

General Awareness

Q.1 The 'Dalong Village' covering an area of 11.35 sq. km. has recently (May 2017) been declared as Biodiversity Heritage Site under Section 37(1) of Biological Diversity Act, 2002. The village is situated in the Indian State of -

- (A) Manipur
- (B) Madhya Pradesh
- (C) Mizoram
- (D) Maharashtra

Answer : B

Q.2 is the first woman to head a public sector bank.

- (A) Arundhati Bhattacharya
- (B) Shikha Sharma
- (C) Chanda Kochar
- (D) Usha Ananthasubramanyan

Answer : A

Q.3 World Tourism Day is celebrated on-

- (A) September 12
- (B) September 25
- (C) September 27
- (D) September 29

Answer : C

Q.4 Where is Bose Institute ?

- (A) Dispur
- (B) Kolkata
- (C) Mumbai
- (D) New Delhi

Answer : B

Q.5 When is the International Yoga Day celebrated ?

- (A) June 21
- (B) March 21
- (C) April 22
- (D) May 31

Answer : A

Q.6 The two-day festival 'North East Calling', is organized by which ministry ?

- (A) Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (DoNER)
- (B) Ministry of External Affairs
- (C) Ministry of Home Affairs
- (D) Ministry of Defence

Answer : A

Q.7 When Government of India confers the "Highest Civilian Honor for Women" by presenting "Nari Shakti Puraskars" ?

- (A) June 5
- (B) 8th March, every year, International Women's Day
- (C) June 21

(D) April 7

Answer : B

Q.8 The motif of 'Hampi with Chariot' is printed on the reverse of which currency note ?

(A) One Rupee Note

(B) Rs. 500 note

(C) Rs. 50 note

(D) Rs. 1000 note

Answer : C

Q.9 Election Commission of India has decided that the voter's identification shall be mandatory in the elections at the time of poll. Which of the following shall be the main document of identification of a voter ?

(A) Voter Slip

(B) Electoral Photo Identity Cards (EPIC)

(C) Indelible ink mark

(D) Electoral rolls

Answer : B

Q.10 'Line of Blood' is a book written by whom?

- (A) Bairaj Khanna
- (B) Ursula Vernon
- (C) Amal El-Mohtar
- (D) Diksha Basu

Answer : A

Q.11 Should all train engines operated by coal be converted to electric engines?

- (A) Yes, coal engines pollute the environment more than electric engines
- (B) Yes, electric engines are more powerful and efficient
- (C) No, we do not have enough electric power to cater to the need of domestic use
- (D) No, we have enough coals to run train engines

Answer : A

Q.12 The order of the tricolour of the Indian Flag from top to bottom is in which of the following sequences?

- (A) Saffron, White with 24-spoke Wheel, Green
- (B) Green, White with 24-spoke Wheel, Saffron
- (C) Saffron, White with 22-spoke Wheel, Green
- (D) Green, White with 22-spoke Wheel, Saffron

Answer : A

Q.13 The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority (IRDA) is a -

- (A) Statutory Body
- (B) Constitutional Body
- (C) Non Governmental Organization
- (D) Advisory Body

Answer : A

Q.14 A major in-stream use of water is for -

- (A) producing hydroelectric power
- (B) dissolving industrial wastes
- (C) agricultural irrigation
- (D) domestic use

Answer : A

Q.15 Which of the following pairs is/ are correctly matched ?

1. Francis Collins : Mapping human genome
2. Sergey Brin : Google Search Engine
3. Jimmy Wales : Wikipedia

- (A) 1 and 2
- (B) 2 and 3
- (C) 3 only
- (D) 1,2 and 3

Answer : D

Q.16 Who among the following Scientists got two Nobel prizes of which one was in Peace?

- (A) Albert Einstein
- (B) H. G. Khorana
- (C) Linus Pauling
- (D) Paul Berg

Answer : C

Q.17 The first Indian State to go wholly organic is -

- (A) Meghalaya
- (B) Sikkim
- (C) Manipur
- (D) Kerala

Answer : B

Q.18 Which among the following cities in India, is not located in Golden Quadrilateral Road Network?

- (A) Kolkata
- (B) Mumbai
- (C) New Delhi
- (D) Chandigarh

Answer : D

Q.19 Which one of the following states of India has made unique venture of putting daughter's nameplate on the front of the house?

- (A) Punjab
- (B) Haryana
- (C) Uttar Pradesh
- (D) Madhya Pradesh

Answer : B

Q.20 What is the name of Indira Gandhi's Samadhi?

- (A) Shanti Ghat
- (B) Shakti Sthal
- (C) Shanti Van
- (D) Shanti Sthal

Answer : B

Q.21 According to Census 2011, the district of Madhya Pradesh with highest female-male ratio is -

- (A) Jhabua
- (B) Dindori
- (C) Mandla
- (D) Balaghat

Answer : D

Q.22 What is the approximate present irrigation potential, in lakh hectares, of Madhya Pradesh?

- (A) 68.20
- (B) 44.94
- (C) 78.20
- (D) 33

Answer : D

Q.23 Madhya Pradesh State was constituted on -

- (A) 1st November, 1959
- (B) 1st September, 1956
- (C) 1st November, 1956
- (D) 1st September, 1951

Answer : C

Q.24 Who introduced 'Green Army' for environment conservation?

- (A) Japan
- (B) China
- (C) Australia
- (D) Egypt

Answer : C

Q.25 According to the World Health Organization the most affected country by Ebola was -

- (A) Nigeria
- (B) Mali
- (C) Liberia
- (D) Senegal

Answer : C