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GENERAL STUDIES - 2019 (ENGLISH)

CURRENT AFFAIRS

- Which of the following is recognized as the Regional Tsunami service provider for Indian Ocean Region?
(A) Thuthukkudi (B) Chennai
(C) Hyderabad (D) Bhuvaneshwar
- Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay National Welfare fund assisting to whom?
(A) Outstanding Research Scholars
(B) Outstanding Writers
(C) Outstanding Sports Persons
(D) Outstanding Farmers
- What is the purpose of Gaganyaan project reveals by ISRO?
(A) **Three Indians would be sent to space**
(B) Communication development
(C) Protection to fishermen including assistance to them
(D) Assisting customs in anti-smuggling operations
- Jallikattu, the bull taming sport of Tamil culture and tradition is protected according to article _____ of the Constitution of India
(A) 29 (1) (B) 39 (1) (C) 49 (1) (D) 59 (1)
- Consider the following statements, find the “wrong” one
 - Section 377 of the IPC recently reported in the news is associated with Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer (LGBTQ) Rights.
 - Joseph shine Vs union of India is the case related to 497 of the IPC.
 - Indiann Young Lawyers association Vs state of Kerala is related to women Rights.
 - Yashwant Vs State of Maharashtra is the case associated with Right to education.**(A) 4 only** (B) 2 and 3 only (C) 4 and 3 only (D) 1 only
- Jal Kranti Abhiyan was not launched in the following Indian cities
(A) Raipur (B) Jaipur (C) Shimla (D) Jhansi

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7. 'SAMPRITI 2017' is a joint military exercise between armed forces of India and
(A) Bhutan (B) **Bangladesh**
(C) Pakistan (D) Myanmar
8. In November 2017 and Indian short film "The School Bag" Won the Best short film award at the South Asian film festival held at Montreal. Who among the following is the Director of the film?
(A) Anurag Kashyap (B) **Dheeraj Jindal**
(C) Sujoy Ghosh (D) Samvida Nanda
9. The "Social Protection Index" has been coined by
(A) **Asian development bank**
(B) World bank
(C) UNDP – United Nations Development Programme
(D) Planning Commission of India
10. Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) is primarily
(A) Rural Water Supply Programme
(B) Rural Employment Generation Programme
(C) **Rural Roads Development Programme**
(D) Rural Health Programme
11. For which country Prime Minister of India announced Rs. 4, 500 crore for hydropower projects 2018?
(A) Nepal (B) Pakistan (C) **Bhutan** (D) Sri Lanka
12. Whitt statue is called as "Statue of unity"?
(A) Statue of Liberty (B) Statue of Mahatma Gandhi
(C) **Statue of Sardar Vallabhai Patel** (D) Statue of A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
13. Which scheme is a placement linked skill training programme to empower rural poor youth?
(A) Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana - Gramin
(B) Pradhan Mantri Yuva Udyami Vikas Abhiyan
(C) **Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana**
(D) Deen Dayal Yuva Vikas Abhiyan

14. Creamy layer concept was first introduced in the case of
(A) Lakshmikant Sukla Vs State of Uttar Pradesh
(B) **Indrasawhney Vs Union of India**
(C) K.K. Roy Vs State of Tripura
(D) Jitender Kumar Vs State of Uttar Pradesh
15. When was Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana Gramin was established?
(A) **April 2016** (B) April 2017
(C) April 2018 (D) April 2015
16. The Prime Minister of India announced the Havelock Island in Andaman and Nicobar renamed as
(A) Netaji Subash Chandra Bose Island
(B) Shaheed Dweep Island
(C) **Swaraj Dweep Island**
(D) Virsavarkar Island
17. How many states in India have achieved 100% Household electrification?
(A) 10 States (B) 12 States (C) 13 States (D) **15 States**
18.
1. Project Tiger is a Tiger conservation scheme
2. It was launched on 1 April 1983.
3. 27 Tiger Reserves have been setup in 17 states under the scheme
Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
(A) 1 only (B) **1 and 3** (C) 1, 2 and 3 (D) 2 and 3
19. Who is among the following associated with "PURA" model?
(A) Dr. M.S. Swaminathan
(B) **Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam**
(C) M.N. Roy
(D) B.S. Minhas

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20. NITI Aayog Launched, 'Atal New India Challenge' program on April 26, 2018. This initiative is related to

1. To design and demonstrate market ready products based on cutting edge technologies.
2. To provide grants upto Rs. 1 Crore.
3. Related to Agriculture and Industrial Sectors any

Select correct answer using the code given below

- (A) 1 and 2 (B) 1 and 3 (C) 2 and 3 (D) 1 only

21. Cord Blood Banks located at _____ in Tamil Nadu.

- (A) Chennai (B) Coimbatore (C) Madurai (D) Trichy

22. In vacuum all objects fall with

- (A) same acceleration and heavy bodies reach ground first
(B) same acceleration and reach the ground at the same time
(C) different acceleration and reach the ground at different time
(D) different acceleration and heavy bodies reach ground first

23. The time of reverberation of a hall can be decreased by

- (A) Having a number of loud speakers
(B) Opening all windows and doors
(C) Closing all windows and doors
(D) Speaking loudly

24. Which spectroscopy is used in chemical examination of interstellar space?

- (A) Microwave Spectroscopy (B) Infrared (IR) Spectroscopy
(C) Raman Spectroscopy (D) NMR Spectroscopy

25. Which of the following is/are eligible for 'Kisan credit card'?

1. All the farmers
2. Share croppers
3. Tenants

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (A) 1 only (B) 1 and 2 (C) 2 and 3 (D) 1, 2 and 3

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26. Country's first transgender clinic was established at
(A) Gujarat (B) Maharashtra (C) **Kerala** (D) Assam
27. Which scientific agency recently discovered evidence of water in asteroids?
(A) **JAXA** (B) NASA (C) ISRO (D) CASIC
28. India's first indigenous microprocessor is known as
(A) **Shakti** (B) NASA (C) JAXA (D) NITI
29. Consider the following statement :
1. The national cadet corps was established in 1948.
 2. The Sainik schools were established as a joint venture of the Central and State Government.
- Which of the statement is/are correct?
- (A) 1 only
(B) 2 only
(C) **Both 1 and 2 correct**
(D) Both 1 and 2 wrong
30. Kargil Vijay Diwas observed in
(A) 26 September 2018
(B) 24 September 2018
(C) **26 July 2018**
(D) 24 August 2017
31. Doklam Standoff is related between the countries of
(A) **India - China**
(B) India - Bhutan
(C) India - Tibet
(D) India - Nepal
32. 'Namami Gange' – Clean Ganga is responsible for implementing the programme under
(A) Rural electrification
(B) **Environment protection**
(C) Swachh Bharat 2014
(D) Awareness through village panchayats



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33. When did the Prime Minister of India inaugurate the country's longest rail-cum-road bridge built over the Brahmaputra river at Bogibeel near Dibrugarh in Assam?
- (A) On November 25, 2018
(B) On December 25, 2018
(C) On December 10, 2018
(D) On November, 10, 2018
34. The China's space craft that probe farside of the moon is
- (A) Sputnik - 1
(B) Chang's 4
(C) Chang's 3
(D) Cosmos 3
35. The headquarters of the Interpol is situated in
- (A) Vienna
(B) Lyon
(C) Washington
(D) Geneva
36. The book 'My Presidential Years' is written by
- (A) K.R. Narayanan
(B) Giani Zail Singh
(C) S.D. Sharma
(D) R. Venkataraman
37. The headquarters of the Interpol is situated in
- (A) 1960
(B) 1958
(C) 1959
(D) 1962