

1. Which among the following Fundamental Rights are available only to the citizens of India?
 1. Right against discrimination.
 2. Right to Equality of opportunity.
 3. Protection of life and personal liberty.Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 - (a) 1 only
 - (b) 1 and 2 only
 - (c) 2 and 3 only
 - (d) All of the above
2. Which Part of Indian Constitution is considered as the Magna Carta of India?
Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 - (a) Part III - Fundamental Rights
 - (b) Part IV – DPSP
 - (c) Both A and B
 - (d) Neither A nor B
3. Consider the following statements about Mahadayi River.
 1. It is also called as Mandovi river.
 2. It is a West flowing river.Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 - (a) 1 only
 - (b) 2 only
 - (c) Both 1 and 2
 - (d) Neither 1 nor 2
4. Exercise Surya Kiran is a joint military exercise between which following countries.
Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 - (a) India - Sri Lanka
 - (b) India - Nepal
 - (c) India - Bangladesh
 - (d) India - Myanmar
5. Consider the following statement(s)
 1. The surface ocean currents moving forward under the influence of prevailing winds are called 'Drifts'.
 2. While 'currents' move faster than 'Drifts', velocity of oceanic 'Stream' are fastest.Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 - (a) 1 only
 - (b) 2 only
 - (c) Both 1 and 2
 - (d) Neither 1 nor 2
6. Consider the following statements about Great Indian Bustard.
 1. They are found in a few forest areas in the Western Ghats and in the forests along the Himalayas.

2. It is evaluated as 'vulnerable' bird in the IUCN Red List of threatened species.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

7. With reference to Asian Development Bank (ADB), consider the following statements.

1. Its headquarter is in Manila, Philippines.
2. India is not a member of ADB

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

8. Consider the following statement(s).

1. Nevado Ojos del Salado is a highest active volcano in the world.
2. Nevado Ojos del Salado is a stratovolcano in the Rocky Mountains of North America

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

9. Consider the following statements about Paraben

1. They are a group of organic compounds used as preservatives in cosmetics and hygiene products.
2. Lab-on-Valve is nanotechnology based method to identify and measure paraben in water bodies.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

10. India's First Advanced Forensic Lab dedicated to women related cases is located at which city?

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) Bengaluru
(b) Hyderabad
(c) Chennai
(d) Chandigarh

11. Which of the following institutions can avail loan under the Revitalising Infrastructure and Systems in Education (RISE) scheme?

1. National Institutes of Technology (NITs)
2. Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs)
3. Indian Institutes of Information Technology (IIITs)
4. Indian Institutes of Science Education and Research (IISERs)

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only
(b) 2, 3 and 4 only
(c) 1, 3 and 4 only
(d) All of the above

12. Which of the following are eligible for free legal aid under the Legal Services Authority Act, 1987?
1. Member of a Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe
 2. Victim of trafficking in human beings
 3. Women irrespective of their income
 4. Persons in custody

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only
 - (b) 2, 3 and 4 only
 - (c) 1, 3 and 4 only
 - (d) All of the above
13. The GOBAR-DHAN (Galvanising Organic Bio Agro Resources) scheme aims to:
- (a) Encourage rural families to use bio/agro waste for energy generation in their homes.
 - (b) Create an online platform for trading cow dung and agricultural waste.
 - (c) Promote cow dung and agricultural produce in traditional medicines.
 - (d) All of the above.
14. Microalgae are considered to be attractive source for the production of bio-fuels because of?
1. Higher productivity than those of higher plants.
 2. High lipid and starch contents.
 3. Easy cultivation.
 4. Low cost of production

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only
 - (b) 1, 2 and 4 only
 - (c) 2 and 3 only
 - (d) 2, 3 and 4 only
15. Which of the following are among the 'Seven Mission Innovation Challenges'?
1. Clean Energy Materials Innovation Challenge
 2. Carbon Capture Innovation Challenge
 3. Off-Grid Access to Electricity Innovation Challenge

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 and 2 only
 - (b) 2 and 3 only
 - (c) 1 and 3 only
 - (d) All of the above
16. Consider the following statements about 'Rustom 2':
1. It is a drone developed by Defence Research and Development Organisation.
 2. Its aim is to carry out surveillance for the armed forces with an endurance of 24 hours.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2

- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
17. In vitro fertilisation, cryo-preservation and tissue culture:
- (a) All are in situ conservation methods.
 - (b) All are ex situ conservation methods.
 - (c) All require ultra modern equipment and large space.
 - (d) All are methods of conservation of extinct organisms.
18. Which of the following statements correctly defines 'Varunastra'?
- (a) It is a surface-to-surface missile.
 - (b) It is an anti-aircraft gun.
 - (c) It is a laser-based weapon.
 - (d) It is an anti-submarine weapon.
19. Consider the following statements about the 'Zonal Councils':
- 1. They have been established to promote interstate cooperation and coordination.
 - 2. They are constitutional bodies.
 - 3. They are only deliberative and advisory bodies.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 and 2 only
 - (b) 2 and 3 only
 - (c) 1 and 3 only
 - (d) All of the above
20. Consider the following statements about the functions of the National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR):
- 1. To inspect any juvenile custodial home.
 - 2. To enquire into any matter related to child rights which might be pending before a State Commission.
 - 3. To promote the incorporation of child rights into the school curriculum.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 and 2 only
 - (b) 2 and 3 only
 - (c) 1 and 3 only
 - (d) All of the above

ANSWER KEYS

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