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Computing, Programming, Data and AI

Introductory Question Set

150 multiple-choice questions

Mock examination · Question booklet

Duration	Questions	Scoring	Answers
No time limit	150 multiple-choice	Correct +1 · Wrong −⅓	One of A–D

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- This exam has 150 multiple-choice questions. Each has four options (A, B, C, D) and exactly one correct answer.
- Mark your answers only on the dedicated answer sheet, one letter per question.
- Scoring: correct answer +1 mark, wrong answer minus one-third (−⅓) mark, unanswered 0 marks.
- Many questions need several reasoning steps; read every option before answering.
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Computer basics, digital devices, input/process/output (V1) Questions 1–6

1 At an ATM, which list puts the steps in INPUT → PROCESS → OUTPUT order?

- **A** Cash comes out → type PIN → check balance
- **B** Type PIN and amount → bank computer checks balance → cash and receipt come out
- **C** Check balance → print receipt → type PIN
- **D** Type PIN → cash comes out → check balance

2 Which device is BOTH an input and an output device?

- **A** A microphone
- **B** A printer
- **C** A touchscreen
- **D** A speaker

3 A basic calculator cannot install new apps, but a phone can. What does this show?

- **A** The calculator has no hardware
- **B** The phone has no software
- **C** The phone is a general-purpose computer; the calculator is made for one job
- **D** Calculators are not digital devices

4 Which pair is (hardware, software) in that order?

- **A** Keyboard, web browser
- **B** Web browser, keyboard
- **C** Mouse, monitor
- **D** Calculator app, game

5 A laptop is slow because too many programs are open. Which part is most directly overloaded?

- **A** RAM (working memory)
- **B** The keyboard
- **C** The screen size
- **D** The charger

6 In a phone's camera app, which part is the PROCESS step?

- **A** Pressing the shutter button
- **B** Showing the photo on the screen
- **C** Turning light from the lens into a digital image file
- **D** Pointing the phone at a friend

Computer basics, digital devices, input/process/output (V1/V6) Questions 7–22

7 Which item is an input device?

- **A** Speaker
- **B** Microphone
- **C** Printer
- **D** Monitor

8 Which item is an output device?

- **A** Keyboard
- **B** Mouse
- **C** Headphones
- **D** Webcam

9 Which list contains ONLY software?

- **A** A web browser, a keyboard, a game
- **B** A calculator app, a mouse, a charger
- **C** A web browser, a calculator app, a game
- **D** A screen, a game, a USB flash drive

10 Which list contains ONLY hardware?

- **A** A keyboard, a printer, a music app
- **B** A mouse, a web browser, a monitor
- **C** A photo app, a speaker, a webcam
- **D** A keyboard, a printer, a USB flash drive

11 At a bank machine (ATM), Zarina types her PIN and the machine gives cash and a paper slip. Which pair is correct?

- **A** Keypad = output; slip = input
- **B** Keypad and slip are both input
- **C** Keypad = input; cash slot and slip = output
- **D** Cash is input because it is counted

12 At a shop, the seller scans a bread packet; the screen shows the price and a receipt prints. Which pair is correct?

- **A** Scanner = input; screen and receipt = output
- **B** Scanner = output; receipt = input
- **C** Screen and scanner are both input
- **D** Receipt is input because it has numbers

13 A touchscreen phone lets you tap and also shows pictures. What is the best description of the touchscreen?

- **A** It is only an input device
- **B** It is both an input and an output device
- **C** It is only an output device
- **D** It is software, not hardware

14 A laptop has a built-in webcam and a built-in speaker. Which statement is correct?

- **A** Both are output because they are inside the laptop
- **B** The webcam is input and the speaker is output
- **C** Both are software because they are built in
- **D** The webcam is output and the speaker is input

15 Which device can do the MOST different tasks by installing new apps?

- **A** A basic calculator

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B A smartphone
C A digital wall clock
D A TV remote control

16 Which device is a general-purpose computer, not a single-task device?

A A digital kitchen scale
B A pocket calculator
C A laptop
D A doorbell

17 Rahim wants to switch off the centre computer correctly. Which order is best?

A Pull out the power cable → save work
B Save work → close programs → Shut down from the menu
C Shut down from the menu → save work
D Close programs → pull out the power cable

18 Lina's computer is frozen while she writes. Her last save was 5 minutes ago. What is the best FIRST step?

A Pull out the power cable at once
B Delete the document file
C Wait a short time and try to save before restarting
D Buy a new keyboard

19 Which statement best explains the difference between hardware and software?

A Hardware is expensive; software is always free
B Hardware is inside the box; software is outside the box
C Hardware is old technology; software is new technology
D Hardware is the physical parts; software is the instructions that tell them what to do

20 A friend says: "If I can touch it, it is software." What is wrong with this idea?

A Things you can touch are hardware; software is programs you cannot touch
B Nothing is wrong; touchable things are software
C Only screens are software
D Software is anything that uses electricity

21 Which group is ordered correctly as INPUT → PROCESS → OUTPUT for writing a letter?

A Printer prints → keyboard types → computer arranges
B Computer arranges → typing → printing
C Typing on keyboard → computer arranges text → printer prints letter
D Typing → printing → computer arranges

22 Which group is ordered correctly as INPUT → PROCESS → OUTPUT for a voice message?

A Speaker plays → microphone hears → phone records
B Speaking into microphone → phone records it → speaker plays it
C Phone records → speaking → speaker plays
D Speaking → speaker plays → phone records

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Computer basics, digital devices, input/process/output (V6) Questions 23–25

23 Which is the best example of technology improving learning?

- **A** A student keeps a laptop switched off in a box
- **B** A student in a village watches recorded lessons on a phone and repeats hard parts
- **C** A student plays games during class
- **D** A student copies answers from a website

24 Which statement about a computer is MOST accurate?

- **A** It thinks for itself without instructions
- **B** It is only a desktop machine
- **C** It follows instructions to take in, process, store and output data
- **D** It cannot store anything

25 Arrange the steps to shut down a shared computer safely: 1) Shut down from Start menu 2) Save work 3) Close programs 4) Sign out of accounts

- **A** 2, 4, 3, 1
- **B** 1, 2, 3, 4
- **C** 3, 2, 1, 4
- **D** 4, 1, 2, 3

Hardware, storage and files (V1/V2) Questions 26–27

26 Arezo writes for 25 minutes. She saves at minute 10 and minute 20. The power goes off at minute 25. She restarts and opens her file. Which statement is correct?

- **A** She has only the work up to minute 10
- **B** She has her work up to minute 20 and lost about 5 minutes
- **C** She has all 25 minutes because the file was saved twice
- **D** She has lost everything because power went off

27 Sohail works for 30 minutes. He saves at minute 12 and minute 24. The laptop battery dies at minute 30. Which statement is correct?

- **A** He has his work up to minute 24 and lost about 6 minutes
- **B** He has only the work up to minute 12
- **C** He has all 30 minutes because he saved twice
- **D** He lost everything because the battery died

Files, folders, storage and File Explorer (V2) Questions 28–57

28 Which is the main difference between RAM and storage?

- **A** Storage is cleared when power goes off; RAM keeps files
- **B** They are the same thing with two names
- **C** RAM is cleared when power goes off; storage keeps files
- **D** RAM is only for photos; storage is only for music

29 Halima typed a page but did not save it. The power went off. Why is her page lost?

- **A** The hard disk deletes new files when power goes off

B The keyboard forgot what she typed
C Unsaved work is only in RAM, which is cleared when power goes off
D The file went to the Recycle Bin

30 Which file is most likely a photo?

A garden.jpg
B garden.mp3
C garden.docx
D garden.pdf

31 Which file is most likely a song?

A lesson_song.jpg
B lesson_song.png
C lesson_song.xlsx
D lesson_song.mp3

32 Which file name is the clearest for Week 1, Day 3 homework?

A homework
B Week1_Day3_Homework
C new file (2)
D asdf123

33 Which folder name is the clearest for Day 4 notes of Week 1?

A Week1_Day4_Notes
B Notes
C New Folder
D zzz

34 Folder path: Courses > Week 1 > Day 2. Where is the folder Day 2?

A Inside Courses but not inside Week 1
B Next to Courses, outside it
C Inside Day 1
D Inside Week 1, which is inside Courses

35 Folder path: School > Grade 9 > Science. Which folder contains Science directly?

A School
B Science contains itself
C Grade 9
D No folder contains it

36 Karim deleted the file Notes.docx by mistake a minute ago. Where should he look FIRST to get it back?

A The printer queue
B The web browser history
C RAM settings
D Recycle Bin

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37 Sima cannot find the photo she saved yesterday. Which tool should she use to search folders on the computer?

- **A** The Recycle Bin only
- **B** A search engine website
- **C** The printer settings
- **D** File Explorer

38 Which comparison is best? File = sheet of paper, folder = ___, hard disk = ___.

- **A** folder = cupboard; hard disk = sheet of paper
- **B** folder = pen; hard disk = desk
- **C** folder = letter; hard disk = envelope
- **D** folder = file holder (dossier); hard disk = cupboard

39 A school stores many folders on one hard disk. Which comparison fits best?

- **A** Hard disk is like a cupboard holding many dossiers
- **B** Hard disk is like one sheet of paper
- **C** Hard disk is like a pen
- **D** Hard disk is like a single letter

40 Why should you press Save often while working?

- **A** So the file becomes smaller
- **B** So the internet becomes faster
- **C** So the file is sent by email
- **D** So the latest work is kept in storage if the computer stops

41 Omid saves his work every 10 minutes. Power goes off 7 minutes after his last save. How much work does he lose at most?

- **A** About 7 minutes of work
- **B** About 10 minutes of work
- **C** All of his work
- **D** No work at all

42 Nadia wants this structure: Courses contains Week 1. What should she do FIRST?

- **A** Create Week 1 on the desktop, then rename it Courses
- **B** Create both folders next to each other on the desktop
- **C** Create the folder Courses, open it, then create Week 1 inside
- **D** Create a file called Courses Week 1

43 Jawid has folders Week 1 and Week 2 on the desktop. He wants both inside a new folder Courses. What should he do?

- **A** Rename Week 1 to Courses
- **B** Create Courses, then move Week 1 and Week 2 into it
- **C** Delete both and restore them from Recycle Bin
- **D** Create Courses inside Week 2

44 You rename lesson.jpg to lesson.mp3 without changing the file itself. What is most likely?

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A It becomes a song
B It becomes a video
C It is deleted
D It is still a picture, and a music player may not open it

45 Two files: report.docx and report.pdf. Which statement is correct?

A They are the same file with two names
B Both are pictures
C They are two different files with different types
D A folder cannot hold both

46 Folder Courses contains: Week 1 (folder), Week 2 (folder), plan.docx. Inside Week 1: day1.docx, day2.docx, photo.jpg. Laila deletes Week 1, then restores only day2.docx from the Recycle Bin. How many files are now inside Courses and its folders (count files only)?

A 1
B 3
C 4
D 2

47 Folder School contains: Math (folder), Science (folder), timetable.pdf. Inside Science: lab1.docx, lab2.docx, cell.jpg, notes.docx. Omid deletes Science, then restores lab1.docx and cell.jpg from the Recycle Bin. How many files are now inside School and its folders (count files only)?

A 1
B 3
C 5
D 2

48 Power goes off while Maryam is typing. She last pressed Save 10 minutes ago. What is most likely?

A Everything is safe because RAM keeps data without power
B Work from the last 10 minutes, held only in RAM, is lost
C The whole file is deleted from storage
D The file moves to the Recycle Bin

49 Path: C: > Courses > Week 1 > Day3_Homework.docx. Which is the PARENT folder of the file?

A Courses
B C:
C Week 1
D Day3_Homework

50 You delete a file from a USB flash drive. Where can you usually restore it?

A From the Recycle Bin, always
B From RAM
C Usually nowhere: files deleted from a USB drive often skip the Recycle Bin
D From the Downloads folder

51 Which name set sorts in the correct day order in File Explorer?

A Day1, Day2, … Day10
B Day01, Day02, … Day10
C FirstDay, SecondDay, TenthDay
D day-one, day-two, day-ten

52 A file is called report.pdf.exe and came by email. What is the real file type and risk?

A It is a program (.exe) pretending to be a PDF; do not open it
B It is a safe PDF document
C It is a photo
D It is a song

53 File = sheet of paper, folder = file cover (دوسیه). What is the hard disk in this comparison?

A The cupboard that holds all the file covers
B The pen used to write
C The desk where you work for now
D The rubbish bin

54 You need 'Courses > Week 1 > Day 1 … Day 5'. Which order of actions is correct?

A Create Courses → open it → create Week 1 → open it → create Day 1 to Day 5
B Create Day 1 to Day 5 on the desktop → create Courses
C Create Week 1 → create Courses inside Week 1
D Create all seven folders side by side

55 A phone shows 'Storage almost full' but apps run fast. What is full?

A RAM
B The battery
C The internet
D Long-term storage holding photos, videos and apps

56 Which file name follows ALL the naming rules from the lesson (clear, no spaces problem, date order)?

A new file (3).docx
B notes final FINAL2.docx
C 2026-11-07_Week1_Day2_Notes.docx
D asdfgh.docx

57 You moved Photo.jpg to the Recycle Bin, then EMPTIED the bin. What happens if you search File Explorer for Photo.jpg?

A It appears in Pictures
B It appears in the Recycle Bin
C It is not found, because emptying the bin removed it
D It appears on the desktop

Internet, search and checking sources (V3) Questions 58–88

58 Which statement best describes the internet?

A A single very large computer in one country
B A worldwide network that connects computers and phones

C A program installed on your phone
D Another name for a search engine

59 A photo sent from Kabul to Herat travels as small pieces. What are these pieces called?

A Packets
B Folders
C Passwords
D Extensions

60 Match the words: Chrome is a ___; Google Search is a ___; banfes.ai is a ___.

A website; browser; search engine
B browser; search engine; website
C search engine; website; browser
D browser; website; search engine

61 Match: Firefox is a ___; Bing is a ___; a page about cooking at recipes.example is a ___.

A search engine; browser; website
B browser; search engine; website
C website; search engine; browser
D browser; website; search engine

62 Ahmad wants the opening hours of the Kabul public library this week. Which search is best?

A Kabul public library opening hours
B library
C I want to know when the library in my city is open please
D books hours

63 Mariam wants the 2026 school calendar for Herat province. Which search is best?

A calendar
B Herat school calendar 2026
C school
D Please tell me everything about schools

64 In search results, the first result has the label "Sponsored". What does this mean?

A It is the most reliable source
B It is from the government
C It has no information
D It is a paid advertisement, not necessarily the best answer

65 Why should you notice results labelled "Ad" in a search engine?

A Ads are always fake
B Someone paid for the position, so it may not be the most useful result
C Ads are always the newest information
D Ads cannot be clicked

66 Which is one of the three questions taught for checking a news source?

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A Who is the author or organisation?
B How many colours does the page use?
C Does the page load quickly?
D How many people liked it?

67 Which question best helps check whether information is still correct?

A Is the title in bold?
B Does the page have pictures?
C Is the website easy to read?
D What is the date of the information?

68 A post says a famous bridge will close tomorrow. Only one unknown page reports it. What is the best action?

A Share it quickly so people know
B Check if an official or another reliable source confirms it before sharing
C Believe it because it is on the internet
D Ignore all news from now on

69 A message says exam dates have changed. It has no author and no date. What is the best action?

A Forward it to the whole class
B Change your study plan at once
C Check the school's official notice before acting
D Reply with your student ID

70 Two websites give different lengths for the same river. What should you do next?

A Choose the bigger number
B Choose the website with more pictures
C Average the two numbers and stop
D Compare with a third reliable source and note the source you used

71 You found the height of a mountain on one website. What else should you record for your Day 3 task?

A The colour of the website
B How long the page took to load
C Your password for that website
D The name of the source where you found it

72 Asad has limited mobile data. Which habit saves the most data?

A Reading short text messages
B Opening the calculator app
C Typing longer search words
D Turning off automatic video play

73 Which activity usually uses the MOST internet data?

A Sending a short text message
B Reading one news headline
C Watching a 20-minute video

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D Doing a calculation offline

74 Which search adds a LANGUAGE limit that helps find Dari pages?

A computer lessons in Dari
B computer lessons
C computer
D lessons lessons lessons

75 Which search adds a TIME limit that helps find recent information?

A university entrance dates
B university
C dates dates
D university entrance dates 2026

76 Three sources give the opening date of a new hospital. Which is the BEST to trust?

1) Social post, no author, no date: 'opens 1 March'

2) Ministry of Health website, dated last week: 'opens 15 March'

3) Blog from two years ago: 'opens next year'

A Source 1, because it gives the earliest date
B Source 3, because it was published first
C All three equally, because they are all online
D Source 2, because it has a known official author and a recent date

77 Three sources give the price of a new bus ticket. Which is the BEST to trust?

1) City transport office notice, dated yesterday: '20 AFN'

2) Forwarded voice message, unknown sender: '10 AFN'

3) Newspaper article from three years ago: '15 AFN'

A Source 2, because it is the cheapest
B Source 1, because it is official and recent
C Source 3, because newspapers are always right
D Source 2, because many people forwarded it

78 Halim searched "weather" and got results for many cities. He needs tomorrow's weather in Mazar-i-Sharif. What is the best NEW search?

A weather weather tomorrow
B What is the weather like in all cities?
C Mazar-i-Sharif weather tomorrow
D Afghanistan

79 Roya searched "exam results" and got pages from many countries and years. She needs her Kabul school's 2026 Grade 12 results page. What is the best NEW search?

A Kabul Grade 12 exam results 2026
B results results 2026
C exam
D Show me all exam results in the world

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80 Which search is most likely to return the CURRENT exam date for Kabul University in Dari?

- **A** 1405 تاریخ امتحان پوهنتون کابل
- **B** exam
- **C** when is the university exam everywhere in the world
- **D** Kabul

81 A news post has no author, no date, and only one website reports it. How many of the three source-check questions does it pass?

- **A** 1
- **B** 2
- **C** 0
- **D** 3

82 Which is the correct match? Firefox = ___; Wikipedia.org = ___; Bing = ___

- **A** search engine; browser; website
- **B** website; search engine; browser
- **C** browser; website; search engine
- **D** browser; search engine; website

83 A 5 MB photo is sent across the internet. Which statement is TRUE?

- **A** It travels as one piece on one fixed wire
- **B** It is printed and scanned at the other side
- **C** It is copied into every computer on the way
- **D** It is split into many packets that may take different routes and are rejoined

84 In search results, a link at the top says 'Ad · bestphones-cheap.top'. What does this mean?

- **A** It is the most trusted result
- **B** Someone paid to show it; it is not necessarily the best or most reliable result
- **C** The search engine checked that it is true
- **D** It is a government website

85 Two reliable sources give different lengths for the Amu River. What is the BEST next step?

- **A** Pick the larger number
- **B** Pick the first result
- **C** Check a third reliable source and see how each measures length (e.g., with or without its sources)
- **D** Stop: the internet is useless

86 Which habit saves the MOST mobile data?

- **A** Turn off video autoplay and download big files on Wi-Fi
- **B** Use a darker wallpaper
- **C** Type messages faster
- **D** Turn up screen brightness

87 A website's address is moe.gov.af and its page was updated last week. A blog without a date says the opposite. Which is MORE reliable for official school dates?

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A The blog, because it disagrees
B The official, recently updated government site
C Both are equally reliable
D Neither; never trust any website

88 You search 'apple' but get phone results when you want the fruit's nutrition. What is the best fix?

A Search 'apple' again
B Search 'apple phone'
C Use a different browser
D Search 'apple fruit nutrition'

Passwords, two-step verification and privacy (V5) Questions 89–119

89 Which password is the WEAKEST?

A 123456
B Blue-Teapot-Rain-42
C river!Mountain7Lamp
D Green camel walks slowly 9

90 Which password is the WEAKEST?

A Silver-Kite-Garden-58
B orange#Desk9Window
C Quiet tree drinks tea 3
D password1

91 Which is the best passphrase?

A Farid2005
B Yellow-Bicycle-Eats-Clouds-7
C qwerty
D Kabul

92 Which is the best passphrase?

A Purple-Camel-Reads-Rain-4
B Sara1999
C abc123
D Herat

93 Bashir uses the same password for email, social media and bank. Why is this risky?

A If one account leaks the password, all three can be opened
B Websites do not accept the same password
C The password becomes shorter
D It makes the internet slower

94 A shopping website Gulnar uses was hacked. She uses the same password for her email. What should she do first?

A Wait to see if anything happens
B Change the email password to the same one as before

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C Change her email password to a new, different one
D Tell her friends her new password

95 What does two-step verification add to an account?

A A second check, such as a code on your phone, after the password
B A second password that you share with family
C A faster login with no password
D A copy of your account for a friend

96 Someone learns Hamid's password, but his account has two-step verification. What most likely happens when they try to log in?

A They log in with no problem
B They are asked for a code they do not have
C Hamid's password changes by itself
D The account is deleted

97 Parwin used her email at an internet café. What should she do before leaving?

A Only close the laptop lid
B Log out of her account and close the browser
C Save her password in the browser
D Write her password on paper for next time

98 A shared centre computer asks: "Save password for this site?" What should Yama choose?

A Yes, save it
B Never / No
C Save it and also show it on screen
D Save it and email it to the centre

99 Which information is safest to post publicly online?

A Your home address
B Your phone number
C Your favourite book
D A photo of your ID card

100 Which information should you NOT share publicly online?

A A photo of your bank card
B Your favourite colour
C A photo of a flower
D The name of a book you liked

101 Rule for the class: "A strong password is long, not a name or birthday, and different for each account." Which password follows ALL parts of the rule for a NEW account?

A The same passphrase used for email
B Mahmood1990
C A new passphrase: Window-Lion-Carrot-63
D Lion63

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102 Rule: "Long, not personal, different for each account." Which password breaks ONLY the 'different' part?

- **A** Tulip-Engine-Seven-Moon reused from her email
- **B** Fatima2001 used for one account only
- **C** Moon7 used for one account only
- **D** A new passphrase River-Glass-Twelve-Song

103 Your close friend asks for your email password "just to check something". What is the best reply?

- **A** Share it because they are a close friend
- **B** Share it and change it next year
- **C** Politely refuse; passwords are never shared, even with friends
- **D** Send it in a text message instead

104 A person calls saying he is from your phone company and asks for the code just sent to your phone. What should you do?

- **A** Do not give the code; end the call
- **B** Give the code because the company asked
- **C** Give only half of the code
- **D** Ask him to call again tomorrow and then give it

105 Which way of keeping many different passwords is safest?

- **A** Writing them on a note stuck to the screen
- **B** Using one password for everything
- **C** Saving them in a public social media post
- **D** Using a password manager protected by one strong passphrase

106 Why does a short password like "cat1" take a computer very little time to guess?

- **A** It contains a number
- **B** It is written in English
- **C** Computers cannot read long passwords
- **D** There are few possible combinations to try

107 Class rule: (1) at least 15 characters, (2) not a name or birthday, (3) different for each account, (4) two-step verification on email. Bilal's new email password is "Mountain-Teacup-River-88" (not used elsewhere) and he turns on two-step verification. How many rules does he follow?

- **A** 3
- **B** 2
- **C** 4
- **D** 1

108 Class rule: (1) at least 15 characters, (2) not a name or birthday, (3) different for each account, (4) two-step verification on email. Mina's new email password is "Shirin-Rose-2003", she also uses it for social media, and she turns on two-step verification. How many rules does she follow?

- **A** 3
- **B** 4
- **C** 2

D 1

109 Zahir gets an alert: "New login to your email from another city." He did not log in. Which order of actions is best?

- **A** Change the password → turn on two-step verification → check other accounts with the same password
- **B** Ignore it → change the password next month
- **C** Reply to the alert with his password → wait
- **D** Delete the alert → tell friends his password is safe

110 Nazanin's friend tells her: "Your account sent me a strange link." Nazanin did not send it. Which order of actions is best?

- **A** Change the password → turn on two-step verification → warn contacts not to click
- **B** Click the link to see what it is → change the password
- **C** Do nothing → the problem will stop
- **D** Send her password to the friend to check

111 Rank from STRONGEST to WEAKEST: P = 'Kabul2026', Q = 'blue-goat-reads-maps-77', R = '123456'

- **A** P, Q, R
- **B** R, P, Q
- **C** Q, R, P
- **D** Q, P, R

112 Hamid's password for a game site leaks. He uses the same password for email. Why is his email now at risk?

- **A** Email servers share all passwords
- **B** Attackers try leaked passwords on other sites
- **C** The game site controls his email
- **D** It is not at risk

113 Your password is stolen, but 2-step verification is ON. What usually stops the attacker?

- **A** The password becomes wrong automatically
- **B** They also need the one-time code from your phone
- **C** The account is deleted
- **D** Nothing; 2-step does not help after a password leak

114 Which combination of posts is MOST dangerous together?

- **A** A photo of a sunset + 'Beautiful evening'
- **B** A photo of your house gate + 'Our family travels to Herat for 2 weeks from tomorrow'
- **C** A picture of your homework topic + 'Hard question!'
- **D** A school sports team logo + 'Good luck team'

115 At an internet café, Sadia closed the browser window but did NOT sign out. What is the risk?

- **A** Her password changes
- **B** The computer turns off
- **C** The next user may open her account still signed in

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D No risk, closing is the same as signing out

116 Which is the BEST way to make a passphrase you can remember?

A Use your name and birth year
B Join 4 unrelated words with a symbol and number, e.g., tea!river!lamp!kite9
C Use a famous song line exactly
D Use 'password' with @ instead of a

117 A friend asks to borrow your phone for a call. What protects your privacy best?

A Give the unlocked phone and walk away
B Tell them your PIN
C Turn off the screen lock for a day
D Dial the number yourself and hand over only the call screen, with a screen lock enabled

118 Which is TRUE about 2-step verification codes?

A Share them with support staff who call you
B They are safe to post because they expire
C They can replace your password forever
D Never share them, even with someone who says they are from the company

119 Which privacy setting choice is safest for a student's social media profile?

A Private profile, hidden phone number, accept only people you know
B Public profile with phone and school shown
C Private profile but phone shown publicly
D Accept all friend requests to look popular

Phishing and suspicious messages (V4) Questions 120–150

120 Message: "Your account will be CLOSED in 1 hour! Click here to keep it." Which phishing sign is clearest?

A It is written in English
B It creates urgency and pressure
C It is short
D It has no pictures

121 Message: "Congratulations! You won a phone. Pay 500 AFN delivery fee today." Which phishing sign is clearest?

A It uses the word 'phone'
B It mentions a number
C It is polite
D A prize you did not enter, plus a request for money

122 Which web address is MOST suspicious for a bank called KabulBank (real address kabulbank.af)?

A kabulbank.af
B www.kabulbank.af
C kabulbank.af/help
D kabu1bank-login.com

123 A school's real website is brightschool.edu.af. Which link is MOST suspicious?

- **A** brightschool.edu.af
- **B** brightschoo1-results.net
- **C** www.brightschool.edu.af
- **D** brightschool.edu.af/results

124 Fawad clicked a suspicious link and typed his password. What should he do FIRST?

- **A** Change that password immediately from the real website
- **B** Delete the message and forget it
- **C** Click the link again to check
- **D** Send the link to friends to warn them by clicking

125 Khatera entered her card details on a fake page. What is the best FIRST action?

- **A** Wait for her monthly statement
- **B** Enter the details again to cancel
- **C** Contact her bank using the official number to block the card
- **D** Reply to the fake page asking for her money back

126 An email says it is from your school but the sender is head.office.school@freemail-prizes.com. Why is this suspicious?

- **A** The sender address does not match the school's real address
- **B** Schools never send emails
- **C** The email is too short
- **D** It has a capital letter

127 A message claims to be from a delivery company but comes from a personal number and asks you to "confirm your address and card". What is the main warning sign?

- **A** It mentions a delivery
- **B** It is a text message
- **C** It uses the word 'confirm'
- **D** It asks for card details from an unexpected sender

128 Which message is MOST likely safe?

- **A** Unknown number: 'Send your password to fix your account'
- **B** Your teacher, in class, says homework is on page 12
- **C** Email: 'You won 10,000 dollars, pay the fee'
- **D** SMS: 'Click within 5 minutes or lose your SIM'

129 Which message is MOST likely a phishing attempt?

- **A** Your school notice board lists next week's timetable
- **B** Your classmate tells you in person the library is open
- **C** Your teacher hands out a printed homework sheet
- **D** 'Your scholarship is approved. Pay the registration fee at this link today.'

130 You are not sure if a message from "your bank" is real. What is the safest way to check?

- **A** Call the bank using the number on your bank card

B Call the number written in the message
C Click the link in the message
D Reply to the message and ask if it is real

131 A message from "the exam office" has a link to see results. What is the safest way to check your results?

A Click the link in the message
B Forward the message and ask friends to click
C Reply with your ID to receive the results
D Type the official exam website address yourself

132 How many phishing signs does this message have? "URGENT: Dear user, your mobile wallet is locked. Send your PIN to 0799 000 000 within 10 minutes." (Signs: urgency, unknown sender, request for secret code, threat)

A 4
B 2
C 1
D 0

133 How many phishing signs does this message have? "Dear customer, you won a laptop! Your prize expires tonight. Reply with your card number to pay delivery." (Signs: unexpected prize, urgency, unknown sender, request for card details)

A 2
B 3
C 4
D 1

134 Why do phishing messages often say "Act now"?

A Because the offer is really ending
B To stop you from taking time to think and check
C Because banks always write this
D To make the message shorter

135 The lesson says: "One minute of thinking before clicking can save you from a big problem." Which action follows this advice?

A Clicking quickly before the offer ends
B Forwarding the message to everyone
C Checking the sender and link before opening it
D Opening every link to see what it is

136 Compare four messages. Which ONE is most likely genuine?

P: 'Bank: Your card is blocked. Click bit.ly/x1 now.'

Q: 'Bank: You have a new statement. Log in through the official app as usual.'

R: 'Bank: Reply with your PIN to unlock.'

S: 'Bank: You won 5,000 AFN. Pay 200 AFN to claim.'

A P

B R
C S
D Q

137 Compare four messages. Which ONE is most likely genuine?

P: 'School: Your place will be cancelled. Pay at tinyurl.com/k9 today.'

Q: 'School: Reply with your parent's ID card photo to confirm.'

R: 'School: Parent meeting on Thursday 10:00, see the notice board.'

S: 'School: You won a free tablet. Send 300 AFN for delivery.'

A R
B P
C Q
D S

138 A real website is mysite.af. Which address actually belongs to mysite.af? (The real owner is decided by the part just before .af at the END of the main address.)

A mysite.af.login-check.com
B login.mysite.af
C mysite-af.com
D mysiteaf.net

139 A real website is shopnow.af. Which address actually belongs to shopnow.af? (The real owner is decided by the part just before .af at the END of the main address.)

A shopnow.af.secure-pay.net
B shopnow-af.com
C pay.shopnow.af
D shopnowaf.org

140 Message: 'Congratulations! You won 50,000 AFN. Pay 500 AFN fee to receive it.' Which TWO signs appear?

A An unexpected prize and a request for payment
B Correct spelling and a greeting
C A number and an exclamation mark only
D It is short and polite

141 You clicked a fake link and typed your email password. Put the urgent steps in the BEST order.

A Change the password from the real site → turn on 2-step → change it on other accounts that used it → tell a trusted adult/IT
B Wait a week to see if anything happens
C Reply to the message to complain
D Delete the message only

142 The regulator's official website uses the domain atra.gov.af. Which address really belongs to that domain?

A https://atra.gov.af.free-gift.top
B https://www.atra.gov.af

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C https://atra-gov-af.com
D https://www.atra.gov.af-secure.net

143 'Scholarship! Germany. No exam. Send 2,000 AFN registration fee today to apply.' Which is the BEST response?

A Pay quickly before the deadline
B Send your tazkira to confirm
C Share it with friends so they can also pay
D Do not pay; check on the official scholarship website and ask a teacher

144 Someone calls: 'I am from your bank. Tell me the code we just sent to stop fraud.' What is it most likely?

A A normal bank check
B A wrong number
C A software update
D A phishing call trying to take over your account

145 Which message has NO phishing signs?

A Your teacher in class: 'Tomorrow's quiz is on files and folders.'
B 'Your account closes in 1 hour. Log in here: bit.ly/x1'
C 'You won a phone! Send your address and 300 AFN.'
D 'Dear user, verify your password by reply.'

146 Why do scammers use shortened links like bit.ly?

A To make the page load faster
B Because banks require them
C To hide the real destination address
D To protect your privacy

147 Which use of an AI chatbot is SAFE?

A Typing your email password to check its strength
B Asking it to explain what a file extension is
C Uploading a photo of your tazkira
D Sharing your bank card number for budget help

148 A message from 'Roshan' asks you to 'confirm your SIM' at roshan-sim-update.click. Which part proves it is fake?

A It uses the company name
B It mentions a SIM
C It is a text message
D The domain roshan-sim-update.click is not the company's official domain

149 Count the phishing signs: 'URGENT!! Dear costumer, your acount will be suspend. Click: http://bank-af.verify.top and enter PIN.'

A 1: only urgency
B 2: urgency and a link

C 0: banks write like this

D 4: urgency, spelling errors, generic greeting, fake link asking for PIN

150 A post says: 'Share this to 10 friends or your account will be deleted by the company.' What is the best action?

A Share it to 10 friends

B Share it to 20 friends to be safe

C Delete your account first

D Do not share; it uses fear and the company does not work this way

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