



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. With reference to the CZA-Prani Mitra awards, consider the following statements:
 - 1) The awards were given in ten categories.
 - 2) Central Zoo Authority (CZA) was established to oversee the functioning of Indian zoos and complement the wildlife conservation strategies through ex-situ measures.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. Which of the following are included in Quad countries?
 - 1) India
 - 2) Japan
 - 3) U.KSelect the correct answer using the code given below:
 - a) 1 only
 - b) 1 and 2 only
 - c) 2 and 3 only
 - d) 1, 2 and 3

3. With reference to the emission norms for tractors, consider the following statements:
 - 1) It will be applicable from October 2021 and for Construction Equipment Vehicles, the norms will be applicable from April 2021.
 - 2) The amendment to Central Motor Vehicle Rules 1989 includes separate emission norms for agricultural machinery (agricultural tractors, power tillers and combined harvesters) and construction equipment vehicles.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

4. With reference to education for deaf children, consider the following statements:
 - 1) Recently a MoU signed between Indian Sign Language Research and Training Center (ISLRTC) and NCERT to make education materials accessible for Deaf children in their preferred format of communication.
 - 2) The Indian Sign Language Research and Training Center (ISLRTC), Delhi is a Society under the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment.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

5. World Habitat Day 2020 was observed on:
 - a) 5 October, 2020
 - b) 1 October, 2020
 - c) 3 October, 2020
 - d) 30 September, 2020

6. With reference to the ketogenic diet, consider the following statements:
 - 1) It is a high-fat, moderate-protein and low-carb diet that helps in weight loss by achieving ketosis.
 - 2) Typically, popular ketogenic diets suggest an average of 70-80 per cent fat, 5-10 per cent

carbohydrate, and 10-20 per cent protein.

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. Scientific techniques like narcos analyses and polygraph tests are being increasingly used in criminal investigations. Which of the following statements is correct with reference to these methods?

- a) The results of these tests or subsequent discoveries with the help of the results are not admissible in the courts.
b) These tests are scientifically proven methods based on the fact that physiological responses that are triggered when a person is lying are different from what they would be otherwise.
c) Consent is required to carry out these tests, both in case of victims and accused.
d) While the polygraph test detects falsehood, narcos analysis determines drug levels in the blood of a person.

8. Which of the following diseases affect the cultivation of rice crops?

- 1) Tungro
2) Bakanae
3) Sheath blight

Choose the correct option using code given below:

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

9. 'Noumea Accord', recently seen in the news is related to?

- a) Peace agreement between Armenia and Azerbaijan.
b) Middle East peace agreement signed with the United States.
c) Global alliance under UNFCCC to reduce carbon emission.
d) Decolonisation plan for New Caledonia proposed by France.

10. With reference to the Compensatory Afforestation Fund (CAF), consider the following statements:

- 1) The fund is collected under the Forest Conservation Act, 1980.
2) The CAF is shared between Centre and States.

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