



# EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

## DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. With reference to the 'Sahakar Cooptube NCDC India', consider the following statements:
  - 1) It aims to encourage farmers and the youth to take benefit of cooperatives.
  - 2) National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) is an apex-level statutory institution under the Ministry of Finance.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - a) 1 only
  - b) 2 only
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
2. Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Sirmaur, recently seen in news, is located in:
  - a) Himachal Pradesh
  - b) Rajasthan
  - c) Punjab
  - d) Uttarakhand
3. The Barakah nuclear power plant is located in:
  - a) Saudi Arabia
  - b) Oman
  - c) Qatar
  - d) U.A.E
4. The Alternative Academic Calendar for upper primary stage students, recently in news, has been developed by:
  - a) UGC
  - b) NCERT
  - c) AICTE
  - d) None of the above
5. With reference to the Mohun Bagan Athletic Club, consider the following statements:
  - 1) It was founded in 1889 as Mohun Bagan Sporting Club, the club's football section is one of the oldest football clubs in India and Asia.
  - 2) July 29 is celebrated every year as Mohun Bagan day to commemorate the team's famous IFA Shield triumph in 1911.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - a) 1 only
  - b) 2 only
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
6. Consider the following statements:
  - 1) Union Ministry of Shipping has separated the operation routes for merchant vessels and fishing vessels in South-West Indian waters.
  - 2) The Bab-el-Mandeb connects the Red Sea to the Gulf of Aden.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - a) 1 only
  - b) 2 only
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
7. Consider the following statements regarding Habeas Corpus:
  - 1) The court can issue an order to a person who has detained another person, to produce the detainee before it.
  - 2) Both the Supreme Court and High courts under Article 32 can issue the writ of habeas corpus.
  - 3) The writ of habeas corpus can only be issued against private individuals.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - a) 1 only
  - b) 1 and 2 only
  - c) 1 and 3 only
  - d) 1, 2 and 3

8. With reference to Purchasing Managers Index (PMI), consider the following statements:
- 1) PMI is an indicator of business activity in the manufacturing sector only.
  - 2) The PMI is usually released bi-annually.
- Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- a) 1 only                                      b) 2 only                                      c) Both 1 and 2                                      d) Neither 1 nor 2
9. With reference to Electronic Vaccine Intelligence Network (eVIN), consider the following statements:
- 1) Its objective is to augment the Universal Immunization Programme.
  - 2) It is implemented by the WHO in India.
  - 3) It monitors the supply chain of Covid response material.
- Which of the above statements is/are correct?
- a) 1 and 2 only                                      b) 1 and 3 only                                      c) 2 and 3 only                                      d) 1, 2 and 3
10. The 'Demo-2 mission' was recently seen in the news, was launched by?
- a) National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
  - b) Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO)
  - c) China National Space Administration (CNSA)
  - d) European Space Agency (ESA)