

## MySQL Practice Questions

1. Create a database named college\_db  
➔ `CREATE DATABASE college_db;`
2. Create a table students with fields: id, name, age, department.  
➔ `USE college_db;`  
`CREATE TABLE students (  
    id INT PRIMARY KEY,  
    name VARCHAR(100),  
    age INT,  
    department VARCHAR(100)  
);`
3. Insert 5 records into the students table.  
➔ `INSERT INTO students (id, name, age, department)  
VALUES  
    (1, 'Namrata', 21, 'Computer Science'),  
    (2, 'Pari', 19, 'Mechanical'),  
    (3, 'Aayush', 22, 'Electrical'),  
    (4, 'Ajay', 20, 'Computer Science'),  
    (5, 'Rinki', 23, 'Civil');`
4. Write a query to fetch all records from students.  
➔ `SELECT * FROM students;`
5. Fetch students whose age is greater than 20.  
➔ `SELECT * FROM students WHERE age > 20;`
6. Update the department of a student where name is 'John'.  
➔ `UPDATE students SET department = 'Mechanical'  
WHERE name = 'Rinki';`

7. Delete a student whose ID is 3.
  - ➔ `DELETE FROM students WHERE id = 3;`
8. Select students ordered by age in descending order.
  - ➔ `SELECT * FROM students ORDER BY age DESC;`
9. Fetch only distinct departments from the students table.
  - ➔ `SELECT DISTINCT department FROM students;`
10. Count the number of students in the table.
  - ➔ `SELECT COUNT(*) AS total_students FROM students;`
11. Rename the students table to student\_info.
  - ➔ `RENAME TABLE students TO student_info;`
12. Add a new column email to the student\_info table.
  - ➔ `ALTER TABLE student_info ADD email  
VARCHAR(100);`
13. Query to find students whose name starts with 'A'.
  - ➔ `SELECT * FROM student_info WHERE name LIKE  
'A%';`
14. Display students whose age is between 18 and 25.
  - ➔ `SELECT * FROM student_info WHERE age BETWEEN  
18 AND 25;`
15. Query to find the student with the highest age.
  - ➔ `SELECT * FROM student_info ORDER BY age DESC  
LIMIT 1;`
16. Use LIMIT to display the first 3 students.
  - ➔ `SELECT * FROM student_info LIMIT 3;`
17. Create a table courses with fields: course\_id, course\_name, credits.
  - ➔ `CREATE TABLE courses (  
course_id INT PRIMARY KEY,`

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course_name VARCHAR(100),  
credits INT  
);
```

18. Insert 3 records into the courses table.

```
➔ INSERT INTO courses (course_id, course_name,  
credits) VALUES  
(101, 'Data Structures', 4),  
(102, 'Thermodynamics', 3),  
(103, 'Electrical Circuits', 4);
```

19. Select all students whose department is 'Computer Science'

```
➔ SELECT * FROM student_info WHERE department =  
'Computer Science';
```

20. Use IN to fetch students from specific departments.

```
➔ SELECT * FROM student_info WHERE department  
IN ('Computer Science', 'Mechanical');
```

21. Use BETWEEN to find students aged between 20 and 30.

```
➔ SELECT * FROM student_info WHERE age BETWEEN  
20 AND 30;
```

22. Query to display current system date and time.

```
➔ SELECT NOW() AS current_datetime;
```

23. Use AS to rename a column in the SELECT query.

```
➔ SELECT name AS student_name, age AS  
student_age FROM student_info;
```

24. Query to fetch all data except students of a particular department.

➔ `SELECT * FROM student_info WHERE department  
!= 'Civil';`

25. Delete all records from the student\_info table without dropping the table.

➔ `DELETE FROM student_info;`

26. Create a marks table with fields: student\_id, subject, marks.

➔ `CREATE TABLE marks (  
    student_id INT,  
    subject VARCHAR(100),  
    marks INT  
);`

27. Insert at least 5 records into the marks table.

➔ `INSERT INTO marks (student_id, subject, marks)  
VALUES  
(1, 'Math', 85),  
(1, 'Science', 90),  
(2, 'Math', 70),  
(2, 'Science', 75),  
(4, 'Math', 95);`

28. Use JOIN to combine students and marks data.

➔ `SELECT si.id, si.name, m.subject, m.marks  
FROM student_info si  
JOIN marks m ON si.id = m.student_id;`

29. Query to calculate average marks per student.

➔ `SELECT student_id, AVG(marks) AS average_marks  
FROM marks  
GROUP BY student_id;`

30. Use GROUP BY to find total marks obtained by each student.

➔ `SELECT student_id, SUM(marks) AS total_marks  
FROM marks  
GROUP BY student_id;`

31. Use HAVING to find students who scored more than 200 in total.

➔ `SELECT student_id, SUM(marks) AS total_marks  
FROM marks  
GROUP BY student_id  
HAVING total_marks > 200;`

32. Fetch students with the same age using GROUP BY and COUNT()

➔ `SELECT age, COUNT(*) AS count  
FROM student_info  
GROUP BY age  
HAVING count > 1;`

33. INNER JOIN, LEFT JOIN, RIGHT JOIN with explanation.

➔ `-- INNER JOIN: Only matched records  
SELECT si.name, m.subject FROM student_info si  
INNER JOIN marks m ON si.id = m.student_id;`

`-- LEFT JOIN: All students, even if no marks  
SELECT si.name, m.subject FROM student_info si  
LEFT JOIN marks m ON si.id = m.student_id;`

`-- RIGHT JOIN: All marks entries, even if student  
missing`

```
SELECT si.name, m.subject FROM student_info si  
RIGHT JOIN marks m ON si.id = m.student_id;
```

34. Create a new table with a PRIMARY KEY and AUTO\_INCREMENT.

```
➔ CREATE TABLE teachers (  
    teacher_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
    name VARCHAR(100)  
);
```

35. Create a table with a FOREIGN KEY referencing another table.

```
➔ CREATE TABLE attendance (  
    student_id INT,  
    date DATE,  
    status VARCHAR(10),  
    FOREIGN KEY (student_id) REFERENCES  
    student_info(id)  
);
```

36. Subquery to find the maximum marks in marks table.

```
➔ SELECT MAX(marks) AS highest_marks FROM  
marks;
```

37. Create a VIEW to display student names and their total marks.

```
➔ CREATE VIEW student_totals AS  
SELECT si.name, SUM(m.marks) AS total_marks  
FROM student_info si  
JOIN marks m ON si.id = m.student_id  
GROUP BY si.name;
```

38. Subquery to list students who scored more than average mark.

➔ `SELECT * FROM marks`  
`WHERE marks > (SELECT AVG(marks) FROM marks);`

39. Stored procedure to insert new student data.

➔ `DELIMITER $$`

```
CREATE PROCEDURE AddStudent(  
    IN s_name VARCHAR(100),  
    IN s_age INT,  
    IN s_dept VARCHAR(100)  
)  
BEGIN  
    INSERT INTO student_info (name, age, department)  
VALUES (s_name, s_age, s_dept);  
END$$  
DELIMITER ;
```

40. Stored procedure to update student department.

➔ `DELIMITER $$`

```
CREATE PROCEDURE UpdateDepartment(  
    IN s_id INT,  
    IN new_dept VARCHAR(100)  
)  
BEGIN  
    UPDATE student_info SET department = new_dept  
WHERE id = s_id;  
END$$
```

DELIMITER ;

41. User-defined function to calculate grade from marks.

➔ DELIMITER \$\$

```
CREATE FUNCTION GetGrade(mark INT)
RETURNS VARCHAR(2)
DETERMINISTIC
BEGIN
    DECLARE grade VARCHAR(2);
    IF mark >= 90 THEN SET grade = 'A';
    ELSEIF mark >= 75 THEN SET grade = 'B';
    ELSEIF mark >= 60 THEN SET grade = 'C';
    ELSE SET grade = 'F';
    END IF;
    RETURN grade;
END$$
```

DELIMITER ;

42. Trigger to log insert operations on student\_info.

➔ CREATE TABLE student\_log (  
log\_id INT AUTO\_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
student\_name VARCHAR(100),  
action\_time TIMESTAMP DEFAULT  
CURRENT\_TIMESTAMP  
);

DELIMITER \$\$



```
CREATE TRIGGER after_student_insert
AFTER INSERT ON student_info
FOR EACH ROW
BEGIN
    INSERT INTO student_log (student_name) VALUES
    (NEW.name);
END$$
```

```
DELIMITER ;
```

43. Use a transaction to update multiple records atomically.

➔ START TRANSACTION;

```
UPDATE student_info SET department = 'IT' WHERE id
= 1;
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UPDATE student_info SET department = 'IT' WHERE id
= 2;
```

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COMMIT;
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```
-- Use ROLLBACK; if needed to cancel changes
```

44. Query to find duplicate records using GROUP BY and HAVING.

➔ SELECT name, COUNT(\*) AS count  
FROM student\_info  
GROUP BY name  
HAVING count > 1;

45. Create a backup of a database using mysqldump.

➔ mysqldump -u root -p college\_db >  
college\_db\_backup.sql

46. Restore a MySQL database from a backup file.  
➔ `mysql -u root -p college_db < college_db_backup.sql`
47. import data from a CSV file into a MySQL table.  
➔ `LOAD DATA INFILE '/path/to/file.csv'  
INTO TABLE student_info  
FIELDS TERMINATED BY ','  
ENCLOSED BY '"'  
LINES TERMINATED BY '\n'  
IGNORE 1 ROWS;`
48. create an index on student name for faster search.  
➔ `CREATE INDEX idx_name ON student_info(name);`
49. Query to find the second highest mark in a subject.  
➔ `SELECT MAX(marks) AS second_highest  
FROM marks  
WHERE marks < (SELECT MAX(marks) FROM marks);`
50. Drop the courses table and explain the effect.  
➔ `DROP TABLE courses;`