

6000+ GK Questions Asked in Last 20 Years

4001. SONAR is based on the principle of –**Echo**
4002. The oil in the wick of lamp rises due to –**Phenomenon of capillarity**
4003. We receive sunlight on –**earth surface.**
4004. What type of light beams are these –**Diverging**
4005. Tesla is a unit of magnetic: –**flux density**
4006. The SI unit of density is _____. –**kg m⁻³**
4007. A player making a long jump is an example of _____. –**Projectile motion**
4008. Sound of frequency below 20 Hz is called _____. –**Infrasonic**
4009. Steel is more elastic than rubber because it : –**requires larger deforming force**
4010. Transformer is a device used to convert –**Low voltage AC into high voltage AC**
4011. What is the use of concave mirror –**To provide a magnified image of the face for applying make-up**
4012. Every hot object emits _____. –**Infrared rays**
4013. A bomb explodes on the moon. You will hear its sound on earth after _____. –**You cannot hear the sound of explosion**
4014. Why does a cannon recoil after firing –**Newton's third law of motion**
4015. The ultimate source of energy in a hydroelectric power station is: –**the potential energy of water**
4016. The water from a hand pump is warm in winter because –**The temperature inside the earth is higher than the atmospheric temperature**
4017. Ball pen function on the principle of : –**Surface tension**
4018. An object which absorbs all colours and reflects none appears: –**Black**
4019. A small drop of oil spreads over water because : –**water has higher surface tension**
4020. Pressure cooker is fast in cooking rice because high pressure raises the boiling point of –**water**
4021. Who was the first person to measure the speed of light –**Ole Romer**
4022. Electric Motor converts –**Electrical energy into mechanical energy**
4023. The M.K.S system was first introduced by –**Giorgi**
4024. X- rays are _____ waves. –**Electromagnetic**
4025. The period of pendulum depend upon _____. –**Length**
4026. Atmospheric pressure is measured by _____. –**Barometer**
4027. A car moving on a straight road is a _____. –**Rectilinear motion**
4028. The substances which have infinite electrical resistance are called – **Insulators**
4029. Light houses are places with powerful lights to : –**Guide and warn the ships coming from different directions in the ocean.**
4030. Magnetism at the centre of a bar magnet is around –**zero**
4031. When an ebonite rod is rubbed with fur, the charge acquired by the fur is – **Positive**
4032. The working principle of a Washing Machine is –**Centrifugation**
4033. The cerebrum of brain is primarily divided into how many parts –**2**
4034. Which of the following is warm blooded animal –**Bat**
4035. Which of the following types of teeth is used for grinding food –**Molar**
4036. The kidneys in human beings are a part of the system for _____. –**Excretion**
4037. Which one of the following organs breaks fat to produce cholesterol – **Liver**
4038. Largest external organ of human body is –**Skin**
4039. Phototropic movement is controlled by –**Auxin**
4040. Which plant is called Herbal -Indian Doctor –**Amla**
4041. Chicken pox is caused by –**Varicella zoster virus**
4042. Which one of the following is the sweetest natural sugar –**Fructose**
4043. If ice floating on water in a vessel melts, the water level in the –**vessel does not change**
4044. Who said that “India's soul lives in villages” –**Mahatma Gandhi**
4045. The Great Bath of Indus Valley Civilization is found at: –**Mohenjodaro**
4046. Rice cultivation is associated with which one of the following Harappan sites –**Lothal**
4047. The name of the last Delhi Sultan is –**Ibrahim Lodi**
4048. Who is regarded as “Maker of Modern India” –**Raja Ram Mohan Roy**
4049. Shivaji died in the year _____. –**1680**
4050. The Governor-General who abolished the practice of Sati, was –**William Bentinck**
4051. Poona Pact was signed between –**Gandhiji and Ambedkar**
4052. Chanakya was known as –**Vishnugupta**
4053. The first European to come to India were –**Portuguese**
4054. What is the process of melting also called –**Fusion**
4055. Poison used for killing rats is –**Zinc phosphide (Zn₃P₂)**
4056. How is atomic mass number determined –**By adding number of protons and neutrons**
4057. What type of lens is used to correct vision of a person suffering from Myopia –**Concave lens**
4058. Vegetables are cooked in lesser time by adding a pinch of salt while cooking –**because boiling point of water increases**
4059. Why does a black board appears black in colour –**It absorbs all the colours**

4060. Which of the following is a Trans-Himalayan river – **Sutlej**
4061. Who wrote 'Poverty and Un-British Rule in India' – **Dadabhai Naoroji**
4062. Sea water can be purified by the process of – **Desalination**
4063. The process of guttation is a result of – **Root pressure**
4064. Where is 'Raisina Hills' – **Where Rashtrapati Bhawan is situated**
4065. Where has the Geological Survey of India located most of India's Chromite – **Cuttack**
4066. Which is the most suitable layer for flying of Jet aero planes – **Stratosphere**
4067. Epicentre is concerned with – **Earthquake**
4068. India is the World's largest producer of – **Millet**
4069. Mount Etna, one of the world's most active volcanoes, is located in which country – **Italy**
4070. Among which of the following is considered as the actual "final frontier" of Earth's gaseous envelope – **Exosphere**
4071. Marble is used as a building material and also for making statues, Its chemical – **Calcium carbonate**
4072. Which dam is built on the Bhagirathi River – **Tehri**
4073. Gandhiji started Satyagraha in 1919 to protest against the – **Rowlatt Act**
4074. The famous Bhakti Saint who belonged to the royal family of Mewar was – **Meerabai**
4075. What was the official language of the Sultanate – **Persian**
4076. Father of renaissance of Western India was – **MG Ranade**
4077. The System of Communal Electorate in India was first introduced by the – **Minto-Morley Reforms, 1909**
4078. On August 6, 1945, the first atom bomb was dropped at – **Hiroshima**
4079. The striking feature of the Indus Valley Civilization was – **Urban Civilization**
4080. The Lodi dynasty was founded by – **Bahlol Lodi**
4081. The sepoy mutiny of 1857 occurred during the Governor Generalship of: – **Lord Canning**
4082. Who was the founder of Nanda dynasty – **Mahapadmananda**
4083. Gandhiji withdrew the Non-Cooperation Movement due to – **Chauri- Chaura Incident**
4084. The First Tirkhankara of the Jains was – **Rishabha**
4085. On September 20, 1932 Mahatma Gandhi began a fast unto death in Yervada Jail against: – **Communal award of Ramsay Macdonald.**
4086. Who was the first Indian to become member of British Parliament – **Dadabhai Naoroji**
4087. Ashoka spread Buddhism all over India and Ceylon by – **Sending the dhamma mahamattas**
4088. Who among the following is known as 'Mother of Indian Revolution' – **Bikini - Rustam Kam**
4089. The war which led to the establishment of Mughal Empire in – **India Panipat war**
4090. Indian National Congress was formed in 1885 in the reign of – **Lord Dufferin**
4091. The caste system of India was created for: – **occupational division of labour**
4092. What does Jahangir mean – **Conqueror of the world**
4093. The prose collection of the Vedic poems are: – **Semites**
4094. The father of extremist movement in India is: – **Bal Gangadhar Tilak**
4095. Noor Jahan was the wife of which Mughal emperor – **Jahangir**
4096. Sher Shah Suri defeated which Mughal emperor – **Humayun**
4097. _____ first became the capital of a kingdom under the – **Tomara Rajputs. Delhi**
4098. In which state was the Nalanda University located in India – **Bihar**
4099. In how many categories did Megasthenes divide the Indian Society – **Seven**
4100. The Rig Veda consists ofhymns. – **1028**
4101. The Market Regulation system was introduced by – **Ala-ud-din Khilji**
4102. Which one of the following party was founded by Subhash Chandra Bose – **Forward Block**
4103. The Maratha Empire ended with which of the following ruler – **Peshwa Bajirao II**
4104. Which age is known as "Old Stone Age" – **Paleolithic Age**
4105. Which Governor General abolished the 'Sati System' in India – **Lord William Bentinck**
4106. Who was the British Emperor or Empress of India during its independence – **George VI**
4107. Who designed Sansad Bhawan – **Edwin Lutyens**
4108. Kautilya was the Prime Minister of _____ . – **Chandragupta Maurya**
4109. Which religious reformer of Western India was known as 'Lokhitwadi' – **Gopal Hari Deshmukh**
4110. Who translated the 'Manusmriti', a Dharmashastra, into English – **William Jones**
4111. Haji Ali Dargah is located in which city – **Mumbai**
4112. What was the capital of Kanishka – **Purushapura**
4113. The Indus valley people were not familiar with – **Iron**
4114. Who was last & only Indian Governor General of Independent India – **C Rajagopalachari**
4115. Iltutmish established a centre of learning at: – **Patna**
4116. Siri was capital during the period of which of the following emperor – **Alauddin Khilji**
4117. Which Mughal emperor imprisoned his father and executed his brother – **Aurangzeb**
4118. Who started construction of Nalanda (Mahavihara) – **Kumaragupta**
4119. For which of the following was the Fat Man famous during the wartime – **Atomic Bomb**
4120. Which commission was set up to raise the standard of education in India like Britain – **Sargent Commission**
4121. Mutiny of 1857 was described as the First Indian War of Independence by – **VD. Savarkar**
4122. Who said that "Where there is no Law there will not be" – **Liberty John Locke**

4123. Cripps Mission came to India in -**1942**
4124. When was Project Tiger launched in India -**1972**
4125. Who has built the Vijay Stambha (Tower of Victory) in Chittorgarh -**Rana Kumbha**
4126. Who was the last ruler of Shisunaga dynasty -**Mahanandin**
4127. Who was the first woman Speaker of the Lok Sabha -**Meira Kumar**
4128. Megasthenes was an envoy of which of the following kings -**Seleucus**
4129. When was the Battle of Tarain started -**1191**
4130. When was the Doordarshan established -**15 September 1959**
4131. Amjad Ali Khan is famous for playing -**Sarod**
4132. Who was the founder of the Rashtrakut Dynasty -**Dantidurg**
4133. Who of the following is known as 'Father of Zoology' -**Aristotle**
4134. Where do plants synthesize protein from -**Amino Acids**
4135. What is the most fragile bone in the human body -**Lacrima**
4136. Lactose is present in -**Milk**
4137. Absolute Zero is defined as -**The temperature at which all molecular motion ceases**
4138. Which compound is used in Anti-malarial drug -**Chloroquine**
4139. Alkali metals can easily lose -**electrons**
4140. Which of the following chemical is used in artificial rain -**Silver Iodide**
4141. Which hormone is found in gaseous form -**Ethylene**
4142. Who wrote the Padshahnama -**Abdal Hamid Lahori**
4143. Who paved the way to the abolition of slavery in America -**Abraham Lincoln**
4144. Who was the last ruler of the Khilji dynasty -**Khusrau Khan**
4145. Who is honoured while celebrating engineer's day in India -**M Vishweshwaraiya**
4146. What can be the maximum duration of totality for a solar eclipse -**7 minutes 29 seconds**
4147. All souls day is a ____ festival. -**Christian**
4148. The highest airport in India is -**Leh airport**
4149. India has a land boundary of about _____ km. -**15200**
4150. Which of following are known as Sheep Islands -**Faroe Islands**
4151. Which planet is known as the Lord of the Heavens -**Jupiter**
4152. Which is the largest fresh water lake of India -**Wular lake**
4153. Which country is the largest producer of natural rubber in the world -**Thailand**
4154. In which district is the Bhadla Solar park located -**Jodhpur**
4155. The ozone layer is mainly found in the lower portion of the _____. -**Stratosphere**
4156. Where is the headquarters of the 'International Criminal Police Organisation' -**Lyon**
4157. On which date National Technology Day is observed -**11 May**
4158. Ashoka Chakra, highest peacetime gallantry award is made up of -**Gold**
4159. Bhangra is a folk dance of -**Punjab**
4160. What are the imaginary lines encircling the earth horizontally called -**Latitudes**
4161. It is difficult to walk on ice than on concrete road because -**Due to less friction between ice and feet**
4162. Most liquids that conduct electricity are solutions of acids, bases and -**Salts**
4163. Who is known as the father of modern chemistry -**Antoine Lavoisier**
4164. _____ became first country to launch virtual currency. -**Venezuela**
4165. Who among the following first discovered that "The Sun does not move" -**Leonardo Da Vinci**
4166. On which date, World Diabetes Day is observed -**November 14**
4167. Who among the following receives Dronacharya Award -**Sports Coaches**
4168. Electrons move around the nucleus in _____ motion. -**Orbital**
4169. Dachigam National Park associated with -**Hangul, or the Kashmir stag (J & K)**
4170. Who discovered Antarctica -**James Cook**
4171. Which method is used for creating a photo with the help of a laser beam in 3D -**Holography**
4172. The time taken by a pendulum to complete one oscillation is called its -**Time period**
4173. Ozone hole is caused by chemicals like _____. -**Chloro Fluoro Carbon**
4174. The melting point of ice is ____ K. -**273.16**
4175. What are the parts of the excretory system -**Sweat glands, the liver, the lungs and the kidney system**
4176. A healthy adult man has, on an average, _____ (in millions) of RBCs mm⁻³ of -**blood. 5-5.5**
4177. Bharat Ratna can be awarded to maximum how many persons in a particular year -**Three**
4178. Jnanpith Award is conferred to those in the field of -**Literature**
4179. In which year did Kyoto Protocol came into force -**2005**
4180. Who was the India's first female fighter pilot -**Avani Chaturvedi**
4181. Which animal is the natural host of the Nipah virus -**fruit bats**
4182. Which of following is fastest growing port in India -**Jawaharlal Nehru Port (Mumbai)**
4183. Diamond, graphite, and fullerenes all forms of carbon, are examples of _____. -**Allotropes**
4184. The vocal cords in men are about _____ long. -**20 mm**
4185. The alkaloid naturally found in coffee, cocoa and cola nut is -**Caffeine**
4186. An image formed by a plane mirror, that cannot be obtained on a screen is called -**Virtual image**

4187. In the human skull, the facial skeleton consists of how many bones in the face -**14**
4188. Brass is an alloy of : -**Cu and Zn**
4189. Salmonella paratyphi bacteria spread which disease -**Typhoid Fever**
4190. Who is known as the 'Constructor of Modern France' -**Napoleon Bonaparte**
4191. Which is the highest award for gallantry during peacetime -**Ashok Chakra**
4192. Chand Bardai was an Indian poet who composed an epic poem on which King -**Prithviraj Chauhan**
4193. Fundamental duties are mentioned in which of the following part of Indian Constitution -**Part IV A**
4194. Who firstly demonstrated experimentally the existence of electromagnetic wave -**Hertz**
4195. The working of the quartz crystal in the watch is based on which effect -**Piezoelectric Effect**
4196. What is the unit of Radioactivity -**Curie**
4197. What is the wavelength of visible spectrum -**390-700 nanometres**
4198. One astronomical unit is the average distance between ___ -**Earth & Sun**
4199. What is the name of the scientist who stated that matter can be converted into energy -**Einstein**
4200. The size of atomic nucleus is of the order of ___ - **10^{-14} m**
4201. A temperature at which both the Fahrenheit and the centigrade scales have the same value --**40°**
4202. In the visible spectrum which colour has the shortest wavelength -**Violet**
4203. What is the unit of specific resistance -**Ohm-metre**
4204. What do we use as a moderator in nuclear reactor -**Graphite**
4205. The mirror used in motor vehicles near the driver's seat is a ___ -**Convex Mirror**
4206. Electron microscope was invented by ___ -**Robert Koch**
4207. The hydraulic brake used in automobiles is a direct application of ___ -**Pascal's Law**
4208. The filament of an electric bulb is made of which metal -**Tungsten**
4209. Camber's Law is related to ___ -**Interference**
4210. Which waves are used in sonography -**Ultrasonic waves**
4211. Which instrument is used to measure the power of electric circuit -**Wattmeter**
4212. Splitting of Uranium nucleus releases _____ - energy. -**Nuclear**
4213. kilowatt hour is the unit of ___ -**Energy**
4214. A simple device that is used to either break or complete the electric circuit, is called _____. -**Switch**
4215. Where the value of 'g' (acceleration due to gravity) is maximum -**At poles**
4216. Good conductors have many loosely bound ____ -**Electrons**
4217. If the body is hollow, then its centre of gravity lies -**outside the material**
4218. A man with a dark skin, in comparison with a man with a white skin, experiences ____ -**Less heat, Less cold**
4219. What is the escape velocity for all objects from the earth -**11.16 km/sec**
4220. If the temperature inside a room is increased, the relative humidity will -**Decrease**
4221. If a bar magnet is cut length wise into 3 parts, what will the total number of poles be -**6**
4222. Light travels in a ____ -**Straight line**
4223. What converts the alternating current into direct current -**Rectifier**
4224. Einstein got noble prize for ____ -**Photoelectric Effect**
4225. The nucleus of an atom consists of ___ -**Neutrons and protons**
4226. What is the measuring unit of length of light waves -**Angstrom**
4227. How much is one barrel of oil approximately equal to -**159 litres**
4228. The sky appears black from the moon because of ___ -**Lack of Atmosphere**
4229. The specific resistance of a wire varies with its ___ -**Material**
4230. Which instrument is used to measure depth of ocean -**Fathometer**
4231. The unidirectional property of a pn-junction is useful for its use as which thing -**Rectifier**
4232. The strongest force in the nature is ____ -**Nuclear Force**
4233. Which is the only natural magnet -**Magnetite**
4234. We cannot see during a fog, because of _____. -**Scattering of light**
4235. In which medium sound travels faster -**Solid**
4236. A fast wind can turn the blades of a windmill because it possesses _____. -**Potential Energy**
4237. Which of the following material is used for electric wire heater -**Nichrome**
4238. Conversion of chemical energy into electrical energy occurs in which thing -**Battery**
4239. The direction of a magnetic field within a magnet is ____ -**From South to north**
4240. What remains constant while throwing a ball upward -**Acceleration**
4241. What type of lens is a magnifying glass -**Convex lens**
4242. Why does a liquid drop tend to assume a spherical shape -**To minimize surface tension**
4243. What happens when soda water bottle falls freely -**No bubbles form**
4244. Pure water freezes at what temperature -**32 F**
4245. Why are Metals good conductor of heat than insulator -**they contain free electrons**
4246. When some detergent is added to water, the surface tension ____ -**Decreases**
4247. The value of which quantity remains same in all system of units -**Specific Gravity**
4248. Distance of stars are measured in ____ -**Light Years**
4249. Nature of sound wave is ____ -**Longitudinal**
4250. Which is used to initiate fissions -**Neutrons**

4251. The total internal reflection can occur when light pass from ____ - **Denser to Rarer medium**
4252. Who discovered Diode Bulb - **Sir J. S. Fleming**
4253. Radio waves of constant amplitude can be generated with ____ - **Oscillator**
4254. What is the SI unit of luminous intensity - **Candela**
4255. What is the name of short duration wave - **Pulse**
4256. The absorption of ink by blotting paper involves ____ - **Capillary Action**
4257. Two drops of a liquid are merged to form a single drop. In this process ____ - **Energy is released**
4258. Which is more elastic - Steel or Rubber - **Steel**
4259. An atom bomb is based on the principle of ____ - **Nuclear Fission**
4260. Which instrument is used to measure the scattering of light by particles suspended in a liquid - **Nephelometer**
4261. The speed of light with the rise in the temperature of the medium ____ - **Remains unaltered**
4262. Most commercial nuclear power plants worldwide are cooled by ____ - **Water**
4263. Electric Motor converts ____ - **Electric energy to mechanical energy**
4264. Nuclear sizes are expressed in a unit named ____ - **Fermi**
4265. Weightlessness experienced in a spaceship is due to ____ - **Absence of Gravity**
4266. The blue colour of the clear sky is due to ____ - **Dispersion of Light**
4267. What does airbag, used for safety of car driver, contain - **Sodium Azide**
4268. Radian is used to measure ____ - **Angle**
4269. Who had showed that the electric and magnetic waves are equal in vacuum - **James Clerk Maxwell**
4270. When a red glass is heated in dark room it will seem ____ - **Green**
4271. The friction force exerted by fluids is called ____ - **Drag**
4272. Which is used in designing ships and submarines - **Archimedes Principle**
4273. Which instrument is used to measure change in volume of substances - **Dilatometer**
4274. On which principle, transformer works - **Mutual Induction**
4275. Potential energy of your body is minimum when you ____ - **Lie down on ground**
4276. The velocity of sound in air ____ - **332m/sec**
4277. Beats occur because of ____ - **Interference**
4278. In summer, the mirages are seen due to the phenomenon of ____ - **Total Internal Reflection**
4279. Who gave the first experimental value of G - **Cavendish**
4280. Astigmatism can be corrected by ____ - **Cylindrical lenses**
4281. What apparatus is used to locate a submerged object - **SONAR**
4282. The image formed by convex lens in a simple microscope is ____ - **Virtual & Erect**
4283. What is the unit of magnetic flux - **Maxwell**
4284. Coolidge tube is used to produce ____ - **X-Rays**
4285. Sudden fall in barometer is indication of ____ - **Storm**
4286. Force of attraction between the molecules of different substances is called ____ - **Adhesive Force**
4287. What is the working principle of Washing machine - **Centrifugation**
4288. Insects can move on the surface of water without sinking due to ____ - **Surface tension of water**
4289. The temperature of the sun is measured with ____ - **Pyrometer**
4290. Acceleration acts always in the direction ____ - **of the net force**
4291. What is the term as the drainage pattern developed on folded sedimentary rocks - **Trellis**
4292. Which ecosystem covers the largest area of the earth's surface - **Marine Ecosystem**
4293. What percentage of insolation is received by the earth's surface - **47%**
4294. What type of climate is best suited for horticulture - **Mediterranean**
4295. Which city is associated with the river Mekong - **Phnom-Penh**
4296. Which is the busiest oceanic trade route - **North Atlantic Route**
4297. What is the average salinity of sea water - **3.50%**
4298. The winds which never change their direction are called - **Planetary Winds**
4299. Who discovered South Pole - **Amundsen**
4300. The Karakoram Highway connects which pairs of countries - **China - Pakistan**
4301. What is the most abundant metal in the earth's crust - **Aluminium**
4302. What is the most abundant element in the earth's crust - **Oxygen**
4303. After how many years does Halley's comet appear once in a period - **76 years**
4304. rainfall that occurs when wind rises up along a hill - **Orographic**
4305. In which country are the broken hills famous for zinc and lead - **Australia**
4306. Which is most prone to earthquakes - **Young folded mountains**
4307. What is the length of India's coastline - **About 7500 Km**
4308. How many kms are represented by 10° of latitudes - **111 kms**
4309. Which is a global biodiversity hotspot in India - **Western Ghats**
4310. Where are the islands of Seychelles located - **Indian Ocean**
4311. Mangrove vegetation in India is most extensive in which forest - **Sundarbans**
4312. Suez Canal joins which two Sea - **Red & Mediterranean Sea**
4313. Which biome has the highest species diversity - **Tropical Rain Forests**
4314. Which country in Africa has luxurious tropical rain forests - **Ivory Coast**

4315. Which crop requires continuous semiaquatic condition for cultivation – **Rice**
4316. Where are a large number of species are found within a small unit of area – **Wet Evergreen Equatorial forests**
4317. Which mountain range stretches from Gujarat in west to Delhi in the north – **Aravallis**
4318. Which plate movement is responsible for the formation of mid-ocean ridge – **Divergent Movement**
4319. Which is the largest volcano crater in the world – **Lake Toba**
4320. In India, how many States share the coastline – **9**
4321. The tornadoes are very strong tropical cyclones originating in which sea – **Caribbean Sea**
4322. The Vindhya belong to which class of mountains – **Block mountains**
4323. Which is the World's largest producer of wool – **Australia**
4324. Which soil is also known as 'Regur' – **Black Soil**
4325. What is known as soil-free farming – **Hydroponics**
4326. If it is 4 P.M. on Monday at 150°W, what will be the time at 150°E – **12 Noon on Tuesday**
4327. Dry winds (harmattan) blows in Sahara desert from – **East to West**
4328. Which industry in India was worst affected because of the partition – **Jute & Cotton**
4329. What is exact time taken by the earth for single rotation on its own axis – **23 hrs 56 mins 4.09 sec**
4330. Because of which factor, clouds do not precipitate in deserts – **Low Humidity**
4331. Which river crosses the equator twice – **Congo**
4332. Under which climatic conditions do the laterite soils develop – **Wet Tropical Climate**
4333. Which is the most important factor in soil formation – **Climate**
4334. The deepest surface depression on earth is – **Mariana Trench**
4335. The word "isoneph" represents the lines of equal.... – **Cloudiness**
4336. Country through which both Equator and Tropic of Capricorn pass – **Brazil**
4337. What is the name of the soil, rich in calcium – **Pedocal**
4338. Which lake is known as "honeymoon lake" – **Lake Titicaca**
4339. Which country has maximum damage to forests been caused by acid rain – **Poland**
4340. Which country is situated geographically in America but politically a part of Europe – **Greenland**
4341. The fertile land between two rivers is called – **Doab**
4342. Which Strait separates Africa from Europe – **Strait of Gibraltar**
4343. Which is the fastest growing tree – **Eucalyptus**
4344. Which tree require minimum water for its growth – **Babool**
4345. Which plain formed due to the weathering of lime stone – **Karst Plains**
4346. To an astronaut, how does outer space appear – **Black**
4347. Which river crosses tropic of Capricorn twice – **Limpopo river**
4348. What is associated with a savanna climate – **Scrub**
4349. Which kind of forests is found in silent valley of Kerala – **Tropical Rain Forests**
4350. Which is the largest island in the Indian Ocean – **Madagascar**
4351. In how many time zones has the world been divided into – **24**
4352. Which soil is very hard to cultivate – **Sandy soil**
4353. What separates Daman & Diu – **Gulf of Khambhat**
4354. Which connects the ocean floor level with the continent – **Continental slope**
4355. Port Blair - the capital of Andaman and Nicobar Islands, is located in which island – **South Andaman**
4356. Which is the State with the largest area under waste land – **Jammu & Kashmir**
4357. Which crop are grain with the on set of monsoon & are harvested in September-October – **Kharif**
4358. Which river basin is called 'Ruhr of India' – **Damodar**
4359. Which is considered to have an adverse effect on Indian Monsoon – **El Nino**
4360. Which is the longest inland waterways in the world – **Mississippi river system**
4361. In which latitudes are the seasonal contrasts maximum – **Mid Latitudes**
4362. Which state in India is known as "Rice Bowl" – **Andhra Pradesh**
4363. What are Doldrums – **Tropical no wind belt**
4364. "Valley of flowers" is located in which state – **Uttarakhand**
4365. Which is called 'Herring Pond' – **Atlantic ocean**
4366. What is the name of India's southern tip – **Indira Point**
4367. Lines joining places receiving equal amount of rain fall – **Isohytes**
4368. What is the reason behind the declining climate of Maldives – **High Population Density**
4369. Which place gets the least rainfall in India – **Jodhpur**
4370. Which hill station is known as the "Queen of Satpura" – **Panchmarhi**
4371. Which are the two volcanic islands in the Indian territory – **Narcoam & Barren**
4372. Which is the longest national highway – **NH 7**
4373. India is divided into how many seismic zones according to the earthquake zoning map – **4**
4374. In which State is the Guru Shikhar Peak located – **Rajasthan**
4375. Which one is the longest river in India that flows entirely within India – **Godavari**
4376. Which lake has been formed due to tectonic activities – **Wular lake**
4377. By what name is the Ganga known in Bangladesh – **Padma**

4378. Which State produces maximum pulses in the country - **Madhya Pradesh**
4379. Which is the largest fresh water lake in the world - **Lake Superior**
4380. Where is Sargasso sea located - **North Atlantic Ocean**
4381. Which State has the largest coastline in India - **Gujarat**
4382. Duncan Passage is located between which regions - **South & Little Andaman**
4383. The Sivasamudram Falls is on which river - **Cauvery**
4384. Which Warm dry wind blows down the east slopes of Rockies - **Chinook**
4385. Which planet is known as veiled planet - **Venus**
4386. Which Strait which separates Asia from North America - **Bering strait**
4387. How many islands of India are located in the Bay of Bengal - **204**
4388. What happens when a sudden fall in the barometric reading - **Storm**
4389. In India, President is elected by which method - **Single Transferable Vote**
4390. Till now, the Preamble of Constitution of India has been amended for how many times - **Once**
4391. Who is competent to dissolve the Rajya Sabha - **No one**
4392. Which were the first two states in India to establish Panchayati Raj in 1956 - **Rajasthan & Andhra Pradesh**
4393. How long a person should have practiced in a High Court to be eligible to be appointed as a Judge of Supreme Court of India - **10 years**
4394. What can be the maximum interval between two sessions of parliament - **6 months**
4395. 'Shakti - Sthal' is related to whom - **Smt. Indira Gandhi**
4396. To whom does the Public Accounts Committee submit its report - **Speaker of Lok Sabha**
4397. Who is known as the first Law Officer of India - **Attorney General of India**
4398. Which provision of the Fundamental Rights is directly related to the exploitation of children - **A 24**
4399. What is the chief source of political power in India - **The People**
4400. Fundamental Duties were added by which constitutional amendment - **42nd CAA**
4401. In which year were the first general election held in India - **1951-52**
4402. The only instance when the President of India exercised his power of veto - **Indian Post Office (Amendment Bill), 1986**
4403. The Eighth Schedule of Indian Constitution is related to - **Recognized languages**
4404. Who is longest serving speaker of Lok Sabha - **Balram Jhakar**
4405. What is the quorum of Lok Sabha - **1/10th of total membership**
4406. When Constitution was framed, how many Schedules were there - **Eight**
4407. Who is the chairman of Kendriya Hindi Samiti - **Prime Minister**
4408. Which part of the Constitution of India talks about the Municipalities - **Part IX (A)**
4409. Who proposed the creation of a Preamble before the Drafting Committee - **J.L. Nehru**
4410. Who said Preamble is the keynote to the Constitution - **Ernest Barker**
4411. The idea of a Constituent Assembly to form a Constitution of India was first mooted by whom - **M.N. Roy in 1927**
4412. What is the lowest stage of the local Government - **Gram Panchayat**
4413. Who has been the only Lok Sabha Speaker to have become the President of India - **Neelam Sanjeeva Reddy**
4414. Which Constitutional Article lays down qualification for becoming a voter - **A 326**
4415. Who was the Defence Minister of India during the Indo China war of 1962 - **V.K. Krishna Menon**
4416. The Indian Parliament passed the States Reorganisation Act in which year - **1956**
4417. Which case determined that the Preamble is a part of the constitution - **Keshvananda Bharti case**
4418. Which part of Constitution emphasises the welfare aspect of the State - **DPSP**
4419. Who is the Supreme Commander of India's armed forces - **President of India**
4420. When was All India Services Act enacted - **15th October 1951**
4421. Once a Budget has been presented in the Parliament, the government has to get all money bills related to the union budget passed within - **75 days**
4422. After how many years is the President of USA elected - **4 years**
4423. Which has been the most amended as also the most controversial Fundamental Right - **Right to property**
4424. What is the current age of retirement of judges from supreme courts and high courts respectively in India - **65 yrs & 62 yrs**
4425. Which writ examines the functioning of Subordinate Courts - **Certiorari**
4426. The concept of fundamental duties of Indian constitution was borrowed from Russia (Former USSR) - **Polity**
4427. Who works as the Chairman of a Zonal Council in India - **Home Minister**
4428. From which fund is the pension of a High Court Judge charged - **Consolidated Fund of India**
4429. Which commission was formed in 1983 to recommend the relationship and balance of power between state and central governments - **Sarkaria Committee**
4430. What Minimum age is required to contest for Presidency - **35 years**
4431. Who is current Chief Justice of India - **Justice J S Khehar**
4432. In which year did the Right to Information Act come into force - **2005**
4433. From where can a Member of Parliament claim immunity - **From Civil cases only**
4434. In India, Administrative head of Union Territories is - **Lieutenant Governor**
4435. The inspiration of which was the only President of India who elected unopposed - **'Liberty, Equality and Fraternity' was derived from Neelam Sanjeeva Reddy**
4436. Which revolution - **French Revolution**

4437. What is the maximum number of elected members in a State Assembly - **500**

4438. The Prime Minister of India who did not face the Union Parliament was - **Chaudhary Charan Singh**

4439. What is the electorate for a Panchayat - **Gram sabha**

4440. The first Governor ever to be dismissed by the President was - **Prabhu Das Patwari**

4441. Who can initiate impeachment proceedings against the President of India - **Either House of Parliament**

4442. Judicial Review in the Indian Constitution is based on Procedure established by - **law**

4443. Who collects the House Tax - **Municipality Corporation**

4444. Who is the chairman of national integration council - **Prime Minister**

4445. Which is the only Union Territory that has a High Court of its own - **Delhi**

4446. Who can establish an Inter-State Council - **President**

4447. First woman speaker of Lok Sabha - **Meira Kumar**

4448. The first census was conducted in India at the time of which governor general - **Lord Mayo**

4449. In the year 2006, which programme was launched for the welfare of minorities - **Prime Minister's New 15-Point**

4450. An additional judge of a High Court holds office for a period of - **2 years**

4451. In which country did the concept of Public Interest Litigation originate - **United States**

4452. Which was the first linguistic state - **Andhra Pradesh**

4453. Which writ is issued by the court in case of illegal detention of a person - **Habeas Corpus**

4454. What is the total number of Fundamental Duties mentioned in the Constitution - **11**

4455. All the cases regarding interpretation of the Constitution can be brought to the Supreme Court under its - **Appellate jurisdiction**

4456. The Supreme Court originally consisted of how many other judges besides the Chief Justice - **Seven**

4457. By whom is the Contingency Fund of the State operated - **Governor**

4458. What is the source of "we the people" in the Preamble - **United Nations**

4459. Ambedkar had said the "Article.....should normally remain a 'dead letter' and would be used only in the 'last resort' - **Article 356**

4460. Which Constitutional Amendment banned the floor crossing in Parliament - **52nd CAA**

4461. When the Vice-President acts as President, whose salary does he draw - **President**

4462. Who was the first speaker of Lok Sabha - **G. V. Mavlankar**

4463. Under which Constitutional Amendment, provision for minimum age as 18 years for the Indian citizen was made to become eligible to vote - **61st CAA**

4464. Which of the following award is Third Highest Civilian Award of India - **Padma Bhushan**

4465. Who is a famous painter - **MF Hussain**

4466. Round revolution is associated with which of these crops - **Potato**

4467. Who wrote "Romeo & Juliet" - **William Shakespeare**

4468. The Desert Festival is held in - **Jaisalmer**

4469. The tenure of the members of Lok Sabha is for how many years - **5**

4470. How many types of writ are there in the Indian Constitution - **5**

4471. Shah Jahan (1627-1657 AD) was the ruler of which dynasty - **Mughal**

4472. Who among the following was the founder of society called 'Abhinav Bharat' - **Vinayak Damodar Savarkar**

4473. In which year, the NREGA was renamed as the MGNREGA - **2009**

4474. Shivkumar Sharma is famous for playing which musical instrument - **Santoor**

4475. Which committee was formed to review "Community Development Programme" of 1952 - **Balwan Rai Mehta Committee**

4476. Doubts and disputes relating to the election of a President or Vice President shall be decided by whom - **Supreme Court**

4477. Who was considered to be the first non-Kshatriya dynasty - **Mahapadma Nanda**

4478. Kwashiorkor disease in children is caused by sufficient carbohydrates and fats but - **deficient proteins in diet**

4479. Accumulation of which one of the following in the muscles of sprinters leads to cramp - **Lactic acid**

4480. The State which produces largest number of orchids in India is - **Sikkim**

4481. Which two planets of the solar system have no satellite - **Mercury and Venus**

4482. Which one of fertilizers has the maximum percentage of nitrogen - **Urea**

4483. Comptroller and Auditor General of India is appointed by - **President**

4484. Which of the following battles was fought in 1192 AD - **Second battle of Tarain**

4485. Marble is a metamorphic rock of - **Limestone**

4486. Is an example of intrusive igneous rock. - **Granite**

4487. Padma Bhushan awards are given on which of the following days - **Republic Day**

4488. Who is the founder of Charminar of Hyderabad - **Mohammad Quli Qutub Shahi**

4489. In which part of constitution amendment process of constitution is mentioned - **Part 20**

4490. The 'Junagarh Rock Inscription' associated to - **Rudradaman**

4491. In the Western India The Chalukyas dynasty succeeded by - **Rashtrakutas**

4492. Most of the chola temples were dedicated to - **Shiva**

4493. The Sultan who described himself as 'The Second Alexander' (Sikander-i-Sani) was - **Alauddin Khilji**

4494. Name the king who invaded Delhi and plundered the Kohinoor Diamond. - **Nadir Shah**

4495. Who among the following had repealed the Vernacular Press Act - **Lord Ripon**

4496. Who is considered to be the founder of Bhakti movement in North India - **Ramananda**

4497. Which one of the following enzymes is found in human saliva - **Ptyalin**

4498. What is the other name for Vitamin B2 - **Riboflavin**

4499. Which of the following converts carbohydrates into maltose sugar - **Amylase**

4500. Which of the following causes small pox - **Virus**

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