

1). When Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched the programme "Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao Yojana?"

- a) January 22nd 2015
- b) January 22nd 2014
- c) March 22nd 2015
- d) December 22nd 2015
- e) None of these

2). For a moving body at any instant of time

- a) if the body is not moving the acceleration is necessarily zero
- b) if the body is slowing the retardation is negative
- c) if the body is slowing the distance is negative
- d) if displacement velocity and acceleration at that instant are known we can find the displacement at any given time in future
- e) None of these

3). If a pendulum clock is brought inside an artificial satellite, then the time period of the clock becomes

- a) 0
- b) ∞
- c) 1
- d) none
- e) None of these

4). Ball pen functions on which one of the following principle?

- a) Boyle's law
- b) gravitational force
- c) surface tension
- d) viscosity
- e) None of these

5). The temperature of water at the bottom of a waterfall is higher than that at the top because

- a) water at the bottom has greater potential energy
- b) the surface at the bottom provides heat
- c) kinetic energy of falling water is converted into heat
- d) falling water absorbs heat from the surroundings
- e) None of these

6). Which of the following is not a function of the Reserve Bank of India?

- a) it formulates most of the economic policies of India
- b) it is a banker's bank
- c) it regulates the functioning of all the banks
- d) it holds the cash reserves of the banking system
- e) None of these

7). When was the first telegraphy line started in India?

- a) 1851
- b) 1875
- c) 1884
- d) 1900
- e) None of these

8). The standard of living in a country is represented by its

- a) poverty ratio
- b) per capita income
- c) national income
- d) unemployment rate
- e) None of these

9). Which of the following is not reckoned as a 'value added' telecommunication service?

- a) electronic mail
- b) STD
- c) FAX
- d) radio-paging service

e) None of these

10). Where is Normandy beach located

- a) france
- b) netherlands
- c) spain
- d) belgium
- e) None of these

Answer:

1) a) 2) b) 3) b) 4) c) 5) c) 6) a) 7) a) 8) b) 9) a) 10) a)

1).The 'Misl' of which Ranjit Singh was the leader, was

- a) Sukerchakia b) Ahluwalia
- c) Phulkia d) Ramgarhia

2).Who among the following was the first woman Chief Justice of a High Court?

- a) Geeta Mukherjee
- b) Leila Seth
- c) Sujata Manohar
- d) Rani Jethmalani

3).Shanti Swaroop Bhatnagar Awards are given for

- a) Excellence in film direction
- b) Outstanding contribution to science
- c) Exploring new dimensions in creative writing in Indian languages
- d) Creating mass awareness on environmental issues

4).The first Indian to swim across English Channel was

- a) PK Benerji
- b) Mihir Sen
- c) V Merchant
- d) Aarti Saha

5).The United Nations Organization came into existence on

- a) Oct 24, 1945
- b) Dec 24, 1945
- c) Aug 30, 1945
- d) None of the above

6).The headquarters of UNESCO is in

- a) New York
- b) The Hague
- c) Paris
- d) Moscow

7).Which among the following Indian artists is the winner of the Oscar Award?

- a) Dilip Kumar
- b) Bhanu Athaiya
- c) Shyam Benegal
- d) Rohini Hattangadi

8).Saraswati Samman is given annually for outstanding contribution to

- a) Literature
- b) Education
- c) Fine arts
- d) Classical music

9).Moortidevi Award is given annually in which of the following?

- a) Literature
- b) Journalism
- c) Films
- d) Music

10).'Heart to Heart' is a book written by

- a) M J Akbar

- b) Prem Shankar Jha
- c) K Natwar Singh
- d) Mani Shankar Aiyar

Answers:

1). a) 2). b) 3). b) 4). b) 5).a) 6).c) 7).b) 8).a) 9).a) 10).c)

1). The Anti- Defection Law was passed by the Indian Parliament in the year.

- a) 1986
- b) 1988
- c) 1984
- d) 1985

2). Which was the main cause for starting of the Quit India Movement in 1942?

- a) Severe unrest among the people
- b) Report of Simon Commission
- c) Failure of the Cripps Mission
- d) British involved in the World War II

3). Humayun had to run away from India after he was defeated in the battle of

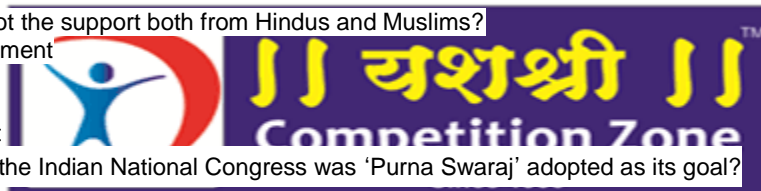
- a) Panipat
- b) Gogra
- c) Khanwa
- d) Kannauj

4). Who among the following was known as Indian Napoleon?

- a) Samudragupta
- b) Skandagupta
- c) Chandragupta Maurya
- d) Chandragupta II

5). Which movement got the support both from Hindus and Muslims?

- a) Non Co-operation Movement
- b) Quit India Movement
- c) Champaran Satyagraha
- d) Anti-Partition Movement



6). In which session of the Indian National Congress was 'Purna Swaraj' adopted as its goal?

- a) Bombay
- b) Lucknow
- c) Calcutta
- d) Lahore

7). Name the Governor-General who accepted the view of Macaulay to make English as the medium of instruction.

- a) Lord Canning
- b) Lord Ripon
- c) Lord Lytton
- d) Lord William Bentinck

8). Godwin Austen is a/an

- a) Inventor of Telescope
- b) Geologist
- c) Pass
- d) Peak

9). Typhoons are common in the

- a) Arctic Ocean
- b) Seas of China and Japan
- c) Mexican Gulf
- d) Indian Ocean

10). Which of the following is not a characteristics of Indian agriculture?

- a) Multiplicity of crops
- b) Predominance of large farms
- c) Overdependence on nature
- d) Low level of productivity

Answers:

1).d) 2).c) 3).d) 4).a) 5).a) 6).d) 7).d) 8).d) 9).b) 10).b)

1).The head office of the Asian Development Bank (ADB) is in

- a) Manila
- b) Jakarta
- c) Honolulu
- d) Geneva

2). Bijapur is known for its

- a) Heavy rainfall
- b) Rock Temple
- c) Gol Gumbaj
- d) State of Gomateshwara

3). The famous Kohinoor diamond was produced from one of the mines is

- a) Odisha
- b) Chhotanagpur
- c) Bijapur
- d) Golconda

4). Geostationary orbit is at a height of

- a) 6 km
- b) 1000 km
- c) 3600 km
- d) 36000 km

5). The largest ocean is

- a) Atlantic ocean
- b) Indian ocean
- c) Arctic ocean
- d) Pacific ocean

6). Dead sea is situated in which one of the following?

- a) A Rift Valley
- b) An Intermontane Plateau
- c) Intermontane Plains
- d) Canyons

7). The oldest type of energy known to man is

- a) Wind power
- b) Solar power
- c) Tidal power
- d) Geothermal energy

8). The Dark Continent is

- a) Africa
- b) South America
- c) Australia
- d) Asia

9). The largest producer of gold in the world is

- a) Australia
- b) Canada
- c) Russia
- d) South Africa

10). Which of the following is not correctly matched?

- a) Indonesia / Jakarta
- b) Maldives / Male
- c) North Korea / Seoul
- d) Zimbabwe / Harare

Answers:

- 1). a) 2). c) 3). d) 4). d) 5). d) 6). a) 7). d) 8). a) 9). a) 10). c)

1).Where is the headquarter of International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) located?

- a) Geneva
- b) Washington DC
- c) London
- d) Paris

2).Who is the author of the book 'A Foreign Policy of India'?

- a) IK Gujral
- b) BG Deshmukh
- c) LK Advani
- d) AJ Toynbee

3).Organization responsible for maintaining Red Data Book / Red List is

- a) WWF
- b) IUCN
- c) IBWL
- d) CITES

4).Bhopal gas tragedy struck in the year 1984 due to the leakage of the following gas

- a) Nitrous oxide
- b) Methane
- c) Methyl iso cyanate
- d) Carbon monoxide

5).Which of the following started the newspaper 'Bande Mataram' ?

- a) Barindra Kumar Ghosh
- b) Bipin Chandra Pal
- c) Devendra Nath Tagore
- d) Surendra Nath Bannerjee

6).Who is the author of the book 'Glimpses of World History'?

- a) Abul Kalam Azad
- b) Jawaharlal Nehru
- c) S Gopalan
- d) S Radhakrishnan

7).Which is the highest peak in Andaman and Nicobar Islands?

- a) Saddle peak
- b) Mount Thuiller
- c) Mount Diavolo
- d) Mount Koyale

8).The river also known as Tsangpo in Tibet is

- a) Ganga
- b) Brahmaputra
- c) Indu
- d) Testa

9).Kaziranga National Park is famous for

- a) Rhinoceros
- b) Tiger
- c) Lion
- d) Crocodile

10).The headquarters of organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries is located in

- a) Vienna
- b) Riyadh
- c) Kuwait city

d) Abu Dhabi

Answers:

1). b) 2). a) 3). b) 4). c) 5). b) 6). b) 7). a) 8). b) 9). a) 10). a)

1). If the wollen cloth of red colour is seen in the light of a mercury vapour lamp, then the cloth will appaear

- a) black
- b) red
- c) green
- d) blue

2). The sex of a newborn baby is determined by the chromosome inherited from

- a) The mother
- b) The father
- c) Mother's mother
- d) Father's father

3). 'Dumping' in the context of international trade refers to

- a) Exporting goods at prices below the actual cost of production
- b) Exporting goods without paying the appropriate taxes in the receiving country
- c) Exporting goods of inferior quality
- d) Exporting goods only to re – import them at cheaper rates

4). The degree of inflation is measured with the help of

- a) Market information
- b) Income index number
- c) General price index number
- d) Prices of goods and services

5). What is the function of the I / O units of a computer system?

- a) To initialize the process of recovery of data of the crashed computer
- b) To exchange the information of windows with CPU
- c) To reset or restart the computer when it is booted
- d) To exchange the information of Computer with the outside world

6). Which space – vehicle put man on the moon first time?

- a) Apollo
- b) Challenger
- c) Columbia
- d) Explorer

7). Where is the headquarters of INTERPOL located?

- a) Berlin
- b) California
- c) Lyons
- d) Montreal

8). On which of the following days the World Human Rights Day is celebrated?

- a) December 3
- b) December 10
- c) December 17
- d) December 25

9). Parliament of which of the following countries is known as Great People's Khural?

- a) Malaysia
- b) Mongolia
- c) Thailand
- d) Indonesia

10). Who composed the music for India's National Anthem?

- a) Rabindranath Tagore
- b) Air Force Band
- c) Ram Singh
- d) None of these

Answers:

1). a) 2). b) 3). a) 4). c) 5). d) 6). a) 7). c) 8). b) 9). b) 10). c)

1). Which of the following sanctuary is well – known for elephants?

- a) Kanha
- b) Gir
- c) Kaziranga
- d) Periyar

2). Which is the hottest planet of the solar system?

- a) Mercury
- b) Mars
- c) Earth
- d) Saturn

3). The quantum number that tends to specify the orientation in space for an orbital is the

- a) Principal quantum number
- b) Orbital quantum number
- c) Magnetic quantum number
- d) Spin quantum number

4). Fermentation invariably leads to the formation of

- a) Ethyl alcohol
- b) Methyl alcohol
- c) Carbon dioxide
- d) Acetic acid

5). Article 370 of the constitution is applicable to the state of

- a) Nagaland
- b) Mizoram
- c) Manipur
- d) Jammu and Kashmir

6). Fundamental Rights in India are guaranteed by it through

- a) The Right to Equality
- b) Right Against Exploitation
- c) Right to Constitutional Remedies
- d) Educational and Cultural Rights

7). Which states have not yet established regional Rural Banks?

- a) Sikkim and Goa
- b) Bihar and Rajasthan
- c) Sikkim and Arunachal Pradesh
- d) Nagaland and Manipur

8). Atoms of the same element, (i, e) having the same atomic number that differ in atomic weight, are called

- a) isotopes
- b) isomers
- c) isobars
- d) isohytes

9). The acid in gastric juice is

- a) acetic acid
- b) nitric acid
- c) hydrochloric acid

d) sulphuric acid

10). Which of the following stage is associated with the formation of chiasmata during meiotic cell division?

- a) Leptotene
- b) Zygotene
- c) Pachytene
- d) Diplotene

Answers:

1). d) 2). a) 3). c) 4). a) 5). d) 6). c) 7). a) 8). a) 9). c) 10). c)

11). A template is a

- a) Pattern of worksheet
- b) heading
- c) title
- d) theme

12). The discovery of crystal dynamic is associated with

- a) J C Bose
- b) C Ramanujam
- c) C V Raman
- d) Hargovind Khurana

13). Match List I with List II and select the correct answer by using the codes given below the list

| List I | List II |
|------------|-------------------|
| A. Tabla | 1. Latif shan |
| B. Sitar | 2. Shujat Hussain |
| C. Shahnai | 3. Ali Hussain |
| D. Flute | 4. Pannalal Ghosh |

- a) 2 3 1 4
- b) 4 3 1 2
- c) 1 2 3 4
- d) 3 2 1 4

14). Which of the following are folk dance of Uttarakhand?

- a) Garhwali, Jhumelo, Jagar, Chaufula
- b) Garhwali, Nautanki, Jhora, Sohari
- c) Garhwali, Bichhua, Jhora, Sohari
- d) Garhwali, Bichhua, Danga, Sohari

15). Who among the following is a lady Alvar Saint?

- a) Tirupan
- b) Perumal
- c) Madhur Kavi
- d) Andal

16). The famous painting "Satyam Shivam Sundaram" was prepared by

- a) Mahendranath singh
- b) Nand Kishore Sharma
- c) Sivnanda Nautiyal
- d) Vishwanath Mehta

17). Who scripted Gandhiji's favourite song "Vaishnav Jan to .."?

- a) Narsinh Mehta
- b) Premanand
- c) Chunilal
- d) Dharmiklal

8).The book “ Who is Kalam” is written by

- a) M J Akbar
- b) A P J Abdul Kalam
- c) R Ramanathan
- d) None of the above

9).India’s biggest Nuclear Research Reactor is known as

- a) Kamini
- b) Apsara
- c) Dhurva
- d) Cirus

10).Whcih two countries were involved in a Hundred Years War?

- a) Turkey and Austria
- b) England and France
- c) Palestine and Israel
- d) Germany and Russia

Answers:

1). a) 2). c) 3). c) 4). a) 5). d) 6). c) 7). a) 8). c) 9). c) 10). b)

1).Which movement got the support both from Hindus and Muslims?

- a) Non Cooperative Movement
- b) Quit India Movement
- c) Champaran Satyagraha
- d) Anti – Partition Movement

2).Peaty soils are found mostly in

- a) Bihar
- b) Odisha
- c) Kerala
- d) Gujarat

3).Which countries are linked by the Khyber Pass?

- a) India and Pakistan
- b) India and Afghanistan
- c) Afghanistan and Pakistan
- d) Afghanistan and Tajikistan

4).Which of the following is a cold ocean current?

- a) Humboldt current
- b) Brazil current
- c) Oyashio current
- d) Canary current

5).Which one of the following types of erosion is responsible for the formation of Chambal Ravines?

- a) Splash
- b) Sheet
- c) Rill
- d) Gully

6).Which of the following states is not likely to benefit from the Sardar Sarvor Project?

- a) Andhra Pradesh
- b) Gujarat
- c) Rajasthan

d) Madhya Pradesh

7). In which of the following states of India, English is the official Language?

- a) Tamil Nadu
- b) Nagaland
- c) Kerala
- d) Odisha

8). The Presidential Government operates on the principal of

- a) Division of Powers between Centre and States
- b) Centralisation of Powers
- c) Balance of powers
- d) Separation of powers

9). Which of the following exercised the most profound influence in forming the Indian Constitution?

- a) British Constitution
- b) US Constitution
- c) Irish Constitution
- d) The Government of India Act, 1935

10). Who is empowered to transfer a Judge from one High Court to another High Court?

- a) Chief Justice of India
- b) President of India
- c) Law Minister of India
- d) The Union Cabinet

Answers:

1). a) 2). c) 3). c) 4). a) 5). d) 6). a) 7). b) 8). d) 9). d) 10). a)

1). What can the President do if a state fails to comply with the Directives of the Central Government?

- a) He can dissolve State Legislative and order fresh elections
- b) He can declare the breakdown of constitutional machinery in the state and assume responsibility for the governance of the state
- c) He can send paramilitary forces to the state to secure compliance
- d) Any of the above

2). A money bill passed by the Lok Sabha is deemed to have been passed by the Rajya Sabha also when no action is taken by the Upper House within

- a) 10 days
- b) 14 days
- c) 20 days
- d) 30 days

3). A 'Transfer Income' is an

- a) Income which is not produced by any production process
- b) Income taken away from one person and give over to another
- c) Unearned income
- d) Earned income

4). If the change in demand for a commodity is at a faster rate than change in the price of the commodity then the demand is

- a) Perfectly inelastic
- b) elastic
- c) perfectly elastic
- d) inelastic

5). Which of the following are not fixed costs?

- a) Rent on land
- b) Municipal taxes
- c) Wages paid to workers
- d) Insurance charges

6).The sale proceeds of the Government Bonds come under the budget head of

- a) Revenue Receipts
- b) Current Expenditure
- c) Capital Outlay
- d) Capital Receipts

7).The term utility means

- a) Usefulness of a commodity
- b) The satisfaction which a commodity yields
- c) The service which a commodity is capable of remaining
- d) None of the above

8).The total sum of the goods and service produced within a country in a year minus depreciation is called the

- a) Gross National Product
- b) Net National Product
- c) Gross Domestic Product
- d) Net Domestic Product

9).a tax that takes away a higher proportion of one's income as the income rises is termed as

- a) Progressive tax
- b) Proportional tax
- c) Regressive tax
- d) Indirect tax

10).The bar at the top of the Window that bears the name of the Window is known as

- a) Status bar
- b) Control Panel
- c) Menu Bar
- d) Title Bar

Answers:

1). b) 2). b) 3). a) 4). b) 5). c) 6). d) 7). b) 8). d) 9). a) 10). d)

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