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<p>1. Which of the following statements are correct about the Bengal Sati Regulation?</p> <p>1. It was enacted in the year 1856 2. It was promulgated by the then Governor-General Lord William Bentinck</p> <p>(a) Only 1 is correct (b) Only 2 is correct (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct</p> <p>2. Which of the following statements are correct about the IST (Indian Standard Time)</p> <p>1. IST is ahead of GMT by 5 hours and 30 minutes 2. IST is for New Delhi and is valid through out India</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>3. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Glacial valley floors are flat and their walls steep, in contrast to the V-shaped valleys of many mountain rivers 2. Unlike rivers, valley glaciers may erode their valley floors far deeper than seal level</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>4. Arrange the following South Asian countries in the increasing level of urbanization</p> <p>1. Pakistan 2. Sri Lanka 3. Nepal 4. Bangladesh</p> <p>(a) 3, 2, 4, 1 (b) 3, 2, 1, 4 (c) 2, 3, 4, 1 (d) 2, 3, 1, 4</p>	<p>5. Which of the following are important Kharif crops?</p> <p>1. Paddy 2. Wheat 3. Maize 4. Jowar 5. Barley</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 4 and 5</p> <p>6. Which energy storage system is usually built in abandoned mines</p> <p>(a) Superconducting (b) Compressed air (c) Chemical (d) Pumped Hydroelectric</p> <p>7. Which of the flowing statements are correct about the Lakshadweep Islands of India</p> <p>1. Lakshadweep has 36 islands 2. Out of this 26 islands are inhabited</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>8. Which of the following statements are correct about the "Life imprisonment" Punishment</p> <p>1. Life imprisonment implies a jail term for entire life 2. It has been interpreted as completion of either fourteen years or twenty years imprisonment 3. Recently Supreme Court has held that Life imprisonment means imprisonment for the convict's entire period of life 4. The Supreme Court has also held that under remission the appropriate government cannot reduce the period of sentence less than 20 years for a life convict</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p>
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<p>9. Consider the following statements: 1. Orange Prize is awarded to a work of published fiction in English by a woman 2. Pulitzer Prize is awarded by the commonwealth Foundation to a citizen of any Commonwealth country for any literary work in English Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p> <p>(a) Only 1 is correct (b) Only 2 is correct (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct</p> <p>10. Match List I with List II</p> <p>List I (Geographical features): List II (American State) A. Death valley: 1. Arizona B. Edward's plateau: 2. California C. Sonaran desert: 3. Florida D. The Everglades: 4. Texas</p> <p>(a) A-3, B-4, C-1, D-2 (b) A-3, B-1, C-4, D-2 (c) A-2, b-4, C-1, D-3 (d) A-2, B-1, C-4, D-3</p> <p>11. The manuscripts of which one of the following have been included in the UNESCO's Memory of World Register?</p> <p>(a) Abhidhamma Pitaka only (b) Mahabharata (c) Ramayana (d) Rig-Veda</p> <p>12. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?</p> <p>1. Edenburgh: North Sea 2. Liverpool: Irish Sea 3. Plymouth: Sea of the Herbicides 4. Cardiff: English Channel</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 3 and 4 (c) 1, 2 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p>	<p>13. Which of the following refers to a stem cell that has the potential to differentiate into any of the three germ layers?</p> <p>(a) Totipotency (b) Multipotency (c) Pluripotency (d) Oligopotency</p> <p>14. Which of the following are a family of proteins involved in transmitting chemical signals originating from outside a cell into the inside of the cell?</p> <p>(a) A proteins (b) C proteins (c) D proteins (d) G proteins</p> <p>15. Which of the following statements are correct about the biomass in India?</p> <p>1. For India, biomass has always been an important energy source 2. About 32% of the total primary energy use in the country is still derived from biomass 3. Most of the biomass material does not find much productive use in India</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>16. Who developed the concept of atomic number</p> <p>(a) D. Mendeleev (b) H. Moseley (c) J. Newlands (d) J. Meyer</p> <p>17. Which of the following statements are correct about the Biogas?</p> <p>1. The process of aerobic digestion and landfill results in biogas production from organic waste 2. Biogas is a mixture of methane and carbon dioxide 3. Biomethanation is an effective tool to dig out the wealth from waste with high moisture content</p>
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<p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>18. Which of the following statements are correct about the Wind resources in India?</p> <p>1. The wind resource assessment in India estimates the total wind potential to be around 45 000 MW 2. This potential is distributed mainly in the states of Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Gujarat, Maharashtra, and Rajasthan 3. In India, the wind resources fall in the high wind regime</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>19. On which of the following is annual rainfall generally above 100 cm?</p> <p>1. Jammu hills 2. Mikir hills 3. Zaskar range</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 only (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>20. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Bajra (pearl millet) is essentially a rabi crop in India 2. Though Maize is cultivated as a Rabi crop in some areas, it is also grown as Kharif crop</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>	<p>21. In which one of the following is the Himalayan pass Shipki La located?</p> <p>(a) Chandra valley (b) Hunza valley (c) Nubra valley (d) Sutlej valley</p> <p>22. What is an umbra</p> <p>(a) They are tubes that gases such as neon are sealed in to create lighting (b) A hat used in South America for shading farmers from the sun (c) It is the middle of a shadow during solar eclipse (d) An area in the eye that perceives color</p> <p>23. Consider the following:</p> <p>1. Rice fields 2. Coal mining 3. Domestic animals 4. Wetlands which of the above are sources of methane, a major greenhouse gas?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 4 only (b) 2 and 3 only (c) 1, 2 and 3 only (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>24. Which of the following pairs are correctly matched?</p> <p>Crop: Important producing districts 1. Rubber: Kottayam, Kollam and Kojhikode 2. Coffee: Kodagu, Chikmanglur and Hassan 3. Turmeric: East Godavari, vishakapatnam and Srikakulam</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>
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25. Consider the following map below and match the mountain peaks



- (a) 1-Kamat, 2-Nanda Devi, 3-Dhaulagiri, 4-Kailas
- (b) 1-Kamat, 2-Nanda Devi, 3-Kailas, 4-Dhaulagiri
- (c) 1-Nanda Devi, 2-Kamat, 3-Dhaulagiri, 4-Kailas
- (d) 1-Dhaulagiri, 2-Kamat, 3-Kailas, 4-Nanda Devi

26. Which of the following is the correct sequence of the rivers from north to south?

- (a) Godavari, Bhima, Krishna, Tungabhadra
- (b) Godavari, Bhima, Tungabhadra, Krishna
- (c) Bhima, Godavari, Tungabhadra, Krishna
- (d) Krishna, Godavari, Bhima, Tungabhadra

27. Which of the following statements are correct?

- 1. Most of the iron ores found in India are of the limonite type
- 2. The magnetite type of iron ore occurs in the Dharwad and Cuddapah rock systems of the peninsular India
- 3. In India, sphalerite and galena occur in the pre-cambrian rocks

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

28. Which of the following statements are correct about Verghese Kurien?

- 1. He was the Father of White Revolution in India
- 2. He was the founder of Amul
- 3. He was the recipient of the World Food Prize and the Magsaysay Award
- 4. He was the recipient of Padma Bhushan award

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

29. The climate of India may be broadly described as

- (a) Monsoon type
- (b) Tropical monsoon type
- (c) Equatorial type
- (d) Mediterranean type

30. Which of the following statements are correct about India's flora?

- 1. Available data place India in the tenth position in the world and fourth in Asia in plant diversity
- 2. The vascular flora forms the conspicuous vegetation cover
- 3. Botanical Survey of India (BSI), Kolkata is the nodal agency for survey of India's flora

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

31. Which of the following statements regarding the State Finance Commission is incorrect

- (a) It shall make recommendation on the distribution between the state and the panchayats the net proceeds of the taxes
- (b) It shall make recommendations on the taxes, duties and tolls that may be assigned to the municipalities
- (c) It shall review the financial position of the municipalities
- (d) It shall make recommendation on the measures to augment the Consolidated Fund of the State to supplement the resources of the municipalities

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<p>32. Which of the following feature does the Indian Constitution borrow from the Weimer constitution of the Germany</p> <p>(a) The Emergency provision (b) The Directive principles (c) The Preamble (d) The Fundamental duties</p> <p>33. Who decides about the reasonableness of the restrictions placed on Fundamental Rights</p> <p>(a) Attorney General (b) Special Tribunals (c) The President (d) The Courts</p> <p>34. Freedom of speech and expression are restricted in the constitution on the grounds of</p> <p>1. Contempt of court 2. Defamation 3. Friendly relations with foreign states</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>35. Which of the following provisions can be amended by a simple majority</p> <p>(a) Recognition of States (b) Creating of new States (c) Creation or abolition of Upper Houses in State Legislatures (d) All of the above</p> <p>36. Match the following Power project: State A. Dehar (hydro): 1. Gujarat B. Gandhar (thermal): Himachal Pradesh C. Kalinadi (hydro): 3. Karnataka D. Uran (thermal): 4. Maharashtra</p> <p>(a) A-4, B-3, C-1, D-2 (b) A-2, B-1, C-3, D-4 (c) A-4, B-1, C-3, D-2 (d) A-2, B-3, C-1, D-4</p>	<p>37. Which one of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Calcareous aluvial soils are found in north-eastern districts of Uttar Pradesh 2. Calcareous sierozemic soils are found in coastal districts of South Orissa and North Andhra Pradesh</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>38. In which of the following district is the highest point of Eastern Ghat located?</p> <p>(a) Ganjam (b) Vishakapatnam (c) Kurnool (d) North Arcot</p> <p>39. Which of the following statement is not correct?</p> <p>(a) The Karanphuli river originates in Meghalaya and flows into Bangladesh (b) The Sabarmati river originates in Rajasthan and flows into the Gulf of Khambat (c) The Ghaghara river originates in Tibet and enters India through Nepal (d) The Jhelum river originates in Kashmir and enters pakistan through Pir Panjal range</p> <p>40. Match the following tribes with the state where they are found</p> <p>A. Hmar - Arunachal Pradesh B. Dimasa - 2. Nagaland C. Konyak - 3. Mizoram D. Nishi - 4. Assam</p> <p>(a) A-1, B-2, C-4, D-3 (b) A-3, B-4, C-2, D-1 (c) A-1, B-4, C-2, D-3 (d) A-3, B-2, C-4, D-1</p>
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41. Which of the following statements are correct about the National flag?

1. The National flag is a horizontal tricolour of deep saffron (kesaria) at the top, white in the middle and dark green at the bottom in equal proportion
2. The ratio of width of the flag to its length is two to three
3. The design of the National Flag was adopted by the Constituent Assembly of India on 22nd July 1947
4. The Flag Code of India has taken effect from 26th January 1950

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

42. The Wallow Fire is prevalent in

- (a) Australia
(b) Brazil
(c) USA
(d) New Zealand

43. Which of the following is the correct sequence of the religious places from north to south?

- (a) Gaya, Bodhgaya, Nalanda, Vaishali
(b) Nalanda, Vaishali, Gaya, Bodhgaya
(c) Vaishali, Nalanda, Gaya, Bodhgaya
(d) Vaishali, Nalanda, Bodhgaya, Gaya

44. Which of the following statements are correct about the "Letters from a Father to his Daughter" recently released in Braille edition?

1. It was written by Jawaharlal Nehru.
2. It is a collection of a series of 30 letters.
3. It was written in 1930.

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

45. Which of the following statements are correct about the National Anthem?

1. The song Jana-gana-mana, composed originally in Bengali by Rabindranath Tagore, was adopted in its Hindi version by the Constituent Assembly as the National Anthem of India on 24th January 1950
2. It was first sung on 27th December 1931 at the Kolkata
3. Playing time of the full version of the national anthem is approximately 52 seconds
4. A short version consisting of the first and last lines of the stanza is also played on certain occasions

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

46. Consider the following map. Which of the following major producing area is indicated in it?



- (a) Rice
(b) Wheat
(c) Jowar
(d) Sugarcane

47. The Union executive consists of

1. The President
2. The Vice-President
3. The Prime Minister
4. The Council of Ministers

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

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<p>48. Which of the following statements are correct about the election of the President of India?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The President is elected by members of an electoral college consisting of all the members of both Houses of Parliament and Legislative Assemblies of the states 2. The election is in accordance with the system of proportional representation by means of single transferable vote 3. A suitable weightage is given to each vote <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>49. The term Sustainable development (SD) was coined by</p> <p>(a) Earth Summit (b) United Nations (c) Brundtland Commission (d) Ramsar convention</p> <p>50. Which of the following statements are correct about the election of the Vice-President of India?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Vice-President is elected by members of an electoral college consisting of members of both Houses of Parliament in accordance with the system of proportional representation by means of single transferable vote 2. He must be a citizen of India, not less than 35 years of age 3. He must be eligible for election as a member of the Lok Sabha 4. His removal from office is to be in accordance with procedure prescribed in Article 67 b <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>51. The worship of fire in the Indus Valley is proved by the discovery of fire altar at</p> <p>(a) Surkotda (b) Alamgirpur (c) Kalibangan (d) Chanhudaro</p>	<p>52. Which of the following Towns of Export Excellence has been notified under the new Foreign Trade Policy?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Firozabad --- Glassware 2. Bhubaneswar --- Marine products 3. Agartala --- Bamboo and cane products <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>53. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists</p> <p>List I ----- List II</p> <p>(Rock edicts of Asoka) ----- (Main themes)</p> <p>A. Rock Edict II ----- 1. Denounces the Practice of orthodox ceremonies B. Rock Edict V ----- 2. Introduces the system of Dharma Yatra C. Rock Edict VIII ----- 3. Explains the institution of Dharma-Mahamatras D. Rock Edict IX ----- 4. Certain measures for the welfare of men and animals</p> <p>Code: A B C D</p> <p>(a) 4 2 3 1 (b) 4 3 2 1 (c) 1 3 2 4 (d) 1 2 3 4</p> <p>54. Which of the following statements are correct about the Lok Sabha?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The term of the Lok Sabha, unless dissolved earlier is five years from the date appointed for its first meeting 2. While a Proclamation of Emergency is in operation, this period may be extended by Parliament by law for a period not exceeding one year at a time 3. This period can not be extended in any case, beyond a period of one year after the Proclamation has ceased to operate 4. Sixteen Lok Sabhas have been constituted so far <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>55. Which of the following are the salient characteristics of natural vegetation of Selvas?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Broad evergreen leaves2. Shining, waxy leaf surface3. Epiphytes <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>56. Which one of the following is not essentially a species of the Himalayan vegetation?</p> <p>(a) Juniper (b) Mahagony (c) Silver fir (d) Spruce</p> <p>57. Which of the following statement is not correct about the Goods and Service Tax (GST)?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. GST will create a single, unified Indian market to make the economy stronger2. The implementation of GST will lead to the abolition of other taxes such as octroi, Central Sales Tax, State-level sales tax3. GST is likely to improve tax collections4. GST is likely to minimise the tax base <p>(a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4</p> <p>58. The nano-dressing, VitaVallis has been developed by</p> <p>(a) USA (b) France (c) Russia (d) Germany</p>	<p>59. Which of the following constitute cash crops of India?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Jute2. Cotton3. Sugarcane4. Oil seeds5. Rubber <p>(a) 1, 2 and 5 (b) 1, 3 and 4 (c) 1, 2, 3 and 5 (d) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5</p> <p>60. Which of the following statements are correct about rice cultivation in India?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. India is next to China in the world in the production of rice2. Rice cultivation needs 28° Celsius temperature and an average of 180 centimeters of rain per year3. River valley and delta areas are suitable for the cultivation of rice4. Rice is produced mainly once in a year as Kharif crop <p>(a) 1, 2 and 3 (b) 1, 2 and 4 (c) 1, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>61. The Coriolis Effect is caused by</p> <p>(a) gravity (b) the sun's radiation (c) the rotation of the Earth (d) the revolution of the Earth around the sun</p> <p>62. High pressure center is</p> <p>(a) an anticyclone (b) permanently located at the Equator (c) only found where the air is very cold (d) a cyclone</p>
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<p>63. Puffy white clouds in lines or groups at middle altitudes in the sky are -----clouds</p> <p>(a) stratus (b) cirrostratus (c) cirrus (d) altocumulus</p> <p>64. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Chernozem soils originate under tall grass prairie vegetation 2. Laterites form under hot and humid climate conditions</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>65. Which of the following statements are correct about Coal Bed Methane resources in India?</p> <p>1. Out of the total available coal-bearing area of 26,000 sq. km for CBM exploration in the country, exploration has been initiated in about 17,000 sq. km 2. Commercial production of CBM in India has now become a reality</p> <p>(a) Only 1 is correct (b) Only 2 is correct (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct</p> <p>66. Which of the following statements are correct about the wheat cultivation in India?</p> <p>1. Wheat needs medium rainfall and low cold climate 2. Wheat cultivation is suitable for the area which has 5 to 10 centimeters of rainfall and 10° to 15° Celsius temperature 3. Black soil is not suitable for wheat cultivation 4. It is mainly a Rabi crop</p> <p>(a) 1, 2 and 3 (b) 1, 3 and 4 (c) 1, 2 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p>	<p>67. Which of the following statement is not correct about the maize cultivation in India?</p> <p>(a) Maize is an important kharif crop of rainy season (b) Maize is cultivated in different areas and in different climates but it is suitable where temperature is 35° Celsius and rainfall is 75 centimeters (c) Maize is not cultivated in hilly areas-of Jammu and Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh (d) Maize is cultivated more in Punjab, U.P., Bihar, M.P. and Rajasthan.</p> <p>68. Among the following types of ecosystems, the annual average rate of net plant production is highest in</p> <p>(a) Temperate grassland (b) Tropical forests (c) Savannah grassland (d) Temperate forests</p> <p>69. Integrated Child Development Services, ICDS seeks to reduce severe to moderate malnutrition among children in the</p> <p>(a) 0 to 12 months age group (b) 6 to 12 months age group (c) 0 to 12 months age group (d) 6 to 72 months age group</p> <p>70. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Ammonium nitrate has been declared an explosive. 2. The Centre has declared fertilizer having more than 45 per cent of the chemical as an explosive substance under the Explosive Act, 1884</p> <p>(a) Only 1 is correct (b) Only 2 is correct (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct</p>
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<p>71. Which of the following statement is not correct about the cotton cultivation in India?</p> <p>(a) Cotton is a fiber-type cash crop</p> <p>(b) Cultivation of cotton needs 20° to 25° Celsius temperature and 50 to 75 centimeters of rainfall</p> <p>(c) Cotton plant needs wet climate at the time of growing and dry climate at the time of collecting seeds</p> <p>(d) India occupies fifth place in the world of cotton production</p> <p>72. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. The boundary of a National Park is circumscribed by legislation whereas that of a Biosphere reserve is not</p> <p>2. In a National park, particular attention is paid to the conservation of genepools whereas it is not so in a wildlife sanctuary</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 2 only</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>73. Among the following environmental pollutants, which one leads to the occurrence of Acid rain?</p> <p>(a) Carbon dioxide</p> <p>(b) Sulphur dioxide</p> <p>(c) Methane</p> <p>(d) Carbon monoxide</p> <p>74. Which of the following statement is not correct about the Coffee cultivation?</p> <p>(a) Coffee cultivation needs hot and wet climate and fertile sloppy land</p> <p>(b) Coffee tree requires direct sunshine</p> <p>(c) Coffee needs more temperature than tea</p> <p>(d) Coffee cultivation in India is found in the States of Karnataka, Kerala and Tamilnadu</p>	<p>75. Rubber is primarily cultivated in the State of Kerala in India. Except Kerala it is found in the</p> <p>(a) Tamil Nadu</p> <p>(b) Andhra Pradesh</p> <p>(c) Andaman Nicobar Islands</p> <p>(d) Goa</p> <p>76. Sister Nivedita, a disciple of Swamy Vivekananda was originally from</p> <p>(a) England</p> <p>(b) Northern Ireland</p> <p>(c) USA</p> <p>(d) South Africa</p> <p>77. Coolie agitation for higher wages during the Non Cooperation Movement of 1920-22 took place in</p> <p>(a) Bengal</p> <p>(b) Assam</p> <p>(c) Oudh</p> <p>(d) Madras</p> <p>78. Which of the following Nationalist's wife led the picketing in Calcutta during the Non Cooperation Movement of 1929-22</p> <p>(a) Rabindra Nath Tagore</p> <p>(b) C. R. Das</p> <p>(c) Jatin Das</p> <p>(d) Jawahar Lal Nehru</p> <p>79. The North West Frontier province was founded by</p> <p>(a) Lord Minto</p> <p>(b) Lord Curzon</p> <p>(c) Lord Dalhousie</p> <p>(d) Lord Lytton</p>
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<p>80. Which of the following was designated as summer capital of the Madras Presidency by the British</p> <p>(a) Ootacamund (b) Cuttack (c) Tirupati (d) Hyderabad</p> <p>81. Who of the following threw a bomb inside the Central Legislative Assembly on 8th April 1929 protesting against the passage of the Public Safety Bill and the Trade Disputes Bill</p> <p>1. Chandra Shekhar Azad 2. Rash Behari Bose 3. Bhagat Singh 4. Batukeshwar Dutt</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 4 (c) 3 and 4 (d) 1 and 3</p> <p>82. Who founded founded Khaksar Tehreek in order to direct particularly the Muslims towards the independence movement</p> <p>(a) Mohammad Ali Jinnah (b) Prince Aga Khan (c) Allama Mashriqi (d) Shaukat Ali</p> <p>83. Which of the following statement is not correct about the Oilseeds production in Inida?</p> <p>(a) India occupies the first position in the world in the production of groundnut (b) India occupies second position in the world in the production of linseed (c) India occupies second position in the world in the production of castor (d) Groundnuts are produced more in Gujarat</p>	<p>84. Which of the following statement is not correct about the wetlands of India?</p> <p>(a) Wetlands support biodiversity, and directly and indirectly support millions of people including storm and flood control, clean water supply and food, fiber and raw materials (b) Wetlands cover an estimated 1 percent of India's land area (c) There are 19 different types of wetlands in India (d) India's wetland range from mangroves to high-altitude lakes and from marshes to ponds</p> <p>85. Who is regarded as the father of the freedom movement in the whole of Bundelkhand</p> <p>(a) Chandra Shekhar Azad (b) Dewan Shatrughan Singh (c) Raj Narain (d) C. B. Gupta</p> <p>86. Which of the following state has the highest Inland – Natural Wetlands?</p> <p>(a) Andhra Pradesh (b) Punjab (c) Tamil Nadu (d) Uttar Pradesh</p> <p>87. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. Khasi society is patrilineal 2. Pastoralism is the main occupation of the Tharus</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>88. Which of the following are the west flowing rivers of India?</p> <p>1. Godavari 2. Krishna 3. Cauvery 4. Mahanadi 5. Narmada 6. Tapi</p>
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<p>(a) 1 and 3 (b) 2 and 5 (c) 4 and 6 (d) 5 and 6</p> <p>89. The salt water crocodile in India is found in the</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Western coast2. Eastern coast3. Lakshadweep Islands4. Andaman and Nicobar Islands <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 4 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 2 and 4</p> <p>90. Which of the following statements are correct about India's National Calendar?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The National Calendar is based on the Saka Era2. Chaitra is its first month3. It was adopted from 22nd March 1957 along with the Gregorian calendar4. 1 Chaitra falls on 21st March normally and on 22nd March in the leap year <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>91. The National Academic Depository is concerned with</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Online educational text books(b) Online verification of academic awards issued by boards and universities(c) Online verification of academic courses offered by boards and universities(d) All of the above <p>92. Which of the following committee draws members entirely from the Lok Sabha?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Committee on Public Accounts(b) Committee on Public Undertakings(c) Committee on Estimates(d) None of the above	<p>93. Which of the following statements are correct about the savings rate?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The savings rate is gross domestic savings as percentage of gross domestic product at market prices2. The savings rate in India is above 35 per cent <p>(a) Only 1 is correct (b) Only 2 is correct (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct</p> <p>94. Under the Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement signed between India and Japna which of the following sector will gain access to large Japanese market</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Manufacturing(b) Textiles(c) Pharmaceuticals(d) Auto components <p>95. The highest Bangladesh award — the Bangladesh Swadhinata Sammanona (Bangladesh Freedom Honour) — has been conferred on</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Rajiv Gandhi(b) Jawaharlal Nehru(c) Indira Gandhi(d) Morarji Desai <p>96. Which of the following is not an All India Services?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Indian Administrative Service(b) Indian Police Service(c) Indian Foreign Service(d) Indian Forest Service
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97. Which of the following statements are correct about the Inter-State Council?

1. Article 263 of the Constitution envisages establishment of an institutional mechanism to facilitate coordination of policies and their implementation between the Union and the State Governments
2. The Inter-State Council was set up in the year 1990
3. The Inter-State Council is a recommendatory body
4. Prime Minister is the Chairman of the Council

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

98. The following map shows the mineral distribution of



- (a) Lead
(b) Mica
(c) Gypsum
(d) Zinc

99. Which of the following flu 'super antibody' has been found to fight all flu strains

- (a) FI3
(b) FI4
(c) FI5
(d) FI6

100. World Tiger Day is celebrated across the globe on

- (a) 26th July
(b) 27th July
(c) 28th July
(d) 29th July

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Answer Sheet

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