



[MISSION 2024] MINI SECURE REVISION TEST



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Answer the following in 150 words (10 marks each):

G.S-I:

1. Gandhara School encapsulates foreign techniques and Hellenistic spirit of realism which is evident in its art. Elucidate.

Reference: <https://www.insightsonindia.com/indian-heritage-culture/sculpture/buddhist-sculpture/gandhara-school-of-sculpture/>

2. The feasibility of implementing water pricing in India's urban spaces is a complex issue that requires careful consideration of various factors such as economic and social aspects. Comment.

Reference: <https://www.livemint.com/opinion/online-views/india-cannot-solve-its-water-crisis-without-proper-pricing-11712483059264.html>

<https://www.orfonline.org/research/water-valuation-and-pricing-in-india-imperatives-for-sustainable-water-governance>

G.S-II:

3. India faces a significant challenge with regards to the high number of suicides. To effectively address this issue, specific and targeted strategies for suicide prevention are crucial. Analyse.

Reference: <https://www.thehindu.com/opinion/op-ed/gone-too-soon-the-subject-of-youth-suicide-in-india/article68040103.ece>

G.S-III:

4. The discovery of the Higgs boson was a significant milestone in the field of particle physics and had several profound impacts on our understanding of the universe. Comment.

Reference: <https://www.thehindu.com/sci-tech/science/peter-higgs-who-proposed-existence-of-higgs-boson-particle-has-died-at-94-university-says/article68047894.ece>

5. Effective management of space debris is a critical challenge to humankind. Analyse the causes and impact of space debris.

Reference : <https://www.insightsonindia.com/2022/01/21/space-debris-3/>

Answer the following in 250 words (15 marks each):

G.S-I:

6. By recognizing and addressing the gendered dimensions of climate change and empowering women, societies can harness the full potential of all individuals to build a more sustainable and resilient future. Explain.

Reference: <https://www.thehindu.com/opinion/lead/the-climate-crisis-is-not-gender-neutral/article68047470.ece>

G.S-II:

7. Digitalization has the potential to significantly enhance India's economic growth and development. However, it's crucial that this growth of digitalisation is not only sustainable but also inclusive. Examine.

Reference: <https://indianexpress.com/article/opinion/columns/indian-economy-quality-focus-growth-9258533/#:~:text=This%20is%20an%20apt%20time,shot%20up%20during%20the%20pandemic.>

8. What do you understand by the 'one health approach'? National One Health Mission aims to enhance the capacity of the healthcare system to prevent, detect, and respond to both routine and pandemic diseases more effectively. Examine.

Reference: <https://www.thehindu.com/opinion/op-ed/the-advent-of-a-holistic-approach-to-one-health/article68051165.ece>

G.S-III:

9. While Chandrayaan-3 was primarily aimed at achieving a soft landing on the Moon's surface, following the partial success of Chandrayaan-2, its significance extends beyond its specific objectives. Discuss.

Reference: <https://www.insightsonindia.com/2023/07/11/chandrayaan-3-3/>

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chandrayaan-3>

10. While 5G technology offers numerous benefits, the cost of upgrading infrastructure and acquiring new devices compatible with 5G can be prohibitive for consumers and businesses, especially in a country like India where affordability is a significant concern. Discuss.

Reference: <https://www.thehindu.com/opinion/op-ed/indias-5g-leap-is-about-powering-tomorrow/article37330577.ece?homepage=true>

CONSISTENT PRACTICE IS THE KEY TO SUCCESS



An amount of fear helps in pushing us towards hard work.

Fear and self-doubts are like fire—if in excess will burn and destroy the individual. If one is carefree one can become over-confident about one's capabilities. If anxieties, fears are kept under control it brings best out of an individual.

So,

Believe in yourself, anything is possible for a willing heart;
Aim high, Never give up, in fact, in every adversity lies an opportunity.



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