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Rajasthan PTET Important Questions 2026

Section-Wise Questions with Answers & Explanations

**Mental
Ability**

50 Qs | 150 Marks

**Teaching
Aptitude**

50 Qs | 150 Marks

**General
Awareness**

50 Qs | 150 Marks

**Language
Proficiency**

50 Qs | 150 Marks

200

Total Qs

600

Total Marks

3 Hrs

Duration

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Rajasthan PTET 2026 – Important Questions

The **Rajasthan Pre-Teacher Education Test (PTET)** is conducted annually by **Vardhman Mahaveer Open University (VMOU)**, Kota for admission to 2-Year B.Ed. and 4-Year Integrated BA B.Ed./B.Sc B.Ed. programmes across Rajasthan. This booklet — curated by **Shiksha.com** — contains section-wise important questions with answers and explanations to help you prepare effectively.

PTET 2026 – EXAM PATTERN AT A GLANCE			
Section	Topics	No. of Qs	Marks
Mental Ability	Reasoning, Logic, Inference, Decision Making	50	150
Teaching Attitude & Aptitude	Interpersonal, Leadership, Communication, Commitment	50	150*
General Awareness	Current Affairs, Rajasthan GK, Education Policy	50	150
Language Proficiency	Grammar, Vocabulary, Comprehension (Hindi/English)	50	150
TOTAL	–	200	600

* Teaching Attitude & Aptitude uses a rating scale (3-2-1-0) instead of right/wrong marking. No negative marking in any section. Paper medium: Bilingual (Hindi + English) except Language section.

Shiksha.com Quick Prep Tips: (1) Solve at least 5 full mock tests before exam day. (2) Focus on Rajasthan GK — forts, rivers, folk arts, tribes, government schemes. (3) For Teaching Aptitude, think from the student's best interest perspective. (4) Revise grammar rules and idioms for Language section. (5) Mental Ability improves with daily puzzle and analogy practice.

SECTION
01

Mental Ability

50 Questions | 150
Marks**Key Topics:** Reasoning, Analogy, Series, Coding-Decoding, Blood Relations, Direction Sense, Syllogism, Arithmetic**Q1** If ROSE is coded as TQUG, then how is BLOSSOM coded?

- A) DNQUUQO
- B) DQNQUUO
- C) DNQUUQO
- D) DNQUQO

Ans: A) DNQUUQO*Each letter is shifted +2 in the alphabet. B→D, L→N, O→Q, S→U, S→U, O→Q, M→O.***Q2** Choose the odd one out: 17, 19, 23, 25, 29

- A) 17
- B) 23
- C) 25
- D) 29

Ans: C) 25*All others are prime numbers. 25 = 5×5 is a composite number.***Q3** Rahul is 7 ranks ahead of Deepak in a class of 35. If Deepak's rank from the bottom is 12, what is Rahul's rank from the top?

- A) 15
- B) 16
- C) 17
- D) 18

Ans: C) 17*Deepak's rank from top = 35 - 12 + 1 = 24. Rahul's rank from top = 24 - 7 = 17.***Q4** In a certain code, 'MANGO' is written as 'NBOIP'. How is 'APPLE' written in that code?

- A) BQRMF
- B) BQQMF
- C) AQPLF
- D) BRQMF

Ans: B) BQQMF*Each letter is moved one position forward in the alphabet. A→B, P→Q, P→Q, L→M, E→F.***Q5** Find the missing number: 2, 6, 12, 20, 30, ?

- A) 40
- B) 42
- C) 44
- D) 48

Ans: B) 42*Differences are 4,6,8,10,12. So next number = 30+12 = 42.*

Q6 A clock shows 8:20. What angle does the hour hand make with the minute hand?

- A) 110°
- B) 115°
- C) 120°
- D) 130°

Ans: A) 110°

At 8:20, minute hand is at 120° , hour hand is at $240^\circ + 10^\circ = 250^\circ$. Angle = $250 - 120 = 130^\circ$. Reflex is $360 - 130 = 230^\circ$. Inner = 130° . Recalculate: Hour hand at $8h20m = (8 \times 30) + (20 \times 0.5) = 240 + 10 = 250^\circ$. Minute hand = $20 \times 6 = 120^\circ$. Difference = 130° . Answer = 130° .

Q7 Which figure comes next in the series: ■▲■▲■?

- A) ▲
- B) ■
- C) ▼
- D) ■

Ans: A) ▲

The pattern alternates between ■ and ▲. The 6th term is ▲.

Q8 Ravi walks 10 km North, then turns East and walks 10 km, then turns South and walks 10 km. How far is he from the starting point?

- A) 0 km
- B) 10 km
- C) 14.1 km
- D) 20 km

Ans: B) 10 km

He ends up 10 km East of starting point. Distance = 10 km.

Q9 A train 150 m long passes a pole in 10 seconds. What is the speed of the train?

- A) 15 m/s
- B) 54 km/h
- C) 12 m/s
- D) 60 km/h

Ans: B) 54 km/h

Speed = $150/10 = 15 \text{ m/s} = 15 \times 18/5 = 54 \text{ km/h}$.

Q10 Choose the analogous pair: Doctor : Hospital :: Teacher : ?

- A) Book
- B) School
- C) Student
- D) Chalk

Ans: B) School

A doctor works in a hospital; similarly, a teacher works in a school.

Q11 If $6 \times 4 = 46$ and $5 \times 3 = 35$, then $9 \times 7 = ?$

- A) 97
- B) 79

- C) 63
D) 117

Ans: B) 79

Pattern: reverse the digits of the product and swap positions: $6 \times 4 = 24 \rightarrow 46$. $5 \times 3 = 15 \rightarrow 35$. $9 \times 7 = 63 \rightarrow 97$? No — pattern is: second digit first. $24 \rightarrow 42$? Let's check: $6 \times 4 = 24 \rightarrow 46$ (digits reversed). $5 \times 3 = 15 \rightarrow 51$? No $\rightarrow 35$. Pattern: tens digit first: $2, 4 \rightarrow 4, 2 = 42$? Not 46. Pattern: $A \times B \rightarrow BA$ appended = BA . $6 \times 4 \rightarrow 46$: just B followed by A? 4, 6. $5 \times 3 \rightarrow 35$: 3, 5. $9 \times 7 \rightarrow 79$: 7, 9. Yes — smaller digit first.

Q12 Find the odd one: River, Lake, Pond, Mountain, Sea

- A) River
B) Mountain
C) Pond
D) Sea

Ans: B) Mountain

All others are water bodies. Mountain is a landform.

Q13 A can do a work in 12 days, B in 18 days. They work together for 6 days. What fraction of work is left?

- A) $1/6$
B) $1/4$
C) $1/3$
D) $1/2$

Ans: A) $1/6$

Combined rate = $1/12 + 1/18 = 5/36$ per day. In 6 days = $30/36 = 5/6$. Remaining = $1 - 5/6 = 1/6$.

Q14 Which word cannot be formed using letters of IMAGINATION?

- A) MAIN
B) MANGO
C) MOTION
D) NATION

Ans: B) MANGO

MANGO needs G, which is not in IMAGINATION.

Q15 Statement: All cats are dogs. All dogs are animals. Conclusion: All cats are animals.

- A) Conclusion follows
B) Conclusion does not follow
C) Cannot be determined
D) None of these

Ans: A) Conclusion follows

Syllogism: All cats \rightarrow dogs, All dogs \rightarrow animals, therefore All cats \rightarrow animals. Valid conclusion.

Note: The above 15 questions are representative important questions for this section. The actual PTET paper has 50 questions per section. Practice more at shiksha.com.

SECTION
02

Teaching Attitude & Aptitude

50 Questions | 150
Marks

Key Topics: Social Maturity, Leadership, Professional Commitment, Interpersonal Relations, Communication, Awareness, Sensitivity

Q1 A student repeatedly disrupts the class. As a teacher, the best approach is to:

- A) Scold the student publicly
- B) Ignore the behaviour
- C) Privately understand the reason and counsel
- D) Complain to parents immediately

Ans: C) Privately understand the reason and counsel

Effective teachers address behavioural issues empathetically through private counselling, maintaining student dignity.

Q2 Which of the following best reflects a teacher's professional commitment?

- A) Teaching only as per the textbook
- B) Attending only mandatory staff meetings
- C) Continuously updating subject knowledge and pedagogy
- D) Finishing syllabus before the deadline

Ans: C) Continuously updating subject knowledge and pedagogy

Professional commitment means ongoing learning, not just completing routine tasks.

Q3 A student gives a wrong answer in class. A teacher should:

- A) Correct harshly to avoid mistakes again
- B) Appreciate the attempt and gently correct
- C) Ignore the student
- D) Ask another student to correct them

Ans: B) Appreciate the attempt and gently correct

Positive reinforcement maintains confidence while correcting misconceptions.

Q4 The primary objective of classroom teaching should be:

- A) Covering the syllabus
- B) Securing school rankings
- C) Holistic development of learners
- D) Preparing students for exams only

Ans: C) Holistic development of learners

Education aims at cognitive, emotional, social, and physical growth—not just exam preparation.

Q5 A teacher notices a student crying silently. The teacher should:

- A) Continue teaching without interruption
- B) Ask the class to note an assignment and check on the student
- C) Ask why in front of the class
- D) Inform the Principal immediately

Ans: B) Ask the class to note an assignment and check on the student

Teachers must balance class management with individual student welfare.

Q6 Which approach best describes student-centred teaching?

- A) Teacher explains; students listen
- B) Students discover through guided inquiry
- C) Rote memorisation of facts
- D) Strict discipline-based learning

Ans: B) Students discover through guided inquiry

Student-centred learning promotes critical thinking and active participation.

Q7 A parent aggressively demands extra marks for their child. A teacher should:

- A) Agree to avoid conflict
- B) Politely explain the evaluation system
- C) Refuse and report to police
- D) Give marks to maintain harmony

Ans: B) Politely explain the evaluation system

Teachers must uphold academic integrity while maintaining respectful communication with parents.

Q8 What is the best method to assess a slow learner?

- A) Same tests as others
- B) Shorter, activity-based assessments
- C) No assessment
- D) Group assessment only

Ans: B) Shorter, activity-based assessments

Inclusive education requires differentiated assessment to match individual learning pace.

Q9 A good teacher is one who:

- A) Never admits mistakes
- B) Maintains strict authority
- C) Inspires students to think independently
- D) Completes syllabus fastest

Ans: C) Inspires students to think independently

The hallmark of great teaching is cultivating independent, critical thinkers.

Q10 If two students fight in the classroom, the best immediate action is:

- A) Punish both equally
- B) Separate them calmly and understand the reason
- C) Call their parents immediately
- D) Suspend them

Ans: B) Separate them calmly and understand the reason

De-escalation and understanding root causes is the professional response.

Q11 The concept of 'in loco parentis' means a teacher:

- A) Acts like a police officer
- B) Acts in place of the parent for the student's welfare
- C) Is legally the student's guardian
- D) Has no responsibility outside the classroom

Ans: B) Acts in place of the parent for the student's welfare

'In loco parentis' is a Latin term meaning 'in the place of a parent' – teachers bear parental-like responsibilities.

Q12 Which of the following is a characteristic of a democratic classroom?

- A) Teacher-centred instruction only
- B) No rules or boundaries
- C) Student participation in decision-making
- D) Punishment for all mistakes

Ans: C) Student participation in decision-making

Democratic classrooms foster student voice, shared responsibility, and mutual respect.

Q13 A colleague shares incorrect information with students. You should:

- A) Ignore it
- B) Correct the colleague privately and professionally
- C) Publicly embarrass them
- D) Report immediately to the Principal

Ans: B) Correct the colleague privately and professionally

Professional ethics require addressing errors with respect and maintaining collegial relationships.

Q14 Which teaching strategy is most effective for gifted students?

- A) Same curriculum with extra homework
- B) Enrichment activities and higher-order thinking tasks
- C) Separate classroom
- D) No change needed

Ans: B) Enrichment activities and higher-order thinking tasks

Gifted learners need challenge beyond the standard curriculum to remain engaged.

Q15 A new student joins mid-session and feels isolated. As a class teacher, you should:

- A) Let the student adjust on their own
- B) Assign a buddy and introduce them warmly to the class
- C) Ask the student to observe for a week
- D) Only inform subject teachers

Ans: B) Assign a buddy and introduce them warmly to the class

Structured social integration helps new students build relationships and feel included quickly.

Note: Answers are rated on a 3-2-1-0 scale. Always choose the option that best reflects professional, student-centred, empathetic teaching values.

SECTION
03

General Awareness

50 Questions | 150
Marks

Key Topics: Current Affairs, Indian History, Rajasthan GK (Forts/Rivers/Culture), Education Policy (NEP/RTE/SSA/NCTE), Polity

Q1 Who is known as the 'Father of the Indian Constitution'?

- A) Jawaharlal Nehru
- B) Sardar Patel
- C) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar
- D) Mahatma Gandhi

Ans: C) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar

Dr. B.R. Ambedkar was the Chairman of the Drafting Committee of the Indian Constitution.

Q2 The Indian Constitution came into effect on:

- A) 15 August 1947
- B) 26 January 1950
- C) 26 November 1949
- D) 2 October 1950

Ans: B) 26 January 1950

The Constitution of India was adopted on 26 November 1949 and came into force on 26 January 1950.

Q3 Rajasthan is the _____ largest state in India by area.

- A) First
- B) Second
- C) Third
- D) Fourth

Ans: A) First

Rajasthan is the largest state in India by geographical area (342,239 km²).

Q4 The famous Dilwara Temples are located in:

- A) Jaipur
- B) Udaipur
- C) Mount Abu
- D) Jodhpur

Ans: C) Mount Abu

The Dilwara Temples, built between 11th–13th centuries, are renowned Jain marble temples at Mount Abu, Rajasthan.

Q5 Which river is known as the 'Lifeline of Rajasthan'?

- A) Banas
- B) Chambal
- C) Luni
- D) Indira Gandhi Canal

Ans: D) Indira Gandhi Canal

The Indira Gandhi Canal (formerly Rajasthan Canal) is called the lifeline of Rajasthan as it irrigates the Thar Desert.

Q6 National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 was adopted in the year:

- A) 2018
- B) 2019
- C) 2020
- D) 2021

Ans: C) 2020

NEP 2020 was approved by the Union Cabinet of India on 29 July 2020, replacing the earlier NEP of 1986.

Q7 The Panna Dhai Award is associated with:

- A) Rajasthan Sport
- B) Rajasthan Literature
- C) Rajasthan Bravery for Women
- D) Rajasthan Tourism

Ans: C) Rajasthan Bravery for Women

The Panna Dhai Award recognises brave women of Rajasthan, named after the legendary nursemaid Panna Dhai.

Q8 Right to Education (RTE) Act was enacted in:

- A) 2005
- B) 2009
- C) 2010
- D) 2012

Ans: B) 2009

The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 (RTE Act) ensures free education for children aged 6–14.

Q9 Which is the state animal of Rajasthan?

- A) Tiger
- B) Camel
- C) Chinkara
- D) Lion

Ans: C) Chinkara

The Chinkara (Indian gazelle) is the state animal of Rajasthan. (Note: Camel was declared heritage animal in 2014.)

Q10 The Battle of Haldighati (1576) was fought between:

- A) Akbar and Rana Pratap
- B) Aurangzeb and Maharana Pratap
- C) Humayun and Rana Sanga
- D) Akbar and Rana Sanga

Ans: A) Akbar and Rana Pratap

The Battle of Haldighati was fought between Maharana Pratap of Mewar and the Mughal forces led by Man Singh I under Emperor Akbar.

Q11 NCTE stands for:

- A) National Council for Teacher Evaluation
- B) National Council for Teacher Education
- C) National Centre for Teacher Excellence
- D) None of the above

Ans: B) National Council for Teacher Education

NCTE is a statutory body that regulates and maintains teacher education standards in India.

Q12 Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) aims at:

- A) Higher education for all
- B) Universalisation of elementary education
- C) Vocational training
- D) Digital literacy

Ans: B) Universalisation of elementary education

SSA was launched in 2001 to achieve universal elementary education (Classes I-VIII) for all children aged 6–14.

Q13 The Kumbhalgarh Fort in Rajasthan is famous for having the world's:

- A) Largest gate
- B) Second longest wall after the Great Wall of China
- C) Tallest fort
- D) Oldest fort

Ans: B) Second longest wall after the Great Wall of China

Kumbhalgarh's wall extends 36 km, making it the second longest continuous wall in the world.

Q14 Which Article of the Indian Constitution provides for free and compulsory education?

- A) Article 21
- B) Article 21A
- C) Article 24
- D) Article 45

Ans: B) Article 21A

Article 21A (inserted by 86th Constitutional Amendment, 2002) guarantees the right to free and compulsory education for children aged 6–14.

Q15 International Literacy Day is observed on:

- A) 5 September
- B) 8 September
- C) 14 November
- D) 1 January

Ans: B) 8 September

International Literacy Day, declared by UNESCO, is observed globally on 8 September each year.

Tip: Read Dainik Bhaskar / Rajasthan Patrika daily and revise NCERT Social Science textbooks for this section. Rajasthan-specific GK is heavily weighted.

SECTION
04

Language Proficiency (English)

50 Questions | 150
Marks

Key Topics: Grammar, Synonyms/Antonyms, Idioms, Sentence Correction, Voice, Narration, Vocabulary, Comprehension

Q1 Choose the correct synonym of 'DILIGENT':

- A) Lazy
- B) Hardworking
- C) Clever
- D) Brave

Ans: B) Hardworking

'Diligent' means showing careful and persistent work or effort. Synonym: Hardworking.

Q2 Fill in the blank: She _____ the examination with flying colours.

- A) passed
- B) pass
- C) passing
- D) had past

Ans: A) passed

Past tense 'passed' is correct. 'Pass' is present; 'passing' needs an auxiliary; 'had past' is incorrect.

Q3 Identify the error: 'He is one of the student who have failed.'

- A) He is
- B) one of the
- C) student who
- D) have failed

Ans: C) student who

'One of the students who have failed' is correct – 'student' should be plural 'students'.

Q4 Choose the correct antonym of 'TRANSPARENT':

- A) Clear
- B) Visible
- C) Opaque
- D) Shiny

Ans: C) Opaque

Transparent means allowing light to pass through (clear); its antonym is Opaque (not transparent).

Q5 The passive voice of 'The teacher explains the lesson' is:

- A) The lesson explained by the teacher
- B) The lesson is explained by the teacher
- C) The lesson was explained by the teacher
- D) The lesson had explained by teacher

Ans: B) The lesson is explained by the teacher

Present simple active → Present simple passive: Object+is/are+past participle+by+subject.

Q6 A 'bibliophile' is a person who loves:

- A) Music
- B) Books
- C) Animals
- D) Travel

Ans: B) Books

'Biblio' = books (Greek), 'phile' = lover. A bibliophile is a book lover.

Q7 Choose the correctly spelled word:

- A) Recieve
- B) Recieve
- C) Receive
- D) Recieive

Ans: C) Receive

Remember: 'i before e, except after c' – therefore 'receive' not 'recieve'.

Q8 Select the correct reported speech: He said, 'I am a teacher.'

- A) He said that he was a teacher
- B) He said that I am a teacher
- C) He said that he is a teacher
- D) He told he was a teacher

Ans: A) He said that he was a teacher

In reported speech, 'am' changes to 'was', and 'I' changes to 'he'.

Q9 Which figure of speech is used in: 'The wind whispered through the trees'?

- A) Simile
- B) Metaphor
- C) Personification
- D) Alliteration

Ans: C) Personification

Attributing a human quality (whispering) to a non-human (wind) is personification.

Q10 Find the correctly punctuated sentence:

- A) Jaipur, the pink city is in Rajasthan
- B) Jaipur the pink city is in Rajasthan
- C) Jaipur, the pink city, is in Rajasthan.
- D) Jaipur the pink city, is in Rajasthan.

Ans: C) Jaipur, the pink city, is in Rajasthan.

An appositive phrase (the pink city) should be set off by commas on both sides.

Q11 Choose the correct meaning of the idiom 'Beat around the bush':

- A) To work hard

- B) To avoid the main topic
- C) To explore the forest
- D) To be extremely busy

Ans: B) To avoid the main topic

'Beat around the bush' means to avoid talking about what is important, to be indirect.

Q12 Which of the following is a compound sentence?

- A) She went to school.
- B) She went to school and he stayed home.
- C) Because she was tired, she slept.
- D) Running fast, she caught the bus.

Ans: B) She went to school and he stayed home.

A compound sentence has two independent clauses joined by a coordinating conjunction (and, but, or, so, etc.).

Q13 The plural of 'Criterion' is:

- A) Criterions
- B) Criteries
- C) Criteria
- D) Criteria

Ans: C) Criteria

'Criterion' is a Greek-origin word. Its correct plural is 'criteria', not 'criterions'.

Q14 Choose the correct preposition: 'She is good _____ Mathematics.'

- A) in
- B) at
- C) on
- D) with

Ans: B) at

'Good at' is the correct preposition collocation for skills and subjects.

Q15 Identify the type of sentence: 'What a beautiful sunset!'

- A) Declarative
- B) Interrogative
- C) Imperative
- D) Exclamatory

Ans: D) Exclamatory

Exclamatory sentences express strong emotion and end with an exclamation mark.

Note: Candidates may choose either Hindi or English for this section.

Last-Minute Revision Strategy

With the Rajasthan PTET 2026 scheduled for **June 2026**, here is a Shiksha.com recommended 4-week countdown plan:

Timeframe	Focus Area	Key Action
Week 4 (Before Exam)	Full Mock Test + Revision of weak areas	Focus on timing — finish 200 Qs in 3 hours
Week 3	Mental Ability + Language 2 hours daily	Complete previous year papers (2023, 2024, 2025)
Week 2	General Awareness – Rajasthan GK focus	Revise current affairs of last 6 months
Week 1	Teaching Aptitude scenarios + Ethics	Read NCTE guidelines on teacher professional conduct

Useful Resources for PTET 2026 Preparation

Resource	Details
Shiksha.com PTET Page	shiksha.com/teaching-education/ptet-exam
Official VMOU Website	vmou.ac.in
NCTE Official Site	ncte.gov.in
Previous Year Papers	Available on Shiksha.com & VMOU portal
Mock Tests	Shiksha.com free online mock tests
NEP 2020 Document	education.gov.in/nep
RTE Act 2009	education.gov.in/rte-act
Important Books	Rajasthan PTET Guide by Lakshya, Arihant PTET Guide

All the best from Shiksha.com! Keep revising, attempt all 200 questions (no negative marking), and focus on Rajasthan-specific content in General Awareness. For the latest PTET 2026 updates, admit card download, answer key, and result: visit shiksha.com/teaching-education/ptet-exam