

Model Test Paper 95
General Studies Paper-I

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<p>1. Consider the following countries :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Australia2. Namibia3. Brazil4. Chile <p>Through which of the above does the Tropic of Capricorn pass ?</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>(c) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>2. In the structure of planet Earth, below the mantle, the core is mainly made up of which one of the following ?</p> <p>(a) Aluminium</p> <p>(b) Chromium</p> <p>(c) Iron</p> <p>(d) Silicon</p> <p>3. Which of the following river water projects are bone of contention between India and Pakistan?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Kishenganga Project2. Ratle Project <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>4. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The responsibility of promoting digital transactions in the country rest with the Union Ministry of IT and Electronics2. NITI Aayog has implemented two programmes Lucky Grahak Yojana and Digi-Dhan Vyapar Yojana to promote e-payments <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p>	<p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>5. Tejaswini Project is related to</p> <p>(a) Mahila police Volunteers</p> <p>(b) Prevention of trafficking and Resue, Rehabilitation and Re-integration of Victims of Trafficking and Commercial Sexual Exploitation</p> <p>(c) Helping Women in Difficult Circumstances</p> <p>(d) Empowering adolescent girls with basic life skills</p> <p>6. Which of the following statements is not correct ?</p> <p>(a) Judgement of a High Court is not binding on other High Courts</p> <p>(b) Judgement of a High Court is binding on all courts within its jurisdiction</p> <p>(c) Judgement of a same Bench is not binding on the later Bench of the co-equal strength</p> <p>(d) Judgement of the Double Bench is binding on Single Bench</p> <p>7. Judicial Review of the 9th Schedule of the Constitution has been made permissible by which of the following case decided by the Supreme Court ?</p> <p>(a) Keshvanand Bharti Vs. State of Kerala</p> <p>(b) M. Nagraj Vs. Union of India</p> <p>(c) Minerva Mills Ltd. Vs. Union of India</p> <p>(d) I.R. Coelho Vs. State of Tamil Nadu</p> <p>8. Which of the following Articles of the Constitution relates to creation of All India Judicial Service in India common to Union and the States ?</p> <p>(a) Article 312</p> <p>(b) Article 312-A</p> <p>(c) Article 313</p> <p>(d) Article 314</p>
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<p>9. The action required to carry out the decision of the Security Council for the maintenance of international peace and security shall be taken by which of the following ?</p> <p>(a) All the Members of the United Nations or some of them as the Security Council may determine</p> <p>(b) All the Members of the Security Council</p> <p>(c) The General Assembly by its majority vote</p> <p>(d) All of the above</p> <p>10. Supreme Court Rules, 1966 have been framed under which of the following Articles of the Constitution ?</p> <p>(a) Article 146</p> <p>(b) Article 143</p> <p>(c) Article 144</p> <p>(d) Article 145</p> <p>11. Which of the following is not correctly matched ?</p> <p>High Courts - Seat</p> <p>(a) Chhattisgarh – Bilaspur</p> <p>(b) Rajasthan – Jaipur</p> <p>(c) Orissa – Cuttack</p> <p>(d) Kerala – Ernakulam</p> <p>12. Which of the following International Bank is assisting India in developing Visakhapatnam-Chennai Industrial Corridor as the first phase of a planned 2,500-km East Coast Economic Corridor?</p> <p>(a) World Bank</p> <p>(b) Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank</p> <p>(c) Asian Development Bank</p> <p>(d) European Investment Bank</p> <p>13. Bar Council of India is a statutory body constituted under which of the following ?</p> <p>(a) The Supreme Court Rules, 1966</p>	<p>(b) The Constitution of India</p> <p>(c) The Advocates Act, 1961</p> <p>(d) Union Ministry of Law & Justice</p> <p>14. Which of the following is "State" within the definition of Article 12 of the Constitution ?</p> <p>(a) National Book Trust</p> <p>(b) National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT)</p> <p>(c) Rajiv Gandhi Board</p> <p>(d) Institute of Constitutional & Parliamentary Studies</p> <p>15. Which of the following is not principal organ of the United Nations ?</p> <p>(a) The International Court of Justice</p> <p>(b) The Secretariat</p> <p>(c) The Trusteeship Council</p> <p>(d) The International Monetary Fund</p> <p>16. 'Cut Motion' can be introduced after the presentation of</p> <p>(a) any bill introduced in the Parliament</p> <p>(b) the Railway and General Budgets</p> <p>(c) any Private Member's Bill</p> <p>(d) a Constitution Amendment Bill</p> <p>17. Who among the following divided governments into 'Republican', 'Monarchical' and 'Despotic'?</p> <p>(a) Aristotle</p> <p>(b) Hobbes</p> <p>(c) Montesquieu</p> <p>(d) St. Augustine</p>
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<p>18. Who among the following coined the terms 'Demand Polity' and 'Command Polity'?</p> <p>(a) Lloyd I. Rudolph and Susanne H. Rudolph (b) Rajni Kothari (c) Sudipta Kaviraj (d) Paul Brass</p> <p>19. Which of the following statements about the Bengali literary epic, Meghnad Badh Kabya (1861), is/are correct?</p> <p>1. It was written by Michael Madhusudan Dutta 2. It draws upon existing Hindu and Jain traditions of Ramayana</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 and 2</p> <p>20. Which one of the following is the famous novel written in 1869 by Nazir Ahmad?</p> <p>(a) Twilight in Delhi (b) Mirat-ul-urus (c) Bahishti Zewar (d) City of Djinns</p> <p>21. Which of the following statements about the founding of the Indian National Congress (INC) is/are correct?</p> <p>1. The INC was founded in Bombay in 1885 2. The first President of the INC was W. C. Bonnerjee</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>	<p>22. The earliest literary references to iron in the Indian Sub-Continent are found in the</p> <p>(a) Rigveda (b) Samaveda (c) Yajurveda (d) Vinaya Pitaka</p> <p>23. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the Lists:</p> <p>List I (Author) : List II (Book) A. Dadabhai Naoroji : 1. Essays on Indian Economics B. Prithwis Chandra Ray : 2. Poverty and Un-British Rule in India C. Mahadev Govind Ranade : Economic History of India D. R. C. Dutt : 4. The Poverty Problem of India</p> <p>Code:</p> <p>(a) A-2, B-4, C-1, D-3 (b) A-3, B-1, C-4, D-2 (c) A-2, B-1, C-4, D-3 (d) A-3, B-4, C-1, D-2</p> <p>24. Consider the following statements about the Morley-Minto reforms of 1909?</p> <p>1. They were named after the British Parliamentarians, Minto and Morley 2. They provided for limited self-government by increasing the number of elected Indians in the Legislative Councils 3. They contained provisions that ensured that British officials retained their majority in the Imperial Legislative Council</p> <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>
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<p>25. Identify from the following the novel written by Charles Dickens that critiqued the adverse impact of industrialization on the poor</p> <p>(a) The Day Before America (b) Hard Times (c) Creating a Nation (d) The Courtier</p> <p>26. What is the meaning of the term "Humanist" used during the Renaissance in 15th century Europe?</p> <p>1. It refers to the masters who taught grammar and rhetoric 2. It refers to the masters who taught poetry, history and moral philosophy 3. It refers to the masters who taught subjects that were connected with religion 4. It refers to masters who emphasized skills that were developed through discussion and debate</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1, 2 and 3 (b) 1 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 4 (d) 2 and 4</p> <p>27. Which of the following was/were the features of the Quit India Movement?</p> <p>1. From the very beginning, it was a rural revolt 2. It was essentially a moderate movement 3. It was marked by the unprecedented use of violence 4. It was marked by acute state repression</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 3 and 4 (d) 1, 3 and 4</p> <p>28. Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched ?</p>	<p>City ----- River</p> <p>(a) Berlin ----- Rhine (b) London ----- Thames (c) New York ----- Hudson (d) Vienna ----- Danube</p> <p>29. The world's largest solar park has been built by</p> <p>(a) India (b) Norway (c) Sweeden (d) China</p> <p>30. Which of the following statements about the Swadeshi movement in Bengal in 1905 are correct?</p> <p>1. It was marked by the mass mobilization through the organizations of "Samitis" 2. It was marked by the mass mobilization through labour strikes 3. It advocated a constructive programme of self help or "atmashakti" 4. In the sphere of education, national schools were established</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1, 2 and 3 (b) 1 and 4 (c) 2, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>31. The first Saka king in India, Maues, established Saka power in</p> <p>(a) Taxila (b) Gandhara (c) Mathura (d) Sialkot</p>
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<p>32. The Qarachil Expedition is attributed to the reign of</p> <p>(a) Ghiyas-ud-din Tughlaq (b) Ulugh Khan (c) Mohammad Bin Tughlaq (d) Firuz Tughlaq</p> <p>33. The Mughals adopted the Rupee from the currency developed by</p> <p>(a) Mohmmad Bin Tughlaq (b) Sher Shah (c) Kablai Khan of China (d) Firuz Tughlaq</p> <p>34. Which of the following Jaina texts deals with the code of conduct which a Jaina monk is required to follow ?</p> <p>(a) Acharanga Sutta (b) Bhagavati Sutta (c) Upangas (d) Purvas</p> <p>35. Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, Government of India, has recently decided to set up India's first defence industrial park at</p> <p>(a) Kochi (b) Ottappalam (c) Mysuru (d) Bengaluru</p> <p>36. Who among the following scientists of Indian origin is/has been the President of Royal Society?</p> <p>(a) Ronald Ross (b) Har Gobind Khorana (c) Chandrashekhar Venkata Raman (d) Venkatraman Ramakrishna</p>	<p>37. The largest greenhouse gas leakage in the US history took place in February 2016. The gas was</p> <p>(a) Carbon dioxide (b) Methane (c) Chlorofluorocarbon (d) Nitrous oxide</p> <p>38. Which of the following statements is/are correct?</p> <p>1. Gravitational Waves were predicted by Albert Einstein in 1916 on the basis of his theory of General Relativity 2. Gravitational waves do also exist in the Newtonian theory of Gravitation 3. Gravitational Waves are to be detected by very sensitive detectors known as Interferometres</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>The following 04 (Four) items consist of two statements, Statement I and Statement II. You are to examine these two statements carefully and select the answers to these items using the code given below: Code:</p> <p>(a) Both the statements are individually true and Statement II is the correct explanation of Statement I (b) Both the statements are individually true and Statement II is not the correct explanation of Statement I (c) Statement I is true, but Statement II is false (d) Statement I is false, but Statement II is true</p> <p>39. Statement I: India's offshore and deep sea fish catch is very poor considering the marine potential Statement II: Indian coast does not have many gulfs, bays, estuaries and backwaters</p> <p>(a) (b)</p>
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<p>(c) (d)</p>	<p>44. The earth without rotational movement would result into</p>
<p>40. Statement I: Tides are the rise and fall of sea levels caused by the combined effects of the gravitational forces exerted by the Moon and the Sun and the rotation of the earth Statement II: Earth rotates from the West towards the East once in 24 hours with respect to the Sun</p>	<p>1. no sun-rise and sun-set 2. no occurrence of day and night cycle 3. only one season</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p>
<p>(a) (b) (c) (d)</p>	<p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>
<p>41. Statement I: Sideral day is shorter than Solar day Statement II: The motion of the Earth in its orbit around the Sun is termed as revolution</p>	<p>45. When hard water is evaporated completely, the white solid remains in the container. It may be due to the presence of</p>
<p>(a) (b) (c) (d)</p>	<p>1. Carbonates of Ca and Mg 2. Sulphates of Ca and Mg 3. Chlorides of Ca and Mg</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p>
<p>42. Statement I: When a gun is fired it recoils, i.e., it pushes back, with much less velocity than the velocity of the bullet Statement II: Velocity of the recoiling gun is less because the gun is much heavier than the bullet</p>	<p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 3 only (d) 1 and 3</p>
<p>(a) (b) (c) (d)</p>	<p>46. Which one among the following statements is correct?</p> <p>(a) Prokaryotic cells possess nucleus (b) Cell membrane is present both in plant and animal cells</p>
<p>43. In an observation, Alpha particles, Beta particles and Gamma particles have same energies. Their penetrating power in a given medium in increasing order will be</p>	<p>(c) Mitochondria and chloroplasts are not found in eukaryotic cells (d) Ribosomes are present in eukaryotic cells only</p>
<p>(a) Alpha, Beta, Gamma (b) Beta, Gamma, Alpha (c) Alpha, Gamma, Beta (d) Beta, Alpha, Gamma</p>	<p>47. Which one among the following statements is not true for Mammals?</p> <p>(a) They possess hair on the body (b) Some of them lay eggs</p>

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<p>(c) Their heart is three chambered</p> <p>(d) Some are aquatic</p> <p>48. Arrange the following layers of atmosphere vertically from the surface of the Earth</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Mesosphere2. Troposphere3. Stratosphere4. Thermosphere <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1-2-3-4</p> <p>(b) 2-1-3-4</p> <p>(c) 2-3-1-4</p> <p>(d) 3-4-2-1</p> <p>49. Electricity is produced through dry cell from</p> <p>(a) chemical energy</p> <p>(b) thermal energy</p> <p>(c) mechanical energy</p> <p>(d) nuclear energy</p> <p>50. In human digestive system, the process of digestion starts in</p> <p>(a) Esophagus</p> <p>(b) Mouth</p> <p>(c) Duodenum</p> <p>(d) Stomach</p> <p>51. Which one among the following fuels is used in gas welding?</p> <p>(a) LPG</p> <p>(b) Ethylene</p> <p>(c) Methane</p> <p>(d) Acetylene</p>	<p>52. In respect of the difference of the gravitational force from electric and magnetic forces, which one of the following statements is true?</p> <p>(a) Gravitational force is stronger than the other two</p> <p>(b) Gravitational force is attractive only, whereas the electric and the magnetic forces are attractive as well as repulsive</p> <p>(c) Gravitational force has a very short range</p> <p>(d) Gravitational force is a long range force, while the other two are short range forces</p> <p>53. Which one among the following is a micronutrient present in soil for various crops?</p> <p>(a) Calcium</p> <p>(b) Manganese</p> <p>(c) Magnesium</p> <p>(d) Potassium</p> <p>54. Arrange the following tributaries of river Indus from North to South</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Chenab2. Jhelum3. Ravi4. Sutlej <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 4-3-1-2</p> <p>(b) 2-3-1-4</p> <p>(c) 1-2-3-4</p> <p>(d) 2-1-3-4</p> <p>55. Who of the following has been bestowed with the Venezuela's first-ever Hugo Chavez Prize for Peace and Sovereignty for his fight for peace?</p> <p>(a) Barack Obama</p> <p>(b) Kailash Satyarthi</p> <p>(c) Vladimir Putin</p> <p>(d) George Washington</p>
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<p>56. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the Lists:</p> <p>List I (Air Pollutant) : List II (Effect) A. Chlorofluorocarbon : 1. Acid rain B. Sulphur dioxide : 2. Depletion in ozone layer in the atmosphere C. Lead compound : 3. Harmful for human nervous system D. Carbon dioxide : 4. Topmost contribution to greenhouse effect</p> <p>Code:</p> <p>(a) A-4, B-3, C-1, D-2 (b) A-4, B-1, C-3, D-2 (c) A-2, B-1, C-3, D-4 (d) A-2, B-3, C-1, D-4</p> <p>57. Creation of something from nothing is against the law of</p> <p>(a) constant proportions (b) conservation of mass-energy (c) multiple proportions (d) conservation of momentum</p> <p>58. Which one of the following diseases in humans can spread through air?</p> <p>(a) Dengue (b) Tuberculosis (c) HIV-AIDS (d) Goitre</p> <p>59. Seismic gaps are</p> <p>(a) parts of plate boundaries in oceans where tsunamis occur frequently (b) sections of plate boundaries that have ruptured repeatedly in the recent past (c) sections of plate boundaries that have not ruptured in the recent past (d) plate boundaries having no volcanic activity</p>	<p>60. In the absence of Cold Labrador Current, which one among the following would happen?</p> <p>(a) There will be no North-East Atlantic fishing grounds (b) There will be no North-West Atlantic fishing grounds (c) There will be no fishing ground in the North Atlantic Ocean (d) Semi-arid condition of the Atlantic coast of the USA and Canada would prevail</p> <p>61. Which one among the following metals is prominently used in mobile phone batteries?</p> <p>(a) Copper (b) Zinc (c) Nickel (d) Lithium</p> <p>62. Which one of the following is the most appropriate and correct practice from the point of view of a healthy environment?</p> <p>(a) Burning of plastic wastes to keep the environment clean (b) Burning of dry and fallen leaves in a garden or field (c) Treatment of domestic sewage before its release (d) Use of chemical fertilizers in agricultural fields</p> <p>63. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the Lists</p> <p>List I (Type of Grass) : List II (Country) A. Llanos : 1. Australia B. Prairies : 2. Venezuela C. Pampas : 3. USA D. Downs : 4. Argentina</p> <p>Code:</p> <p>(a) A-1, B-4, C-3, D-2 (b) A-1, B-3, C-4, D-2</p>
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<p>(c) A-2, B-4, C-3, D-1 (d) A-2, B-3, C-4, D-1</p> <p>64. Who among the following proposed that atom is indivisible?</p> <p>(a) Dalton (b) Berzelius (c) Rutherford (d) Avogadro</p> <p>65. Tank irrigation is commonly found in South-Central parts of India. What could be the reason?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Insufficient shallow ground water2. Rocky plateau with impervious surface depression3. Undulating terrain helps in accumulation of rain water in depression or man-made tanks <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>66. Which of the following is/are the reason(s) behind Gujarat being the leading producer of Salt in India?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The long length of coastline2. Long duration of hot and dry conditions3. Presence of gulf areas <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) 1 and 3</p> <p>67. An object is raised to a height of 3 m from the ground. It is then allowed to fall on to a table 1 m high from the ground level. In this context, which</p>	<p>one among the following statements is correct?</p> <p>(a) Its potential energy decreases by two-thirds its original value of total energy (b) Its potential energy decreases by one-third its original value of total energy (c) Its kinetic energy increases by two-thirds, while potential energy increases by one-third (d) Its kinetic energy increases by one-third, while potential energy decreases by one-third</p> <p>68. The "HRIDAY" scheme has been launched by the Ministry of</p> <p>(a) Health and Family Welfare (b) Drinking water and Sanitation (c) Urban Development (d) Agriculture</p> <p>69. The Bharat quick response (QR) code is related to</p> <p>(a) AIDS (b) Ebola Virus (c) Road Accident Victims (d) Digital Payments</p> <p>70. Consider the following statements with regard to cold waves in winter season in northern India</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. There is lack of maritime influence2. Northern India is nearer to the Himalayan region3. Air mass comes from polar regions to northern India <p>Which of the statements given above is/are correct?</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1 and 2</p>
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<p>71. The N K Singh committee is related to</p> <p>(a) Goods and Services Tax (GST)</p> <p>(b) Digital Payments</p> <p>(c) Demonetisation</p> <p>(d) Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management (FRBM)</p> <p>72. Match List I with List II and select the correct Answer using the code given below the lists :</p> <p>List I : List II (Famous Temple) : (State) A. Vidyashankara temple : 1. Andhra Pradesh B. Rajarani temple : 2. Karnataka C. Kandariya Mahadeo : 3. Madhya Pradesh D. Bhimesvara Temple : 4. Orissa</p> <p>(a) A-2, B-4, C-3, D-1</p> <p>(b) A-2, B-3, C-4, D-1</p> <p>(c) A-1, B-4, C-3, D-2</p> <p>(d) A-1, B-3, C-4, D-2</p> <p>73. Which of the following stadium is to become the first Indian stadium to have stands named after the war heroes?</p> <p>(a) Lal Bahadur Shastri Stadium, Hyderabad</p> <p>(b) Eden Gardens, Kolkata</p> <p>(c) Green Park, Kanpur</p> <p>(d) Gandhi Stadium, Jalandhar</p> <p>74. USB Pratirodh, App Samvid and M-Kavach are</p> <p>(a) Asteroids</p> <p>(b) New varieties of Wheat</p> <p>(c) Pests of Cotton</p> <p>(d) Cyber security tools</p> <p>75. The International Mother Language Day assumes special significance in</p> <p>(a) Pakistan</p> <p>(b) USA</p> <p>(c) Bangladesh</p>	<p>(d) India</p> <p>76. Which one among the following processes is not part of a chemical weathering?</p> <p>(a) Hydration</p> <p>(b) Exfoliation</p> <p>(c) Oxidation</p> <p>(d) Solution</p> <p>77. Which one of the following statements regarding water cycle is correct?</p> <p>(a) Transpiration by plants does not contribute to cloud formation</p> <p>(b) Only evaporation of surface water of rivers and oceans is responsible for cloud formation</p> <p>(c) Rainfall does not contribute in maintenance of underground water table</p> <p>(d) Underground water may also be connected to surface water</p> <p>78. match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the Lists:</p> <p>List I (Ocean current) : List II (Coast)</p> <p>A. Humboldt : 1. Namibia - Angola B. North Atlantic Drift : 2. Chile - Peru C. Benguela : 3. Mozambique - Madagascar D. Agulhas : 4. United Kingdom - Norway</p> <p>Code:</p> <p>(a) A-2, B-1, C-4, D-3</p> <p>(b) A-2, B-4, C-1, D-3</p> <p>(c) A-3, B-4, C-1, D-2</p> <p>(d) A-3, B-1, C-4, D-2</p> <p>79. The horizontal wind circulation near the Earth's surface is due to the</p> <p>1. pressure gradient 2. frictional force 3. coriolis force</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p>
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<p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>80. A wire-bound standard resistor uses manganin or constantan. It is because</p> <p>(a) these alloys are cheap and easily available (b) they have high resistivity (c) they have low resistivity (d) they have resistivity which almost remains unchanged with temperature</p> <p>81. India's only live volcano which has become active again is</p> <p>(a) Baratang island (b) Katchal island (c) Barren Island (d) Neil island</p> <p>82. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. GST Council has been established as per Article 279A of the Constitution 2. It is joint forum of the Centre and the States 3. Prime Minister is Chairperson of the council</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>83. "CEPI" is related to</p> <p>(a) Corporate Social Responsibility (b) Space Programme (c) Sports (d) Development of vaccines</p>	<p>84. National Regulatory Authority of India is India's</p> <p>(a) Vaccine regulatory body (b) Biotechnology regulatory body (c) Digital Payments regulatory body (d) Patents regulatory body</p> <p>85. A Middle Income Group Scheme, (MIGS) a self-supporting scheme for providing legal services to the middle and relatively lower income groups has been introduced by</p> <p>(a) Bar Council of India (b) Ministry of Law and Justice (c) National Institute of Law (d) Supreme Court of India</p> <p>86. Which one among the following is used in making lead pencils?</p> <p>(a) Charcoal (b) Graphite (c) Coke (d) Carbon black</p> <p>87. Which one among the following structures or cells is not present in connective tissues?</p> <p>(a) Chondrocytes (b) Axon (c) Collagen fibre (d) Lymphocytes</p> <p>88. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the Lists:</p> <p>List I (Sanctuary) : List II (State) A. Sharavati Valley : 1. Gujarat B. Satkosia Gorge : 2. Goa C. Pirotan Island : 3. Odisha D. Bhagwan Mahavir : 4. Karnataka</p> <p>Code:</p>
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<p>(a) A-2, B-1, C-3, D-4 (b) A-4, B-1, C-3, D-2 (c) A-4, B-3, C-1, D-2 (d) A-2, B-3, C-1, D-4</p> <p>89. The Union Cabinet chaired by Prime Minister Narendra Modi has approved establishment of Food Legumes Research Platform (FLRP) in</p> <p>(a) Odisha (b) West Bengal (c) Rajasthan (d) Madhya Pradesh</p> <p>90. The word 'vaccination' has been derived from a Latin word which relates to</p> <p>(a) Pig (b) Horse (c) Cow (d) Dog</p> <p>91. Consider the following statements :</p> <p>1. In the world, the tropical deserts occur along the western margins of continents within the trade wind belt 2. In India, the East Himalayan region gets high rainfall from north-east winds 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>92. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. South Asia Training and Technical Assistance Centre (SARTTAC) has been opened in New Delhi 2. It has been established by Asian Development Bank</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2</p>	<p>(c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>93. The Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) has planned to develop large deposits of uranium found in which of the following Northeastern state?</p> <p>(a) Arunachal Pradesh (b) Nagaland (c) Manipur (d) Meghalaya</p> <p>94. What is 'Indradhanush 2.0'?</p> <p>(a) Immunisation Programme (b) Solar Energy Development Programme (c) Anti Aircraft Gun (d) Recapitalisation Scheme of public sector lenders</p> <p>95. Nilambur teak which has recently acquired the Geographical Indication (GI) tag is from</p> <p>(a) Manipur (b) Karnataka (c) Kerala (d) Jammu and Kashmir</p> <p>96. Which of the following characteristic(s) describes the nature of religion according to the Rig Veda?</p> <p>1. Rig Vedic religion can be described as naturalistic polytheism 2. There are striking similarities between the Rig Vedic religion and the ideas in the Iranian Avesta 3. Vedic sacrifices were conducted in the house of the priest who was called yajaman 4. Vedic sacrifices were of two kinds - those conducted by the householder and those that required ritual specialists</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 3 only (b) 1 and 2</p>
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<p>(c) 1, 2, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2 and 4</p> <p>97. Which of the following statement(s) about caste movements in early 20th century Kerala is/are false?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Kerala's first modern novel Indulekha attacked the social dominance of Nambudiri Brahmans in Kerala2. C. V. Raman Pillai's novel Marthanda Varma was written against the exploitation of peasants by Nair landlords3. Sree Narayana Guru was one of the founders of the Sree Narayana Dharma Paripalana Yogam that was engaged in the upliftment of the Ezhavas in Kerala4. Dr. Palpu, the first Ezhava graduate, was one of the founders of the Sree Narayana Dharma Paripalana Yogam that was engaged in the upliftment of the Ezhavas in Kerala <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 3 (c) 2 only (d) 2 and 4</p> <p>98. In which of the following cases did the Supreme Court rule that Constitutional Amendments were also laws under Article 13 of the Constitution of India, which could be declared void for being inconsistent with Fundamental Rights?</p> <p>(a) Keshavanand Bharati Case (b) Golaknath Case (c) Minerva Mills Case (d) Maneka Gandhi Case</p> <p>99. Which of the following statement(s) is/are not correct for the Ninth Schedule of the Constitution of India?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. It was inserted by the first amendment in 19512. It included those laws which are beyond the purview of judicial review3. It was inserted by the 42nd amendment4. The laws in the Ninth Schedule are primarily those which pertain to the matters of national security	<p>Select the correct answer using the code given below:</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 3 (c) 3 and 4 (d) 3 only</p> <p>100. Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI), the foremost investigative police agency in India is a</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. A Constitutional body2. A Statutory body <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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Answer Sheet

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