

SCO INTERNATIONAL AI OLYMPIAD

CLASS 3 QUESTION PAPER

Set S | Reviewed website-ready edition for students, teachers, and schools

Designed from Class 3 AI literacy pathways and aligned with SCO's platform flow for guided preparation, practice, reporting, and future-ready academic growth.

- age-fit AI awareness through daily-life examples, smart tools, data, games, and safe learning
- question-wise answer key and explanations for student review, teacher correction, and school publication
- visual question blocks with AI, data, game, robot, human-skill, and block-coding cues for clearer learning

AI Core	AI Basics	Smart Tools	Data Patterns	Games
Games	Block Coding	Logic	Safety	Review

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Total Questions: 35 | Time: 1 Hour | Calculator: Not Allowed

Question Paper Structure

Segment	Question Nos.	Learning Focus	Skill Tested
Basic AI Concepts	1-10	AI meaning, ML, data, image understanding, daily AI	Concept clarity
AI Tools in Games and Learning	11-20	Matching games, spelling, voice, reading, math games	Application
Machine vs Human Capabilities	21-30	Memory, logic, speed, creativity, emotions	Reasoning
Block-Based Coding	31-35	Scratch-style events, broadcast, score, conditions	Coding logic

Section 1 – Basic Concepts: Introduction to AI in Daily Life

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Question 1. What does AI stand for?

- A. Amazing Inventions
- B. Artificial Intelligence
- C. Awesome Ideas
- D. Animal Instincts

Answer: B. Artificial Intelligence

Explanation: AI stands for Artificial Intelligence. It means making computers and machines smart enough to do tasks that usually need human thinking, such as recognizing patterns, answering questions, or learning from examples.

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Question 2. Which of the following is an example of AI?

- A. A toy car that moves only when pushed
- B. A calculator that adds numbers only by fixed buttons
- C. A computer program that helps people talk to Siri or Alexa
- D. A pencil used for drawing

Answer: C. A computer program that helps people talk to Siri or Alexa

Explanation: Voice assistants such as Siri and Alexa use AI to understand spoken questions and respond. A pencil, pushed toy car, or simple calculator does not learn or understand language.

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Question 3. How do computers learn in AI?

- A. They read books on their own
- B. They learn from examples and data provided by people
- C. They guess randomly
- D. They watch movies to learn like humans

Answer: B. They learn from examples and data provided by people

Explanation: AI systems learn by studying many examples and finding patterns in data. This process helps them make better predictions or decisions over time.

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Question 4. What is Machine Learning?

- A. A method where computers learn from data instead of being told every exact answer
- B. A game played only by robots
- C. A type of computer that can only do math
- D. A machine that makes lunch

Answer: A. A method where computers learn from data instead of being told every exact answer

Explanation: Machine Learning is a part of AI in which computers study data and examples to improve their performance. It is like practicing from many examples until the system gets better.

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Question 5. Which tool helps a computer “see” and understand pictures?

- A. A digital camera only
- B. A paintbrush
- C. A Convolutional Neural Network (CNN)
- D. A typewriter

Answer: C. A Convolutional Neural Network (CNN)

Explanation: A CNN is a special AI model often used for image recognition. A camera can capture the picture, but an AI model such as a CNN helps the computer understand what is in the picture.

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Question 6. Why is Artificial Intelligence important in daily life?

- A. It makes computers work without electricity
- B. It helps solve problems and makes tasks easier, such as translation or recommendations
- C. It makes every task slower
- D. It works only in video games

Answer: B. It helps solve problems and makes tasks easier, such as translation or recommendations

Explanation: AI supports useful tools such as language translation, movie suggestions, smart search, and learning apps. It helps people complete tasks more efficiently.

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Question 7. Which statement best describes a computer program that uses AI?

- A. It follows simple fixed rules all the time without learning
- B. It can learn from data or experience and improve performance
- C. It works only when a button is pushed
- D. It only makes random choices

Answer: B. It can learn from data or experience and improve performance

Explanation: An AI program can learn from examples and improve its results. This learning ability is what makes AI different from a simple program that only follows fixed steps.

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Question 8. A robot helps clean a room by learning which areas are messier. What does this show?

- A. The robot only follows one fixed instruction forever
- B. The machine learns from its environment and improves its cleaning process
- C. The robot cleans random places only
- D. The robot works only when pushed like a toy

Answer: B. The machine learns from its environment and improves its cleaning process

Explanation: When a cleaning robot studies its surroundings and adjusts where it cleans, it is using AI-like learning and decision-making to improve its task.

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Question 9. Which activity is most likely powered by AI in a school setting?

- A. Using a blackboard to write lessons
- B. A program that gives personalized learning tips after practice tests
- C. Reading a printed textbook
- D. Playing a traditional board game with no computer

Answer: B. A program that gives personalized learning tips after practice tests**Explanation:** A personalized learning program can analyze student performance and suggest practice areas. This use of data and feedback is an example of AI in education.

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Question 10. What makes AI different from regular computer programs?

- A. AI programs can learn from data and improve, while regular programs usually follow fixed instructions
- B. AI programs work only in video games
- C. Regular programs can always learn and change on their own
- D. AI programs never need instructions or data

Answer: A. AI programs can learn from data and improve, while regular programs usually follow fixed instructions**Explanation:** Regular programs mainly follow instructions written by a programmer. AI programs can use data to learn patterns and improve how they answer or act.

Section 2 – Simple AI Tools in Games and Learning

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Question 11. Which option best describes a simple AI tool used in a matching game?

- A. A tool that picks cards randomly without rules
- B. A tool that remembers revealed cards and helps find matching pairs
- C. A tool that shows the same picture every time
- D. A tool that hides all cards permanently

Answer: B. A tool that remembers revealed cards and helps find matching pairs**Explanation:** In a matching game, a simple AI feature may store which cards were already revealed. This memory helps the game give hints or identify matching pairs.

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Question 12. In a spelling game that uses AI, what is the main role of the AI tool?

- A. To randomly choose words without checking spelling
- B. To compare the player's spelling with the correct word and provide hints
- C. To ignore the player's answers
- D. To show only pictures of letters

Answer: B. To compare the player's spelling with the correct word and provide hints**Explanation:** The AI tool can check the student's answer against the correct spelling and give feedback or hints. This makes the activity more interactive and helpful.

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Question 13. How does a voice assistant in an educational game help students?

- A. It reads random words that are not related to the lesson
- B. It listens to spoken words and gives immediate feedback or answers questions
- C. It only plays music without interaction
- D. It turns off when a student speaks

Answer: B. It listens to spoken words and gives immediate feedback or answers questions

Explanation: A voice assistant uses speech recognition and language understanding to listen to the student and respond. This supports interactive learning.

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Question 14. Which option is an example of a simple AI tool in a math learning game?

- A. A tool that creates problems and adjusts difficulty based on the student's performance
- B. A tool that shows the same problem every time
- C. A tool that does not check answers
- D. A tool that randomly changes numbers with no logic

Answer: A. A tool that creates problems and adjusts difficulty based on the student's performance

Explanation: A math learning game may become easier or harder based on the student's answers. This adaptive behavior is a useful AI feature.

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Question 15. In a game where players match animal pictures with their sounds, what does the AI tool mainly do?

- A. It plays any random sound
- B. It compares the animal picture with stored data to play the correct sound
- C. It only shows animal pictures without sound
- D. It repeats the same sound for all animals

Answer: B. It compares the animal picture with stored data to play the correct sound

Explanation: The tool uses stored examples and pattern matching to connect an animal picture with the correct animal sound. This reinforces learning through feedback.

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Question 16. In an interactive reading app, how can AI help students learn new words?

- A. It reads a paragraph and ignores individual words
- B. It listens to reading, identifies mispronounced words, and suggests corrections
- C. It displays words without pronunciation help
- D. It replaces all words with pictures

Answer: B. It listens to reading, identifies mispronounced words, and suggests corrections

Explanation: A reading app can use speech recognition to listen to pronunciation and give corrections. This helps students improve reading accuracy.

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Question 17. Which game feature is most likely powered by simple AI to personalize gameplay?

- A. The game randomly changes background colors
- B. The game tracks progress and offers hints or easier challenges when needed
- C. The game plays the same level without change
- D. The game ignores all player actions

Answer: B. The game tracks progress and offers hints or easier challenges when needed

Explanation: A personalized game watches how the player is doing and gives help or changes difficulty. This is a simple example of adaptive AI.

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Question 18. How does an AI tool help in a memory matching game for young learners?

- A. It hides the cards so they are never revealed
- B. It records which cards have been revealed and helps remember their positions
- C. It shuffles the cards every second to confuse the player
- D. It deletes the cards after the game starts

Answer: B. It records which cards have been revealed and helps remember their positions

Explanation: A memory game can keep track of revealed cards. This use of memory and matching is a basic AI-style support feature.

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Question 19. Which method can a simple AI drawing app use to recognize shapes drawn by children?

- A. It ignores the drawing and always shows a circle
- B. It compares the drawn shape with stored patterns and identifies it
- C. It deletes the drawing immediately
- D. It replaces the drawing with a random shape

Answer: B. It compares the drawn shape with stored patterns and identifies it

Explanation: The app can compare a child's drawing with known patterns such as circles, squares, or triangles. This is a form of pattern recognition.

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Question 20. In a learning game that adjusts difficulty based on student performance, what does the AI tool do?

- A. It ignores performance and shows the same level every time
- B. It tracks correct answers and increases or decreases difficulty accordingly
- C. It changes difficulty randomly without checking answers
- D. It resets the game after every question

Answer: B. It tracks correct answers and increases or decreases difficulty accordingly

Explanation: The AI tool studies how many answers are correct and then selects a suitable difficulty level. This helps the learner practice at the right level.

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Question 21. Which statement best explains how computers remember saved information?

- A. Computers can store numbers and letters exactly when data is saved correctly
- B. Computers forget everything after a little while
- C. Computers remember by thinking like humans
- D. Computers only remember pictures

Answer: A. Computers can store numbers and letters exactly when data is saved correctly

Explanation: Computer memory stores digital data in a precise form when it is saved correctly. Human memory can fade or change over time.

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Question 22. What is a big difference between computer logic and human logic?

- A. Computers follow exact rules, while humans can also use feelings and experience
- B. Humans never change, while computers always change their rules
- C. Both computers and humans always follow the same rules perfectly
- D. Humans never use logic

Answer: A. Computers follow exact rules, while humans can also use feelings and experience

Explanation: Computers follow algorithms and instructions. Humans can use logic too, but they also consider emotions, experiences, and context.

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Question 23. Which task are computers usually very good at compared with humans?

- A. Solving a large number of math problems very quickly
- B. Remembering a personal story with feelings
- C. Understanding emotions in a conversation
- D. Making creative decisions without rules

Answer: A. Solving a large number of math problems very quickly

Explanation: Computers can process numbers and data very quickly and accurately. Humans are often stronger in emotion, meaning, and creativity.

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Question 24. Which statement best describes human memory compared with computer memory?

- A. Humans remember every detail perfectly like a computer
- B. Computer memory can store information exactly, while human memory can sometimes be fuzzy
- C. Human and computer memory always work the same way
- D. Computer memory is always less reliable than human memory

Answer: B. Computer memory can store information exactly, while human memory can sometimes be fuzzy

Explanation: Computers can store data exactly, but human memory can be affected by time, attention, and feelings.

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Question 25. Why are computers very good at repetitive tasks compared with humans?

- A. Computers get tired easily
- B. Computers can follow the same instructions repeatedly without getting tired
- C. Humans are always better at repeating tasks without mistakes
- D. Computers cannot repeat tasks

Answer: B. Computers can follow the same instructions repeatedly without getting tired

Explanation: Computers can repeat the same instruction many times without fatigue. Humans may become tired or distracted during repetitive work.

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Question 26. In solving puzzles, how can computers differ from humans?

- A. Computers use programmed rules and algorithms, while humans may also use creativity and intuition
- B. Computers and humans always use the same creative methods
- C. Humans only use exact rules like computers
- D. Computers only guess randomly

Answer: A. Computers use programmed rules and algorithms, while humans may also use creativity and intuition

Explanation: Computers solve problems using programmed methods and data. Humans may combine rules, imagination, experience, and creativity.

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Question 27. Which statement is true about how computers and humans recognize patterns?

- A. Computers can quickly find patterns in lots of numbers or images, while humans may need more time
- B. Humans always find patterns faster than computers
- C. Both always take the same time
- D. Computers cannot recognize patterns

Answer: A. Computers can quickly find patterns in lots of numbers or images, while humans may need more time

Explanation: Computers can process large data sets quickly. Humans also recognize patterns, but may take longer with large amounts of information.

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Question 28. When making decisions, how do computers typically differ from humans?

- A. Computers use data and rules, while humans also use feelings and experiences
- B. Computers use feelings just like humans
- C. Humans only use rules and never emotions
- D. Computers decide randomly while humans follow rules strictly

Answer: A. Computers use data and rules, while humans also use feelings and experiences

Explanation: Computers make decisions based on data, models, and instructions. Humans may include feelings, values, experience, and judgment.

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Question 29. Why might a computer be better than a human at remembering a long list of numbers?

- A. Computers store numbers exactly, while humans may forget or mix them up
- B. Humans always remember numbers perfectly
- C. Computers forget numbers quickly
- D. Both remember numbers in the same way

Answer: A. Computers store numbers exactly, while humans may forget or mix them up

Explanation: Digital storage can keep numbers exactly as saved. Human memory can be affected by distraction, time, or confusion.

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Question 30. Which is a creative task that humans are usually better at than computers?

- A. Adding very large numbers quickly
- B. Creating a new story or drawing using imagination
- C. Repeating the same calculation without error
- D. Storing thousands of facts exactly

Answer: B. Creating a new story or drawing using imagination

Explanation: Humans are naturally creative and can use imagination, emotion, and personal experience. Computers can help generate content, but they do not imagine like humans.

Section 4 – Achievers Section: Matching Games and Block-Based Coding

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Question 31. In a Scratch-style matching game, which block is best used to check if one sprite is touching another?

- A. when green flag clicked
- B. if <touching [sprite]> then
- C. repeat until <touching [sprite]>
- D. broadcast [message]

Answer: B. if <touching [sprite]> then

Explanation: The “if <touching [sprite]> then” block checks whether one sprite is touching another. In a matching game, it can help decide whether selected items are interacting.

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Question 32. In a Scratch-style matching game, what is a broadcast block used for?

- A.** To permanently store player scores
- B.** To send a message that can trigger other scripts
- C.** To make a sprite invisible only
- D.** To check if two sprites are touching

Answer: B. To send a message that can trigger other scripts

Explanation: A broadcast sends a message to scripts or sprites so that multiple actions can happen after an event, such as starting a new round or showing feedback.

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Question 33. A matching game must decide if two selected cards match. Which control structure is best for this check?

- A.** if <condition> then <action> else <action>
- B.** forever loop only
- C.** when this sprite clicked only
- D.** wait until <condition> only

Answer: A. if <condition> then <action> else <action>

Explanation: An if-then-else structure allows the program to take one action if cards match and another action if they do not match. This is decision-making in code.

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Question 34. In block-based coding, which block should update a player's score by adding 10 points after a correct match?

- A.** set score to 10
- B.** change score by 10
- C.** if score > 10 then
- D.** repeat score 10 times

Answer: B. change score by 10

Explanation: The "change score by 10" block increases the current score by 10. "Set score to 10" would replace the score instead of adding to it.

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Question 35. In a matching game, which concept explains actions that happen when a sprite is clicked or touches another sprite?

- A.** Continuous looping only
- B.** Random number generation
- C.** Event-driven triggers
- D.** Manual coding without conditions

Answer: C. Event-driven triggers

Explanation: Event-driven programming means the program responds to events such as clicks, touches, or broadcasts. This is important for interactive games.

Consolidated Answer Key

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1	B	2	C	3	B	4	A
5	C	6	B	7	B	8	B

