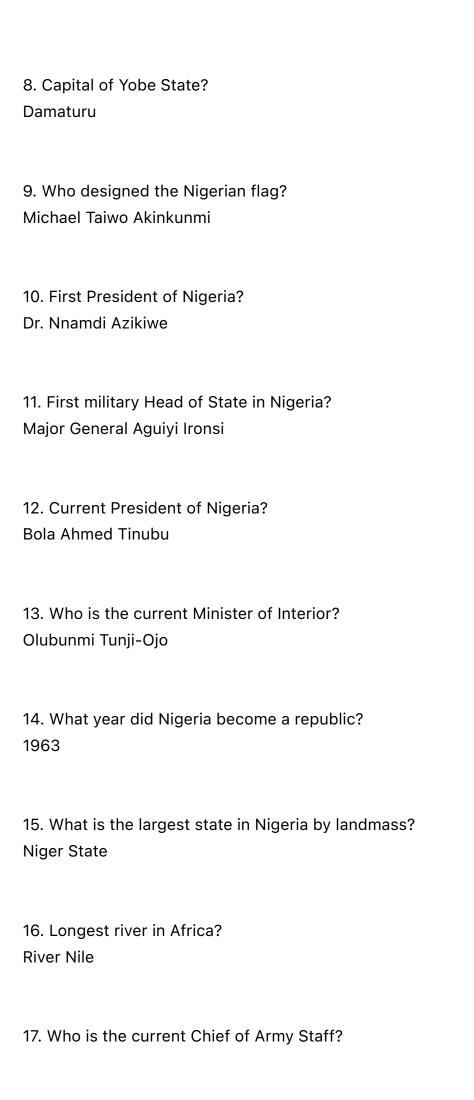
Here are 100 carefully compiled Nigerian Correctional Service (NCoS) past questions with answers, covering General Knowledge, English, Mathematics, and Correctional Service-specific knowledge for your complete preparation and daily group posting:
GENERAL KNOWLEDGE & CURRENT AFFAIRS
1. What was the former name of NCoS? Nigerian Prisons Service
2. When was it renamed to Nigerian Correctional Service?2019
3. Who is the current Controller General of NCoS? Haliru Nababa
4. What is the main duty of NCoS? Custody, reformation, rehabilitation, reintegration of inmates
5. Under which Ministry does NCoS operate? Ministry of Interior
6. When was Nigeria's Independence? 1960
7. Capital of Ebonyi State?

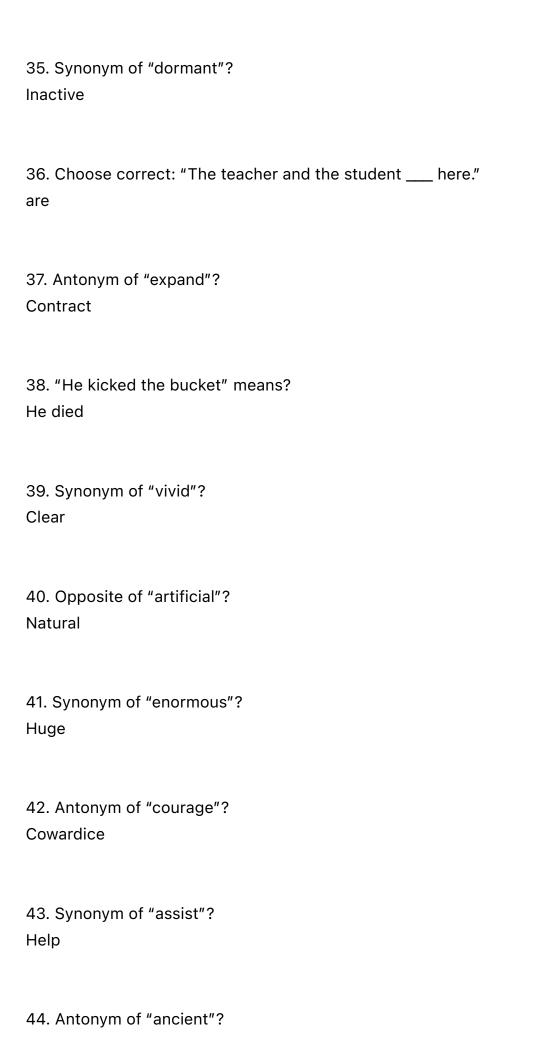
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Taoreed Lagbaja
18. Current Inspector General of Police? Kayode Egbetokun
19. OPEC headquarters is in? Vienna
20. What does NAFDAC stand for? National Agency for Food and Drug Administration and Control
21. ECOWAS was established in what year? 1975
22. ECOWAS headquarters is where? Abuja
23. Currency of Ghana? Cedi
24. Who discovered River Niger? Mungo Park
25. Largest desert in the world? Sahara Desert

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

26. Synonym of "swift"? Quick
27. Opposite of "generous"? Stingy
28. Correct spelling: Accommodation / Accommodation? Accommodation
29. Choose correct: "Neither the boy nor the girls at home." were
30. Choose correct: "Either John or his friends going there today." are
31. "Peculiar" in "I heard a peculiar story" means? Strange
32. "He is a hard nut to crack" means? A difficult person
33. Opposite of "scarce"? Abundant
34. "I heard it through the grapevine" means? I heard it as a rumour



Modern

45. Synonym of "brief"?

Short

46. Opposite of "public"?

Private

47. Choose correct: "Each of the girls ____ given a book."

was

48. Choose correct: "Neither of them ____ here."

is

49. "Break the ice" means?

To start a conversation

50. Opposite of "include"?

Exclude

12 MATHEMATICS

51. √144 = ?

12

52. What is 25% of 320?

53. Simplify: 5(2x + 3) = 40. Find x.

x = 2

54. If a bag costs ₦4,500 after a 10% discount, original price is? ₦5,000

55. Convert 90km/h to m/s.

25 m/s

56. What is 10% of 2,500?

250

57. Find x: 3x - 4 = 14

x = 6

58. If y - 5 = 12, find y.

17

59. Multiply: 0.25×0.4

0.10

60. 3/4 of 200 = ?

150

61. If a man spends 1/5 of his salary on rent, what percent is that? 20%

62. If
$$2x + 3 = 9$$
, find x.

3

63. The average of 10, 20, 30, 40, 50 is?

30

64. Convert 72km/h to m/s.

20 m/s

65. What is the square root of 225?

15

66. What is the LCM of 4, 6, and 8?

24

67. 15% of 600 = ?

90

68. Simplify: (2x + 3x) - (x - 5)

4x + 5

69. The perimeter of a square is 36cm. Find the side.

9cm

70. What is 3/3 of 120?

80

71. 20% of 1500 = ?

- 72. What is the value of π ? 3.142
- 73. The area of a square of side 5cm is? 25cm²
- 74. What is the cube of 3? 27
- 75. If x + 4 = 9, x = ?

- CORRECTIONAL SERVICE-SPECIFIC KNOWLEDGE
- 76. When was the first prison established in Nigeria?1872 (Broad Street Prison Lagos)
- 77. What is a Borstal institution?
 Correctional facility for young offenders
- 78. What are the types of prisons in Nigeria? Minimum, Medium, Maximum security prisons
- 79. Who was the first indigenous head of Nigerian Prisons?

Mr. Richard O. Okafor
80. NCoS is structured into how many directorates? Five (5)
81. What year was the Correctional Service Act enacted? 2019
82. What does the Correctional Service Act focus on? Rehabilitation and reintegration of inmates
83. Where is Nigerian Prisons Arms Training School located? Owerri
84. Who is the Minister of Interior overseeing NCoS? Olubunmi Tunji-Ojo
85. What is the rank below Controller General? Deputy Controller General
86. NCoS is part of which board? CDFIPB (Civil Defence, Fire, Immigration, and Prisons Services Board)
87. What is the minimum age to work with NCoS? 18 years
88. What is the highest rank in NCoS? Controller General

The President
90. What is the rank for degree holders entering NCoS? Assistant Superintendent of Corrections II
91. What does inmates reintegration mean? Re-admitting inmates back into society
92. What is reformation in correctional services? Changing inmate behaviour positively
93. Who is responsible for prison welfare services? Welfare Unit
94. What is parole? Conditional early release of inmates
95. What is recidivism? Re-offending after release
96. The two arms of NCoS under 2019 Act are? Custodial Service and Non-Custodial Service
97 Example of non-custodial measures?

Community service

98. What is solitary confinement?

89. Who appoints the Controller General?

Keeping an inmate alone in a cell as punishment

99. What is the purpose of training inmates? Skill acquisition for reintegration

100. What is the difference between prisons and correctional centres?

Prisons focus on punishment; correctional centres focus on rehabilitation.



Revise 25 questions daily for mastery before screening.

Focus on Correctional Service-specific roles, duties, structure, and ranks.