

GMCET Entertainment Media Knowledge

Sample Paper – 6

Duration: 15 Minutes

Maximum Marks: 25

Instructions

- This paper contains **25** Multiple Choice Questions (Single Correct Answer), modelled on the **Entertainment Media Knowledge** section of **GMCET** (Global Media Common Entrance Test).
- Each correct answer carries **+1 mark**. There is **no negative marking**. Unattempted questions receive **0** marks.
- Only **one** option is correct. Choose carefully.
- Syllabus level: **Indian & world cinema, music, television, OTT, awards and entertainment-media general awareness.**
- Use of mobile phones, calculators, or electronic gadgets is strictly prohibited.

Q1. In the science-fiction film **The Matrix**, the lead character Neo is played by which actor?

- (A) Will Smith
- (B) Keanu Reeves
- (C) Tom Cruise
- (D) Bruce Willis

Q2. The little yellow characters called **Minions** are best known from which animated film franchise?

- (A) Madagascar
- (B) Ice Age
- (C) Despicable Me
- (D) Hotel Transylvania



- Q3.** Hayao Miyazaki, director of *Spirited Away*, co-founded which famous Japanese animation studio?
- (A) Studio Ghibli
 - (B) Toei Animation
 - (C) Madhouse
 - (D) Kyoto Animation
- Q4.** The classic 1994 animated film about a lion cub named Simba is:
- (A) Madagascar
 - (B) Kung Fu Panda
 - (C) The Jungle Book
 - (D) The Lion King
- Q5.** Which Hollywood actor starred in *Inception* and won an Oscar for *The Revenant*?
- (A) Brad Pitt
 - (B) Leonardo DiCaprio
 - (C) Tom Cruise
 - (D) Matt Damon
- Q6.** Which actor plays the web-slinging superhero **Spider-Man** in the recent Marvel Cinematic Universe films?
- (A) Robert Downey Jr.
 - (B) Chris Evans
 - (C) Tom Holland
 - (D) Chris Hemsworth
- Q7.** Which of the following is a popular television channel devoted to **animated cartoons**?
- (A) Cartoon Network



- (B) National Geographic
- (C) ESPN
- (D) History TV18

Q8. The *Avengers* films, featuring Iron Man and Captain America, belong to which hugely successful franchise?

- (A) The DC Extended Universe
- (B) The Fast & Furious saga
- (C) The Jurassic Park series
- (D) The Marvel Cinematic Universe

Q9. The 2019 South Korean film that became the **first non-English film** to win the Best Picture Oscar was:

- (A) Parasite
- (B) Oldboy
- (C) Train to Busan
- (D) Burning

Q10. The icon shown below, found on video apps and used to begin a video, is the:



- (A) record button
- (B) play button
- (C) pause button
- (D) mute button

Q11. The acclaimed film *The Dark Knight* centres on which masked superhero?

- (A) Superman

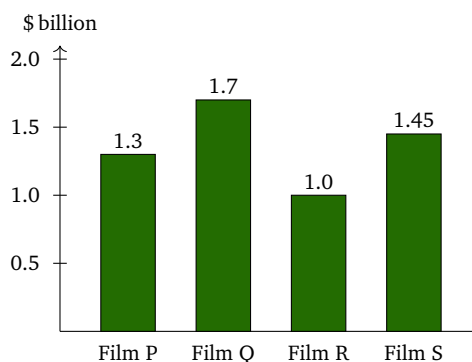


- (B) Iron Man
- (C) Batman
- (D) Wonder Woman

Q12. The animated franchise *Shrek* and the film *Kung Fu Panda* were produced by:

- (A) Pixar
- (B) Walt Disney Animation
- (C) Studio Ghibli
- (D) DreamWorks Animation

Q13. The bar chart shows the worldwide earnings (in \$ billion) of four animated films. Which film earned the **most**?



- (A) Film Q
- (B) Film P
- (C) Film R
- (D) Film S

Q14. The popular Indian animated TV character, a brave young boy with a magic laddoo, is:

- (A) Bheem (from Chhota Bheem)
- (B) Motu
- (C) Bal Hanuman



(D) Roll No. 21

Q15. The K-pop band that topped global charts with hits like *Dynamite* and *Butter* is:

- (A) EXO
- (B) Blackpink
- (C) BTS
- (D) Stray Kids

Q16. The space-opera saga featuring Luke Skywalker, Darth Vader and the Jedi is:

- (A) Star Trek
- (B) Guardians of the Galaxy
- (C) Interstellar
- (D) Star Wars

Q17. The shining gold symbol shown below is most commonly used to represent a:



- (A) star award (top rating / excellence)
- (B) warning sign
- (C) recycling symbol
- (D) battery indicator

Q18. The hugely popular American sitcom about six friends in New York, set largely in a coffee house, is:

- (A) The Big Bang Theory
- (B) Friends



- (C) Seinfeld
- (D) How I Met Your Mother

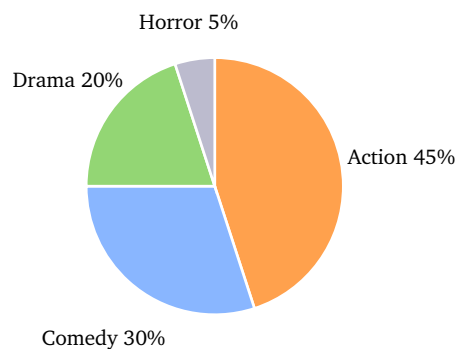
Q19. Peter Jackson's epic film trilogy based on J. R. R. Tolkien's novels is:

- (A) The Chronicles of Narnia
- (B) The Hobbit (sequels)
- (C) The Lord of the Rings
- (D) Game of Thrones

Q20. In Pixar's *Toy Story*, the cowboy doll who is Andy's favourite toy is named:

- (A) Buzz Lightyear
- (B) Rex
- (C) Mr. Potato Head
- (D) Woody

Q21. The pie chart shows the popularity share of four film genres among viewers. Which genre is the **most** popular?



- (A) Action
- (B) Comedy
- (C) Drama
- (D) Horror

Q22. The hit film franchise **Jurassic World** is built around which kind of pre-historic creatures?

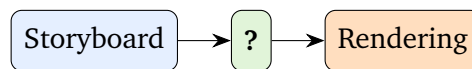


- (A) Sharks
- (B) Dinosaurs
- (C) Dragons
- (D) Giant apes

Q23. The Disney animated film featuring the ice queen Elsa and the song “*Let It Go*” is:

- (A) Moana
- (B) Tangled
- (C) Frozen
- (D) Encanto

Q24. The basic stages of producing an animated film are shown below in order. Which stage fills the blank?



- (A) Screening
- (B) Ticketing
- (C) Marketing
- (D) Animation

Q25. Which British actor played the wizard **Gandalf** in *The Lord of the Rings* films?

- (A) Ian McKellen
- (B) Daniel Radcliffe
- (C) Hugh Jackman
- (D) Patrick Stewart



Detailed Solutions

Q1.

Solution

Concept — Actors and roles: Iconic film characters are tied to specific actors.

Key fact: In *The Matrix* (1999), the hero Neo is played by *Keanu Reeves*.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Will Smith, (C) Tom Cruise and (D) Bruce Willis are major action stars, but did not play Neo.

Final Answer: Keanu Reeves ⇒

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q 1](#)

Q2.

Solution

Concept — Famous animated characters: Some side characters become so popular they get their own films.

Key fact: The little yellow *Minions* first appeared in the *Despicable Me* films, later starring in their own *Minions* spin-offs.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Madagascar has zoo animals; (B) Ice Age has prehistoric animals; (D) Hotel Transylvania has monsters, not Minions.

Final Answer: Despicable Me ⇒

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q 2](#)

Q3.

Solution

Concept — Japanese animation masters: A legendary director defined hand-drawn anime cinema.

Key fact: *Hayao Miyazaki* co-founded *Studio Ghibli*, the studio behind *Spirited Away*, *My Neighbour Totoro* and *Princess Mononoke*.

Why other options are wrong:



- (B) Toei made *Dragon Ball*; (C) Madhouse and (D) Kyoto Animation are other studios, not Miyazaki's.

Final Answer: Studio Ghibli ⇒

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q 3](#)

Q4.

Solution

Concept — Classic Disney animation: A 1994 film became one of the most beloved animated movies ever.

Key fact: *The Lion King* (1994) tells the story of the lion cub Simba and is a Walt Disney classic.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) *Madagascar* (DreamWorks) and (B) *Kung Fu Panda* are different films; (C) *The Jungle Book* features Mowgli, not Simba.

Final Answer: *The Lion King* ⇒

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q 4](#)

Q5.

Solution

Concept — Hollywood stars: Some actors are known for a long-awaited Oscar.

Key fact: *Leonardo DiCaprio* starred in *Inception* (2010) and won the Best Actor Oscar for *The Revenant* (2016).

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Brad Pitt, (C) Tom Cruise and (D) Matt Damon are major stars but did not win the Oscar for *The Revenant*.

Final Answer: *Leonardo DiCaprio* ⇒

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q 5](#)



Q6.

Solution

Concept — Superheroes and the actors who play them: Big franchises cast specific stars for each hero.

Key fact: *Tom Holland* plays *Spider-Man* (Peter Parker) in the recent *Marvel Cinematic Universe* films.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Robert Downey Jr. played Iron Man; (B) Chris Evans played Captain America; (D) Chris Hemsworth played Thor.

Final Answer: Tom Holland ⇒

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q 6](#)

Q7.

Solution

Concept — TV channels by content: Each channel specialises in a type of programming.

Key fact: *Cartoon Network* is a popular channel dedicated to animated cartoons.

Why other options are wrong:

- (B) National Geographic shows documentaries; (C) ESPN shows sports; (D) History TV18 shows history programming.

Final Answer: Cartoon Network ⇒

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q 7](#)

Q8.

Solution

Concept — Film franchises: The Avengers belong to a single shared universe.

Key fact: The *Avengers* films are part of the *Marvel Cinematic Universe (MCU)*, one of the highest-grossing franchises ever.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) The DC Extended Universe has Batman and Superman; (B) Fast & Furi-



ous and (C) Jurassic Park are separate franchises.

Final Answer: The Marvel Cinematic Universe ⇒ D

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q 8](#)

Q9.

Solution

Concept — World cinema milestones: An Oscar first was achieved by a Korean film.

Key fact: *Parasite* (2019), directed by Bong Joon-ho, was the first non-English-language film to win the Best Picture Oscar (2020).

Why other options are wrong:

- (B) *Oldboy*, (C) *Train to Busan* and (D) *Burning* are acclaimed Korean films but did not win Best Picture.

Final Answer: *Parasite* ⇒ A

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q 9](#)

Q10.

Solution

Concept — Media interface icons: A sideways triangle is a universal control symbol.

Key fact: The right-pointing triangle is the *play button*, used to start a video or audio clip.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) a record button is a filled circle; (C) a pause button is two vertical bars; (D) a mute button is a speaker with a cross.

Final Answer: play button ⇒ B

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q 10](#)



Q11.

Solution

Concept — Superhero films and their heroes: A film's title often hints at its central character.

Key fact: *The Dark Knight* is a celebrated film centred on *Batman*, the masked protector of Gotham City.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Superman, (B) Iron Man and (D) Wonder Woman are other superheroes with their own films, not the hero of *The Dark Knight*.

Final Answer: Batman \Rightarrow C

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q 11](#)

Q12.

Solution

Concept — Animation studios: Each major studio has signature franchises.

Key fact: *DreamWorks Animation* produced *Shrek* and *Kung Fu Panda*.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Pixar made *Toy Story*; (B) Walt Disney made *Frozen*; (C) Studio Ghibli made *Spirited Away*.

Final Answer: DreamWorks Animation \Rightarrow D

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q 12](#)

Q13.

Solution

Concept — Reading a bar chart: Compare the heights of the bars.

Step 1 — Values: Film P = 1.3, Film Q = 1.7, Film R = 1.0, Film S = 1.45 (\$ billion).

Step 2 — Compare: The tallest bar is *Film Q* at 1.7, the highest earner.

Why other options are wrong:



- (B) P (1.3), (C) R (1.0) and (D) S (1.45) are all below Q.

Final Answer: Film Q \Rightarrow

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q 13](#)

Q14.

Solution

Concept — Indian animation: Home-grown cartoons have their own popular heroes.

Key fact: *Chhota Bheem* stars a brave boy, *Bheem*, who gains strength from a magic laddoo.

Why other options are wrong:

- (B) Motu is from *Motu Patlu*; (C) Bal Hanuman and (D) Roll No. 21 are different shows, not the laddoo boy.

Final Answer: Bheem (from *Chhota Bheem*) \Rightarrow

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q 14](#)

Q15.

Solution

Concept — Global music: K-pop bands have huge worldwide followings.

Key fact: *BTS* topped global charts with *Dynamite* and *Butter*.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) EXO, (B) Blackpink and (D) Stray Kids are popular K-pop acts, but these two hits are *BTS*'s.

Final Answer: *BTS* \Rightarrow

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q 15](#)



Q16.

Solution

Concept — Science-fiction sagas: One franchise defined the space-opera genre.

Key fact: *Star Wars*, created by George Lucas, features Luke Skywalker, Darth Vader and the Jedi.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) *Star Trek* is a different sci-fi franchise; (B) *Guardians of the Galaxy* is part of Marvel; (C) *Interstellar* is a standalone film.

Final Answer: *Star Wars* ⇒

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Q17.

Solution

Concept — Symbols and meaning: A five-pointed gold star is a familiar rating symbol.

Key fact: The gold *star* represents a top rating, excellence or an award (as in five-star reviews and gold-star awards).

Why other options are wrong:

- (B) a warning sign is a triangle with “!”; (C) recycling uses three arrows; (D) a battery indicator is a rectangle.

Final Answer: star award ⇒

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Q18.

Solution

Concept — Iconic sitcoms: Some TV comedies become global favourites.

Key fact: *Friends* follows six friends in New York and is set largely around Central Perk, a coffee house.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) *The Big Bang Theory*, (C) *Seinfeld* and (D) *How I Met Your Mother* are



other sitcoms, not the Central Perk show.

Final Answer: Friends ⇒

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q 18](#)

Q19.

Solution

Concept — Fantasy epics: A famous trilogy adapts Tolkien's fantasy world.

Key fact: Peter Jackson directed *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy, based on J. R. R. Tolkien's novels.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Narnia is by C. S. Lewis; (B) The Hobbit is a separate (later) trilogy; (D) Game of Thrones is a TV series by George R. R. Martin.

Final Answer: The Lord of the Rings ⇒

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q 19](#)

Q20.

Solution

Concept — Famous animated characters: Toy Story has memorable toy heroes.

Key fact: *Woody* is the cowboy doll and Andy's favourite toy in Pixar's *Toy Story*.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Buzz Lightyear is the space ranger; (B) Rex is the dinosaur; (C) Mr. Potato Head is another toy, not the cowboy.

Final Answer: Woody ⇒

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q 20](#)



Q21.

Solution

Concept — Reading a pie chart: The largest slice represents the biggest share.

Step 1 — Shares: Action 45%, Comedy 30%, Drama 20%, Horror 5%.

Step 2 — Compare: The biggest slice (45%) is *Action*.

Why other options are wrong:

- (B) Comedy (30%), (C) Drama (20%) and (D) Horror (5%) are all smaller than Action.

Final Answer: Action ⇒

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Q22.

Solution

Concept — Film franchises and their themes: Many blockbuster franchises are built around a single big idea.

Key fact: The *Jurassic World* franchise is built around *dinosaurs* brought back to life in a modern theme park.

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Sharks feature in *Jaws*; (C) Dragons appear in fantasy films; (D) a giant ape is *King Kong*, not *Jurassic World*.

Final Answer: Dinosaurs ⇒

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Q23.

Solution

Concept — Modern Disney hits: A 2013 film became a global animated phenomenon.

Key fact: *Frozen* features the ice queen Elsa and the Oscar-winning song “Let It Go.”

Why other options are wrong:



- (A) Moana, (B) Tangled and (D) Encanto are other Disney films without Elsa.

Final Answer: Frozen ⇒ C

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q 23](#)

Q24.

Solution

Concept — Animation production workflow: An animated film moves through clear stages.

Key fact: A common pipeline is *Storyboard* (planning shots) → *Animation* (creating movement) → *Rendering* (producing final images).

Why other options are wrong:

- (A) Screening, (B) Ticketing and (C) Marketing happen after the film is made, not between storyboard and rendering.

Final Answer: Animation ⇒ D

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q 24](#)

Q25.

Solution

Concept — Actors and roles: Famous characters are tied to specific actors.

Key fact: *Ian McKellen* played the wizard Gandalf in *The Lord of the Rings* films.

Why other options are wrong:

- (B) Daniel Radcliffe played Harry Potter; (C) Hugh Jackman played Wolverine; (D) Patrick Stewart played Professor X.

Final Answer: Ian McKellen ⇒ A

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q 25](#)



Answer Key

Q	Ans	Q	Ans	Q	Ans	Q	Ans	Q	Ans
1	B	2	C	3	A	4	D	5	B
6	C	7	A	8	D	9	A	10	B
11	C	12	D	13	A	14	B	15	C
16	D	17	A	18	B	19	C	20	D
21	A	22	B	23	C	24	D	25	A

