



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. Consider the following statements regarding Snow leopard:
 - 1) Snow leopards are categorized as endangered by IUCN.
 - 2) They are categorised under Schedule I of the Indian Wildlife (Protection) Act 1972.Select the correct answer from the codes given below:
a) 1 only b) 2 only c) Both 1 and 2 d) Neither 1 nor 2
2. What is the Palestine 194 Campaign?
 - a) A campaign against Israel's occupancy of the Western Bank.
 - b) Palestine's efforts to include itself in the United Nations Organization.
 - c) Palestine's effort to merge Gaza strip.
 - d) None of the above
3. Which country has recently barred foreign curriculum and ownership in private schools?
 - a) China b) India c) Japan d) Iran
4. Supercomputer named 'Simorgh' has been developed by which country recently?
 - a) France b) Iran c) South Korea d) Finland
5. What is the theme of this year's International Museum Day 2021?
 - a) The Future of Museums: Recover and Reimagine
 - b) Museums for Equality: Diversity and Inclusion
 - c) Museums as Cultural Hubs: The future of tradition
 - d) Hyperconnected Museums: New approaches, new publics
6. Consider the following statements regarding world heritage sites:
 - 1) A World Heritage site is classified as a natural or man-made area or a structure that is of international importance, and a space which requires special protection.
 - 2) The list is maintained by the international World Heritage Programme administered by the UNESCO World Heritage Committee, composed of 21 UNESCO member states which are elected by the General Assembly.Select the incorrect answer from the codes given below:
a) 1 only b) 2 only c) Both 1 and 2 d) Neither 1 nor 2
7. Consider the following statements regarding Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY):
 - 1) The PMSSY is implemented by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.
 - 2) It's aim is to set up new AIIMS .Select the correct answer from the codes given below:
a) 1 only b) 2 only c) Both 1 and 2 d) Neither 1 nor 2
8. Consider the following statements regarding NASA-ESA Solar Orbiter Spacecraft:
 - 1) This is the first mission that will provide images of the sun's north and south poles using a suite of

six instruments on board that will capture the spacecraft's view.

- 2) It will be able to brave the heat of the sun because it has a custom titanium heat shield coated in calcium phosphate so that it can endure temperatures up to 970 degrees Fahrenheit.

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

- a) 1 only b) 2 only c) Both 1 and 2 d) Neither 1 nor 2

9. GI-certified Dahanu Gholvad Chikoo traces its origin to which of the following states?

- a) Karnataka b) Maharashtra c) West Bengal d) Andhra Pradesh

10. Which of the following states declared Mucormycosis as an epidemic?

- a) Rajasthan b) Punjab c) Telangana d) Karnataka