



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. With reference to the BEEG (Bio -compost Enriched Eco-friendly Globule), consider the following statements:
 - 1) It is developed by IIT Bombay.
 - 2) BEEG is enriched with the right ingredients and seeds to germinate early.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - a) 1 only
 - b) 2 only
 - c) Both 1 and 2
 - d) Neither 1 nor 2

2. With reference to the All India Powerloom Board, consider the following statements:
 - 1) The All India Powerloom Board was first constituted as an advisory board in 1981.
 - 2) It was headed by the Union minister of Finance.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - a) 1 only
 - b) 2 only
 - c) Both 1 and 2
 - d) Neither 1 nor 2

3. With reference to eSanjeevani, consider the following statements:
 - 1) The eSanjeevani platform has enabled two types of telemedicine services viz. Doctor-to-Doctor (eSanjeevani) and Patient-to-Doctor (eSanjeevani OPD) Tele-consultations.
 - 2) Both are implemented under the Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centre (AB-HWCs) programme.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - a) 1 only
 - b) 2 only
 - c) Both 1 and 2
 - d) Neither 1 nor 2

4. With reference to the Make in India in Defence, consider the following statements:
 - 1) The Government of India intends to reach a turnover of \$25 billion through indigenously manufactured defence products and also expects to export products worth \$5 billion.
 - 2) Government has also decided that in any government contract over ₹200 crore, no foreign company can participate in the tendering process.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - a) 1 only
 - b) 2 only
 - c) Both 1 and 2
 - d) Neither 1 nor 2

5. Which of the following has recently launched AIM iCREST – an Incubator Capabilities enhancement program for a Robust Ecosystem focused on creating high performing Startups?
 - a) NITI Aayog's Atal Innovation Mission
 - b) Microsoft
 - c) Department of Science & Technology
 - d) None of the above

6. With reference to the Indian diaspora in Australia, consider the following statements:
 - 1) More than 38,000 Indians became Australian citizens in 2019-2020, a 60% increase from the previous year and the largest diaspora group to be granted the country's citizenship.
 - 2) As per the Australian Bureau of Statistics' 2016 census people with ethnic Indian ancestry comprises 2.8% of the Australian population.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

7. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding 'Anganwadi services'?

- 1) It is a central sector scheme implemented by the States.
- 2) It was launched to combat child hunger and malnutrition.
- 3) It was a part of the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM).

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

8. Consider the following statements regarding Eravikulam National Park:

- 1) It is located in the southern Western Ghats in the state of Tamil Nadu.
- 2) It includes the highest peak of southern India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

9. 'Arakunomics economic model' recently in the news ensures profit in which of the following?

- a) Agriculture b) Stock Broking c) Automobile trade d) Cryptocurrencies

10. With reference to Tribal Cooperative Marketing Development Federation of India (TRIFED), consider the following statements:

- 1) It was registered under the Multi-State Cooperative Societies Act, 1984.
- 2) It undertakes the function retail marketing and development of Minor Forest Produce (MFP).

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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