

1. TEST YOURSELF

1. Which of the following National Parks is unique in being a swamp with floating vegetation that supports a rich biodiversity?
 - a) Bhitarkanika National Park
 - b) KeibulLamjao National Park
 - c) Keoladeo Ghana National Park
 - d) Sultanpur National Park

2. INS Sarvekshak is a
 - a) survey vessel
 - b) nuclear submarine
 - c) torpedo launch recovery vehicle
 - d) stealth frigate

3. Which of the statements are correct about the settlements related to the Israel-Palestine conflict?
 1. The term "Settlements" usually refers to the towns and villages that Jews have established in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.
 2. The settlements are established since Israel captured the area in the Six-Day War of 1967.

4. Which of the statements are correct regarding Resolute Support Mission?
 1. Resolute Support was launched on 1 January 2015 to provide training, advice and assistance for the Afghan security forces and institutions.
 2. The United States and NATO formally ended their combat role in Afghanistan and transitioned to the Resolute Support Mission.

5. Which of the statements are correct regarding Moscow conference ?
 1. The Moscow conference has been organised in Russia in which six nations namely India,

a) Only 1

- Russia, USA, China, Pakistan, and Afghanistan took part.
2. The conference was about to ponder upon the crisis of instability and under-development in Afghanistan.
 - a) Only 1
 - b) Only 2
 - c) Neither 1 nor 2
 - d) Both 1 and 2
6. Which of the statements are correct regarding Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty?
 1. An MLAT is an agreement between two or more countries for gathering and exchanging information to enforce public or criminal laws.
 2. The Ministry of Finance is the nodal Ministry and the Central authority for seeking and providing mutual legal assistance in criminal law matters.
 - a) Only 1
 - b) Only 2
 - c) Neither 1 nor 2
 - d) Both 1 and 2
7. Consider the following statement about the WTO pact 'Trade Facilitation Agreement'(TFA). Which of the following is not correct
 - a) WTO members concluded the negotiations regarding the TFA at the 2013 Bali Ministerial Conference
 - b) The TFA entered into force on 22 February 2017 after two-thirds of the WTO membership completed their domestic ratification process.
 - c) Technical assistance for trade facilitation is provided by the WTO, WTO members and other intergovernmental organizations, including the World Bank, the World Customs Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD).
 - d) The WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement Facility(TFAF) will deliver support to all its member countries in the proper implementation of TFA.
 8. Consider the following statements about the National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority(NPPA).
 - a) Only 1
 - b) Only 2
 - c) Neither 1 nor 2
 - d) Both 1 and 2

1. It has been given powers to implement and enforce the Drugs Price Control Order (DPCO), 2013
2. The National List of Essential Medicines(NLEM) of India is a list of medicines, prepared by the NPPA, which are considered essential in India.
3. It has power to control the prices of drugs that are not under the NLEM(i.e, non-essential drugs) under extraordinary circumstances in public interest.
3. The scheme proposes mandatory use of remote sensing, smart phones and drones for quick estimation of crop loss.

Select the correct codes

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

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct.

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

9. Consider the following statements about the Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojna(PMFBY).

1. It will replace the existing two crop insurance schemes National Agricultural Insurance Scheme (NAIS) and Modified NAIS.
2. Apart from yield loss, the scheme will cover post-harvest losses also.

10. Consider the following regarding the GST. Which of the following is/are not correct

1. It has a four-tier GST tax structure of 6 %, 12 %, 18 % and 28 %, with lower rates for essential items and the highest for luxury and de-merits goods
2. It is a destination based indirect tax on consumption of goods and services. It is ultimately borne by the final customer
3. There are three types of taxes to be levied under the GST as per Central GST, State GST and Integrated GST

Select the correct codes

- a) Only 2
- b) 1 and 2
- c) 2 and 3

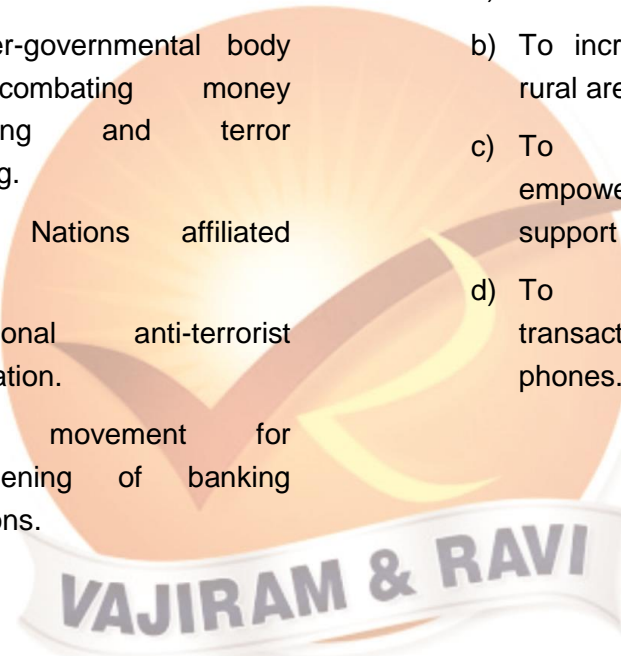
d) 1, 2 and 3

11. The Financial Action Task Force (FATF) is

- a) An inter-governmental body for combating money laundering and terror financing.
- b) United Nations affiliated agency.
- c) International anti-terrorist organization.
- d) Global movement for strengthening of banking institutions.

12. Which of the following is objective of PMGDISHA?

- a) To increase financial literacy
- b) To increase literacy rate in rural area
- c) To promote women empowerment through proper support and direction.
- d) To promote cashless transactions through mobile phones.



ANSWERS

1. B	2. A	3. C	4. C	5. B	6. A	7. D	8. C	9. D	10.A
11. B	12. D								

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