



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. Which of the following are the likely impacts of increasing carbon dioxide concentration in the atmosphere?

- 1) Increase in global temperatures
- 2) Decrease in plant growth
- 3) Increase in ocean acidity
- 4) Decreased rate of organic matter decay

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

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

2. Synthesis of RNA from DNA is called

- a) Sequencing
- b) Mutation
- c) Transcription
- d) None of these

3. Which of the following best describes the term 'kathi Kuni'?

- a) It's a type of shifting cultivation
- b) An environmental friendly disaster resilient structure
- c) It's a paddy growing technique practiced in hilly areas
- d) None of these

4. 'Sharpe Ratio' seen in the news is the measure of

- a) Risk adjusted return of a financial portfolio
- b) Size of a firm in relation to respective industry

- c) Measure of a company's ability to honor its debt payment
- d) None of these

5. The term 'Dark Store', sometimes mentioned in the news, refers to
- a) a supermarket that offers deeper discounted prices than a conventional store
 - b) a store selling banned items and goods smuggled from neighboring countries
 - c) a retail outlet that supplies goods exclusively through online shopping
 - d) a warehouse where goods are stored until they are exported to other countries

6. Which of the following is/are considered as the negative effects of mining?

- 1) Sedimentation in water bodies
- 2) Acid drainage
- 3) Metals Deposition
- 4) Release of Radionuclides

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

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

7. The religion of early Vedic Aryans was primarily of

- a) Bhakti
- b) Image worship and Yajnas
- c) Worship of nature and Yajnas
- d) Worship of nature and Bhakti

8. In medieval India, the designations 'Mahattara' and 'Pattakila' were used for

- a) Military officers
- b) Village headmen
- c) Specialists in Vedic rituals
- d) Chiefs of craft guilds

9. Consider the following :

- 1) Assessment of land revenue on the basis of nature of the soil and the quality of crops
- 2) Use of mobile cannons in warfare
- 3) Cultivation of tobacco and red chillies

Which of the above was/were introduced into India by the English?

- a) 1 only
- b) 1 and 2
- c) 2 and 3
- d) None

10. With reference to Direct Seeding of Rice (DSR), consider the following statements:

- 1) In DSR, the pre-germinated seeds are directly drilled into the field by a tractor-powered machine.
- 2) The spraying of herbicides is not required in DSR.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- a) Only 1
- b) Only 2
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) None of these