





ISFO G.K. Sample Paper

MAXIMUM TIME: 60 MINUTES MAXIMUM MARKS: 100

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Please DO NOT OPEN the contest booklet until you are asked to do so.
- 2. The question paper comprises of 4 sections (Total 50 questions):

Section A : General Awareness 30-Questions (2 marks each)

Section B : Current Affairs 10-Questions (1 mark each)

Section C : Building Life Skills 5-Questions (1 mark each)

Section D : BrainBox 5-Questions (5 marks each)

- 3. All questions are compulsory. There is no negative marking.
- 4. No electronic devices capable of storing and displaying visual information such as calculator and mobile are allowed during the course of the exam.
- 5. Fill all your detail properly on the OMR sheet.
- 6. There is only ONE correct answer of each question.
- 7. To mark your choice of answers by darkening the circles on the OMR Sheet, use an HB Pencil or a Blue/Black Ball Point Pen only.
- 8. Shade your answer clearly as per the given example:

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SECTION A: GENERAL AWARENESS

- 1. Which of the following are endemic animals?
 - a) Peacock
 - b) Flying squirrel
 - c) Bison
 - d) Both b and c
- 2. Which international agency is responsible for listing animals and plants as endangered?
 - a) International Union for Conservation of Nature (ICUN)
 - b) US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS)
 - c) US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA)
 - d) Environment and Natural Resource Division (ENRD)

- 3. Animals like octopuses, some spiders, lizards have the ability to detach a part of their body only to grow it again. What is this called?
 - a) Camouflage
 - b) Mimicry
 - c) Autotomy
 - d) Delusion Effect
- 4. Name the oldest system of writing which means 'Sacred Carving'.
 - a) Sumerian Language
 - b) Esperanto
 - c) Cambodian
 - d) Hieroglyphics

SECTION B: CURRENT AFFAIRS

- 5. When was the Ganga Swachhta Sankalp Diwas celebrated?
 - a) 2 May, 2017
- b) 29 April, 2017
- c) 29 March, 2017
- d) None of the Above
- 6. Against which nation did the UNSC adopt tough sanctions unanimously?
 - a) Japan
- b) Pakistan
- c) North Korea
- d) Iran

SECTION C: BUILDING LIFE SKILLS

Identify the asana in Question 41.

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- a) Padmasana
- b) Akarna Dhanurasana
- c) Ardha Matsyendrasana
- d) Paschimottanasana

- 8. Which of the following is not an efficient study method?
 - Keep studying all day long, with small breaks
 - b) Develop a regular study routine
 - c) Keep time for exercise, recreation and sleep
 - d) Select a comfortable and quite place

SECTION D: BRAINBOX

- 9. At 3.40, the hour hand and the minute hand of a clock form an angle of ______.
 - a) 120°
 - b) 125°
 - c) 130°
 - d) 135°

- 10. Who said, 'Close beside my knowledge lies my black ignorance'?
 - a) Goldsmith
 - b) Confucius
 - c) Zarathustra
 - d) None of the above



ANSWERS											
	1. (B)	2. (A)	3. (C)	4. (D)	5. (A)	6. (C)	7. (C)	8. (A)	9. (B)	10. (C)	