

**Mock Test: 14**

**1. Consider the following statements regarding the Laser Dazzlers:**

1. It is a directed-energy instrument capable of temporarily blinding a person.
2. It can be used as a non-lethal method for warning and stopping suspicious vehicles or boats from approaching secured areas during both day and night.

**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. Consider the following statements regarding the E-way bills:**

1. It is a mechanism to ensure that goods being transported comply with the GST Law.
2. For a distance of less than 200 Km the e-way bill is valid for a day from the bill generation.

**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. Consider the following statements**

1. Maitri and Bharati are India's two stations in the Antarctica.
2. The research centers are being operated under the National Centre for Polar and Ocean Research (NCPOR), Ministry of Earth Sciences.

**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. Consider the following statements regarding Indian Skimmer (*Rynchops albicollis*):**

1. It is a waterbird that is more widespread in summer season.
2. It is endemic to the Western Ghats region of India.
3. It is listed as Endangered species under the IUCN Red List.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- (a) 1 only

- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1 and 3 only

**5. Consider the following statements regarding the Longitudinal Ageing Study in India (LASI):**

1. It is a full-scale national survey of scientific investigation of the health, economic, and social determinants and consequences of population aging in India.
2. It is being conducted by the National Sample Survey Office.

**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. Consider the following statements regarding Bird Flu:**

1. The avian influenza Type A viruses occur naturally among wild aquatic birds worldwide and can infect domestic poultry.
2. Infected birds can shed flu virus in their saliva and feces.

**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. Consider the following statements regarding the “Natural Capital Accounting and Valuation of Ecosystem Services” (NCAVES) project:**

1. It is being funded under the Green Climate Fund (GCF).
2. It aims to assist SAARC nations to advance the knowledge on environmental-economic accounting.

**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. The Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) is mandated with the responsibility of export promotion of which of the following product(s)?**

1. Dairy products
2. Honey, jaggery and sugar products

3. Herbal and medicinal plants

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**9. Consider the following statements:**

1. Commercial mining allows the private sector to mine coal commercially without placing any end-use restrictions.
2. India does not allow commercial mining in the coal sector.

**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

**10. Which of the following project is being externally aided by the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)?**

1. Andhra Pradesh Drought Mitigation Project
2. Fostering Climate Resilient Upland Farming Systems in the North East
3. Odisha Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups Livelihoods Improvement Programme

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**11. The CollabCAD Software has been launched by the National Informatics Centre (NIC) and Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) for what purpose?**

- (a) Platform for students across the country to create and modify 3D digital designs
- (b) Maintain a national database of teaching resources
- (c) Collaboration of Industry with Schooling development
- (d) Assessment of and assistance for promoting teacher education

**12. Which of the following falls under the terminology Over-the-Top (OTT) platforms?**

1. Internet Service Providers (ISP)
2. Online Audio/Video Streaming services
3. Cable TV

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

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

**13. Which of the following defence forces(s) participated in the Exercise Sea Vigil 21?**

1. Indian Coast Guard
2. Sri Lanka Navy
3. Royal Thailand Navy

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

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

**14. Consider the following statements regarding Drone Swarms:**

1. It is a fleet of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs) that work together to achieve a specific goal.
2. It has applications in field of defence, surveillance and observation of hostile, distant areas.

**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

**15. Consider the following statements regarding the Grid Connected Rooftop Solar Programme:**

1. It aims to achieve cumulative capacity of 40,000 MW from Rooftop Solar (RTS) Projects by the year 2022.
2. Ministry of New and Renewable Energy is providing hundred percent subsidy for the rooftop solar power up to 3 kW.

**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

**16. Consider the following statements regarding the Houbara Bustard (Asian Houbara):**

1. It is endemic to South-East Asian countries.
2. It is listed as Vulnerable species in the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species.

**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

**17. Which of the following is/are or proposed railway line connecting India directly to its neighboring country(s)?**

1. Maitree Express
2. Jaynagar-Bijalpura-Bardibas rail project
3. Zaranj-Delaram project

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**18. Consider the following statements:**

1. The forest dwellers are legally empowered with the ownership and governance of the Minor forest produce through the Forest Rights Act, 2006.
2. TRIFED is a national-level apex organization functioning under the administrative control of Ministry of Tribal Affairs

**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

**19. Which of the following institution has released the report titled 'International Migration 2020 Highlights'?**

- (a) World Bank
- (b) International Labour Organisation
- (c) United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
- (d) United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs

**20. Consider the following statements regarding the Smart Anti-Airfield Weapon (SAAW):**

1. India has signed a transfer of technology (ToT) deal with Russia for development SAAW in India.
2. It is a smart weapon capable of engaging ground enemy airfield assets up to a range of 100 kms.

**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

**21. Which of the following organization publishes the Global Innovation Index (GII)?**

- (a) World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
- (b) World Economic Forum (WEF)
- (c) World Bank
- (d) Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

**22. Which of the following is/are feature(s) of the blockchain technology?**

1. All network participants have access to the distributed ledger and its record of transactions.
2. No participant can change or tamper with a transaction after it's been recorded to the shared ledger.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

**23. What is 'Ooceraea joshii' that has been in news recently?**

- (a) New ant species discovered in India
- (b) A crater on Mars
- (c) An invasive species of fungus
- (d) An asteroid set to pass through solar system in 2029

**24. Which of the following institution has published the report 'The Inequality Virus'?**

- (a) Oxfam International
- (b) World Health Organisation
- (c) World Bank
- (d) UN Human Rights Council

**25. What is the objective of the recently launched "AYU SAMVAD" Campaign?**

- (a) Information dissemination to curb vaccine hesitancy among people
- (b) Awareness campaign on 'Ayurveda for COVID 19 Pandemic'
- (c) Promoting minimization of individual carbon footprint for long and sustainable livelihood
- (d) Improving the communication between the elderly and younger generation

**26. Which of the following animal(s) is/are listed in Schedule I of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972?**

1. Himalayan Black Bear

2. Leopard

3. Pangolin

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**27. Consider the following statements regarding the Report of the Fifteenth Finance Commission (XFVC):**

1. It has recommended a vertical devolution at 41 per cent from the divisible pool of taxes.
2. It has proposed a Modernizations Fund for Defence and Internal Security (MFDIS) under the Consolidated Fund of India.
3. It has recommended an All India Medical and Health Service under the All-India Services Act, 1951.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**28. The Budget 2021-22 has proposed a single Securities Markets Code by consolidation of which of the following law(s)?**

1. Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992
2. Depositories Act, 1996
3. Pension Fund Regulatory & Development Authority Act, 2013

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**29. Consider the following statements regarding the 'One Nation One Ration Card' (ONORC):**

1. The beneficiaries can lift their entitled food grains from any ePoS (electronic Point of Sale device) enabled Fair Price Shop (FPS) across the country.
2. The Union Government has directed states to issue new ration cards to all beneficiaries to implement the ONORC scheme.

**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

**30. Consider the following statements regarding the Fishing Cat:**

1. Wetlands are the major habitat of the Fishing Cat.
2. It is listed as a Critically Endangered species under the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species.
3. It is protected under the Schedule I of the Wildlife Protection Act, 1972.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**31. Consider the following statements regarding the National Agriculture Market (eNAM):**

1. It is a pan-India electronic trading portal which networks the existing APMC mandis.
2. Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium (SFAC) is the lead agency for implementing eNAM.

**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

**32. Consider the following statements regarding the New Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (New START):**

1. It limits the number of non-deployed Inter Continental Ballistic Missiles (ICBMs).
2. The treaty has been extended till 2026 by USA and Russia.

**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

**33. Consider the following statements regarding the MCA21 project:**

1. It enables secure access to Ministry of Corporate Affairs services in an assisted manner for corporate entities, professionals, and general public.



2. MCA21 is designed to fully automate all processes related to enforcement and compliance of the legal requirements under the SEBI Act, 1992.

**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

**34. Consider the following statements regarding the Innovations for Defence Excellence (iDEX):**

1. It is a framework promulgated by Department of Defence Production, Ministry of Defence.
2. Support for Prototype and Research Kickstart (SPARK) grants are offered under iDEX to startups.

**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

**35. Which of the following institution has released the Corruption Perception Index 2021?**

- (a) Transparency International
- (b) World Economic Forum
- (c) Financial Action Task Force
- (d) World Bank

**36. Consider the following statements regarding the India-Myanmar relations:**

1. India has announced a debt service relief to Myanmar under the G20 Debt Service Suspension Initiative.
2. Land Border Crossing Agreement (LBCA) has been signed to facilitate movement of bonafide citizens of both countries across India-Myanmar land border.

**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

**37. Consider the following statements regarding the Software Defined Radio (SDR):**

1. It is a radio communication system which uses software for the modulation and demodulation of radio signals.

2. SDR-Tactical has been developed by the Defence Research & Development Organization (DRDO) for use of defence forces.

**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

**38. Consider the following statements regarding the recently released report “Assessment of Climate Change over the Indian Region”:**

1. It has been published by Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES).
2. The surface air temperature over India has risen by about 0.7 °C during last century.

**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

**39. What is the objective of the Vigyan Jyoti programme?**

- (a) Encourage girl students to pursue their careers in Science, Engineering and Technology
- (b) Boost community and private sector participation in government schools
- (c) Quality education in the remote tribal regions of India
- (d) Improving quality of school education through Integrated Teacher Training

**40. Consider the following statements regarding the CHIRAAG project:**

1. It is being implemented in the Himalayan states of India.
2. It aims to develop sustainable production systems that allow tribal households to practice round-the-year production of diversified and nutritious food.
3. The project is being implemented through assistance from the World Bank.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**41. Which of the following Mars mission(s) include a rover landing on Mars surface?**

1. UAE’s Hope Mission
2. China’s Tianwen-1
3. NASA’s Perseverance

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**42. Which of the following is/are joint exercise(s) between Indian and USA's defence forces?**

1. Yudh Abhyas
2. Vajra Prahar
3. Dustlik

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**43. Zolgensma has been in news recently, what is it?**

- (a) A gene replacement therapy
- (b) A rare disease of heart
- (c) A protein found in amniotic fluid
- (d) An autoimmune disease

**44. The Lalandar (Shatoot) Dam is being constructed on which of the following river basin in Afghanistan?**

- (a) Amu Darya
- (b) Kabul River
- (c) Helmand River
- (d) Harut River

**45. Consider the following statements regarding the Skill Acquisition and Knowledge Awareness for Livelihood Promotion ("SANKALP") programme:**

1. It is a programme of the Ministry of Skill Development with loan assistance from the World Bank.
2. It aims to improve short term skill training by strengthening institutions and inclusion of marginalized sections of the society.

**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

**46. The India Energy Outlook 2021 has been released by which of the following institution/organization?**

- (a) World Economic Forum
- (b) International Energy Agency
- (c) Central Electricity Regulatory Commission
- (d) International Atomic Energy Agency

**47. Which of the following bridge(s) is/are on mainstream of the River Brahmaputra?**

1. Bogibeel Bridge
2. Saraighat Bridge
3. Dhola–Sadiya Bridge

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) All of the above

**48. Which of the following is/are correctly matched?**

1. SWAYAM – DTH channels telecasting of high-quality educational programmes
2. DIKSHA – National Digital Infrastructure for Teachers
3. Swayam Prabha – Online platform hosting courses from Class 9 till post-graduation

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

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

**49. Consider the following statements regarding the Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS):**

1. It is an autonomous body under the Ministry of Science & Technology.
2. It provides round-the-clock monitoring and warning services for the coastal population through the Indian Tsunami Early Warning Centre (ITEWC).

**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

**50. Consider the following statements regarding the International Commission on Large Dams (INCOLD):**

1. It is an inter-governmental organization which provides a forum for the exchange of knowledge and experience in dam engineering.
2. India is among the countries having National Committees for INCOLD.

**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

**51. The revolt of 1857 marks a turning point in the history of India. Which of the following were the consequences of the revolt?**

1. Company rule was abolished
2. British disrespected and neglected the rights of the native princes
3. The Indian states were to recognize the paramountcy of the British Crown

**Select the correct code:**

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

**52. Consider the following statements regarding Munda Revolt.**

1. It was against the destruction of their system of common land-holdings by the intrusion of traders and moneylenders.
2. Jagirdars and thikadars supported the Mundas in their revolt.

**Which of the above statements is/are correct?**

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

**53. Who commanded the 'Hector', the first British trading ship to land at Surat?**

- (a) Paul Canning
- (b) William Hawkins
- (c) Thomas Roe
- (d) James Lancaster

**54. Under whose tenure as the Governor General, were the universities of Calcutta, Bombay and Madras set up?**

- (a) Lord Dalhousie
- (b) Lord Elgin

(c) Lord Canning

(d) Lord Bentinck

**55. Consider the following statements about the Battle of Bedera (or, Battle of Chinsurah):**

1. The Dutch were badly defeated in this battle against the English East India Company, leading to their final collapse in India.
2. It took place in the Coromandel in 1780.
3. Before this battle, Mir Jafar, the Nawab of Bengal, entered into a conspiracy with foreign powers with a view to expel the English from India.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

(a) 2 only

(b) 2 and 3 only

(c) 1 and 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**56. Consider the following statements with reference to William Bentinck:**

1. He adopted the policy of non-intervention and non-aggression with Indian states.
2. He abolished the provincial courts of appeal.
3. He suppressed the mercenary "Pindaris" with the help of Sir Thomas Hislop.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

(a) 1 and 2 only

(b) 2 and 3 only

(c) 1 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**57. With reference to the revolt of 1857, which of the following were the religious causes of discontent among Indian people against the British rule?**

1. Rediscovery of India's past by European scholars.
2. The social reform and humanitarian measures taken by the government.
3. Official policy of taxing the lands belonging to temples and mosques.

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

(a) 1 and 2 only

(b) 3 only

(c) 2 and 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**58. Which of the following pairs is/are correctly matched?**

<b>War:</b>	<b>Outcome</b>
1. Second Anglo-Afghan War:	Treaty of Gandamak
2. First Anglo-Burmese War:	Treaty of Yandabo
3. Third Anglo-Burmese War:	Burma won its independence

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

(a) 1 and 2 only

(b) 2 only

(c) 1 and 3 only

(d) None of the above

**59. With reference to agrarian unrest in Pabna district in 1870s, consider the following statements:**

1. For the first-time peasants demanded uprooting of 'Zamindari System'.
2. It was a violent uprising in which many zamindars were killed.
3. The Government promised to undertake legislation to protect the tenants from zamindari oppression.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

(a) 1 and 2 only

(b) 3 only

(c) 1 and 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**60. During the revolt of 1857, as the mutiny broke out, sepoys started converging to Delhi. Which of the following is the correct reason behind that?**

- (a) Delhi was the capital of British India and thus represented a power symbol.
- (b) Delhi was a major city near to rebel towns.
- (c) Delhi was continuous capital for imperial powers in India from the time of Delhi Sultanate.
- (d) Delhi was the seat of Mughal Emperor and thus represented an Indian power.

**61. Which of the following is INCORRECT regarding the Carnatic Wars?**

- (a) The Carnatic wars were indirectly connected with rivalry between English and the French in Europe.

- (b) The second Carnatic war was concluded with the Treaty of Pondicherry.
- (c) The French had to transfer Pondicherry and Karaikkal to British as a result of the third Carnatic war.
- (d) Robert Clive was taken as prisoner after the first Carnatic war.

**62. Which of the following is/are the outcomes of war between British India and Nepal in 1814?**

1. Nepal abandoned its claim on Sikkim areas.
2. The Gurkhas became part of Indian army.

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

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

**63. Annie Besant was**

1. Responsible for starting the Home Rule Movement
2. The founder of the Theosophical Society
3. Once the President of the Indian National Congress

**Select the correct statement/statements using the codes given below.**

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

**64. With reference to the titles prevalent in India during the 15th and 16th centuries, who was the 'Zamorin'?**

- (a) Religious head of the Portuguese in India
- (b) Commercial head of the Arab merchants in India
- (c) The Muslim ruler of Cochin
- (d) The Hindu ruler of Calicut

**65. With reference to Indian history, which of the following is/are the essential element/elements of the feudal system?**

1. A very strong centralized political authority a very weak provincial or local political authority



2. Emergence of administrative structure based on control and possession of land

3. Creation of lord-vassal relationship between the feudal lord and his overlord

**Select the correct answer using the code given below.**

(a) 1 and 2 only

(b) 2 and 3 only

(c) 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**66. Consider the following:**

1. Calcutta Unitarian Committee

2. Tabernacle of New Dispensation

3. Indian Reform Association

**Keshab Chandra Sen is associated with the establishment of which of the above?**

(a) 1 and 3 only

(b) 2 and 3 only

(c) 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**67. Who among the following was/were associated with the introduction of Ryotwari Settlement in India during the British Rule?**

1. Lord Cornwallis

2. Alexander Read

3. Thomas Munro

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

(a) 1 only

(b) 1 and 3 only

(c) 2 and 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**68. The staple commodities of export by the English East Indian Company from Bengal in the middle of the 18th century were**

(a) Raw cotton, oil-seeds and opium

(b) Sugar, salt, zinc and lead

(c) Copper, silver, gold, spices and tea

(d) Cotton, silk, saltpetre and opium

**69. Which of the following statements correctly explain the impact of Industrial Revolution on India during the first half of the nineteenth century?**

(a) Indian handicrafts were ruined

(b) Machines were introduced in the Indian textile industry in large numbers.

(c) Railway lines were laid in many parts of the country

(d) Heavy duties were imposed on the imports of British manufactures

**70. The Vital-Vidhvansak, the first monthly journal to have the untouchable people as its target audience was published by**

(a) Gopal Baba Walangkar

(b) Jyotiba Phule

(c) Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi

(d) Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar

**71. With reference to the Revolt of 1857, consider the following statements:**

1. The sepoys from all over the India participated in the Revolt.

2. The Revolt was accompanied by the rebellion of civil population.

3. The Revolt was an organized and methodically planned action.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

(a) 1 only

(b) 2 only

(c) 2 and 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**72. Which of the following nationalist leaders were associated with the Indian Association?**

1. Surendra Nath Banerjee

2. Anand Mohan Bose

3. Dwarkanath Ganguly

**Select the correct answer using the codes given below:**

(a) 1 only

(b) 1 and 2 only

(c) 2 and 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**73. Consider the following pairs:**

<b>Policy:</b>	<b>Officially introduced by</b>
1. Dual system of administration of Bengal:	Robert Clive
2. Subsidiary Alliance:	Lord Hastings
3. Doctrine of Lapse:	Lord Dalhousie

**Which of the pairs given above is/are correctly matched?**

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

**74. Dual Government was established in Bengal as an immediate effect of which of the following event?**

- (a) Battle of Plassey
- (b) Third Carnatic War
- (c) Battle of Buxar
- (d) Regulating Act, 1773

**75. Which of the following reasons can be attributed to English victory in the Battle of Plassey?**

- 1. The Nawabs of Bengal failed to understand that East India Company was no more a mere company of traders.
- 2. The Nawabs of Bengal neglected to build a strong modern army.
- 3. Bengal administration failed to check the growing corruption among their officials.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**76. With reference to Santhal Uprising, which of the following statements is/are correct?**

- 1. The Santhals occupied the area between Bhagalpur and Rajmahal.
- 2. The uprising aimed to remove the outsiders and the British from the Santhal areas.

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

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

**77. Which of the following statements regarding the socio-religious reform movements of early 19th century is/are correct?**

1. The movements were mostly spearheaded by the members from the upper castes.
2. The reformers relied on legislation for imposing reforms.
3. These movements created social consciousness at the grass-root level.

**Select the correct answer using code given below:**

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

**78. Which among the following happened during Lytton's time?**

1. Grand Delhi Durbar
2. Vernacular Press Act
3. Indian Universities Act
4. Official Secrets Act
5. Arms Act

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2, 4 and 5 only
- (c) 1, 2 and 5 only
- (d) 1, 3, 4 and 5 only

**79. Consider the following pairs:**

**Famous uprisings: Leaders**

1. Santhal rebellion: Sidhu and Kanhu
2. Bhil uprisings: Sewaram
3. Ahom revolt: Gomdhar Konwar

**Which of the above pairs is/are correctly matched?**

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

**80. Consider the following about Paika Rebellion of 1817:**

1. It was an armed rebellion against British colonialism.
2. It was organized by the farming community of Odisha.
3. It was in response to the systematic destruction of the traditional community forest access system of India by the British.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**81. Which of the following methods were adopted by peasants during the Indigo Revolt of 1859-60?**

1. Physical resistance and attack on factories
2. Non-payment of rent
3. Boycott of foreign goods
4. Legal machinery to enforce their rights

**Select the correct answer using the codes given below:**

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 2, 3 and 4 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 4 only

**82. Consider the following pairs:**

**Social Reformer:**

**Reforms Associated with**

1. Jyotiba Phule: Started Bethune School for girls' education
2. Dadabhai Naroji: Professed legal status and heritance rights for Parsi women
3. Balshastri Jambhekar: Attacked Brahmanical orthodoxy

**Which of the pairs given above is/are correctly matched?**

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

**83. Which of the following factors led to the split of Arya Samaj in 1893?**

1. Consumption of meat vs. vegetarianism
2. Anglicized vs. Sanskrit based education
3. Under-age marriage

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

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

**84. With reference to Ramosi peasant uprising in the 19th century, which of the following statements is NOT correct?**

- (a) Ramosis were the hill tribes of the Western Ghats of Maharashtra.
- (b) It was led by Vasudeo Balwant Phadke in 1879.
- (c) The Ramosi peasantry revolted against the Tinkathia system.
- (d) The Ramosis served in the lower ranks of the Maratha army and police and later turned into peasant class.

**85. With regard to Prarthana Samaj, consider the following statements:**

1. They were in direct confrontation with Hindu orthodoxy.
2. They wanted to develop a new religion based on polytheistic faith and worship.

**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

**86. Consider the following pairs:**

**Europeans: Centre of influence in India**

1. French: Chandernagor
2. Portuguese: Goa
3. Danish: Pulicat

**Select the correct answer from the code given below:**

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

**87. Match the following Battles which the British fought (List I) with their opponents (List II):**

<b>List-I</b>	<b>List-II</b>
1. Battle of Buxar	A. Sikhs
2. Battle of Wandiwash	B. Mysore
3. Battle of Chilianwala	C. French
4. Battle of Pollilur	D. Bengal

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- (a) 1-D, 2-C, 3-B, 4-A
- (b) 1-C, 2-A, 3-D, 4-C
- (c) 1-A, 2-C, 3-A, 4-B
- (d) 1-D, 2-C, 3-A, 4-B

**88. The Ilbert bill controversy of 1883 was related to:**

- (a) reduction of maximum age limit for the I.C.S examination from 21 years to 19 years.
- (b) removal of disqualifications enforced on the Indian magistrates with regard to the trial of the Europeans.
- (c) Granting same powers to Indian members of civil services as their European counterparts.
- (d) setting up law commission for India in England.

**89. With regard to the ideas promoted by the Theosophical movement in India during the latter half of 19th century, consider the following statements:**

1. Its main aim was to spread Christianity in India.
2. It promoted the idea of Universal Brotherhood.
3. It rejected the Hindu beliefs in reincarnation and karma.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- (a) 1, 2 and 3
- (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 2 only
- (d) None of the above

**90. With reference to the Vernacular Press Act of 1878, consider the following statements:**

1. It abolished the policy of discrimination between English and vernacular press.
2. A Press Commissioner was appointed to supply authentic and accurate news to the press.
3. The District magistrate was empowered to call upon the printer of any vernacular newspaper to enter into a bond with the Government.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**91. Which of the following statements is correct regarding the Lex Loci Act of 1850?**

- (a) It prohibited child marriage below the age of 14.
- (b) It extended the prohibition of Sati across all over British India.
- (c) It provided right to inherit ancestral property to Hindu converts to Christianity.
- (d) It granted the legal recognition to widow's marriage.

**92. Consider the following pairs:**

**Conspiracy case:**

**Personalities involved**

- |                            |                                    |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Muzzafarpur Conspiracy: | Sachin Sanyal and Rash Behari Bose |
| 2. Delhi Conspiracy:       | Prafulla Chaki and Kudiram Bose    |
| 3. Lahore Conspiracy:      | Bhagat Singh                       |

**Which of the pairs given above is/are correct?**

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



**93. The extremist leaders of Indian National Congress supported the government in World War-I because:**

- (a) the British granted majority of their demands through Minto-Morley reforms.
- (b) they hoped that Britain would repay India's loyalty with self-government.
- (c) the war had improved economic conditions of India by way of increased demand.
- (d) the Britain's cause of war was just.

**94. Gandhiji formed the Passive Resistance Association in South Africa to campaign against:**

- (a) restrictions on Indian migration
- (b) mandatory carrying of registration certificates for Indians.
- (c) poll tax imposed on all ex-indentured labourers
- (d) invalidation of Indian marriages

**95. With reference to the Zamindari System, consider the following statements:**

1. The zamindar was recognized as the owner of the land who could both sell and mortgage the land.
2. The zamindar was held responsible by the State in case of non-payment of land revenue.
3. In Bengal, both the land revenue from the zamindar as well as rent from the cultivator was fixed by the State itself.

**Which of the statements given above is/are NOT correct?**

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

**96. With reference to military, administrative and judicial measures taken by Maharaja Ranjit Singh, consider the following statements:**

1. He barred the employment of Europeans in the army.
2. He imposed excessive fines on the criminals as a source of income for the State.
3. He struck coins in the name of Guru Nanak and Guru Gobind Singh.

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

**97. The Third Battle of Panipat had which of the following consequences?**

1. Consolidation of power of East India Company in Bengal
2. Afghans made inroads in Western and Central 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

**98. Consider the following statements:**

1. The Prarthana Samaj, by Atmaram Panduranga, adhered to the tradition of Bhakti that believed in spiritual equality of all castes.
2. Paramhans Mandali, by Dadoba Panduranga, was founded to work for the abolition of caste.
3. Christian missionaries of the 19th century were highly averse to breaking the caste-based traditions of India.

**Select the correct answer using the codes below:**

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

**99. Which one of the following is the correct chronological order of the battle fought in India in the 18th Century?**

- (a) Battle of Wandiwash - Battle of Buxar - Battle of Plassey
- (b) Battle of Plassey - Battle of Wandiwash - Battle of Buxar
- (c) Battle of Wandiwash - Battle of Plassey - Battle of Buxar
- (d) Battle of Buxar - Battle of Wandiwash - Battle of Plassey

**100. With reference to the Treaty of Bassein, consider the following statements:**

1. The Treaty helped the Peshwa to get a foothold over Poona.
2. After signing the Treaty, the Britishers got the opportunity to interfere in the administrative affairs in case of Peshwa's death without any natural heir.
3. The Treaty provided the expulsion of all Europeans from the service except the English.

**Which of the statements given above is/are NOT correct?**

(a) 1 and 2 only

(b) 2 and 3 only

(c) 2 only

(d) 1 and 3 only