



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

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1. Which country became the newest member of Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO)?
 - a) Iraq
 - b) Bangladesh
 - c) Myanmar
 - d) Iran

2. Which state in India has become the first state to adopt the Model Tenancy Act 2021?
 - a) Tamilnadu
 - b) Maharashtra
 - c) Assam
 - d) Rajasthan

3. The military exercise “Surya Kiran” is conducted jointly by
 - a) India and Srilanka
 - b) India and Bangladesh
 - c) India and Myanmar
 - d) India and Nepal

4. Which state in India has become the first state to implement the India Enterprise Architecture (IndEA)?
 - a) Karnataka
 - b) Telangana
 - c) Meghalaya
 - d) Arunachal Pradesh

5. India has developed an indigenous technology to convert high ash Indian coal to methanol and established its first pilot plant in _____.
 - a) Bangalore
 - b) Hyderabad
 - c) Indore
 - d) Gandhinagar

6. NITI Aayog has tied up with which entity to launch tech-driven learning programmes for children from 112 Aspirational districts of the country?
 - a) Google India
 - b) Facebook India
 - c) Byju’s
 - d) Amazon

7. What is the theme of the 2021 World Bamboo Day?

- a) Bamboo For Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) of United Nations
 - b) Bamboo Now
 - c) #PlantBamboo: It Is Time To Plant Bamboo
 - d) Keep Bamboo Strong
8. Who is the author of the book 'Translating Myself and Others'?
- a) Sudha Murthy
 - b) Arundhati Ray
 - c) Anita Desai
 - d) Jhumpa Lahiri
9. The Agreement on Agriculture (AoA) is an international treaty of the _____.
- a) World Trade Organization (WTO)
 - b) North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)
 - c) Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)
 - d) International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)
10. The Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) discovered remains of an ancient temple dating back to the Gupta period (5th century) in a village in Uttar Pradesh's Etah district. Consider the following statements and choose the correct one:
- (A) The stairs of the temple had "Shankhalipi" or "shell-script" inscriptions.
- (B) The discovery becomes significant since only two other structural temples from the Gupta age have been found so far, Dashavatara Temple in Deogarh and Bhitargaon Temple in Kanpur.
- a) Only (A)
 - b) Only (B)
 - c) Both (A) and (B)
 - d) Neither (A) nor (B)