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**1.** Which of the following are components Human Capital Index (HCI)

1. Survival, measured by under-5 mortality rates
2. Expected years of Quality-Adjusted School
3. Health environment

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**2.** Freedom in the World 2020 was released by

- (a) Freedom House
- (b) Economist Intelligence Unit
- (c) United Nations Human Rights Council
- (d) Oxfam International

**3.** Which of the followings are included in UNESCO's World Heritage List

1. Burial Mounds
2. Jaipur City
3. Mozu-Furuichi Kofun Group
4. Megalithic Jar Sites in Xiengkhouang

Select the correct answer from the codes given below

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1, 3 and 4 only
- (c) 1, 2 and 4 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

**4.** The World Happiness Report is released by

- (a) UNICEF
- (b) World Economic Forum
- (c) United Nations Development Programme
- (d) Sustainable Development Solutions Network

**5.** The Operation Thirst has been launched by

- (a) Ministry of Food Processing Industries
- (b) Ministry of Health
- (c) Ministry of Jal Shakti.
- (d) Ministry of Railways

**6.** Consider the following statements regarding World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

1. It was created to encourage creative activity, to promote the protection of intellectual property throughout the world.
2. India is a member of WIPO and party to several treaties administered by WIPO.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**7.** Consider the following statements regarding International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)

1. The IFAD is an international financial institution.
2. It is a specialized United Nations agency created in 1977 engaged in providing grants and loans with low interest for allied projects.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**8.** Consider the following statements with respect to FASTag,

1. FASTag operates in the National Highways only.
2. The tag is valid for seven years.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**9.** Consider the following statements regarding New Development Bank

1. It is a multilateral development bank operated by the BASIC countries.
2. Each participant country will be assigned one vote, and none of the countries will have veto power.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**10.** The Global Climate Risk Index has been released by

- (a) United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)
- (b) Global Green Growth Institute
- (c) Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)
- (d) Germanwatch

**11.** Consider the following statements regarding Asian Development Bank

1. The bank admits only those countries which are part of Asia and non-regional member countries can be observers.
2. It is modeled closely on the World Bank, and has a similar weighted voting system.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**12.** Consider the following statements regarding Indian Ocean Conference

1. It is an annual effort to bring together Heads of States/Governments, scholars, bureaucrats and practitioners from across the region.
2. It is organized by Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA).
3. The three broad themes of the conference are marine ecology, terrorism and navigational security.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**13.** Consider the following statements regarding Bharat Bond ETF

1. It is a basket of bonds issued by central public sector enterprises/undertakings
2. It will have a fixed maturity of three and ten years.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**14.** Consider the following statements regarding Commonwealth of Nations

1. It operates by intergovernmental consensus of the member states.
2. Queen Elizabeth II is the Head of the Commonwealth.
3. All the former territories of the British Empire are members of the Commonwealth.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**15.** Consider the following statements regarding the National Defence Fund:

1. The Fund is used for the welfare of the members of the Armed Forces excluding Para Military Forces and their dependents.
2. The Fund is administered by an Executive Committee, with Defence Minister as Chairperson
3. Accounts of the Fund are kept with the Reserve Bank of India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 3 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) None

**16.** Consider the following statements regarding Open Skies treaty

1. The treaty allows member countries to conduct unarmed surveillance flights over one another's territories.
2. India is a member of this treaty.
3. It allows all signatories to request copies of all images taken during overflights carried out by others.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**17.** Consider the following statements regarding the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia:

1. It is an inter-governmental forum for enhancing cooperation towards promoting peace, security and stability in Asia
2. United Nations is its observer organization.
3. India is a member of the organization.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

- 18.** Among the following states, which one has the most suitable climatic conditions for the cultivation of a large variety of orchids with minimum cost of production, and can develop an export oriented industry in this field?
- Andhra Pradesh.
  - Arunachal Pradesh.
  - Madhya Pradesh.
  - Uttar Pradesh.
- 19.** The proposed Mekedatu dam project will be built across:
- Godavari River
  - Cauvery River
  - Krishna River
  - Mandovi River
- 20.** Consider the following statements
- Right to education.
  - Right to equal access to public service.
  - Right to food.
- Which of the above is/are human right/human rights under “universal declaration of human rights”?
- 1 only.
  - 1 and 2 only.
  - 3 only.
  - 1, 2 and 3.
- 21.** Consider the following statements regarding the Instrument in Support of Trade Exchanges (INSTEX)
- It was established by India and China to facilitate trade with Iran.
  - Its mission is to facilitate non-USD and non-SWIFT transactions with Iran to avoid breaking U.S. sanctions.
- Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- 1 only
  - 2 only
  - Both 1 and 2
  - Neither 1 nor 2
- 22.** Which of the following funds is/are being managed by National Investment and Infrastructure Fund?
- Master Fund
  - Fund of Funds
  - Strategic Fund
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- 1 and 2 only
  - 2 and 3 only
  - 1 and 3 only
  - 1, 2 and 3
- 23.** Global Wage Report, sometime seen in the news is published by
- World Bank
  - ILO
  - IMF
  - United Nations
- 24.** Which of the following state has highest population density in India?
- Uttar Pradesh
  - Bihar
  - Kerala
  - Maharashtra

**25.** Which of the following organisations/agencies are headed by Prime Minister?

1. Quality council of India
2. National board of Wildlife
3. Kendiya Hindi Samithi

Select the correct answer using the code given below

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 2 only

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**26.** State Energy Efficiency Preparedness Index is released by

- (a) Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE)
- (b) International Energy Agency
- (c) World Energy Council
- (d) World Economic Forum

**27.** Which of the following are Parameters used under National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF)?

1. Research and Professional Practices.
2. Graduation Outcomes.
3. Outreach and Inclusivity.
4. Peer Perception.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

**28.** Consider the following statements regarding Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority (WDRA)

1. It is a Statutory Authority under the Department of Food and Public Distribution.
2. It was established for the development and regulation of warehouses and negotiability of warehouse receipts.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**29.** India Innovation Index is released by

- (a) Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT)
- (b) Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)
- (c) World Intellectual Property Organization
- (d) NITI Aayog

**30.** Consider the following statements:

1. U.S.A has become the largest trading partner of India in 2019.
2. India has consistently run trade surplus since 2014-15 with U.S.A.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**31.** Consider the following statements regarding Law commission of India

1. It is an executive body established by an order of the Government of India.
2. A retired Chief Justice of India will be the head the Commission.
3. Prior to independence, the First Law Commission was established in 1834 under the Chairmanship of Lord Macaulay.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**32.** Consider the following statements regarding National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority

1. The NPPA currently fixes price of drugs on the National List of Essential Medicines.
2. It is a statutory body under Drugs Prices Control act 1995.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**33.** Which among the following states does/do fall under sixth schedule of the Indian Constitution?

1. Manipur
2. Sikkim
3. Meghalaya
4. Assam

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only
- (b) 3 and 4 only
- (c) 1 and 4 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

**34.** Consider the following statements regarding National Testing Agency

1. NTA will be chaired by an eminent educationist appointed by Ministry of Education.
2. NTA will be given a one-time grant of Rs.25 crore, thereafter, it will be financially self-sustainable.
3. It is an autonomous to conduct entrance examinations for Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in the country.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**35.** Consider the following

1. Hotels and restaurants
2. Motor transport undertakings
3. Newspaper establishments
4. Private medical institutions

The employees of which of the above can have the 'Social Security' coverage under "Employees' State Insurance Scheme"?

- (a) 1, 2 & 3 only
- (b) 4 only
- (c) 1, 3 & 4 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3 & 4

**36.** Consider the following statements regarding Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan(NYKS)

1. It was set up as an autonomous organization under the Ministry of Education.
2. It channelizes the power of youth on the principles of voluntarism, self-help and community participation.
3. Nehru Yuva Kendras were established with the objective of providing rural youth avenues to take part in the process of nation building.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**37.** Consider the following statements regarding the Advertising Standards Council of India

1. It is a self-regulatory organization which was established for the regulation of the Advertising industry.
2. ASCI is registered as a 'Not-for-Profit Company' under the Indian Companies Act of 1956.
3. The organization has a Board of Governors headed by Minister of Information and Broadcasting.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**38.** Which of the following Indian state has longest coastline?

- (a) West Bengal
- (b) Andhra Pradesh
- (c) Kerala
- (d) Gujarat

**39.** Consider the following statements regarding Bombay Natural History Society (BNHS)

1. It is an autonomous body under Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.
2. BNHS is the partner of BirdLife International in India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**40.** Consider the following statements regarding SnowEx

1. It is being jointly launched by European Space Agency and NASA
2. It aims to address the most important gaps in our snow remote sensing knowledge.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**41.** Consider the following statements regarding Border Roads Organization (BRO)

1. It functions under the control of the Ministry of Defence.
2. Currently, the organization maintains operations neighboring countries such as Afghanistan, Bhutan, Myanmar, and Sri Lanka.
3. Engineering Service and personnel from the General Reserve Engineer Force (GREF) form the parent cadre of the Border Roads Organization.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**42.** Consider the following statements regarding the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI)

1. The establishment of the CBI was recommended by the Santhanam Committee.
2. It is a statutory body established under Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**43.** The Project 'NETRA' has been launched by

- (a) Council of Scientific & Industrial Research
- (b) Indian Space Research Organization
- (c) NITI Aayog
- (d) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare

**44.** Consider the following statements regarding the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR):

1. It reports to the Department of Agricultural Research and Education, Ministry of Agriculture.
2. The Union Minister of Agriculture serves as its president.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**45.** Consider the following statements regarding the Antarctic Oscillation

1. It is a low-frequency mode of atmospheric variability of the southern hemisphere.
2. It is a belt of westerly winds or low pressure surrounding Antarctica

Which of the given statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only.
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**46.** Consider the statements regarding the Development and Welfare Board for De-notified, Nomadic and Semi-Nomadic Communities:

1. It was set up under the Societies Registration Act, 1860.
2. It works under the aegis of Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**47.** Consider the following statements regarding the Building Materials & Technology Promotion Council (BMTPC):

1. It is an autonomous body under the aegis of the Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs.
2. It is registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**48.** Consider the following statements regarding Eat Right Movement

1. It was launched by the Ministry of Food Processing Industries
2. The movement aims to cut down salt/sugar and oil consumption by 30% in three years.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**49.** Cabinet committee on Security is chaired by:

- (a) Home Minister
- (b) Defence Minister
- (c) Prime Minister
- (d) National Security Advisor (NSA)

**50.** Consider the following statements regarding International Court of Justice

1. All members of the UN are parties to the statute of the ICJ
2. Any non-governmental organizations, corporations or any other private entities are eligible to appear before the ICJ.

Which of the given statements is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

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**51.** Consider the following statements regarding Right to Information (Amendment) Bill, 2019

1. The Centre shall have the powers to set the salaries and service conditions of Information Commissioners at central as well as state levels.
2. Under the bill, salaries, allowances and other terms of service of the state Chief Information Commissioner as “the same as that of an Election Commissioner”.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**52.** Consider the following statements regarding Right to Education (RTE) Act, 2009

1. The act mandates 33% reservation for disadvantaged sections.
2. The RTE Act aims to provide primary education to all children aged 6 to 14 years.
3. It enforces Education as a Fundamental Right (Article 21-A).

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**53.** Consider the following pairs

1. Nokrek Bio-sphere : Garo Hills Reserve
2. Loktak Lake : Barail Range
3. Namdapha National Park : Daffla Hills

Which of the above pairs is/are correctly matched?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1, 2 and 3
- (d) None

**54.** Consider the following statements regarding Insolvency and Bankruptcy

1. Insolvency is a situation where individuals or companies are unable to repay their outstanding debt.
2. Bankruptcy is a situation whereby a court of competent jurisdiction has declared a person

or other entity insolvent, having passed appropriate orders to resolve it and protect the rights of the creditors.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**55.** Contour bunding is a method of soil conservation used in

- (a) desert margins, liable to strong wind action
- (b) farming practice of plowing and/or planting across a slope following its elevation contour lines.
- (c) scrublands, liable to spread of weed growth
- (d) None of the above

**56.** Consider the following statements regarding Essential Commodities Act

1. The list of items under the Act include drugs, fertilizers, pulses and edible oils, and petroleum and petroleum products.
2. The government can fix the maximum retail price (MRP) of any packaged product that it declares an "essential commodity".
3. The state government can include new commodities as and when the need arises.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**57.** Consider the following statements regarding Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897

1. It was introduced by colonial government to tackle the epidemic of bubonic plague.
2. It empowers state governments/UTs to take special measures and formulate regulations for containing the outbreak.
3. It gives legal protection to the implementing officers acting under the Act.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**58.** Which of the following is the essential objective of Swadhar Greh scheme?

- (a) Rehabilitation of women in difficult circumstances.
- (b) Financial assistance to women to open new enterprises
- (c) Promotion of exports through self-help groups
- (d) None

**59.** Consider the following statements regarding Mineral Laws (Amendment) Bill 2020

1. Companies will be allowed to carry on coal mining operation for own consumption, sale or for any other purposes.
2. The Bill provides that the various approvals, licenses, and clearances given to the previous lessee will be extended to the successful bidder.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**60.** Aspirational District programme is an initiative of

- (a) Ministry of Rural Development
- (b) Ministry of Urban Development
- (c) Ministry of Social Justice
- (d) None of the above

**61.** Consider the following statements regarding Medical Termination of Pregnancy (Amendment) Bill, 2020

1. It seeks to extend the upper limit for permitting abortions from 20 weeks to 24 under special circumstances.
2. The Bill proposes requirement of opinion of one registered medical practitioner (RMP) for termination of pregnancy up to 20 weeks.
3. Every state government is required to constitute a Medical Board.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**62.** Consider the following statements regarding Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016

1. It increases the number of recognized disabilities to 7.
2. Now individuals with at least 60% of a disability are entitled to benefits such as reservations.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**63.** *Garibi hatao* slogan was introduced in which of the following Five Year Plan?

- (a) Fourth
- (b) Fifth
- (c) Second
- (d) First

**64.** Consider the following statements regarding Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, 2019

1. It states that a person will be recognized as transgender on the basis of Self Identification.
2. The Act aims to stop discrimination against a transgender person.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**65.** Consider the following statements regarding Cabinet Secretary

1. He functions directly under the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs
2. He is appointed with the approval of the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet.

Which of the given statements is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**66.** Consider the following statements regarding Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK)

1. Multi-sectoral Development Programme (MsDP) has been renamed as Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK)
2. It was launched in identified Minority Concentration Districts (MCDs) having at least 50% minority population.
3. MsDP has been identified as one of the Core of the Core Schemes.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**67.** Which of the following organizations publishes Travel and Tourism Competitiveness Report?

- (a) World Travel and Tourism Council
- (b) World Bank
- (c) World Economic Forum (WEF)
- (d) Ministry of Tourism, Govt of India

**68.** Consider the following statements regarding Delimitation of Constituencies

1. It is a permanent statutory body.
2. It aims to provide equal representation to equal segments of a population
3. Its orders can be questioned before court of law.

Which of the given statements is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 3 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**69.** Consider the following statements regarding the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO). Act:

1. The Act defines a child as any person below eighteen years of age.
2. As per the act, Police officer to not be in uniform while recording the statement of the child.
3. People who traffic children for sexual purposes are also punishable under the provisions relating to abetment in the Act.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**70.** Consider the following statement regarding Chief of Defence Staff

1. The CDS is a single-point military advisor to the government.

2. He is eligible to hold any Government office after demitting the office of CDS.

3. The tenure of the CDS has been fixed for 3 years.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**71.** Consider the following statements regarding the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Maan-Dhan Yojana (PM-KMY):

1. It is voluntary and contributory for farmers in the entry age group of 18 to 60 years.
2. The Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC) shall be the Pension Fund Manager.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**72.** Which of the following diseases is/are zoonotic diseases?

1. Kyasanur Forest Disease
2. Nipah Virus Infection
3. Anthrax

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

- 73.** Kalapani territory is an area disputed between
- India and Bangladesh
  - India and Bhutan
  - India and Pakistan
  - India and Nepal
- 74.** Tuirial dam, sometimes seen in news, is located in:
- Manipur
  - Mizoram
  - Nagaland
  - Arunachal Pradesh
- 75.** Which of the following state organizes Zo Kutpui festival
- Kerala
  - Manipur
  - Mizoram
  - Assam
- 77.** Shompen tribes, sometime seen in the news, is largely found in
- Great Nicobar
  - Middle Andaman
  - Little Andaman
  - Coco Islands
- 78.** Which of the following state in India has maximum area under forest cover?
- Arunachal Pradesh
  - Madhya Pradesh
  - Rajasthan
  - None of the above
- 79.** *Aruna Shanbaug case* is related to which Article of the Constitution of India?
- Article 19
  - Article 21
  - Article 25
  - Article 14

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- 76.** Consider the following statements regarding Article 25
- It guarantees Freedom to Manage Religious Affairs
  - The Article dose not put any restriction on the government when it comes to making any law to regulate economic, financial, political or other secular activities.
- Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- 1 only
  - 2 only
  - Both 1 and 2
  - Neither 1 nor 2
- 80.** According to Supreme Court, Right to Property is a
- Fundamental right
  - Constitutional
  - Human right
- Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- 1 and 2 only
  - 1 and 3 only
  - 2 and 3 only
  - 1, 2 and 3

**81.** Habeas Corpus is issued in which of the following cases?

1. Detention is lawful
2. The proceeding is for contempt of a legislature
3. Detention is by a competent court
4. Detention is outside the jurisdiction of the court.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 and 4 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1, 2, 3 and 4
- (d) None of the Above

**82.** Consider the following statements regarding martial law

1. The concept of martial law has been borrowed in India from the English common law.
2. The expression 'martial law' has been defined under Article 34 of the Indian Constitution.
3. There is no specific or express provision in the Constitution that authorizes the executive to declare martial law.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**83.** The Directive Principles were made non-justiciable and non-enforceable because

1. The country did not possess sufficient financial resources.
2. The presence of vast diversity and backwardness in the country.
3. The newly born Indian State was free to decide the order, the time, the place and the mode of fulfilling them.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**84.** Consider the following statements regarding Directive Principles of State Policy

1. Dr. B.R. Ambedkar described these principles as 'novel features' of the Indian Constitution.
2. The framers of the Constitution borrowed this idea from the USSR.
3. The Directive Principles are like the instrument of instructions under the British Constitution.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**85.** Consider the following statements regarding EQUIP Project

1. It aims at ushering transformation in India's higher education system by implementing strategic interventions
2. It is the implementation plan for the National Education Policy.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

- 86.** Gender Social Norms Index has been released by
- World Economic Forum (WEF)
  - Organisation of Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)
  - UN Development Programme (UNDP)
  - United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)
- 87.** Consider the following statements regarding North East Venture Fund (NEVF)
- It is set up by North Eastern Council in association with Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (M-DoNER).
  - It aims to provide platform for tribal women entrepreneurs North Eastern Region
- Which of the following statements is/are not correct?
- 1 only
  - 2 only
  - Both 1 and 2
  - Neither 1 nor 2
- 88.** Under Indian Constitution, the provision “To protect and improve the environment and to safeguard forests and wild life” forms a part of
- Directive Principles of State Policy
  - Fundamental Rights
  - Fundamental Duties
  - Preamble
- 89.** Which of the following are legal provisions for the implementation of the Fundamental Duties?
- The Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act (1971)
  - The Wildlife (Protection) Act of 1972
  - The Forest (Conservation) Act of 1980
  - The Protection of Civil Rights Act (1955)
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- 2 and 3 only
  - 1 and 4 only
  - 1, 2 and 4 only
  - 1, 2, 3 and 4
- 90.** Under *Minerva Mills case*, what is the verdict of Supreme Court?
- Fundamental Rights cannot be amended by parliament to implement the Directive Principles.
  - Preamble is an integral part of Indian Constitution.
  - Preamble cannot be amended by the constitution.
  - Indian Constitution is founded on the bedrock of the balance between the Fundamental Rights and the Directive Principles.

**91.** Consider the following statements regarding Savings (Taxable) Bonds 2018

1. It aims to help citizens invest in a taxable instrument, without any monetary ceiling.
2. Non-Resident Indians(NRIs) are eligible for making investments in these bonds
3. The Bonds are transferable.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**92.** Consider the following statements regarding Nilgiri Tahr

1. It is endemic to the Nilgiri Hills and Western Ghats
2. It has been listed as “Critically Endangered” by IUCN.
3. It is found in open montane grassland habitat of rain forests Eco region.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**93.** Consider the following statements regarding Forty-Second Amendment Act, 1976

1. It gave effect to the recommendations of Swaran Singh Committee.
2. It provided for administrative tribunals and tribunals for other matters and added Part XIV A to the constitution.
3. It made the president bound by the advice of the cabinet.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

**94.** Consider the following statements regarding Sixty-Fifth Amendment Act, 1990

1. It provided for the establishment of a multimember National Commission for SCs and STs in the place of a Special Officer for SCs and STs.
2. It bifurcated the combined National Commission for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes into two separate bodies

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**95.** Consider the following statements regarding Sixty-Ninth Amendment Act, 1991

1. The amendment provided for the creation of a 70-member legislative assembly and a 7-member council of ministers for Delhi.
2. It provided for the inclusion of the members of the Legislative Assemblies of National Capital Territory of Delhi and the Union Territory of Puducherry in the Electoral College for the election of the president.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**96.** Consider the following statements regarding Ninety-First Amendment Act, 2003

1. It made the provisions to limit the size of Council of Ministers.
2. It made the provisions to strengthen the anti-defection law.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**97.** Consider the following statements regarding One Hundred and Third Amendment Act, 2019

1. It permitted the state to make a provision for the reservation of upto 10% of appointments or posts in favour of economically weaker sections.
2. This reservation of upto 10 % would be in within the existing reservation for OBC, SC and ST.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

**98.** Which of the following have coral reefs?

1. Andaman and Nicobar Islands
2. Gulf of Kachchh
3. Gulf of Mannar
4. Sunderbans

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only
- (b) 2 and 4 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

**99.** Which one of the following Schedules of the Constitution of India contains provisions regarding anti-defection?

- (a) Second Schedule
- (b) Fifth Schedule
- (c) Eighth Schedule
- (d) Tenth Schedule

**100.** Which of the following species are invasive species in the context of Indian Biodiversity?

1. Snowflake coral
2. Nilgai
3. Papaya Mealy bug

Select the correct answer using the code given below

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

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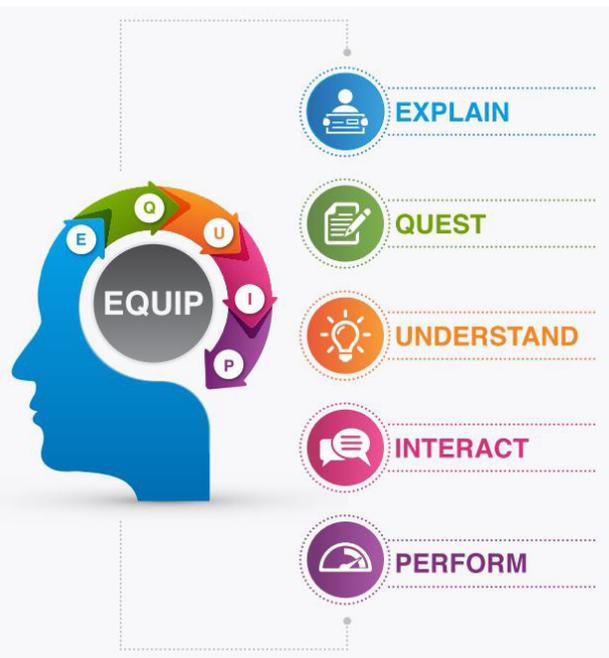
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