



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

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1. With reference to the dragonfly, consider the following statements:
 - 1) A dragonfly is an insect belonging to the order Odonata.
 - 2) Dragonflies have a weaker, fluttery flight.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. Kariye Museum, often mentioned in news, is located in which of the following country?
 - a) Iran
 - b) France
 - c) U.A.E
 - d) Turkey
3. With reference to a report Science and Technology Indicators (STI), 2018, consider the following statements:
 - 1) India's private sector research companies appear to employ a larger proportion of women in core research and development activities than government-funded major scientific agencies do.
 - 2) The STI is prepared by a division of the Department of Science Technology, the National Science and Technology Management Information System.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 Labour Bureau, consider the following statements:
 - 1) It is an attached office under Ministry of Labour and Employment, which was set up on 1st October 1946.
 - 2) Labour Bureau has two main wings stationed in Kochi and Chennai.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. With reference to the National Strategy for Financial Education (NSFE): 2020-2025, consider the following statements:
 - 1) It has been prepared by NITI Aayog.
 - 2) It has recommended a '5 C' approach for dissemination of financial education in the country.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. Which of the following operations comes under Mission Based Deployments (MBD) concept of Indian Navy?
 - 1) Operation 'GULFDEP' in the Persian Gulf
 - 2) Operation 'CENTDEP' in the central Indian Ocean Region
 - 3) Operation 'NORDEP' in the northern Bay of BengalSelect the correct answer using the code given below:
 - a) 1 only
 - b) 1 and 2 only
 - c) 2 and 3 only
 - d) 1, 2 and 3
7. Nuakhai Juhar has been recently in the news. What does it represent?
 - a) Agricultural Festival
 - b) Ritual of Sati in Western India
 - c) Largest tribal gathering
 - d) Coast guard exercise to save fishermen during cyclone Amphan
8. With reference to National Council for Transgender Persons, which of the following is/are correct?
 - 1) It is a constitutional body.

- 2) It aims to ensure that transgender welfare boards are set up in the National capital and the metropolitan cities only.
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. With reference to Electoral Bonds, which of the following statements is/are NOT correct?
Electoral Bond is a financial instrument for making donations to political parties.
State Bank of India is authorised to issue and encash these bonds, which are valid for fifteen days from the date of issuance.
Choose the correct option from the codes given below.
a) 1 only b) 2 only c) Both of them d) Neither 1 nor 2
10. A draft titled, 'Drinking water supply quality management system requirements for piped drinking water supply service' has been recently prepared by which of the following?
a) Bureau of Indian Standard. b) Niti Ayog c) Ministry of Jal Shakti d) None of them