

Prelims Practice Questions 15-08-2018

- 1. Consider the following statements about legal system in India
 - 1. Right to free legal services is a fundamental right in India
 - 2. E- Courts Project aims at efficient and time- bound legal service delivery to citizens which is under the aegis of the Supreme Court of India

Which of the statement(s) is/ are true?

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

Answer: a

The E-Courts Mission Mode Project, is a Pan-India Project, monitored and funded by Department of Justice, Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India for the District Courts across the country.

- 2. Consider the following statements about River Mahadayi
 - 1. It is described as the 'Lifeline of Goa'
 - 2. It originates in the same place as that of River Krishna
 - 3. It is an east-flowing river that drains in the Bay of Bengal near Odisha

Which of the statement(s) is/ are true?

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

Answer: a

River Krishna originates in Mahabaleswar, Maharashtra and River Mahadayi originates in Belagavi district in Karnataka.

It is a west-flowing river that drains in the Arabian Sea

- 3. Consider the following statements about Global Liveability Index
 - 1. It was released by the Economist Intelligence Unit, a Buisiness group based in Britain
 - 2. The index was topped by Vienna

Which of the statement(s) is/ are **not** true?

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

Answer: d

- 4. Consider the following statements about simultaneous elections in India
 - 1. Only once, in the year 1952, elections to the Parliament and State legislature happened simultaneously
 - 2. One of the greatest hurdles for simultaneous elections in India is that the Constitution does not provide a fixed term for the executives

Which of the statement(s) is/ are true?

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

Answer: b

Simultaneous elections happened in India till 1967

- 5. Consider the following statements about the scheme Kanyashree Prakalpa

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 - 1. It a conditional cash transfer scheme with the aim of improving the status and well being of the girl child aged betweeb 13 and 18
 - 2. It is a flagship programme of Government of West Bengal

Which of the statement(s) is/ are true?

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

Answer: c

- 6. Consider the following statements about The Compensatory Afforestation Fund Bill, 2015
 - 1. Of the total funds received ,10% will go to the State Fund and 90% will be given to the National Fund $\frac{1}{2}$
 - 2. The funds will be spent on compensatory afforestation, regeneration of forest ecosystem, wildlife protection and infrastructure development

Which of the statement(s) is/ are true?

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

Answer: b

The National Fund will receive 10% of these funds, and the State Funds will receive the remaining 90%.

- 7. Which of the given statement(s) is/ are true about the Swadesh Darshan Scheme?
 - 1. It is a centrally- sponsored scheme under the aegis of Ministry of Tourism
 - 2. It aims to develop theme-based tourism circuits
 - 3. It also aims to integrate other schemes such as Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, Skill India, Make in India and so on
 - a. 1 and 2 only
 - b. 1 and 3 only
 - c. 2 and 3 only
 - d. 1, 2, 3

Answer: c

It is a central sector scheme

- 8. Consider the following definitions
 - 1. Revenue deficit refers to the difference between the import and export of goods and services
 - 2. Trade deficit refers to a situation where the realized net income is less than the projected net income.

Which of the statement(s) is/ are true?

- a. 1 only Information is Empowering
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Answer: d

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- 9. Which of the following river(s) originate in the Eastern Ghats?
 - 1. Vamsadhara
 - 2. Rushikulya
 - 3. Gosthani
 - a. 1 and 2 only
 - b. 2 only
 - c. 1 and 3 only
 - d. 1, 2, 3

Answer: d

Vamsadhara origates in Odisha (between kalahandi and Rayagada)

Rushikulya originates in Daringbadi hills of the Eastern Ghats

Gosthani originates from Ananthagiri Hills of the Eastern Ghats

- 10. Which of the following is/ are the goal(s) of Unnat Bharat Abiyan 2.0?
 - 1. To provide rural India and regional agencies with access to the professional resources of the institutes of higher education
 - 2. To foster a new dialogue within the larger community on science, society and the environment and to develop a sense of dignity and collective destiny.
 - 3. To ensure that the every student in our country has access to the best quality higher education at the affordable cost
 - a. 1 only
 - b. 3 only
 - c. 1 and 2 only
 - d. 1 and 3 only

Answer: c

