General Awareness

This section is vast and designed to check the candidate’s General Awareness and General Knowledge, which mainly focused on Current Affairs and GK. General Knowledge and Current Affairs are inter-related and cannot be divided from one another. The current events now may fall under GK after few months. For example, “Who was conferred with Sraswati Samman award 2015?” which is under current events now, shall become GK Question after a year or two. One should prepare interlinking GK and Current events and developments. It could help a lot to remember more easily.

To get good score in this section, one must be acquainted with the following topics – Basic General Knowledge, Current Affairs (India & the World), who is who (Appointments and Heads) Banking Industry at a glance, Business Knowledge, Banking Operations, Financial Organisations, Games and Sports, General Science (Biology, Physical and Chemical Sciences), History & Culture, Geography (India and the world), Polity (Indian Constitution & Indian Political System), Economy (India & the world), Books and Authors, Awards and Honors (National & International), Government Schemes (Center & States), Countries, Capitals and their currencies, Important Days and Weeks, Discoveries & Inventions, International & National Organisations.

Previous Questions:

1. What is the full form of ‘ULIP’, the term which was in the news recently? (Finance and Banking terms)
   1) Universal Life & Investment Plan
   2) Unit Loan & Insurance Plan
   3) Universal Loan & Investment Plan
   4) Uniformly Loaded Investment Plan
   5) Unit Linked Insurance Plan

2. Many times we read in newspapers that a company is planning to bring a public issue. What does it mean? (Finance/Business Knowledge)
   (A) Shares of the company will be issued only through public sector organisations like banks/Central financial institutions etc.
   (B) Shares of the company will be issued to general public only through primary market.
   (C) This means some stakeholders/promoters are willing to leave the company. Hence they wish to sell their stock to the general public.
   1) Only A
   2) Only B
   3) Only C
   4) All A, B & C
   5) None of these

3. Iron-ore is found in which of the following states in India? (Geography-India)
   1) Punjab
   2) Rajasthan
   3) Orissa
   4) Jammu & Kashmir
   5) Uttar Pradesh
4. The G-20 Summit in June 2010 is scheduled to be held at which of the following places? (Current Affairs - Conferences)
   1) London
   2) Washington
   3) Tokyo
   4) Paris
   5) Toronto

5. Who amongst the following is NOT a famous Lawn Tennis player? (GK - Sports)
   1) Cara Black
   2) Mike Bryan
   3) Denis Ndiso
   4) Serena Williams
   5) LeanderPaes

6. White Tiger is a book written by (Books and Authors)
   1) RK Narayan
   2) Shobhaa De
   3) Khushwant Singh
   4) Arundhati Roy
   5) AravindAdiga

7. India's first transgenic crop was (Science and Technology - Inventions)
   1) Potato
   2) Brinjal
   3) Sugarcane
   4) Bt cotton
   5) None of these

8. Which of the following schemes launched by the Government of India is a scheme to improve the performance of the agricultural sector? (Economy - Schemes)
   1) National Horticulture Mission
   2) Pulse Polio Abhiyan
   3) Old Age Pension Scheme
   4) Bharat Nirman Yojana
   5) None of these