

CSS General Knowledge Online Entry Test

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	The East India Company was founded in India during the reign of:	A. Akbar B. Shah Jahan C. Jehangir D. Humayun
2	Which of the following ports was the biggest port during the Mughal period?	A. Surrat B. Hoogly C. Chittagong D. Balasore
3	In 1662 AD, Mir Jumla, the Mughal governor of Bengal led successful expedition to:	A. Assam B. Tibet C. Orissa D. Auadh
4	The Peacock Throne was made for:	A. Jehangir B. Shah Jahan C. Akbar D. Aurangzeb
5	The capital of Mughal Empire was shifted from Agra to Delhi by:	A. Jehangir B. Aurangzeb C. Shah Jahan D. Humayun
6	Who among the following was the first Mughal emperor to allow Britishers to establish trade links with India?	A. Akbar B. Jehangir C. Aurangzeb D. Shah Jahan
7	The Mansabdari system introduced by Akbar was borrowed from the system in:	A. Turkey B. Persia C. Mongolia D. Afghanistan
8	Who united the Sikhs and founded kingdom in Punjab?	A. Guru Nanak B. Maharaja Ranjit Singh C. Guru Gobind Singh D. None of these
9	Which Indian ruler requested Napoleon for help to drive the British from India?	A. Rani of Jhansi B. Tipu Sultan C. Jai Singh D. Shiva Jee
10	In 1498, Vasco da Gama landed at:	A. Mumbai B. Calicut C. Goa D. Cochín
11	Who succeeded Siraj-ud-Daula as Nawab of Bengal after the battle of Plassey?	A. Aliwardi Khan B. Mir Jafar C. Mir Qasim D. None of these.
12	In 1757, Siraj-ud-Daula was defeated by:	A. Canning B. Robert Clive C. Hastings D. Cornwallis
13	Who succeeded Mir Jafar?	A. Haidar Ali B. Mir Kasim C. Chanda Sahib D. Tipu Sultan
14	Who among the following is known for his introduction of new calendar, a new system of coinage and new scales of weights and measures?	A. Murshid Quli Khan B. Tipu Sultan C. Nizam-ul-Mulk Asif Jah D. Saadat Khan
15	Tipu Sultan was defeated in the Third Mysore War in 1799 by:	A. John Shore B. Lord Cornwallis C. Warren Hastings D. None of these.

16	Surangapattam is associated with:	A. Aurangzeb B. Tipu Sultan C. Hyder Ali D. Ahmad Shah Abdali
17	Which of the following statements about Hyder Ali is incorrect?	A. He was a great scholar B. He was defeated at Posto Nova in 1781 by Hastings. C. He was a man of great determination. D. He made a coalition with Nizam and Marathas against English in second Anglo-Mysore War.
18	The tax collected by the Maratha was known as:	A. Jazia B. Chauth C. Pilgrim tax D. Sardeshmukhi
19	The sea route to India was discovered in:	A. 1492 B. 1495 C. 1498 D. 1500
20	When East India Company came into existence England was ruled by the:	A. Stuarts B. Tudors C. Hanovarians D. Normans
21	The final defeat of the Maratha confederacy came during the time of:	A. Wellesley B. Hastings C. Minto D. Cornwallis
22	The beginning of the British policy sway over India can be traced to the battle of:	A. Buxar B. Plassey C. Wandiwash D. Panipat
23	The Maratha chief Sambhaji was executed during the reign of:	A. Jehangir B. Aurangzeb C. Shah jehan D. Mahabat Khan
24	When did Vasco da Gama come to India?	A. 1490 B. 1492 C. 1493 D. 1498
25	The account of Babur's life (Tuzuk-i-Baburi) was written in:	A. Urdu B. Persian C. Turki D. Arabic
26	Tansen, the greatest musician of Akbar's court belonged to:	A. Delhi B. Gawaliar C. Lahore D. Lucknow
27	The city of Agra was founded by:	A. Rana Sanga B. Sikandar Lodhi C. Ibrahim Lodhi D. Firuz Tughluq
28	The buildings constructed by which Mughal ruler represent the climax in the evolution of Mughal architecture?	A. Akbar B. Jehangir C. Aurangzeb D. Shah Jehan
29	Jehangiri Mahal is located in:	A. Agra Fort B. Fatehpur Sikri C. Delhi D. Sikandra
30	Qutub Minar was built by:	A. Qutubuddin Aibak B. Iltumish C. Razia Sultana D. Shah Jehan
31	The tomb of Babur is at:	A. Lahore B. Kabul C. Karachi D. Delhi
32	Purana Qila, Delhi was constructed during the reign of:	A. Humayun B. Sher Shah C. Jehangir D. Akhar

		D. Akbar
33	Which of the following forts was not built by Akbar?	A. Lahore Fort B. Gawaliar Fort C. Allahabad Fort D. Agra Fort
34	Jama Masjid Delhi was built by:	A. Akbar B. Shah Jahan C. Jehangir D. Humayun
35	Fatehpur Sikri was founded by:	A. Babur B. Akbar C. Jehangir D. Humayun
36	Who among the following was great musician in the court of Akbar?	A. Amir Khusro B. Tansen C. Ramdas D. Abdul Afzal
37	Who among the following Mughal rulers banned music and dancing?	A. Aurangzeb B. Babur C. Jehangir D. Akbar
38	The mausolum of Sher Shah is at:	A. Lahore B. Delhi C. Sasaram D. Mumbai
39	Baland Darwaza, built by Akbar, is to commemorate the victory of:	A. Orissa B. Gujrat C. Bengal D. Delhi
40	Development of architecture was at its peak during:	A. Chola Period B. Gupta Period C. Mughal Period D. Pandya Period
41	Who built Char Minar?	A. Quli Qutab Shah B. Ibrahim Qutab Shah C. Ali Adil Shah D. None of these
42	Nishat Garden was built by:	A. Babur B. Jehangir C. Sher Shah D. Akbar
43	Baland Darwaza is situated in:	A. Delhi B. Fatehpur Sikri C. Lucknow D. Meeruth
44	Gandhara School of Art developed during the time of:	A. Sokas B. Kushans C. Sungas D. Mauryas
45	Which sufi saint's dargah is at Ajmer?	A. Saleem Chishti B. Muinuddin Chishti C. Baba Farid D. Hazrat Baku Sultan