



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. With reference to the Vehicle Scrappage Policy, recently been in the news, consider the following statements:

- 1) A passenger car has a ten-year lifespan, while commercial vehicles have a 15-year lifespan, according to the new rules.
- 2) Following the fulfillment of the limitations, cars will be subjected to an obligatory fitness test to assess whether they are fit to operate.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

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

2. With reference to the Information Technology (Intermediary Guidelines and Digital Media Ethics Code) Rules, 2021, recently been in the news, consider the following statements:

- 1) OTT platforms must categorise their material into four categories based on the user's age.
- 2) Social Media Intermediaries that have more than 50 lakh registered users in India are considered significant.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

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

3. With reference to the Parliamentary Proceedings, recently been in the news, consider the following statements:

- 1) Before each session of Parliament, the President addresses a joint gathering of both chambers of Parliament.

2) Each year, four sessions of Parliament are held in a typical scenario.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

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

4. The places, 'Tirin Kot' and 'Feroz Koh', recently seen in the news, are related to which of the following?

- a) India
- b) Afghanistan
- c) Pakistan
- d) Myanmar

5. With reference to the Medical Termination of Pregnancy Bill (2020), recently been in the news, consider the following statements:

- 1) This bill applies to both married and single women.
- 2) For rape survivors and incest victims, the gestational age limit is 24 weeks.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

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

6. With reference to the Single-Use Plastics Usage, recently been in the news, consider the following statements:

- 1) India is the world's top producer of single-use plastic.
- 2) India has set a goal of banning single-use plastics across the country by 2024.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2

d) Neither 1 nor 2

7. The Himalayan Range is Very rich in species diversity. Which one among the following is the most appropriate reason for this phenomenon?

- a) It has a high rainfall that supports luxuriant vegetative growth
- b) It is a confluence of different bio-geographical zones
- c) Exotic and invasive species have not been introduced in this region
- d) It has less human interference

8. The distribution of powers between the Centre and the States in the Indian Constitution is based on the scheme provided in the

- a) Morley-Minto Reforms, 1909
- b) Montagu-Chelmsford Act, 1919
- c) Government of India Act, 1935
- d) Indian Independence Act, 1947

9. What is the difference between a CFL and an LED lamp?

- 1) To produce light, a CFL uses mercury vapour and phosphor while an LED lamp uses semiconductor material.
- 2) The average life span of a CFL is much longer than that of an LED lamp.
- 3) A CFL is less energy-efficient as compared to an LED lamp.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

10. With reference to the National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR), recently been in the news, consider the following statements:

- 1) It is a constitutional body that falls under the Ministry of Women and Child Development's jurisdiction.

2) A child is defined by NCPCR as someone who is between the ages of 0 and 16 years.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

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