



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. With reference to the “Union Home Minister’s Medal for Excellence in Investigation”, consider the following statements:
 - 1) This medal was constituted in 2018.
 - 2) The objective is to promote high professional standards of investigation of crime and to recognize such Excellence in Investigation by investigating officers.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 Swachh Bharat Mission Academy, consider the following statements:
 - 1) It is an IVR based free mobile online learning course on ODF Plus.
 - 2) Currently it is available in all 22 languages in 8th schedule.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. Recently initiative, Krishi Megh is aimed at protecting the precious data of which of the following organisations?
 - a) CSIR
 - b) DRDO
 - c) Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)
 - d) None of the above
4. Who was Rahat Indori?
 - a) An Indian Bollywood lyricist and Urdu language poet.
 - b) An ISRO scientist
 - c) A tabla maestro
 - d) Former Attorney General of India.
5. With reference to the "Minimum Standards of Architectural Education Regulations, 2020", consider the following statements:
 - 1) These Regulations have been prepared by the experts of the Council of Architecture (CoA).
 - 2) The Council of Architecture (COA) is a statutory body constituted by the Government of India under the provisions of the Architects Act, 1972.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
6. Student Entrepreneurship Programme 2.0 (SEP 2.0), recently seen in news, launched by:
 - a) Google
 - b) Union Ministry of Human Resource Development
 - c) Union Ministry of Skill Development
 - d) None of the above
7. With reference to the ‘Ring of Fire’, consider the following statements:
 - 1) It is characterized by active volcanoes and frequent earthquakes in Pacific Ocean.
 - 2) The abundance of volcanoes in this region is due to the movement of tectonic plates.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

8. With reference to the Hindu Succession (Amendment) Act 2005, which of the following is correct?

- 1) It does not apply to Buddhists, Sikhs and Jains.
- 2) It gives equal inheritance and coparcenary rights to the women.

Choose the correct answer from the codes given below.

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

9. The 'Sputnik V' recently seen in the news is related to?

- a) It is a nuclear weapon of Russia based on fusion technology.
- b) It is the first manned mission on Mars launched by Roscosmos.
- c) It is officially registered Covid-19 vaccine by Russia.
- d) It is a dedicated satellite for the mapping of the southern pole of earth.

10. With reference to CollabCAD in Atal Tinkering Lab, consider the following statements:

- 1) It has been launched in collaboration with the National Informatics Centre.
- 2) It aims at teaching creating and modifying 3D designs.

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