washington



#### Which continent is known as the "Dark Continent"?

a) Asia

b) South America

c) Africa

d) Australia

Answer: c) Africa

# What is the name of the process by which plants absorb sunlight to make food?

a) Respiration

b) Photosynthesis

c) Germination

d) Transpiration

Answer: b) Photosynthesis

