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# IQNexus Mathematics Olympiad (IQMO)

Sample Paper | Class 8 | Session: 2024-25

**Challenging Minds, Building Futures**

Instructions:

- **Total Questions:** 30
- **Total Marks:** 100
- **Time Allowed:** 1 Hour
- **All questions are compulsory.**
- **Each question has four options, only one is correct.**

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## Student Information

- **Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Class:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Section:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Exam Roll No.:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **School:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## IQMO - Class 8 Sample Questions

Section 1: Fundamental Concepts (10 Questions, 30 Marks)

*(Focus: Basic mathematical principles & calculations)*

1. Simplify:  $(3x + 5) + (2x - 7)$   
A)  $5x - 2$   
B)  $5x + 12$   
C)  $6x - 2$   
D)  $6x + 12$

2. If the perimeter of a square is 48 cm, what is its area?
  - A) 144 cm<sup>2</sup>
  - B) 96 cm<sup>2</sup>
  - C) 64 cm<sup>2</sup>
  - D) 36 cm<sup>2</sup>
3. Solve for x:  $2x - 5 = 11$ 
  - A) 6
  - B) 8
  - C) 5
  - D) 3
4. The product of two numbers is 72. If one number is 8, what is the other number?
  - A) 9
  - B) 7
  - C) 6
  - D) 12
5. The HCF of 24 and 36 is:
  - A) 6
  - B) 8
  - C) 12
  - D) 18
6. Convert  $\frac{3}{4}$  into a percentage.
  - A) 25%
  - B) 50%
  - C) 75%
  - D) 100%
7. The cube of 4 is:
  - A) 16
  - B) 64
  - C) 12
  - D) 8
8. Find the next term in the sequence: **2, 5, 10, 17, ?**
  - A) 26
  - B) 28
  - C) 30
  - D) 32
9. The sum of angles in a quadrilateral is:
  - A) 180°
  - B) 270°
  - C) 360°
  - D) 90°
10. A number is divisible by 11 if:
  - A) The sum of its digits is a multiple of 11
  - B) The difference of its alternate digits is a multiple of 11
  - C) It ends in 0
  - D) It is even

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## Section 2: Logical Thinking (5 Questions, 15 Marks)

*(Focus: Pattern recognition, sequences, and logical deductions)*

11. Find the missing term: **3, 9, 27, ?, 243**
  - A) 54
  - B) 81
  - C) 108
  - D) 144
12. If  $3 + 5 = 16$ ,  $4 + 6 = 25$ , then  $5 + 7 = ?$ 
  - A) 36
  - B) 30
  - C) 49
  - D) 40
13. Which number replaces the question mark?  
8, 27, 64, 125, ?
  - A) 150
  - B) 216
  - C) 225
  - D) 240
14. If "BOOK" is coded as 211, how is "PEN" coded?
  - A) 35
  - B) 40
  - C) 47
  - D) 52
15. If today is Monday, what will be the day after 20 days?
  - A) Sunday
  - B) Monday
  - C) Tuesday
  - D) Wednesday

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## Section 3: Applied Problem Solving (10 Questions, 35 Marks)

*(Focus: Real-life applications and case-based problem-solving)*

16. A shopkeeper gives a **10% discount** on a ₹500 item. If GST is 5%, what is the final price?
  - A) ₹450
  - B) ₹475
  - C) ₹480
  - D) ₹472.5

17. A car covers **240 km in 4 hours**. What is its speed?  
A) 40 km/hr  
B) 50 km/hr  
C) 60 km/hr  
D) 70 km/hr
18. A sum of ₹8000 is invested at 10% per annum for **2 years**. Find the simple interest.  
A) ₹1600  
B) ₹2000  
C) ₹2400  
D) ₹3200
19. The area of a circle with radius 7 cm is:  
A) 154 cm<sup>2</sup>  
B) 144 cm<sup>2</sup>  
C) 120 cm<sup>2</sup>  
D) 128 cm<sup>2</sup>
20. A train is **150 m long** and crosses a **200 m platform in 20 sec**. Find its speed.  
A) 15 m/s  
B) 17.5 m/s  
C) 20 m/s  
D) 25 m/s
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## Section 4: Achievers Section (5 Questions, 20 Marks)

*(Focus: Higher-order thinking, challenging problems for top performers)*

21. A father is 30 years older than his son. In 10 years, he will be **twice** his son's age. Find their current ages.  
A) 30, 10  
B) 40, 10  
C) 50, 20  
D) 60, 30
22. If **A = 2, B = 3, C = 5**, what is the value of  $(A^2 + B^2) \times C$ ?  
A) 49  
B) 64  
C) 65  
D) 100
23. Find the value of  $(\sqrt{81} + \sqrt{49}) \div (\sqrt{16} - \sqrt{9})$   
A) 5  
B) 7  
C) 9  
D) 16
24. Solve:  $(3a + 2b)^2 - (3a - 2b)^2$   
A) 12ab  
B) 24ab

- C) 36ab
- D) 40ab

## IQNexus Mathematics Olympiad (IQMO) - Class 8 Answers

### Section 1: Fundamental Concepts

1. A)  $5x - 2$
2. A)  $144 \text{ cm}^2$
3. B) 8
4. A) 9
5. C) 12
6. C) 75%
7. B) 64
8. A) 26
9. C)  $360^\circ$
10. B) The difference of its alternate digits is a multiple of 11

### Section 2: Logical Thinking

11. B) 81
12. C) 49
13. B) 216
14. C) 47
15. B) Monday

Section 3: Applied Problem Solving

16. D) ₹472.5

17. C) 60 km/hr

18. A) ₹1600

19. A) 154 cm<sup>2</sup>

20. B) 17.5 m/s

Section 4: Achievers Section

21. B) 40, 10

22. C) 65

23. D) 16

24. B) 24ab