



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

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1. Who among the following is credited with conceptualization and implementation of NREGA (National rural employment guarantee act)?
a) Raghuvansh Prasad Singh b) Arun Jaitley c) Sushma Swaraj d) Manohar Parrikar
2. With reference to the Methanol, consider the following statements:
1) Rashtriya Chemicals and Fertilizers Ltd (RCF), a PSU under the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers has started its Methanol Plant at Trombay Unit, Mumbai.
2) With this, RCF has entered the select list of Methanol producers in the country, providing alternate to import.
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
3. With reference to the Prior restraint (censorship), consider the following statements:
1) Prior restraint is prohibiting the exercise of free speech before it can take place.
2) Imposition of pre-censorship or prior restraint on speech is a violation of the fundamental right to freedom of speech and expression enshrined in Article 19 (1) (a) of the Constitution.
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 the Education, consider the following statements:
1) The National Education Policy 2020 reiterates the three-language formula and suggests medium of instruction in home language at least till Class X.
2) According to the National Statistical Organisation's (NSO) latest report on education, 70% or more students whose home language is Assamese, Bengali and Gujarati completed their school education in these vernacular languages.
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. Recently seen in news, e-Gopala App is:
a) a comprehensive breed improvement marketplace and information portal for direct use of farmers.
b) an education app proposed in National Education Policy.
c) an app used for COVID-19 "contact tracing, syndromic mapping and self-assessment".
d) None of the above
6. With reference to the PM Matsya Sampada Yojana, consider the following statements:
1) It is being launched in 21 States of the country with an investment of Rs 20,000 Crores which would be spent in the next 4-5 Years.
2) It aims at enhancing fish production by an additional 70 lakh tonne by 2024-25.
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. Bradykinin hypothesis has been in the news. It is related to?
a) SARS-CoV-2 b) Magnetic pole shifting c) Climate change d) Extraterrestrial life
8. With reference to Climate Smart Cities Assessment Framework 2.0, which of the following is/are correct?
1) The framework is launched by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.
2) It has been launched under the Smart Cities Mission.
Choose the correct option from the codes given below.

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

9. With reference to Sonamura-Daudkandi Route, consider the following statements:

- 1) It is an inland waterway route over river Gumati.
- 2) It connects Tripura with the National Waterways of India through Bangladesh.

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

10. Which of the following are among eight core sector industries?

- 1) Cement
- 2) Electricity
- 3) Refinery Products
- 4) Fertilizers

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1, 2 and 4 only b) 1, 2 and 3 only c) 2, 3 and 4 only d) 1, 2, 3 and 4