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<p>1. Which nutrient is applied in large quantity for raising the cereal field crops ?</p> <p>(a) Nitrogen (b) Potash (c) Phosphorus (d) Sulphur</p> <p>2. Who wrote the book entitled "Marriage of Hindu Widows"?</p> <p>(a) Ishwarchandra Vidyasagar (b) Keshavchandra Sen (c) Devendranath Tagore (d) Swami Dayanand</p> <p>3. The Battle of the Tennis Court was part of the Battle of</p> <p>(a) Imphal (b) Pondicherry (c) Kohima (d) Myanmar</p> <p>4. The Suharvadi's order in India was founded by</p> <p>(a) Shaik Jamaluddin (b) Bahauddin Zakariya (c) Inam Ghazali (d) Shahab ad-Din</p> <p>5. Single- member constituency system means :</p> <p>(a) A constituency having only one candidate (b) There can be only one voter in the constituency (c) A constituency which elects only one representative though there are many candidates (d) A constituency having only one political party to contest election</p> <p>6. The following is a microflora responsible for the soil biological environment</p> <p>(a) Bacteria (b) Moles</p>	<p>(c) Protozoa (d) Nematodes</p> <p>7. The nutrient required for the synthesis of ATP is</p> <p>(a) N (b) P (c) K (d) Zn</p> <p>8. The real founder of the independent kingdom in Gujarat was</p> <p>(a) Ahmad Shah (b) Nasiruddin Muhammad Shah (c) Bahadur Shah (d) Mahmud Begarh</p> <p>9. The tax abolished by Firuz Tughlaq was</p> <p>(a) House tax (b) Land tax (c) Octroi (d) Jizyah</p> <p>10. Which of the following is the most potent greenhouse gas</p> <p>(a) CO<sub>2</sub> (b) CO (c) SF<sub>6</sub> (d) CH<sub>4</sub></p> <p>11. Joint sessions of Parliament can be called by the President for</p> <p>1. Money Bills 2. Constitution Amendment Bill</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>12. Which of the following are the roles of the DRDA in the anti- poverty programmes?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Implementation</li><li>2. Monitoring</li><li>3. Coordination</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>13. Which of the following is/are the criteria for appointment of Supreme Court Judge?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Judge of a High Court or of two or more such Courts in succession for at least five years</li><li>2. An Advocate of a High Court or of two or more such Courts in succession for at least ten years</li><li>3. A distinguished jurist</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>14. The Rowlatt satyagraha was held on</p> <p>(a) 6<sup>th</sup> April 1919 (b) 7<sup>th</sup> April 1919 (c) 8<sup>th</sup> April 1919 (d) 9<sup>th</sup> April 1919</p> <p>15. The flag of India was hoisted by Congress President Jawaharlal Nehru in Lahore on</p> <p>(a) 15 August 1929 (b) 26 January 1930 (c) 30 December 1929 (d) 31 December 1929</p> <p>16. Now or Never; Are We to Live or Perish Forever? This pamphlet was written by</p> <p>(a) M. A. Jinnah (b) Chaudhary Rahmat Ali (c) Mohammad Iqbal (d) Maulana Abul Kalam Azad</p>	<p>17. Which of the following statements are correct about the "National Liberal Federation of India"?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The National Liberal Federation of India was formed in 1918</li><li>2. Its most prominent leaders were Tej Bahadur Sapru, V. S. Srinivasa Sastri and M. R. Jayakar</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>18. Generally C.N. ratio of normal soil is</p> <p>(a) 10 : 1 (b) 15 : 1 (c) 16 : 1 (d) 5 : 1</p> <p>19. Who launched the idea of an all-parties conference in India to prepare an agreed constitutional scheme which resulted in the "Nehru Report"?</p> <p>(a) M. R. Jaykar (b) Mahatma Gandhi (c) Tej Bahadur Sapru (d) Maulana Azad</p> <p>20. The 'Bhumisparsha Mudra' is related to</p> <p>(a) Mahavir Jain (b) Ashoka (c) Gautam Buddha (d) Rishabha</p> <p>21. Which of the following are the tools through which the RBI controls the credit?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. CRR</li><li>2. Bank rate</li><li>3. Open market operations</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>
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<p>22. Which of the following will attract 'capital gains' tax if their value increases?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Real estate</li><li>2. Bonds</li><li>3. Stocks</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>23. Which of the following statements are correct about the Committee on Estimates?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Committee consists of 30 members</li><li>2. 20 members are from Lok Sabha and 10 members are from Rajya Sabha</li><li>3. A Minister is not eligible for election to this Committee</li><li>4. The term of the Committee is equal to the term of the Lok Sabha</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>24. Which of the following are the objectives of the open market operations of Reserve Bank of India?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Control the short term interest rate</li><li>2. Control the long term interest rate</li><li>3. Supply of base money</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) 1 and 3 (d) 2 and 3</p> <p>25. Which one of the following transactions represents a credit entry in the current account of a country's balance of payments ?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) Merchandise imports</li><li>(b) Transportation services rendered by foreign companies</li><li>(c) Expenditure of foreign tourists in a country</li><li>(d) Payments to foreign contractors and engineers</li></ol>	<p>26. Which of the following are the works of Mahadev Govind Ranade?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Indian Political Economy</li><li>2. Rise of the Maratha Power</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>27. FDI refers to the net inflows of investment (inflow minus outflow) to acquire a lasting management interest with</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) 5 percent or more of voting stock</li><li>(b) 10 percent or more of voting stock</li><li>(c) 20 percent or more of voting stock</li><li>(d) 51 percent or more of voting stock</li></ol> <p>28. Which of the following will increase the price of any currency in international market?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Higher imports</li><li>2. Higher Exports</li><li>3. Greater capital inflows</li><li>4. Greater capital outflows</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 and 3 (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 4 (d) 2 and 4</p> <p>29. Which of the following parameters are used in the UN Human Development Index?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Literacy rate</li><li>2. Infant mortality rate</li><li>3. Per capita income</li><li>4. Life expectancy</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p>
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<p>30. Which of the following are associated with the Lead Bank Scheme?</p> <p>1. Gadgil Study Group 2. F.S.Nariman Committee</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>31. Who of the following introduced a system of land reforms during the Mughal period?</p> <p>(a) Raja Man Singh (b) Birbal (c) Faizi (d) Raja Todarmal</p> <p>32. In Mughal army Zamburak was a specialized form of</p> <p>(a) infantry (b) Horse cavalry (c) Camel cavalry (d) Elephant cavalry</p> <p>33. Which of the following statements are correct about the pole star?</p> <p>1. A pole star is a visible star 2. It is approximately aligned with the Earth's axis of revolution 3. The term Pole Star usually refers to Polaris 4. It is also known as the North Star</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>34. Which of the following statements are correct about the Rare earth elements (REE)?</p> <p>1. Rare earth elements (REE) include the 17 elements on the periodic table of chemical elements 2. REEs are important parts of defense technologies</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p>	<p>(b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>35. Which of the following National parks are UNESCO Natural World Heritage site?</p> <p>1. Bandipur 2. Bhitarkanika 3. Manas 4. Sunderbans</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 4 (c) 3 and 4 (d) 1 and 3</p> <p>36. India's climate has characteristics of</p> <p>1. Tropical 2. Subtropical</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>37. Bacteria present in the root nodules of legumes plants is</p> <p>(a) Clostridium (b) Azospirillum (c) Rhizobium (d) Azotobacter</p> <p>38. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Shoolpaneshwar Wildlife Sanctuary is known for flying squirrel 2. It is located in Maharashtra</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>39. Which of the following statements about the role of oceans in carbon sequestration/storage is/are correct?</p> <p>1. Oceans absorb between 30% and 50% of the carbon dioxide produced by burning fossil fuel 2. Carbon dioxide is transported downwards by plankton</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>40. Which of the following statements are correct about the Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Act 1996?</p> <p>1. Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Act, 1996 or PESA is a law enacted by the Government of India to cover the "Scheduled areas", which are not covered in the 73rd amendment or Panchayati Raj Act of the Indian Constitution 2. The Act extended the provisions of Panchayats to the tribal areas of all the States</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>41. Which of the following statements are correct about the adjournment motion?</p> <p>1. The primary object of an adjournment motion is to draw the attention of the House to a recent matter of urgent public importance 2. A matter which falls within the jurisdiction of a State Government is inadmissible</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>42. The Biological Diversity Act was enacted in</p> <p>(a) 1986 (b) 2000 (c) 2002 (d) 2005</p>	<p>43. Which of the following statements are correct about the National Biodiversity Authority?</p> <p>1. The National Biodiversity Authority (NBA) was established in 2003 2. It was established as a consequence of India's signing of Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) in 1992 3. It is headquartered in New Delhi</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>44. National Green Tribunal Act (NGT) was established in 2010, under India's constitutional provision of</p> <p>(a) Article 18 (b) Article 19 (c) Article 20 (d) Article 21</p> <p>45. The Directive Principles of Indian Constitution are inspired by</p> <p>1. Constitution of Ireland 2. Gandhism</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>46. The origin of the second Chamber of the Parliament can be traced to the</p> <p>(a) Morley-Minto Act 1909 (b) Montague-Chelmsford Report of 1918 (c) Government of India Act 1935 (d) Indian Constitution 1950</p>
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<p>47. Which of the following Union Territories are represented in the Rajya Sabha?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Chandigarh</li><li>2. Delhi (National Capital Territory of Delhi)</li><li>3. Puducherry (Pondicherry)</li><li>4. Daman and Diu</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 4</p> <p>48. Which of the following constitute the original jurisdiction of the Supreme Court?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Dispute between the Government of India and one or more State</li><li>2. Dispute between States on one side and one or more States on the other</li><li>3. Dispute between two or more States</li><li>4. Enforcement of Fundamental Rights</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 4 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>49. Which of the following Article empowers the President to consult Supreme Court?</p> <p>(a) Article 142 (b) Article 143 (c) Article 144 (d) Article 131</p> <p>50. The main components of Syngas, or synthesis gas are</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Hydrogen</li><li>2. Carbon monoxide</li><li>3. Carbon dioxide</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>	<p>51. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Ultraviolet germicidal irradiation (UVGI) is used in a variety of applications, such as food, air and water purification</li><li>2. UVGI utilises long-wavelength ultraviolet radiation (UV-C) that is harmful to microorganisms</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>52. Which of the following are the characteristics of the Graphene?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Unbreakable</li><li>2. Tougher than a diamond</li><li>3. Stretchable like rubber</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>53. The most common cause of lead poisoning is</p> <p>(a) Dust and chips from old paint (b) Lead-glazed ceramics (c) Firearms with lead bullets (d) Car batteries</p> <p>54. Which of the following are the advantages of the Earth's magnetic field?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Enabling navigation by compass</li><li>2. Shielding from dangerous charged particles from the sun</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>55. The concept of sine of an angle was propounded for the first time by</p> <p>(a) Varhamihir (b) Mahavira (c) Aryabhatta (d) Sushruta</p> <p>56. Formula for cyclic quadrilateral was propounded by</p> <p>(a) Aryabhatta (b) Mahavira (c) Varhamihir (d) None of the above</p> <p>57. Most of the Jain texts are written in</p> <p>1. Sanskrit 2. Prakrit 3. Pali</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) 1 and 2 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>58. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. According to Buddhism Moksha can be attained while living in the world 2. According to Jainism Moksha can be attained only after death</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>59. Which of the following statements are correct about the Provincial elections of 1936-37?</p> <p>1. The Indian National Congress emerged in power in all the provinces except for three - Bengal, Punjab, and Sindh 2. The provincial elections of Bengal, Punjab, and Sindh were won by the Muslim League</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2</p>	<p>(c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>60. Money Bills are those Bills which contain only provisions dealing with article ----- of the Constitution</p> <p>(a) 110 (b) 111 (c) 112 (d) 115</p> <p>61. The Atlas Mountains is a mountain range across</p> <p>(a) Arabia (b) North Western Africa (c) South Western Africa (d) North America</p> <p>62. Which of the following statements are correct about the Barabar Caves?</p> <p>1. The Barabar Caves are the oldest surviving rock-cut caves in India 2. Most of the caves date from the Mauryan period 3. These caves are situated in the twin hills of Barabar and Nagarjuni 4. These caves were used by Buddhists, Jains and Ajivakas</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>63. Which of the following statements are correct about the Ellora?</p> <p>1. Ellora is an archaeological site in the city of Aurangabad 2. Ellora is a World Heritage Site 3. It has 34 caves excavated out of the vertical face of the Charanandri hills</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>
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<p>64. Tomato and cotton plants are</p> <p>(a) Short day plants (b) Day neutral plants (c) Long day plants (d) None of the above</p> <p>65. Transpiration will be maximum when soil is</p> <p>(a) Wet and atmosphere is dry (b) Dry and atmosphere is humid (c) Wet and atmosphere is humid (d) Dry and atmosphere is dry</p> <p>66. Spider monkeys are found in</p> <p>(a) Africa (b) Central Asia (c) North America (d) Central and South America</p> <p>67. The Constituent Assembly took how much time to complete its historic task of drafting the Constitution for Independent India?</p> <p>(a) Two years, ten months and seventeen days (b) Two years, eleven months and fifteen days (c) Two years, eleven months and seventeen days (d) Two years, eleven months and twenty seven days</p> <p>68. Which of the following bills can be introduced only in the Lok Sabha?</p> <p>1. Money Bill 2. Financial Bills, Category A Financial Bills, Category B 4. Constitution Amendment Bill</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p>	<p>69. Which of the following are the privileges of the Attorney General?</p> <p>1. Giving advice to the Government of India in legal matters 2. Right of audience in all Courts in India 3. Right to participate in the proceedings of the Parliament 4. Right to vote in the Parliament</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>70. Sorbitol is used as</p> <p>(a) Spice (b) Perfume (c) Antiseptic (d) Artificial sweetener</p> <p>71. Which of the following statements are correct about Bagasse?</p> <p>1. Bagasse is the fibrous matter that remains after sugarcane stalks are crushed to extract their juice 2. It is used as a biofuel 3. It is used in the manufacture of pulp and paper products 4. It can be used in manufacturing of building materials</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>72. Which of the following statements are correct about the world ethanol production?</p> <p>1. 50% of world ethanol production is from sugarcane 2. Cellulose is fast gaining importance as a 2nd generation ethanol feedstock</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>73. Which of the following causes the seasons?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The earth's rotation on its axis</li><li>2. The earth's revolution round the sun in an elliptical manner</li><li>3. Latitudinal position of the place</li><li>4. Revolution of the earth on a tilted axis</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 and 4 (d) Only 4</p> <p>74. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Narmada river flows from west to the east</li><li>2. It is the third longest river that flows entirely within India</li><li>3. It is the fifth longest river in the Indian subcontinent</li><li>4. It flows in a rift valley</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>75. The SEZ Act, 2005 which came into effect in February 2006 has certain objectives. In this context, consider the following :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Development of infrastructure facilities</li><li>2. Promotion of investment from foreign sources</li><li>3. Promotion of exports of services only</li></ol> <p>Which of the above are the objectives of this Act ?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 only (b) 3 only (c) 2 and 3 only (d) 1,2 and 3</p> <p>76. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Zonal Councils were set up under the States Reorganisation Act, 1956</li><li>2. There are four zonal councils</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>77. Which of the following statements are correct about the Tebhaga Peasant Movement?</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Tebhaga Peasant Movement took place in Bihar</li><li>2. It was a militant campaign initiated by the Kisan Sabha</li><li>3. It aimed at the reduction of the share of the landlords from one-half of the crop to one-third</li><li>4. It took place in 1938</li></ol> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>78. Which of the following statements about Human Development Index is/are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Human Development Index is published by the World Bank</li><li>2. It was created by Indian economist Amartya Sen and Pakistani economist Mahbub ul Haq in 1990</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>79. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Parliament can make any law for whole or any part of India for implementing international treaties without the consent of any state</li><li>2. Article 251 of the Constitution empowers the Parliament to make such laws</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>80. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Improper handling and storage of cereal grains and oilseeds result in the production of toxins known as aflatoxins</li><li>2. Aflatoxins are produced by bacteria</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>81. Which of the following provides for the 'Economic Justice' as one of the objectives of the Indian Constitution?</p> <p>1. Preamble 2. Directive Principles</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>82. Which of the following are released into the environment as e-waste?</p> <p>1. Lead 2. Cadmium 3. Beryllium 4. Mercury</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 4 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>83. Which of the following are responsible for the Acid rain?</p> <p>1. Carbon dioxide 2. Nitrous oxide 3. Sulphur dioxide</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>84. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Food chains were first introduced by Al-Jahiz in the 9th century 2. The concept of food web was introduced by Charles Elton</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>	<p>85. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Silent valley National Park is located in Nilgiris 2. It is drained by the river Kaveri</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>86. Which of the following commissions held for the first time that "the Minister is responsible for the action taken by his secretary" ?</p> <p>(a) ARC (b) Appleby (c) Gorwala (d) Chagla</p> <p>87. How many States have bicameral legislatures ?</p> <p>(a) 5 (b) 6 (c) 7 (d) 8</p> <p>88. In total how many demands are included in General Budget in India ?</p> <p>(a) 88 (b) 102 (c) 109 (d) 117</p> <p>89. Which of the following Parliamentary Committees has the primary task to suggest economies and improvements ?</p> <p>(a) PAC (b) Committee Public Undertakings (c) Committee on Govt. Assurances (d) Estimates Committee</p>
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<p>90. The office of the CVC was established on the recommendations of which of the committee ?</p> <p>(a) Ashoka Mehta (b) ARC (c) Santhanam (d) Gorwala</p> <p>91. 'Rule of Lapse' means which of the following ?</p> <p>(a) All appropriations voted by the legislature expire at the end of the financial year (b) All pending bills in Parliament lapse (c) The demand for grants of a ministry lapse with criticism of its policy by the opposition (d) The demand for grants of a ministry lapse with criticism of its policy by the Parliament</p> <p>92. Which was the first All India Service created on the basis of Macaulay's Report ?</p> <p>(a) Indian Police Service (b) Indian Foreign Service (c) Indian Civil Service (d) Indian Medical Service</p> <p>93. Consider the following :</p> <p>1. Increase in population 2. Improvement in health, education and housing 3. Migration of workers to more productive areas 4. Capital accumulation</p> <p>Of the above, human capital formation includes</p> <p>(a) 2, 3 and 4 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 2 and 3 only (d) 2 and 4 only</p> <p>94. A State Legislature is empowered to legislate on which of these ?</p> <p>(a) 68 subjects (b) 61 subjects (c) 67 subjects (d) 58 subjects</p>	<p>95. The Vice-President of India can be removed from the office :</p> <p>(a) By a resolution initiated in the Council of States and approved by the House of people (b) By a resolution in the Lok Sabha agreed to by the Rajya Sabha (c) By a resolution adopted in a joint meeting of both the Houses (d) Through impeachment</p> <p>96. Which of the following are used as Bio-fertilizers?</p> <p>1. Rhizobium 2. Azotobacter 3. Azospirillum 4. Blue green algae (BGA) 5. Nostoc 6. Spirogyra</p> <p>(a) 1, 2 and 3 (b) 1, 2, 3 and 4 (c) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 (d) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6</p> <p>97. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Buddha has described Nirvana as the perfect peace of mind possessed by one who is liberated 2. It is described in the Vinaya Pitaka</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>98. Which one of the following is correct about birth and death rates in India at present ?</p> <p>(a) Both birth and death rates are high (b) Since 1951 both have declined in the same ratio (c) While death rate has declined there is little change in the birth rate (d) Birth rate has declined slower while death rate decreased fast</p>
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<p>99. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Congress session in Madras in 1927 which decided to boycott the Simon Commission was presided over by Moti Lal Nehru</li><li>2. The Muslim League supported the Britishers</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>100. Which of the following statements are correct about the deficit financing?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The deficit financing is used for raising resources for economic development</li><li>2. The deficit financing leads to inflationary rise in prices</li><li>3. When the Government resorts to deficit financing it usually borrows from the market</li></ol> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>	
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