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GENERAL STUDIES  
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<p>1. Ahmedabad Textile Labour Association was founded by</p> <p>(a) Anasuya Sarabhai (b) N.M. Joshi (c) V.V. Giri (d) M.K. Gandhi</p> <p>2. During whose tenure the resolution of Total Independence was passed ?</p> <p>(a) Lord Chelmsford (b) Lord Wavell (c) Lord Irwin (d) Lord Willington</p> <p>3. Who prepared the draft of Basic Education ?</p> <p>(a) Gandhiji (b) Shiksha Sammelan, Wardha (c) Zakir Hussain Committee (d) Radha Krishnan Commission</p> <p>4. The Barisal Conference set up by Abdul Rasool was related to</p> <p>(a) Swadeshi Movement (b) Khilafat Movement (c) Moglah Revolt (d) Aligarh Movement</p> <p>5. Who among the following have the right to vote in the election to both-the Lok Sabha and the Rajya Sabha ?</p> <p>(a) Elected members of the Lower House of Parliament (b) Elected members of the Upper House of Parliament</p>	<p>(c) Elected members of the Upper House of State Legislature (d) Elected members of the Lower House of State Legislature</p> <p>6. Motihari-Amlekhgunj Pipeline is a project between India and</p> <p>(a) Pakistan (b) Bangladesh (c) Myanmar (d) Nepal</p> <p>7. The Law commission also has drafted a new law The Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2017 by inserting new Sections to fortify</p> <p>(a) provisions of crime against women (b) provisions of crime against children (c) provisions of crime related to internet (d) democracy against hate speeches</p> <p>8. Which of the following Article is proposed to be inserted in the Constitution for setting up of National Commission for Socially and Educationally Backward Classes (NSEBC) as a constitutional body?</p> <p>(a) Article 336B (b) Article 337B (c) Article 338B (d) Article 339B</p> <p>9. The "TOP" Scheme has been launched by the Ministry of</p> <p>(a) Finance (b) Urban Development (c) Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (d) Youth Affairs and Sports</p>
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<p>10. In the context of genetic disorders, consider the following :</p> <p>A woman suffers from colour blindness while her husband does not suffer from it. They have a son and a daughter. In this context, which one of the following statements is most probably correct ?</p> <p>(a) Both children suffer from colour blindness</p> <p>(b) Daughter suffers from colour blindness while son does not suffer from it</p> <p>(c) Both children do not suffer from colour blindness</p> <p>(d) Son suffers from colour blindness while daughter does not suffer from it</p> <p>11. Which one of the following are the features of Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Ensuring financial inclusion of the poor</li><li>2. Enhancing financial literacy</li><li>3. Provision for accidental insurance to account holders</li><li>4. Allowing bank accounts with zero balance</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 and 4</p> <p>(b) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>(c) 2 and 4</p> <p>(d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>12. The Election Commission recognizes a political party as a national party if</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. it secures at least six percent of the total valid votes polled in four or more States in a general election to the Lok Sabha or to the State Legislative Assemblies</li><li>2. it wins at least four seats in a general election to the Lok Sabha from any State or States</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</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>13. Which one of the following is not a feature of the Nehru-Mahalanobis model of development strategy?</p> <p>(a) Development of capital goods industries</p> <p>(b) Major involvement of the State in the economy</p> <p>(c) Industrial deregulation and disinvestment in the public sector</p> <p>(d) Enhancing the scope and importance of the public sector</p> <p>14. Which one of the following is used as an explosive ?</p> <p>(a) Phosphorus Trichloride</p> <p>(b) Mercuric oxide</p> <p>(c) Graphite</p> <p>(d) Nitroglycerine</p> <p>15. Nabha Sprasam Diptam is the motto of</p> <p>(a) Central Industrial Security Force</p> <p>(b) Indian Air Force</p> <p>(c) ISRO</p> <p>(d) Bhabha Atomic Research Centre</p> <p>16. Consider the following statements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Amendment procedure has been provided in Article 368 of the Constitution of India</li><li>2. The consent of the States is mandatory for all Amendments to the Constitution of India</li></ol> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</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>
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<p>17. Which of the following statements relating to the Comptroller and auditor General (CAG) of India is /are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The CAG can attend the sittings of the Committee on Public Accounts</li><li>2. The CAG can attend the sittings of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha</li><li>3. The jurisdiction of CAG is co-extensive with powers of the Union Government</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 2 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>18. Which of the following statements relating to election as the President of India is/are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. A person above the age of thirty-five years is eligible for election as the President of India</li><li>2. The President of India is eligible for re-election for more than one term</li><li>3. A person is not eligible for election as the President of India if the person holds an office of profit</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 only (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 3 only</p> <p>19. What was the purpose with which Sir William Wedderburn and W. S. Caine had set up the Indian Parliamentary Committee in 1893 ?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) To agitate for Indian political reforms in the House of Commons</li><li>(b) To campaign for the entry of Indians into the Imperial Judiciary</li><li>(c) To facilitate a discussion on India's Independence in the British Parliament</li><li>(d) To agitate for the entry of eminent Indians into the British Parliament</li></ol>	<p>20. The citizens of India do not have which one of the following Fundamental Rights?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) Right to reside and settle in any part of India</li><li>(b) Right to acquire, hold and dispose of property</li><li>(c) Right to practice any profession</li><li>(d) Right to form co-operative societies</li></ol> <p>21. Which one among the following Acts for the first time allowed Indians, at least theoretically, enter to higher posts in British Indian administration?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) Charter Act, 1813</li><li>(b) Charter Act, 1833</li><li>(c) Charles Wood's Education Despatch, 1854</li><li>(d) Charter Act, 1873</li></ol> <p>22. Consider the following statements about Rashtrakuta Kings:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. They were ardent patrons of Shaivism and did not support other forms of religion</li><li>2. They promoted only Sanskrit scholars and gave them large grants</li></ol> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) 1 only</li><li>(b) 2 only</li><li>(c) Both 1 and 2</li><li>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</li></ol> <p>23. After a ban on unscientific coal mining and transportation of coal in this region by the National Green Tribunal, many of those engaged in the activity have been switching to turmeric farming for their livelihood. The region referred above is</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) Jaintia Hills, Meghalaya</li><li>(b) Koriya, Chhatisgarh</li><li>(c) Angul, Odisha</li><li>(d) Bardhaman, West Bengal</li></ol>
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<p>24. Which of the following statements about the first act of the Revolt of 1857 is/are true?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. It occurred in Meerut when two sepoys stole a superior's rifle</li><li>2. It began when the Rani of Jhansi declared war on the British</li><li>3. It began when Mangal Pandey fired at a European officer in Meerut</li><li>4. It began when Mangal Pandey fired at a European officer in Barrackpore</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 2 only (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 4 only (d) 1 and 4</p> <p>25. Which of the following statements about Gandhiji's Hind Swaraj written in 1909 is/are true?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Hind Swaraj offers a civilizational concept of the Indian nation</li><li>2. Hind Swaraj states that Parliamentary democracy was necessary for the amelioration of the sufferings of Indians</li><li>3. Hind Swaraj argues that Industrial capitalism was responsible for the immorality of society</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 3 only (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1 only</p> <p>26. Division of labour often involves</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. specialized economic activity</li><li>2. highly distinct productivity roles</li><li>3. involving everyone in many of the same activities</li><li>4. individuals engage in only a single activity and are dependent on others to meet their various needs</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p>	<p>(a) 1, 3 and 4 (b) 1, 2 and 4 (c) 3 only (d) 2 and 4</p> <p>27. Who among the following is/was associated with 'Maharashtra Andhashraddha Nirmoolan Samiti'?</p> <p>(a) Chandi Prasad Bhatt (b) Narendra Dabholkar (c) G. D. Agarwal (d) Kailash Satyarthi</p> <p>28. Consider the following statements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Warren Hastings set up the Calcutta Madarasa for the study and teaching of Muslim law related subjects</li><li>2. Jonathan Duncan started a Sanskrit College at Varanasi for the study of Hindu law and philosophy</li></ol> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>29. Consider the following statements about Sufism in India:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Pilgrimage called ziyarat to tombs of Sufi saints is an important feature</li><li>2. The most influential group of Sufis in India were the Chishtis</li></ol> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>30. Which of the following thinkers and movements influenced the development of Gandhiji's political ideas?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Henry David Thoreau</li><li>2. John Ruskin</li><li>John Milton</li><li>4. Jainism</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>(c) 1, 2 and 4</p> <p>(d) 2 and 4</p> <p>31. Consider the following statements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Arthashastra is the first Indian text to define a State</li><li>2. The main concerns of the Arthashastra are theoretical issues like the origins of the State</li></ol> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</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>32. Consider the following :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Camphor</li><li>2. Chicory</li><li>3. Vanilla</li></ol> <p>Which of the above is/are plant product(s) ?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 only</p> <p>(b) 3 only</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3 only</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>33. In the context of Indian wild life, the flying fox is a</p> <p>(a) Bat</p> <p>(b) Kite</p>	<p>(c) Stork</p> <p>(d) Vulture</p> <p>34. Which of the following statements about Brahma Samaj is/are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The Brahma Marriage Act of 1872 allowed inter-caste and widow re-marriage only if the contracting parties declared themselves to be non-Hindus</li><li>2. Keshub Chandra Sen arranged the marriage of his minor daughter with the Maharaj of Burdwan</li><li>3. Keshub Chandra Sen's followers broke away to form the Naba Brahma Samaj</li><li>4. The Brahma Samaj grew from a small elite group to a mass movement in the 19th century</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 2 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>35. Which of the following statements about the aims of the United Nations is/are true?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. To foster a mutual appreciation of each other's culture and literature among nations</li><li>2. To achieve international co-operations in solving problems of an economic, social, cultural or humanitarian character</li><li>3. To foster relations between scholars and academics in different countries</li><li>4. To organize international conferences</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 1, 2 and 4</p> <p>(c) 2 only</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p>
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<p>36. Which one of the following is India's first indigenously built nuclear-powered submarine?</p> <p>(a) INS Arihant (b) INS Sindhurakshak (c) INS Virat (d) INS Vikramaditya</p> <p>37. Which National Highway connects Uttar Pradesh and Tamil Nadu?</p> <p>(a) NH 4 (b) NH 5 (c) NH 6 (d) NH 7</p> <p>38. Which one of the following countries is not a member of ASEAN?</p> <p>(a) Indonesia (b) South Korea (c) Thailand (d) Vietnam</p> <p>39. The term 'Bali Action Plan'. is sometimes seen in news in the context of</p> <p>(a) Global climate change (b) Global terrorism (c) Global wildlife trafficking (d) World trade</p> <p>40. During which Five Year Plan was the Emergency clamped, new elections took place and the Janata Party was elected ?</p> <p>(a) Third (b) Fourth (c) Fifth (d) Sixth</p>	<p>41. Which of the following statements is/are correct?</p> <p>1. Bardoli Satyagraha was a peasant movement launched against the raised rate of tax by the Government 2. Bardoli Satyagraha took place in 1929 3. Bardoli Satyagraha gave the title of Sardar to Vallabhbhai Patel</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>42. Consider the following pairs:</p> <p>Well known lake : State 1. Chilka Lake : Odisha 2. Kolleru Lake : Kerala 3. Pulicat Lake : Karnataka</p> <p>Which of the pairs given above is/are correctly matched?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>43. Which one of the following is not a drug/pharma company ?</p> <p>(a) Chevron (b) Nicholas Piramal (c) Pfizer (d) Zydus Cadila</p> <p>44. In the Union Government, the Council of Ministers is collectively responsible to</p> <p>(a) Prime Minister (b) Lok Sabha (c) Both Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha (d) Union Cabinet</p>
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<p>45. If the annual Union Budget is not passed by Lok Sabha</p> <p>(a) The President of India asks the Finance Minister to resign</p> <p>(b) The Prime Minister asks the Finance Minister to resign</p> <p>(c) The finance Minister modifies it and presents it again</p> <p>(d) The Prime Minister submits the resignation of his Cabinet</p> <p>46. Which of the following is/are used as both fertilizer as well as explosive?</p> <p>1. Ammonium nitrate 2. Calcium sulphate 3. Potassium permanganate</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 2 and 3</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>47. The expenditure which can be charged on the Consolidated Fund of India</p> <p>(a) is discussed and voted by the Parliament</p> <p>(b) can be discussed but is not put to vote before the Parliament</p> <p>(c) can neither be discussed nor voted by the Parliament</p> <p>(d) is discussed and voted by the Lok Sabha only</p> <p>48. What is NEOShield, sometimes seen in news?</p> <p>(a) An international consortium to address the asteroid threat to Earth</p> <p>(b) A geo-engineering project of OECD countries to find the ways to save Earth from global warming</p> <p>(c) NASA's project to find the ways to ward off the effects of solar flares on our communication systems</p>	<p>(d) A ballistic missile defence system developed by a group of countries</p> <p>49. Consider the following plants:</p> <p>1. Cycas 2. Date palm 3. Pinus</p> <p>Which of the above is/are flowering plants?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2</p> <p>(b) 2 and 3</p> <p>(c) 2 only</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>50. Indian Sign Language Research and Training Centre (ISLRTC) which is launching country's first-of-its-kind Indian Sign Language (ISL) dictionary works under the Ministry of</p> <p>(a) Social Justice and Empowerment</p> <p>(b) Human Resources Development</p> <p>(c) Culture</p> <p>(d) Defence</p> <p>51. Consider the following statements</p> <p>1. Snakes are always at the end of a food chain 2. Some snakes are viviparous</p> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</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>52. An eastward traveller from India crossing the International Date Line, in order to get the correct day and time of the local area should turn his watch</p> <p>(a) forward</p>
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<p>(b) forward and should move his day calendar backward</p> <p>(c) backward</p> <p>(d) backward and should move his day calendar forward</p> <p>53. Consider the following statements</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Red Panda in its natural habitat is found in Eastern Himalayas</li><li>2. Gharial in its natural habitat is found in Bhitarkanika mangroves</li></ol> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</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>54. Which of the following statements given below is/are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Lord Mountbatten was the last Governor-General of British India</li><li>2. C. Rajagopalachari was the first Governor-General of independent India</li></ol> <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>55. With reference to carbon dioxide, which of the following statements is/are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. It is released from the interior of the Earth during volcanic eruption</li><li>2. It corrodes metal surfaces</li><li>3. It is required for the green plants for their survival</li></ol> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2</p> <p>(b) 3 only</p>	<p>(c) 2 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>56. Turkey, which is frequently in the news, does not have a border with which of the following?</p> <p>(a) Romania</p> <p>(b) Iran</p> <p>(c) Georgia</p> <p>(d) Bulgaria</p> <p>57. Consider the following</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Amino Acids</li><li>2. Fatty Acids</li><li>3. Hormones</li><li>4. Vitamins</li></ol> <p>Which of the above can be the sources of cellular energy in a human body?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2</p> <p>(b) 2 and 4</p> <p>(c) 3 and 4</p> <p>(d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>58. What causes wind to deflect towards left in the southern hemisphere?</p> <p>(a) Atmospheric temperature</p> <p>(b) Earth's magnetic field</p> <p>(c) Rotation of the Earth</p> <p>(d) Atmospheric pressure</p> <p>59. Which one of the following statements about Earth's diameter is true?</p> <p>(a) Polar diameter is slightly less than the equatorial diameter</p> <p>(b) Polar and Equatorial diameters are equal</p> <p>(c) Polar diameter is longer than the equatorial diameter</p> <p>(d) Polar diameter is half of the equatorial diameter</p>
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<p>60. Consider the following statements :</p> <p>1. The Baglihar. Power Project had been constructed within the parameters of the Indus Water Treaty 2. The project was completely built by the Union Government with loans from Japan and the World Bank Which of the statements given above is/arc; correct ?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>61. The proposed labour code by the Union Labour Ministry will provide social security cover to</p> <p>1. Self-employed 2. Agricultural workers</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>62. Which of the following statements are correct about ICRISAT?</p> <p>1. It is a non-profit agricultural research organization 2. It is a UN Organization operating in the Indian Territory</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>63. Which of the following statements are correct about the National Commission for Safai Karamcharis?</p> <p>1. It is a Constitutional body 2. It is a statutory body 3. It has a sanctioned strength of four members and a chairperson</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p>	<p>(b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>64. The 'Gateway of India Dialogue' is concerned with</p> <p>(a) Make in India (b) Foreign Investments in India (c) Geo-Politics (d) Geo-Economics</p> <p>65. India along with other countries in the South East Asian Region have signed World Health Organisation's (WHO) Call To end Tuberculosis (TB) by</p> <p>(a) 2020 (b) 2025 (c) 2030 (d) 2035</p> <p>66. The term "Evergreen Revolution" has been given by</p> <p>(a) Dr. A.S. Paroda (b) Dr. M.S. Swaminathan (c) Dr. V.L. Chopra (d) Dr. M.V. Rao</p> <p>67. Which one of the following microbial agents is being commercially exploited as biocontrol agent ?</p> <p>(a) Penicillium notatum (b) Bacillus subtilis (c) Trichoderma viridae (d) Sclerotium rolfsii</p> <p>68. The place of origin of Potato is</p> <p>(a) China (b) Africa (c) India</p>
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<p>(d) South America</p> <p>69. Arkel, Bonneville and Early December are the improved varieties of</p> <p>(a) Lentil</p> <p>(b) Pea</p> <p>(c) Gram</p> <p>(d) Safflower</p> <p>70. 'P' content in DAP fertilizer is</p> <p>(a) 20%</p> <p>(b) 36%</p> <p>(c) 50%</p> <p>(d) 46%</p> <p>71. "Prabhani Kranti" is a popular variety of</p> <p>(a) Brinjal</p> <p>(b) Potato</p> <p>(c) Chilli</p> <p>(d) Okra</p> <p>72. A warm-blooded animal is one which</p> <p>(a) has a fluctuating body temperature depending on its surroundings</p> <p>(b) does not loose heat to surroundings</p> <p>(c) absorbs heat from surroundings</p> <p>(d) has a constant body temperature</p> <p>73. Which of the following statements is/are correct?</p> <p>1. Shale gas is extensively produced in Saudi Arabia and Kuwait</p> <p>2. Fracking technology used in the extraction of this gas requires large quantities of water</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</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>74. 'TAPI' gas pipeline, sometimes mentioned in the news, is planned to be laid in</p> <p>(a) Turkey - Afghanistan - Pakistan - India</p> <p>(b) Turkmenistan - Ajarbaijan - Pakistan- Iran</p> <p>(c) Turkey - Ajerbaijan - Pakistan - Iran</p> <p>(d) Turkmenistan - Afghanistan - Pakistan - India</p> <p>75. Consider the following</p> <p>1. Palm civet</p> <p>2. Puma</p> <p>3. Cheetah</p> <p>Which of the above is/are found in India in their natural habitat?</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 2 and 3</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>76. Who of the following died of hunger strike in prison?</p> <p>(a) Bhagat Singh</p> <p>(b) Bhupendranath Sanyal</p> <p>(c) Chandra Shekhar Azad</p> <p>(d) Jatin Das</p> <p>77. Consider the following statements</p> <p>1. Governor of a State can reserve certain bills passed by the State Legislature for consideration of the President of India</p> <p>2. Governor of a State can make rules to conduct the business of State Government</p> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 2 only</p>
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<p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>78. There is a growing concern about the release of a particular gas into the atmosphere from the permafrost of Arctic region. Which one of the following is that gas?</p> <p>(a) Carbon monoxide</p> <p>(b) Ethane</p> <p>(c) Methane</p> <p>(d) Sulfur dioxide</p> <p>79. Which of the following is/are among the main objective(s) of G20 group of countries?</p> <p>1. Discussing key issues in the global economy</p> <p>2. Promoting international financial stability</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</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>80. With reference to 'Seshachalam Biosphere Reserve', which of the following statements is/are correct?</p> <p>1. It is located in the Eastern Ghats</p> <p>2. It is a unique tropical rain forest</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</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>81. Which one of the following is located between France and the United Kingdom?</p> <p>(a) Cook Strait</p>	<p>(b) Davis Strait</p> <p>(c) Strait of Dover</p> <p>(d) Strait of Gibraltar</p> <p>82. Which one of the following is associated with the issue of control and phase out of the use of ozone depleting substances?</p> <p>(a) Bretton Woods Conference</p> <p>(b) Doha Development Agenda</p> <p>(c) Geneva II Conference</p> <p>(d) Montreal Protocol</p> <p>83. Consider the following statements</p> <p>1. Headquarters of World Trade Organization (WTO) are in Doha</p> <p>2. World Intellectual Property Organization is a specialized agency of WTO</p> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</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>84. Yellow coloured fruits and vegetables are rich source of</p> <p>(a) Vitamin E</p> <p>(b) Vitamin A</p> <p>(c) Vitamin C</p> <p>(d) Vitamin B</p> <p>85. Consider the following statements</p> <p>1. Earth receives the Sun's energy only at the infrared end of the spectrum</p> <p>Earth reradiates the Sun's heat only as ultraviolet energy</p> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p>
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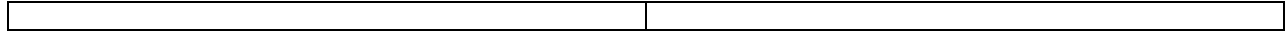
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<p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>86. Consider the following crop plants</p> <p>1. Banana 2. Potato 3. Turmeric</p> <p>Which of the above is/are propagated by vegetative methods?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>87. Consider the following pairs :</p> <p>Famous place : Country 1. Cannes : France 2. Davos : Denmark 3. Roland Garros : The Netherlands</p> <p>Which of the pairs given above is/are correctly matched ?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 only (c) 2 and 3 only (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>88. At which of the following places is the Marine National Park located?</p> <p>(a) Chandipur-on-sea (b) Jamnagar (c) Puducherry (d) Visakhapatnam</p> <p>89. 'Fly ash', which can be used in making bricks, is emitted from</p> <p>(a) Burning of agricultural waste (b) Burning of municipal solid waste</p>	<p>(c) Mining of aluminium and iron ores (d) Thermal power plants</p> <p>90. Consider the following statements</p> <p>1. Snowline occurs at a higher altitude in Eastern Himalayas than in the Western Himalayas 2. Mangrove forests in India occur along the coastal areas of West Bengal and Odisha only</p> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>91. Among the following, which one is not a football club ?</p> <p>(a) Arsenal (b) Aston Villa (c) Chelsea (d) Monte Carlo</p> <p>92. The "TIES" Scheme has been launched by the Ministry of</p> <p>(a) Women and Child Development (b) Science and Technology (c) Information and Broadcasting (d) Commerce &amp; Industry</p> <p>93. India Vetiver Network (INVN) has been launched recently at Tamil Nadu Agricultural University. Vetiver has application in</p> <p>(a) Medical Research (b) Water Purification (c) Reduction in Global Warming (d) Environmental Solution</p> <p>94. 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</p>
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<p>export oriented industry in this field?</p> <p>(a) Andhra Pradesh (b) Arunachal Pradesh (c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Uttar Pradesh</p> <p>95. Consider the following statements: In India, a Metropolitan Planning Committee?</p> <p>1. is constituted under the provisions of the Constitution of India 2. prepares the draft development plans for metropolitan area 3. has the sole responsibility for implementing Government sponsored schemes in the metropolitan area Which of the statements given above is/ are correct?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 only (b) 2 only (c) 1 and 3 only (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>96. Regarding 'the International Monetary Fund, which one of the following statements is correct?</p> <p>(a) It can grant loans to any country (b) It can grant loans to only developed countries (c) It grants loans to only member countries (d) It can grant loans to the central bank of a country</p> <p>97. Which one of the following was the largest burnt-brick structure of the Indus Valley Civilization ?</p> <p>(a) The Great Bath (b) Granary (c) Assembly Hall (d) Lothal Dockyard</p>	<p>98. The First Jain Council was held at</p> <p>(a) Vaishali (b) Vallabhi (c) Pataliputra (d) Taxila</p> <p>99. The main feature of the Dravidan style of Temple Architecture is</p> <p>(a) Sikhara (b) Vimana (c) Gopuram (d) Mandapam</p> <p>100. The "Kayakalp" awards has been introduced by</p> <p>(a) Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs (b) Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (c) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (d) Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation</p>
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**Answer Sheet**

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