

Yearbook 2022

Current Affairs MCQs

1. Name the new Prime Minister's scheme launched by the government for mentoring Young Authors?
a. YUVA b. LAKSHYA
c. GURU d. UNNATI
2. Name the female IAF officer who has become the first woman flight test engineer of India?
a. Padmavathy Bandopadhyay
b. Mitali Madhumita
c. Aashritha V Olety
d. Sophia Qureshi
3. Which State has topped the SDG India Index 2020-21 released by NITI Aayog?
a. Gujarat b. Kerala
c. Maharashtra d. Assam
4. Bashar al-Assad is the President of which country, who has been re-appointed for fourth straight term recently?
a. Syria b. Mali
c. The Bahamas d. Oman
5. Who has been appointed as the new Deputy Chief of Naval Staff?
a. Ravneet Singh b. G. Ashok Kumar
c. Satish Soni d. Jagjit Singh Bedi
6. Who has been sworn in as the new Chief Minister of Assam to replace Sarbananda Sonowal?
a. Prafulla Kumar Mahanta
b. Himanta Biswa Sarma
c. Atul Bora
d. Kailash Nath Sarma
7. Which Indian bank has joined hands with NPCI to link its digital wallet Pockets with UPI ID?
a. Canara Bank b. SBI
c. HDFC Bank d. ICICI Bank
8. Isaac Herzog, has been elected as the new President of which country?
a. Israel b. Oman
c. Turkey d. Lebanon
9. Name the women mountaineer who has recently created historic record of world's fastest ascent of Everest by a woman
a. Gerlinde Kaltenbrunner
b. Oh Eun-sun
c. Moni Mulepati
d. Tsang Yin-hung
10. Sanjeet Kumar, is an Indian sports person, related to which sports category?
a. Weightlifting b. Shooting
c. Sprinting d. Boxing
11. Who has been appointed as the new Director of the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI)?
a. Subodh Kumar Jaiswal
b. Vishwas Nangare Patil
c. Amulya Patnaik
d. Anil Deshmukh
12. TRIFED has collaborated with NITI Aayog to implement Van Dhan Yojana scheme in the Tribal Aspirational Districts identified by NITI Aayog. How many Tribal Aspirational Districts are there presently?
a. 29 b. 41 c. 39 d. 18
13. The sustainable electric two-wheeler, named 'PiMo' has been developed by which institution?
a. IIT Madras b. IIT Delhi
c. IIT Kanpur d. IIT Kharagpur
14. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has recently laid the foundation stone of Cauvery Basin Refinery in which State?
a. Tamil Nadu b. Odisha
c. Kerala d. Andhra Pradesh
15. Who among the following has been appointed as the new Chairperson of the National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) of India?
a. Ranganath Misra
b. MN Venkatachalliah
c. Arun Mishra
d. S. Rajendra Babu
16. Noted Indian environmentalist Sunderlal Bahuguna passed away due to COVID-19 on May 21, 2021. He was a prominent leader of which among the following movements?
a. Narmada Bachao Andolan
b. Chipko Movement
c. Save Silent Valley Movement
d. Appiko Movement
17. The multilateral military exercises, 'Steadfast Defender 2021', has been organised by which group of inter-governmental organisation?
a. G-20 b. NATO
c. OPEC d. BRICS
18. Which State government has approved setting up of the Legislative Council?
a. Kerala b. Assam
c. Tamil Nadu d. West Bengal
19. Jagannath Bidyadhar Mohapatra has been roped in as the new Chairman of which of these organisation?
a. CBDT b. NITI Aayog
c. CBI d. SIDBI
20. Pinarayi Vijayan has been sworn in as the Chief Minister of Kerala for second straight term. He is the CM of the State
a. 12th b. 14th c. 11th d. 15th
21. Kappa and Delta, which has been in news recently, is related to
a. Satellite launch b. Covid variant
c. Cyclone d. Food production
22. The supercomputer named 'Simorgh' has been developed by which country recently?
a. France b. Iran
c. South Korea d. Finland
23. RDSO is the standard body to join the 'One Nation, One Standard' scheme of the central government. The RDSO is based in which city?
a. Mumbai b. New Delhi
c. Lucknow d. Pune
24. Pooja Rani has won the gold medal on May 30, 2021 for India in which sports event?
a. Wrestling b. Shooting
c. Boxing d. Sprinting



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- 25.** Who is the author of the book "LANGUAGES OF TRUTH: Essays 2003-2020"?
- a. VS Naipaul b. Salman Rushdie
c. Arundhati Roy d. Kiran Desai
- 26.** What is the total corpus of the "PM-CARES for Children" scheme, announced by the government for children who lost their parents to COVID-19?
- a. ₹ 5 lakh b. ₹ 10 lakh
c. ₹ 12 lakh d. ₹ 20 lakh
- 27.** Who among the following has won the Miss Universe title 2020?
- a. Julia Gama b. Andrea Meza
c. Adline Castelino d. Kimberly Jimenez
- 28.** Which state has launched the 'Ankur Scheme' to encourage citizens for planting trees during monsoon?
- a. Haryana b. Madhya Pradesh
c. Rajasthan d. Maharashtra
- 29.** In Tennis, who has won the men's single title at the Italian Open 2021?
- a. Novak Djokovic b. Rafael Nadal
c. Stefanos Tsitsipas d. Daniil Medvedev
- 30.** Who is the author of the book 'Stargazing: The Players in My Life'?
- a. Sourav Ganguly
b. Kapil Dev
c. Ravi Shastri
d. Mohammad Azharuddin
- 31.** Who is the winner of the UNESCO/Guillermo Cano World Press Freedom Prize 2021?
- a. Cheche Lazaro b. Rodrigo Duterte
c. Maria Ressa d. Mike Enriquez
- 32.** Which football team has won the UEFA Champions League 2020-21?
- a. Chelsea b. Manchester City
c. Liverpool d. West Ham United
- 33.** Iga Swiatek has won the women's single title at the Italian Open 2021 Tennis tournament. She represents which country?
- a. Russia b. Poland
c. Spain d. Mexico
- 34.** Who is the author of the book 'Savarkar: A contested Legacy (1924-1966)'?
- a. Ashok Desai b. Hindol Sengupta
c. Bibek Debroy d. Vikram Sampath
- 35.** Which nation honoured Nobel Laureate Amartya Sen with its top award in social sciences?
- a. Denmark b. France
c. Spain d. Germany
- 36.** Who has been appointed as the new CBI Chief?
- a. Rakesh Asthana b. YC Modi
c. Subodh Jaiswal d. SS Deswal
- 37.** Union cabinet has approved the proposal of exporting the indigenously-developed Akash Missile System. The missile comes under which category?
- a. Surface to Surface Missile
b. Air to Surface Missile
c. Surface to Air Missile
d. Air to Air Missile
- 38.** The Military Junta of which nation has arrested the President, Prime Minister and Defence Minister?
- a. Zambia b. Mali
c. Ethiopia d. Eritrea
- 39.** Arya Rajendran, has been elected as the youngest mayor in India. She is from which State?
- a. Tamil Nadu b. Assam
c. Kerala d. Goa
- 40.** Russia has started its biggest Nuclear Power Project with which nation?
- a. China b. US
c. Japan d. India
- 41.** Name the player who has been awarded the ICC Spirit of Cricket Award of the Decade 2020?
- a. Virat Kohli b. MS Dhoni
c. Steve Smith d. Rohit Sharma
- 42.** The rescheduled Asia Cup T20 has been postponed indefinitely. The tournament was supposed to be hosted by which nation?
- a. India b. Bangladesh
c. South Africa d. Sri Lanka
- 43.** The National Digital Financial Infrastructure (NADI) is a next-generation Digital Financial Infrastructure, being build by body?
- a. National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI)
b. State Bank of India (SBI)
c. NITI Aayog
d. Institute for Development and Research in Banking Technology (IDRBT)
- 44.** PM Modi has recently flagged off the 100th Kisan Rail of India. This new service has been started to link which States?
- a. Karnataka and West Bengal
b. Tamil Nadu and Bihar
c. Uttar Pradesh and Bihar
d. Maharashtra and West Bengal
- 45.** Who has been chosen as the "People's Advocate" of the UN Climate Change Conference (COP26)?
- a. Louis Theroux
b. Steve Backshall
c. Trevor McDonald
d. David Attenborough
- 46.** The first BRICS Employment Working Group (EWG) Meeting of 2021 was held recently. Which country is the chair of BRICS in 2021?
- a. South Africa b. Russia
c. India d. Brazil
- 47.** Who has won the title of Sir Garfield Sobers Award for ICC Male Cricketer of the Decade 2020?
- a. Kumar Sangakkara
b. Ravi Ashwin
c. Virat Kohli
d. Steve Smith
- 48.** What was the theme of the 2021 International Nurses Day?
- a. Nurses: A Voice to Lead - Health for All
b. Nurses: A Voice to lead - Health is a human right
c. Nurses: A Voice to Lead - Nursing the World to Health
d. Nurses: A Voice to Lead - A vision for future healthcare
- 49.** Which among the following tennis player has claimed 2021 Madrid Open Men's Singles tennis title?
- a. Novak Djokovic b. Alexander Zverev
c. Stefanos Tsitsipas d. Dominic Thiem
- 50.** RBI has excluded Lakshmi Vilas Bank from the Second Schedule of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, following the merger of the Lakshmi Vilas Bank with
- a. DBS Bank India Ltd
b. HSBC Bank
c. United Overseas Bank
d. Citibank
- 51.** The book titled "Elephant In The Womb" is a debut book by which Indian celebrity?
- a. Shilpa Shetty b. Kalki Koechlin
c. Twinkle Khanna d. Anushka Sharma
- 52.** Who has been sworn in as the new Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu after 2021 Assembly election?
- a. MK Tamilarasu b. MK Stalin
c. M. Karunanidhi d. MK Alagiri
- 53.** Name the newly appointed Chief Minister of Union Territory of Puducherry
- a. V. Vaithilingam b. V. Narayanasamy
c. N. Rangasamy d. YS Bharati

54. Chaudhary Ajit Singh, who has passed away recently was the founder of which political party?

- a. Ambedkar Samaj Party (ASP)
- b. Rashtriya Lok Dal (RLD)
- c. Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)
- d. Rashtriya Janata Dal (RJD)

55. Mamata Banerjee has been sworn in as the Chief Minister of West Bengal after massive win in the 2021 Assembly election. This win is her consecutive win as the head of the state.

- a. fourth b. second c. third d. fifth

56. Name the fourth Deputy Governor of the RBI, who has recently been appointed in place of BP Kanungo

- a. T. Rabi Sankar b. GK Chadha
- c. DM Nanjundappa d. TN Srinivasan

57. DRDO conducted successful maiden test firing of the 5th generation Python-5 missile in April, 2021. The state of the art missile is which type of missile?

- a. Air-to-Air Missile
- b. Surface-to-Air Missile
- c. Air-to-Surface Missile
- d. Surface-to-Surface Missile

58. Which film has won the Best Picture Award at the 93rd Academy Awards or Oscars 2021?

- a. The Father
- b. Judas And The Black Messiah
- c. Nomadland
- d. Minari

59. PM Narendra Modi launched a scheme for distribution of e-property cards to rural population across the country on April 24, 2021. Name the scheme.

- a. Kaushal b. Adarsh Gram
- c. Samridhi d. Svamitva

60. Name the former Governor of RBI, considered as the "father of banking reforms in India", who has passed away due to COVID-19 related illness.

- a. C. Rangarajan
- b. M. Narasimham
- c. S. Venkitaramanan
- d. YV Reddy

61. Justice Nuthalapati Venkata Ramana has been sworn in as the Chief Justice of India (CJI).

- a. 40th b. 36th c. 52nd d. 48th

62. Arjun Kalyan has recently become the 68th Chess Grandmaster of India. He hails from which city?

- a. Visakhapatnam b. Chennai
- c. Guwahati d. Pune

63. Name the Indian mountaineer, who has become the first female of the country to summit the Mt Annapurna in April 2021, the tenth highest mountain in the world.

- a. Gurmeyum Anita Devi
- b. Malavath Purna
- c. Priyanka Mohite
- d. Santosh Yadav

64. What is the rank of India in the World Press Freedom Index 2021?

- a. 139 b. 142 c. 127 d. 151

65. Stefanos Tsitsipas has claimed his career's first ATP Masters 1000 trophy after he won 2021 Rolex Monte Carlo Masters singles title. He beat which player to win the tennis tournament?

- a. Daniil Medvedev b. Andrey Rublev
- c. Dominic Thiem d. Alexander Zverev

66. The Nehru Zoological Park is the first zoo in India to get the ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management Standards Certificate from United Kingdom. The zoo is situated in which city?

- a. Bengaluru b. Nagpur
- c. Jaipur d. Hyderabad

67. Which country has topped the World Press Freedom Index 2021?

- a. Norway b. Finland
- c. Switzerland d. Sweden

68. Which state has launched the portal named 'PARESHRAM' to boost industrial development in the State?

- a. Andhra Pradesh
- b. Odisha
- c. Tamil Nadu
- d. Karnataka

69. Italy has launched its first Mega Food Park in India which state of the country?

- a. Himachal Pradesh b. Gujarat
- c. Rajasthan d. Tamil Nadu

70. GVG Krishnamurthy has passed away. He was the former of India

- a. Home Minister
- b. President
- c. Election Commissioner
- d. Chief of Army Staff

71. India has signed an agreement with which country for cooperation in India's first human space mission, Gaganyaan?

- a. Russia b. Israel
- c. United States d. France

72. Name the winner of the Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay Telecom Skill Excellence Award

- a. Sreenivas Karanam
- b. Sreelakshmi Suresh
- c. Deepanjali Dalmia
- d. Ranveer Allahbadia

73. Name the Indian film which has won the Best Foreign Language Feature award at Moscow International Film Festival

- a. Choked b. Panga
- c. Bulbbul d. Puglya

74. What is the rank of India in the Human Freedom Index 2020?

- a. 124 b. 107 c. 92 d. 111

75. NITI Aayog has launched a national digital repository on health and nutrition. What is the name given to this repository?

- a. Aushadhi Gyan b. Poshan Gyan
- c. Fitness Gyan d. Aarogya Gyan

76. Name the winner of the Sir Richard Hadlee Medal for the 2020-21 season at the New Zealand Cricket Awards?

- a. Glenn Turner b. Ross Taylor
- c. Kane Williamson d. Chris Cairns

77. The limit of maximum balance that can be maintained in the Payments Bank at end of the day per customer has been increased by RBI. What is the new limit?

- a. ₹ 3 lakh b. ₹ 2 lakh
- c. ₹ 1 lakh d. ₹ 5 lakh

78. Dronacharya awardee Sanjay Chakravarty was a coach of which game?

- a. Basketball b. Wrestling
- c. Badminton d. Shooting

79. Who has been appointed as the new Chief Election Commissioner (CEC) of India?

- a. Sushil Chandra b. Rajiv Kumar
- c. Navin Chawla d. Nagendra Singh

80. Education Minister Ramesh Pokhriyal released 'Implementation Plan for School Education' under the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. What is the name given to this plan?

- a. SMARAN b. SARTHAQ
- c. ARTH d. UDDESHYA

81. Name the Indian filmmaker who has been honored with the second highest French civilian honour "Knight of the Order of Arts and Letters".

- a. Sunil Bohra b. Anurag Kashyap
- c. Shaan Vyas d. Guneet Monga

- 82.** Name the female player who has bagged "The Best FIFA Women's Player" for 2020?
a. Ellen White b. Jill Scott
c. Lucy Bronze d. Toni Duggan
- 83.** Which country has been inducted as the latest and 23rd member of the Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA)?
a. France b. Afghanistan
c. Australia d. Malaysia
- 84.** India has handed over 1 MW Romainville Island Solar Power Plant to which country?
a. Sri Lanka b. Indonesia
c. Mauritius d. Seychelles
- 85.** Who has been conferred with the Tansen Samman for 2020?
a. Pt. Satish Vyas
b. Pt. Vidyadhar Vyas
c. Pt. Ulhaas Kashalkar
d. Pt. Dalchan Sharma
- 86.** India's biggest floating solar power plant is being set up at which place?
a. Talcher b. Vijayawada
c. Ramagundam d. Vindhyachal
- 87.** Government has extended the tenure of K. Sivan as the Chairman of which organisation for a period of one-year up to January 2022?
a. DRDO b. ISRO c. BARC d. TERI
- 88.** Name the Deputy Governor of RBI who has retired from his service in April 2021.
a. BP Kanungo
b. Mahesh Kumar Jain
c. Michael Patra
d. Rajeshwar Rao
- 89.** Who has topped the 2021 Forbes' annual world's billionaires list?
a. Jeff Bezos b. Elon Musk
c. Bernard Arnault d. Bill Gates
- 90.** India's first pollinator park has been developed in which State?
a. Assam b. Himachal Pradesh
c. Uttarakhand d. West Bengal
- 91.** Who has been awarded the Saraswati Samman, 2020?
a. K. Siva Reddy
b. Sharankumar Limbale
c. Vasdev Mohi
d. Sitanshu Yashaschandra
- 92.** TiHAN is India's first Testbed for Autonomous Navigation Systems. It has been set-up in which city?
a. New Delhi b. Hyderabad
c. Chennai d. Faridabad
- 93.** Thisara Perera was in news recently for hitting six sixes in a single over. He is a cricket player from which country?
a. South Africa b. West Indies
c. New Zealand d. Sri Lanka
- 94.** Which film has won the best film award at the 66th Filmfare Awards for the year 2021?
a. Thappad
b. Tanhaji: The Unsung Warrior
c. Angrezi Medium
d. Ludo
- 95.** How many MoUs have been signed between India and Bangladesh during the visit of PM Modi to the foreign nation to attend golden jubilee celebrations of Bangladesh's independence in 1971?
a. 12 b. 9 c. 7 d. 5
- 96.** The 'Maharaja Chhatrasal Convention Centre' has been inaugurated in which of these UNESCO World Heritage locations?
a. Sanchi b. Khajuraho
c. Konark d. Hampi
- 97.** Who has been appointed as the new Chairman of Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL)?
a. Mistu Mahajbin b. Soma Mondal
c. Meeta Baghel d. Radha Pyari
- 98.** Which team has won the maximum medals top finish at top place in medal table in the 2021 ISSF World Cup New Delhi?
a. China b. USA
c. India d. South Korea
- 99.** The first-ever Indo-Korean Friendship Park has been inaugurated at which place in India?
a. Rashtrapati Bhavan
b. Red Fort
c. Connaught Place
d. Delhi Cantonment
- 100.** Who has been appointed as the new Chairman & CEO of Railway Board?
a. Sanjay Pal
b. Amit Dhawan
c. Suneet Sharma
d. Harish Kumar Sahu
- 101.** Dr. Harsh Vardhan addressed the 2021 annual summit of NATHEALTH through a video conference. The event was which edition of the Summit?
a. 9th b. 5th
c. 7th d. 11th
- 102.** The 'Malala Yousafzai Scholarship Act' has been passed by which country for the welfare of Pakistani-diaspora female?
a. Germany b. India
c. United States d. France
- 103.** Russia launched 38 foreign satellites from 18 countries into orbit in March 2021. Which rocket system was used for this launch?
a. Soyuz-2.1a b. Soyuz-2.1b
c. Soyuz-2.1v d. Soyuz-2.1s
- 104.** The Gram Ujala Scheme has been launched by government to offer LED bulbs at ₹ 10 in rural areas. The scheme will cover how many states in the first phase?
a. 5 b. 7
c. 3 d. 10
- 105.** Which organisation has approved \$ 100 million loan for India to upgrade power distribution system in Bengaluru city?
a. United Nations Development Programme
b. New Development Bank
c. World Bank
d. Asian Development Bank
- 106.** Which film has won the best feature film award at the 67th National Film Awards for 2019?
a. Marakkar: Lion of the Arabian Sea
b. Manikarnika: The Queen of Jhansi
c. Helen
d. Jallikattu
- 107.** Who has been felicitated with the Gandhi Peace Prize for the years 2020?
a. AT Ariyaratne
b. Sulabh International
c. Yohei Sasakawa
d. Sheikh Mujibur Rahman
- 108.** Which state has launched the 'Launch Pad Scheme' for above 18 years youths, coming out of child care institutions?
a. Haryana b. Madhya Pradesh
c. Uttarakhand d. Kerala
- 109.** The Legal Entity Identifier India Ltd. (LEIL) is a wholly owned subsidiary of?
a. Reserve Bank of India (RBI)
b. Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)
c. Clearing Corporation of India Ltd. (CCIL)
d. Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI)

- 110.** Who has been conferred with the Gandhi Peace Prize for the years 2019?
a. Ekal Abhiyan Trust
b. Qaboos bin Said Al Said
c. Desmond Tutu
d. Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan
- 111.** Which film has won the best non-feature film award at the 67th National Film Awards?
a. The Shower
b. An Engineered Dream
c. Elephants Do Remember
d. Khisa
- 112.** Justice Hima Kohli has been appointed as the first-ever female Chief Justice of the High Court of
a. Karnataka b. Delhi
c. Ladakh d. Telangana
- 113.** Which player has won the All England Badminton Championships 2021 women's single title
a. Carolina Marin
b. Pornpawee Chochuwong
c. Akane Yamaguchi
d. Nozomi Okuhara
- 114.** The world's first Double Stack Long Haul Container Train was flagged off by PM Modi recently. The train will run between which states?
a. Mahatshttra and Bihar
b. Haryana & Rajasthan
c. Jammu & Kashmir & Delhi
d. Tamil Nadu and Odisha
- 115.** Name the winner of best actress award at the National Film Awards for 2019?
a. Kangana Ranaut b. Vidya Balan
c. Raveena Tandon d. Rani Mukherjee
- 116.** Name the new Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, who has been appointed to replace the former CM Trivendra Singh Rawat?
a. Tirath Singh Rawat
b. Dhan Singh Rawat
c. Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank
d. Bhagat Singh Koshyari
- 117.** Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has recently inaugurated 'Maitri Setu' bridge, to strengthen connectivity with which country?
a. Nepal b. Bangladesh
c. Maldives d. Sri Lanka
- 118.** Indian shuttler PV Sindhu lost to which player to settle for silver in 2021 Swiss Open women's single final?
a. Carolina Marin b. Nozomi Okuhara
c. Akane Yamaguchi d. Tai Tzu-ying
- 119.** Divyansh Singh Panwar has won a medal for India in international competition. He is associated with which event?
a. Wrestling b. Athletics
c. Tennis d. Shooting
- 120.** Which country has topped the World Happiness Report 2021?
a. Germany b. Singapore
c. Finland d. Norway
- 121.** Which country was the largest arms exporter in the world during 2016-2020 as per latest SIPRI report?
a. United States b. China
c. Russia d. Germany
- 122.** As per the 2020 IQAir World Air Quality Report, which city has been adjudged as the most polluted capital city in the world?
a. Beijing b. Kathmandu
c. Dhaka d. New Delhi
- 123.** Lou Ottens, the inventor of the audio cassette tape has passed away. He was from which country?
a. Ireland b. Finland
c. Netherlands d. Sweden
- 124.** Cricket players Mohammad Naveed and Shaiman Anwar Butt have been banned from all cricket by ICC for 8 years for being involved in match fixing. They play for which country?
a. Afghanistan b. Pakistan
c. Bangladesh d. UAE
- 125.** The Indian Army has decommissioned M-46 Catapult Guns and Tampella Mortars, two of the longest serving artillery gun systems from service. The caliber of M-46 Catapult Guns and Tampella Mortars were and respectively.
a. 190mm and 190mm
b. 120mm and 150mm
c. 100mm and 110mm
d. 130mm and 160mm
- 126.** Cabinet has approved the PMSSN as a single non-lapsable reserve fund for health, to credit the share of health from proceeds of Health and Education Cess. What does PMSSN stands for?
a. Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Nidhi
b. Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Neeti
c. Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Nutan
d. Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Nigam
- 127.** The Padma Bhushan awardee Laxman Pai has passed away. He was conferred with the prestigious honor for contribution in which field?
a. Agriculture b. Mathematics
c. Literature d. Painting
- 128.** Which of these has won the Album of the Year award at the Grammy Awards 2021?
a. Black Pumas b. Everyday Life
c. Chilombo d. Folklore
- 129.** Which country has taken over Saudi Arabia to become the second largest oil supplier of India, as of February 2021?
a. Japan b. United States
c. UAE d. Israel
- 130.** In 2021, India is observing which edition of the Dandi March celebrations, which was led by Mahatma Gandhi?
a. 75 b. 91 c. 82 d. 100
- 131.** The Cabinet has recently approved to increase the FDI limit in insurance sector to what percent?
a. 85% b. 49% c. 100% d. 74%
- 132.** Name the first Indian women cricket player to cross 10000 runs mark across all formats.
a. Mithali Raj
b. Smriti Mandhana
c. Harmanpreet Kaur
d. Jhulan Goswami
- 133.** Anurag Thakur is the first BJP MP to be promoted as Captain in the Territorial Army. He is an MP from which State?
a. Rajasthan b. Gujarat
c. Uttarakhand d. Himachal Pradesh
- 134.** Which Indian celebrity has been listed in the 2021 Young Global Leaders (YGLs) forum by World Economic Forum
a. Anushka Sharma
b. Shraddha Kapoor
c. Deepika Padukone
d. Alia Bhatt
- 135.** Name the player who has won the BBC Indian Sportswoman of the Year award for 2021?
a. Dutee Chand b. Vinesh Phogat
c. Koneru Humpy d. Rani Rampal
- 136.** PM Modi has recently dedicated to the nation 7500th Janaushadhi Kendra in which city?
a. Shillong b. Agartala
c. Kohima d. Imphal

137. Name the Indian economist who has been appointed as the Assistant Secretary-General and Head of the New York Office of the UNEP

- a. Prakash Lohia
- b. Arora Akanksha
- c. V. Sundramoorthy
- d. Ligia Noronha

138. India has won 2 medal at the ISSF World Cup Shotgun 2021. The tournament was held in which country?

- a. Russia
- b. Egypt
- c. India
- d. Japan

139. The web portal and mobile app, 'e-Sampada' has been launched by which sector?

- a. Central Public Works Department (CPWD)
- b. Directorate of Printing
- c. Land & Development Office
- d. Directorate of Estates

140. The first-ever 'Hot Air Balloon Wildlife Safari' of India in a tiger reserve has been launched in which tiger reserve?

- a. Sariska Tiger Reserve
- b. Satpura Tiger Reserve
- c. Bandhavgarh Tiger Reserve
- d. Kanha Tiger Reserve

141. Name the female badminton player who has claimed women's singles title at the Uganda International Badminton Tournament 2021?

- a. Treesa Jolly
- b. Anupama Upadhyaya
- c. Aditi Bhatt
- d. Malvika Bansod

142. Who is the author of the book 'COVID-19: Sabhyata ka Sankat aur Samadhan'?

- a. Kailash Satyarthi
- b. Narendra Modi
- c. Tathagata Roy
- d. Amish Tripathi

143. Who has been appointed as the new chairman of selectors for national men's cricket team?

- a. Ravi Shastri
- b. Chetan Sharma
- c. Kapil Dev
- d. Madan Lal

144. India's first 'Fire Park' has been inaugurated in which city to educate and bring awareness on basic fire safety measures among people?

- a. Hyderabad
- b. Chennai
- c. Bhubaneswar
- d. Kochi

145. Which State has launched e-governance portal named 'Farmer Registration and Unified beneficiary Information System (FRUITS)'?

- a. Tamil Nadu
- b. Punjab
- c. Karnataka
- d. Uttarakhand

146. The largest Hockey Stadium of India is being set up in which city?

- a. Lucknow
- b. Rourkela
- c. Pune
- d. Nagpur

147. The Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha Television channels have been merged to form a single entity called Sansad Television. Who has been appointed as the CEO of this Sansad Television?

- a. Om Birla
- b. M. Venkaiah Naidu
- c. Ravi Capoor
- d. Naresh Jain

148. The Union cabinet has recently approved new guidelines for DTH broadcasting services, as per which, the DTH services will now be issue licences for a period of years.

- a. 20
- b. 10
- c. 15
- d. 30

149. The first ever Kisan Rail in India was flagged off for which State?

- a. Maharashtra and West Bengal
- b. Maharashtra and Bihar
- c. Maharashtra and Uttar Pradesh
- d. Maharashtra and Madhya Pradesh

150. Veteran former Foreign Minister Madhav Singh Solanki, has passed away. He was the former Chief Minister of which State?

- a. Gujarat
- b. Rajasthan
- c. Haryana
- d. Uttarakhand

151. Anshu Malik is related to which sports?

- a. Shooting
- b. Tennis
- c. Wrestling
- d. Cricket

152. The mobile app 'Satark Nagrik' and Departmental Vigilance Officers (DVO) Portal has been launched by which state for easy grievance redressal?

- a. Delhi
- b. Madhya Pradesh
- c. Jammu & Kashmir
- d. Uttar Pradesh

153. Name the player who has been awarded the best ATP Player of the Year 2020 award?

- a. Novak Djokovic
- b. Andrey Rublev
- c. Roger Federer
- d. Rafael Nadal

154. Which country is the focus country of the 51st International Film Festival of India (IFFI)?

- a. Vietnam
- b. Bangladesh
- c. Japan
- d. Malaysia

155. Raghvendra Singh Chauhan has been appointed as the new Chief Justice of which High Court?

- a. Telangana
- b. Uttarakhand
- c. Gauhati
- d. Sikkim

156. Which country was the host of the 'One Planet Summit' 2021, held in collaboration with UN and World Bank?

- a. Australia
- b. France
- c. India
- d. Germany

157. The Under-20 football World Cups 2021 has been postponed for 2023. Which country will host the event?

- a. Japan
- b. India
- c. Indonesia
- d. Russia

158. IRDAI has constituted an expert panel to examine the availability of health insurance products in the country. Who is the head of this committee?

- a. Pravin Kutumbe
- b. TL Alamelu
- c. Suresh Mathur
- d. Subhash Chandra Khuntia

159. DRDO has partnered with which country for the development of MRSAM missile?

- a. France
- b. Russia
- c. Israel
- d. United States

160. Claire Polosak has become the first women umpire to officiate men's test match. She is from which country?

- a. New Zealand
- b. England
- c. Australia
- d. South Africa

161. PM Modi has inaugurated the Chilahati-Haldibari rail link, which will connect India with which country?

- a. Thailand
- b. Myanmar
- c. Nepal
- d. Bangladesh

162. What is the official song track for the 2022 ICC Women's World Cup?

- a. Sing for Women
- b. Ladies Miracle
- c. Hit Stand
- d. Girl Gang

163. Laxmipriya Mohapatra who has passed away was a maestro of which dance form?

- a. Odissi
- b. Kathak
- c. Bharatnatyam
- d. Kathakali

- 164.** As per the Global Wind Report 2021, world needs to install minimum GW of new wind energy every year to limit the global warming to well below 2°C above pre-industrial levels.
a. 280 b. 180 c. 380 d. 80
- 165.** The Defence Ministry has signed a contract with which among the following firms to procure 11 Airport Surveillance Radars?
a. HAL
b. Reliance
c. Tata Motors
d. Mahindra Telephonics
- 166.** Which country is the host nation for the 2022 ICC Women's World Cup?
a. India b. South Africa
c. New Zealand d. Australia
- 167.** General Bipin Rawat has formally commissioned the ICGS Vajra into service in Chennai. The Indian Coast Guard Ship VAJRA is in the series of 7 OPVs being built by L&T
a. 5th b. 6th c. 7th d. 4th
- 168.** The Defence Ministry has signed a contract with which among the following firms to procure 11 Airport Surveillance Radars?
a. HAL
b. Reliance
c. Tata Motors
d. Mahindra Telephonics
- 169.** Who has been appointed as the CEO of the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI)?
a. Saurabh Garg b. SP Saravanan
c. Madanlal Rathore
d. Faiz Ahmed Kidwai
- 170.** How many medals have been won by Indian boxers in the Cologne Boxing World Cup 2020?
a. 7 b. 8 c. 10 d. 9
- 171.** Which state's Governor has been given additional charge of discharging duties of Puducherry's Lieutenant Governor?
a. Tamil Nadu b. Telangana
c. Andhra Pradesh d. Karnataka
- 172.** David Diop has become the French novelist to win the International Booker prize for translated fiction with *At Night All Blood Is Black*, his first novel translated into English.
a. First b. Second
c. Third d. Fourth
- 173.** The fossils of the world's oldest animal - Dickinsonia - were discovered in which State?
a. Assam
b. Arunachal Pradesh
c. Madhya Pradesh
d. Gujarat
- 174.** Which state government has announced a 'Covid-free village' contest with an award of ₹ 50 lakh for the winner?
a. Karnataka b. Uttar Pradesh
c. Rajasthan d. Maharashtra
- 175.** Gatka is a traditional sports, having its origin from which State?
a. Punjab b. Madhya Pradesh
c. Kerala d. Rajasthan
- 176.** As per the budget, which of the following has been designated as a regulator for gold exchanges?
a. RBI b. SEBI c. SIDBI d. FMC
- 177.** NASA has announced plans to launch two new missions to which planet between 2028 and 2030?
a. Jupiter b. Saturn
c. Venus d. Mercury
- 178.** The fiscal deficit is estimated to be how much percent of the GDP in 2021-22 as per Union Budget 2021?
a. 9.5% b. 8.8% c. 7.4% d. 6.8%
- 179.** The Varasat campaign has been launched by which State to curb land-related disputes in rural areas?
a. Uttar Pradesh b. Maharashtra
c. West Bengal d. Rajasthan
- 180.** Name the winner of Vyas Samman 2020
a. Sharad Pagare b. Govind Mishra
c. Sunita Jain d. Amar Kanth
- 181.** Which company's IPO will be launched in 2021-22 as a part of Government's disinvestment strategy?
a. Air India
b. Life Insurance Corporation
c. IDBI Bank
d. Shipping Corporation of India
- 182.** Issac Herzog has become the 11th President of which nation?
a. Israel b. Armenia
c. Italy d. Spain
- 183.** ISRO demonstrated free-space Quantum Communication, for the first time in India. The demonstration took place over a range of
a. 400 m b. 500 m c. 1000 m d. 300 m
- 184.** Which is a highest allocation Ministry in Budget 2021-22 ?
a. Ministry of Education
b. Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
c. Ministry of Railways
d. Ministry of Defence
- 185.** Who has become the first bowler to dismiss left-handers 200 times in Test cricket?
a. R. Ashwin b. Jasprit Bumrah
c. Moeen Ali d. Mitchell Starc
- 186.** ONGC has launched its new oil production field 'The Bengal Basin'. This is the producing basin of India.
a. 8th b. 5th c. 11th d. 6th
- 187.** Four Indian astronauts being trained on Generic Space Flight aspects, in Russia as part of the
a. Mangal Mission b. Chandra Mission
c. Gaganyaan d. NASA Mission
- 188.** What is the name of the Indian American who led NASA's operation -Perseverance Rover Landing-on Mars?
a. Vanita Gupta b. Neera Tanden
c. Mala Adiga d. Swati Mohan
- 189.** The World's largest COVID-19 vaccination drive commenced in India on January 16, 2021 using indigenously manufactured Covishield and Covaxin. The Covaxin has been manufactured by which company?
a. Serum Institute of India, Pune
b. Bharat Biotech International Ltd. Hyderabad
c. Cadila Healthcare Limited, Ahmedabad
d. Indian Immunologicals Limited, Hyderabad
- 190.** What is the biggest source of income for Central Government in the Union Budget 2021-22 ?
a. GST
b. borrowing and other Liabilities
c. Income Tax
d. Corporate Tax
- 191.** The Finance Minister has announced how much amount for COVID-19 vaccine during the period 2021-22 ?
a. ₹ 55000 crore b. ₹ 40000 crore
c. ₹ 35000 crore d. ₹ 30000 crore
- 192.** Name the Indian leader who has been honored with the 'The Legion of Merit'
a. Shaktikanta Das
b. Ramnath Kovind
c. Narendra Modi
d. Manoj Mukund Naravane

- 193.** Budget for 2021-22 announced voluntary vehicle scrapping policy to phase out old and polluting vehicles. After how many years fitness of commercial vehicles will be checked for the same?
a. 10 b. 12 c. 15 d. 20
- 194.** In budget session 2021-22, Government decided to setting up how many Regional National Institute for Virology ?
a. 6 b. 5 c. 4 d. 3
- 195.** What is the age limit for senior citizens who are abolished from the need to file IT returns?
a. Above 60 years b. Above 65 years
c. Above 70 years d. Above 75 years
- 196.** As per the budget, central university to be set up in which of the following State/UT?
a. Kerala b. Jammu & Kashmir
c. Tamil Nadu d. Ladakh
- 197.** The 2020-21 Economic survey data shows that the life expectancy at birth has improved in 2019, at , as compared to a year before.
a. 69.7 years b. 65.8 years
c. 68.2 years d. 70.5 years
- 198.** The Urban Swachh Bharat Mission 2.0 will be implemented over a period of 5 years from ?
a. 2021-2026 b. 2020-2025
c. 2022-2027 d. 2023-2028
- 199.** 'Infinite India' is an online portal launched by which bank for the foreign companies who wants to expand their business in India?
a. Axis Bank
b. Kotak Mahindra Bank
c. HDFC Bank
d. ICICI Bank
- 200.** The FRBM Act mandates fiscal deficit of of GDP to be achieved by 31st March 2020-21.
a. 3% b. 3.3% c. 3.5% d. 3.6%
- 201.** Denis Sassou Nguesso has been re-appointed as the President of which country?
a. Republic of the Congo
b. Senegal
c. Mozambique
d. Tanzania
- 202.** Shaheen-1A is a nuclear-capable surface-to-surface ballistic missile by which country?
a. Afghanistan b. Iran
c. Pakistan d. Israel
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a. Saurabh Garg
b. SP Saravanan
c. Madanlal Rathore
d. Faiz Ahmed Kidwai
- 206.** Name the newly appointed Chairman of the Airports Authority of India (AAI)
a. Sanjeev Kumar
b. Arun Kumar Shrivastava
c. Kona Sasidhar
d. Archana Ranjan
- 207.** Who has been felicitated with the Maharashtra Bhushan Award 2020, the highest honor of State government?
a. Udit Narayan
b. Javed Akhtar
c. Lata Mangeshkar d. Asha Bhosle
- 208.** Who has been sworn in as the new Chairman of Food Corporation of India (FCI)?
a. Gudey Srinivas
b. Atish Chandra
c. Edwin Kulbhushan Majhi
d. Vivek Aggarwal
- 209.** What is the theme of Earth Hour 2021?
a. Climate Change to Save Earth
b. Save Energy, Save Earth - Energy Saving, Earth Protection
c. Climate Action and Sustainable Development
d. Shining a light at Climate Action
- 210.** Who is the author of the book 'My Experiments With Silence'?
a. Rahul Roy b. Gauri Khan
c. Aman Verma d. Samir Soni
- 211.** Name the new customised savings account scheme unveiled by the Indian Overseas Bank (IOB) for Millennials population in India?
a. IOB Mine b. IOB Trendy
c. IOB Liberty d. IOB Smart
- 212.** Name the winner of Vyas Samman 2020.
a. Sharad Pagare b. Govind Mishra
c. Sunita Jain d. Amar Kanth
- 213.** Name the Indian-American physician who has been appointed as the US Surgeon General in Biden's administration?
a. Neera Tanden b. Atul Gawande
c. Vivek Murthy d. Arun Majumdar
- 214.** Which State has launched India's first government-run ambulance network for animals to boost the animal husbandry and veterinary sector?
a. Rajasthan b. Tamil Nadu
c. Maharashtra d. Andhra Pradesh
- 215.** The World's first exclusive Ship Tunnel is slated to be constructed in which country?
a. Germany b. Singapore
c. Finland d. Norway
- 216.** The Ken-Betwa Link project is a river interlinking project, which will be jointly undertaken by the government of which State?
a. Telangana and Andhra Pradesh
b. Maharashtra and Gujarat
c. Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh
d. Uttarakhand and Himachal Pradesh
- 217.** The e-Tendering Portal PRANIT has been launched by which of these organisations?
a. NHPC b. ONGC
c. NTPC d. POWERGRID
- 218.** Russia recently launched 38 foreign satellites from 18 countries into orbit. Which rocket system was used for this launch?
a. Soyuz-2.1a b. Soyuz-2.1b
c. Soyuz-2.1v d. Soyuz-2.1s
- 219.** Which country has topped the ultimate military strength index, for having the strongest military force in the world, as per Military Direct?
a. USA b. China
c. Russia d. Germany
- 220.** What is the theme of the World Tuberculosis Day 2021?
a. It's Time
b. Wanted: Leaders for a TB-free world
c. The Clock is Ticking
d. Unite to end TB
- 221.** Which State has won the 'Most Film Friendly State Award' at the 67th National Film Awards for the year 2019?
a. Assam b. Maharashtra
c. Uttarakhand d. Sikkim

222. Which cricket team has won the Road Safety World Series 2020-21?

- a. Australia Legends
- b. Sri Lanka Legends
- c. India Legends
- d. Bangladesh Legends

223. Who has been felicitated with the Gandhi Peace Prize for the years 2020?

- a. AT Ariyaratne
- b. Sulabh International
- c. Yohei Sasakawa
- d. Sheikh Mujibur Rahman

224. Which is the first State in India to adopt Ethanol Production Promotion Policy, 2021?

- a. Delhi
- b. Bihar
- c. Maharashtra
- d. Rajasthan

225. What is the theme of the World Water Day 2021?

- a. Water and Climate Change
- b. Leaving no one behind
- c. Ocean & Climate
- d. Valuing Water

226. The Indian Navy recently conducted the Passage Exercise (PASSEX) with which country in Persian Gulf under Operation Sankalp?

- a. Bahrain
- b. Iran
- c. Qatar
- d. United Arab Emirates

227. Which player has won the All England Badminton Championships 2021 women's single title?

- a. Carolina Marin
- b. Pornpawee Chochuwong
- c. Akane Yamaguchi
- d. Nozomi Okuhara

228. What is the rank of India in the UN World Happiness Report 2021 among 149 countries?

- a. 118
- b. 106
- c. 121
- d. 139

229. Which State has launched the SAAMAR Campaign to tackle malnutrition in the State?

- a. Rajasthan
- b. Kerala
- c. Jharkhand
- d. Punjab

230. Which country has topped the World Happiness Report 2021

- a. Germany
- b. Singapore
- c. Finland
- d. Norway

231. Who has been appointed as the Chairman of the Stop TB Partnership Board?

- a. Ramesh Pokhriyal
- b. Prakash Javadekar
- c. Harsh Vardhan
- d. Nitin Gadkari

232. Which country is developing the largest floating solar farm of the world to curb climate change?

- a. Germany
- b. Australia
- c. Netherlands
- d. Singapore

233. Samia Suluhu Hassan has been sworn in as the first female President of which country?

- a. Zambia
- b. Burundi
- c. Tanzania
- d. Uganda

234. As per Moody's Analytics, what is the projected GDP growth rate of India in the Calendar Year 2021?

- a. 10%
- b. 12%
- c. 11%
- d. 9%

235. Who has been appointed as the new Director General of the International Solar Alliance (ISA)?

- a. Ajay Mathur
- b. Sanjiv Nandan Sahai
- c. Narendra Modi
- d. Piyush Goyal

236. Kuldiep Singh has recently been appointed as the new Director General of which body?

- a. National Security Guard (NSG)
- b. Central Industrial Security Force (CISF)
- c. Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP)
- d. Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF)

237. Which country was the largest arms exporter in the world during 2016-2020 as per latest SIPRI report?

- a. United States
- b. China
- c. Russia
- d. Germany

238. Who has been appointed as the new Director General (DG) of National Security Guard (NSG)?

- a. Megh Singh
- b. Abhay Raghunath Karve
- c. MA Ganapathy
- d. Ravi Datt Mehta

239. As per the 2020 IQ Air World Air Quality Report, which city has been adjudged as the most polluted capital city in the world?

- a. Beijing
- b. Kathmandu
- c. Dhaka
- d. New Delhi

240. What is the deadline set by the RBI for all bank branches to implement the image-based Cheque Truncation System (CTS)?

- a. September 30, 2021
- b. March 31, 2021
- c. April 30, 2021
- d. August 31, 2021

241. Which is the most polluted city in the world, according to the IQAir 2020 World Air Quality Report?

- a. New York
- b. New Delhi
- c. Xinjiang
- d. Dhaka

242. India has recently surpassed which country to become the fourth largest foreign-exchange reserves in the world?

- a. Russia
- b. Japan
- c. UAE
- d. France

243. Chemancheri Kunhiraman Nair, who has passed away recently was a veteran artist of

- a. Kathak
- b. Manipuri
- c. Bharatnatyam
- d. Kathakali

244. Which country has taken over Saudi Arabia to become the second largest oil supplier of India, as of February 2021?

- a. Japan
- b. United States
- c. UAE
- d. Israel

245. Which of these has won the Album of the Year award at the Grammy Awards 2021?

- a. Black Pumas
- b. Everyday Life
- c. Chilombo
- d. Folklore

246. The Foreign Exchange Reserve of which country is the largest in the world, as per the recent data of IMF?

- a. China
- b. Japan
- c. Switzerland
- d. Singapore

247. Which country is the largest crude oil supplier to India?

- a. United States
- b. UAE
- c. Iraq
- d. Nigeria

248. The Cabinet has recently approved to increase the FDI limit in insurance sector to what percent?

- a. 85%
- b. 49%
- c. 100%
- d. 74%

249. India's first centralised Air-Conditioned (AC) railway terminal 'Sir M. Visvesvaraya Terminal' has been set-up in which city?

- a. Bengaluru
- b. Mumbai
- c. Chennai
- d. Kolkata

250. What is the name of the world's most powerful supercomputer, which has been developed by Japan and made operational recently?

- a. Akane
- b. Volcano
- c. Fugaku
- d. Pangea

- 251.** The Mera Ration mobile app launched by government under 'One Nation-One Ration Card' system, has been developed by
 a. National Payments Corporation of India
 b. National Informatics Centre (NIC)
 c. TCS
 d. India Post
- 252.** Name the first Indian women cricket player to cross 10000 runs mark across all formats.
 a. Mithali Raj
 b. Smriti Mandhana
 c. Harmanpreet Kaur
 d. Jhulan Goswami
- 253.** The annual joint military exercise 'DUSTLIK II' has kicked off between Indian army and which country?
 a. Kazakhstan b. Uzbekistan
 c. Mongolia d. Ukraine
- 254.** Name the Indian celebrity who has been chosen as the recipient of the 2021 FIAF Award by the International Federation of Film Archives (FIAF)?
 a. Amitabh Bachchan
 b. Priyanka Chopra
 c. Anupam Kher
 d. Akshay Kumar
- 255.** Which Indian celebrity has been listed in the 2021 Young Global Leaders (YGLs) forum by World Economic Forum?
 a. Anushka Sharma
 b. Shraddha Kapoor
 c. Deepika Padukone
 d. Alia Bhatt
- 256.** Who has been appointed as the new Chief Statistician of India (CSI)?
 a. GP Samanta
 b. Sridhar Srivastava
 c. Rattan Chand
 d. Probir Chaudhury
- 257.** Which company owns the highest stake in Indian Gas Exchange (IGX)?
 a. Multi Commodity Exchange
 b. Indian Energy Exchange
 c. Tata Power
 d. State Bank of India
- 258.** Name the player who has won the BBC Indian Sportswoman of the Year award for 2021.
 a. Dutee Chand b. Vinesh Phogat
 c. Koneru Humpy d. Rani Rampal
- 259.** Who among the following has been named as the ICC Men's Player of the Month for February 2021?
 a. Joe Root
 b. Ravichandran Ashwin
 c. Kyle Mayers
 d. Ajinkya Rahane
- 260.** Name the new Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, who has been appointed to replace the former CM Trivendra Singh Rawat?
 a. Tirath Singh Rawat
 b. Dhan Singh Rawat
 c. Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank
 d. Bhagat Singh Koshyari
- 261.** Which countries have signed MoU to jointly set-up 'International Scientific Lunar Station (ISLS)', a lunar space station on Moon?
 a. Russia and Japan
 b. Japan and United States
 c. United States and Russia
 d. Russia and China
- 262.** Which country has topped the Economic Freedom Index 2021, released by US think-tank, The Heritage Foundation?
 a. Ireland b. Australia
 c. Netherlands d. Singapore
- 263.** Prime Minister Narendra Modi has recently inaugurated 'Maitri Setu' bridge, to strengthen connectivity with which country?
 a. Nepal b. Bangladesh
 c. Maldives d. Sri Lanka
- 264.** Who is the author of the book 'Dynasty to Democracy: The Untold Story of Smriti Irani's Triumph'?
 a. Anant Vijay b. Ashok Banker
 c. Shiv Aroor d. Vikram Chandra
- 265.** The 'Super-75' scholarship schemes has been launched by the government of which State for meritorious girls from poor family to support them in education and entrepreneurship?
 a. Maharashtra
 b. Rajasthan
 c. Uttarakhand
 d. Jammu & Kashmir
- 266.** India's first Forest Healing Centre has been inaugurated in which State?
 a. Assam
 b. Uttarakhand
 c. Himachal Pradesh
 d. Karnataka
- 267.** 'The Frontier Gandhi: My Life and Struggle' is an English translation of the autobiography of which freedom fighter?
 a. Muhammad Ali Jinnah
 b. Vallabhbhai Patel
 c. Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan
 d. C. Rajagopalachari
- 268.** Name the winner of men's single title at the 2021 BWF Swiss Open Super 300.
 a. Kento Momota b. Chen Long
 c. Viktor Axelsen d. Shi Yuqi
- 269.** The first-ever 'Transgender Community Desk' of India has been set-up in which city?
 a. Chennai b. Pune
 c. Hyderabad d. Kochi
- 270.** President Ram Nath Kovind has recently laid the foundation stone for the conservation works of Singorgarh Fort in which State?
 a. Rajasthan b. Madhya Pradesh
 c. Uttar Pradesh d. Gujarat
- 271.** What is the theme of the International Women's Day 2021?
 a. I am Generation Equality': Realizing Women's Rights
 b. Women in leadership: Achieving an equal future in a COVID-19 world
 c. Think equal, build smart, innovate for change
 d. Time is Now: Rural and urban activists transforming women's lives
- 272.** What is the rate of interest on Provident Fund deposits for the financial year 2020-21, as notified by EPFO?
 a. 7% b. 8.5% c. 8% d. 7.5%
- 273.** Name the Indian economist who has been appointed as the Assistant Secretary-General and Head of the New York Office of the UNEP.
 a. Prakash Lohia b. Arora Akanksha
 c. V. Sundramoorthy d. Ligia Noronha
- 274.** NPCI has launched the RuPay SoftPoS in collaboration with which company for merchants?
 a. PayPal India b. SBI Payments
 c. Paytm d. HDFC Bank
- 275.** Which team has won the highest medal in the Khelo India Winter National Games 2021?
 a. Maharashtra b. Karnataka
 c. Jammu & Kashmir d. Ladakh
- 276.** Which country has planned to develop the world's first dedicated sanctuary for duck-billed mammal, Platypus?
 a. United Kingdom b. China
 c. Singapore d. Australia

- 277.** Which University has topped the QS World University Rankings 2021?
 a. University of Oxford
 b. University of Cambridge
 c. Stanford University
 d. Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 278.** Which year has been adopted by UNGA to be observed as International Year of Millets, as proposed by India?
 a. 2025 b. 2021 c. 2022 d. 2023
- 279.** Which city has emerged as the top city in the Ease of Living Index 2020 in the Million+ category?
 a. Bengaluru b. Pune
 c. Ahmedabad d. Chennai
- 280.** Which municipality has topped the Municipal Performance Index (MPI) 2020 in Million plus population category?
 a. Ahmedabad b. Indore
 c. Surat d. Pune
- 281.** The Starship prototype rocket 'SN10' was successfully launched and tested by which organisation?
 a. European Space Agency
 b. Boeing
 c. NASA
 d. SpaceX
- 282.** Which country has recently signed 'procurement of defence material and equipment' agreement to purchase BrahMos missile?
 a. Vietnam b. Philippines
 c. Germany d. Egypt
- 283.** Who has been appointed as the Chairperson of the International Boxing Association's (AIBA) Champions and Veterans Committee?
 a. Mary Kom
 b. Floyd Mayweather
 c. Mike Tyson
 d. Vijender Singh
- 284.** Which city has emerged as the top city in the Ease of Living Index 2020 in the Less than Million category?
 a. Gandhinagar
 b. Gurugram
 c. Bhubaneswar
 d. Shimla
- 285.** Which municipality has topped the Municipal Performance Index (MPI) 2020 in Less than million category?
 a. Udaipur
 b. Salem
 c. New Delhi Municipal Council
 d. Tirupati
- 286.** Matam Venkata Rao has recently been appointed as the new Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of which bank?
 a. Punjab National Bank
 b. Bank of India
 c. Canara Bank
 d. Central Bank of India
- 287.** Who has been ranked as the top billionaire in the Hurun Global Rich List 2021?
 a. Elon Musk b. Jeff Bezos
 c. Bernard Arnault d. Bill Gates
- 288.** Name the female badminton player who has claimed women's singles title at the Uganda International Badminton Tournament 2021?
 a. Treasa Jolly
 b. Anupama Upadhyaya
 c. Aditi Bhatt
 d. Malvika Bansod
- 289.** Which team has won the 2020-21 Indian Super League (ISL) Winners Shield?
 a. Mumbai City FC
 b. Goa FC
 c. ATK Mohun Bagan
 d. Bengaluru FC
- 290.** The Indian skeet team defeated which country to win silver medal at the ISSF Shotgun World Cup 2021 in Cairo?
 a. Russia b. Kazakhstan
 c. Australia d. United States
- 291.** Which among the following Payments Bank has recently been designated as Scheduled Commercial Banks by RBI?
 a. Airtel Payments Bank
 b. Fino Payments Bank
 c. India Post Payments Bank
 d. Paytm Payments Bank
- 292.** The new satellite 'Arktika-M' has been launched by which country to monitor the climate and environment of Arctic region?
 a. United States b. Japan
 c. Russia d. France
- 293.** Who will be the 48th Chief Justice of India?
 a. RF Nariman
 b. UU Lalit
 c. AM Khanwilkar
 d. NV Ramana
- 294.** What was India's rank on IP Index 2021?
 a. 35 b. 53 c. 40 d. 27
- 295.** Who won the Grammy 2021 award in Record of the Year category?
 a. Billie Eilish
 b. Harry Styles
 c. Lady Gaga
 d. Beyoncé
- 296.** What is the new Railway Helpline Number?
 a. 110 b. 123
 c. 139 d. 140
- 297.** Who has become the first Indian fencer to qualify for the Olympics?
 a. Kabita Devi b. Reorita Dev
 c. Ambily d. Bhavani Devi
- 298.** Which State government has ordered the removal of all roadside religious structures?
 a. Uttar Pradesh b. Gujarat
 c. Rajasthan d. Madhya Pradesh
- 299.** Which nation has launched its military exercise in space?
 a. USA b. France
 c. Russia d. China
- 300.** What is the new name of Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha TV?
 a. Sankalp TV b. Sansad TV
 c. Bharat TV d. Lok Manya TV
- 301.** Which State has topped the India Justice Report 2020?
 a. Maharashtra b. Gujarat
 c. Andhra Pradesh d. Kerala
- 302.** Nguyen Phu Trong has been re-elected as the head of which country for the third consecutive term in 2021?
 a. Vietnam b. Cambodia
 c. Laos d. Philippines
- 303.** Who has been appointed as the first-ever Chief Compliance Officer of Facebook?
 a. Sheryl Sandberg b. Dave Wehner
 c. Henry Moniz d. Mike Schroepfer
- 304.** Name the newly appointed Indian-origin Acting Chief of Staff of NASA.
 a. Mohini Bhardwaj b. AK Mozumdar
 c. Sheetal Sheth d. Bhavya Lal
- 305.** The second Khelo India National Winter Games has been organised in which place?
 a. Gangtok b. Dehradun
 c. Gulmarg d. Dalhousie
- 306.** The 'UTS ON MOBILE App' is owned by which entity?
 a. Indian Army b. Indian Railways
 c. India Post d. BSNL

307. Irakli Garibashvili has been sworn in as the new Prime Minister of which country?

- a. Kazakhstan
- b. Papua New Guinea
- c. Georgia
- d. Mongolia

308. Carbon Watch is India's first mobile app to assess the carbon footprint of an individual has been launched by which State/UT?

- a. Chandigarh
- b. Puducherry
- c. Gujarat
- d. Ladakh

309. The book titled 'Stories I Must Tell: The Emotional Journey of an Actor' is a memoir of which actor?

- a. Kabir Bedi
- b. Shatrughan Sinha
- c. Amitabh Bachchan
- d. Dilip Kumar

310. Who has been appointed as the President of Table Tennis Federation of India (TTFI) ?

- a. Dushyant Chautala
- b. Rajeev P. Bodas
- c. Chiranjib Choudhury
- d. Rabindra Kumar Parida

311. The first-ever Digital University of India has been inaugurated in which State?

- a. Uttar Pradesh
- b. Kerala
- c. Karnataka
- d. Bihar

312. The world's largest Cricket stadium has been inaugurated in which city of India?

- a. Lucknow
- b. Kolkata
- c. Ahmedabad
- d. Mumbai

313. Which country was the largest trading partner of India in the year 2020?

- a. Japan
- b. UAE
- c. United States
- d. China

314. The newly-instituted International Anti-Corruption Champions Award has been launched by which country?

- a. France
- b. United States
- c. Singapore
- d. Germany

315. The National Urban Digital Mission (NUDM) has been launched by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs in partnership with which ministry?

- a. Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
- b. Ministry of Sports
- c. Ministry of External Affairs
- d. Ministry of Health and Family Welfare

316. Who has been appointed as the new Chairman of National Commission for Scheduled Castes (NCSC)?

- a. Mahendra Nath Pandey
- b. Ram Shankar Katheria
- c. Dharmendra Pradhan
- d. Vijay Sampla

317. Which State is setting up a Flower Processing Centre to convert unsold flowers into various useful products?

- a. Karnataka
- b. Madhya Pradesh
- c. Kerala
- d. Maharashtra

318. Which stadium in India has been renamed as the Narendra Modi Cricket Stadium?

- a. Brabourne Stadium
- b. Eden Gardens
- c. Motera Stadium
- d. Holkar Stadium

319. Name the Indiana activist who has been named among the 12 winners of the newly set-up International Anti-Corruption Champions Award?

- a. Almitra Patel
- b. Anjali Bharadwaj
- c. Tulsi Gowda
- d. Archana Soreng

320. The Khajuraho Dance Festival is organised annually in which State?

- a. Himachal Pradesh
- b. Karnataka
- c. Madhya Pradesh
- d. Assam

321. Hoshangabad city in Madhya Pradesh is planned to be renamed as

- a. Sonepuram
- b. Shiprapuram
- c. Narmadapuram
- d. Jamnipuram

322. The Khelo India University Games (KIUG) 2021 will be hosted by which State?

- a. Ladakh
- b. Karnataka
- c. Gujarat
- d. Odisha

323. Who among the following has become the youngest woman to row solo across an Ocean?

- a. Jasmine Harrison
- b. Katie Spot
- c. Lukas Haitzmann
- d. Imani Williams

324. The 26th edition of 'HunarHaat' was held in New Delhi. What is the theme of the event?

- a. Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas, Sabka Vishwas
- b. Vocal for Local
- c. Aspirational India
- d. Caring Society

325. Name the actor to win the Critic's Best Actor award at the Dadasaheb Phalke International Film Festival 2021.

- a. Sushant Singh Rajput
- b. Irrfan Khan
- c. Rajkumar Rao
- d. Ayushmann Khurrana

326. V. Narayanasamy has recently resigned as the Chief Minister of which State/UT?

- a. Lakshadweep
- b. Andhra Pradesh
- c. Telangana
- d. Puducherry

327. Name the player who has lifted the Australian Open 2021 Tennis title

- a. Daniil Medvedev
- b. Novak Djokovic
- c. Aslan Karatsev
- d. Federico Gaio

328. The Government of India has inked pact with which country to set-up a Centre of Excellence on Hydrogen?

- a. Maldives
- b. United States
- c. Australia
- d. Norway

329. Which player has bagged the women's single title of the Australian Open 2021?

- a. Karolína Muchová
- b. Jennifer Brady
- c. Naomi Osaka
- d. Ashleigh Barty

330. When is the International Mother Language Day (IMLD) observed?

- a. February 22
- b. February 21
- c. February 20
- d. February 19

331. The India and Indonesia navies recently held their Passage Exercise (PASSEX) in which region?

- a. Arctic Ocean
- b. South China Sea
- c. Indian Ocean
- d. Arabian Sea

332. India has recently signed agreements related to visa facilitation and leather technology with which country

- a. Sri Lanka
- b. Maldives
- c. Ethiopia
- d. Mauritius

333. Name the Indian city which has received the recognition of the 2020 Tree City of World.

- a. Bengaluru
- b. Chennai
- c. Kochi
- d. Hyderabad

334. Which player has emerged as the costliest player in the history of Indian Premier League (IPL) auction, held in 2021?

- a. Chris Morris
- b. David Miller
- c. Aaron Finch
- d. Hashim Amla

335. DRDO tested the indigenously developed Helina and Dhruvastra missile system. The two missiles are which type of missile?

- a. Anti-submarine missile
- b. Anti-tank guided missile
- c. Surface-to-surface missile
- d. Anti-ballistic missile

336. Who has been appointed as the Chairperson of the Advisory Committee of the United Nations Human Rights Council?

- a. K. Raghunath
- b. Shivshankar Menon
- c. Brajesh Mishra
- d. Ajai Malhotra

337. Which Indian ship is participating in the Naval Defence Exhibition (NAVDEX 21) and International Defence Exhibition (IDEX 21) in Abu Dhabi?

- a. INS Vibhuti
- b. INS Veer
- c. INS Nirghat
- d. INS Pralaya

338. Name the player who has clinched women's single title at the 82nd Senior National Table Tennis Championship.

- a. Ankita Das
- b. Neha Aggarwal
- c. Manika Batra
- d. Meena Parande

339. The name of the IPL team 'Kings XI Punjab' has been rebranded. What is the new name of the team?

- a. Punjab Champions
- b. Punjab Knights
- c. Punjab Kings
- d. Punjab Warrior

340. The robocar named TIGER X-1, is an Ultimate Mobility Vehicle launched by which company?

- a. Hyundai Motor
- b. Toyota
- c. Ford Motor
- d. Skoda

341. Which brand has been roped in as the title sponsors of Indian Premier League for the 2021 edition?

- a. Unacademy
- b. Byju's
- c. Dream11
- d. VIVO

342. The mobile app Snakepedia has been launched by which State?

- a. Assam
- b. Uttar Pradesh
- c. Kerala
- d. Tamil Nadu

343. Name the Government Instant Messaging Systems (GIMS) platform launched by the Centre on the lines of Whatsapp?

- a. Sandes
- b. Sampark
- c. Aadesh
- d. Khabri

344. Indian player R. Vinay Kumar has announced his retirement from which sports?

- a. Cricket
- b. Weightlifting
- c. Boxing
- d. Hockey

345. What is the theme of the 2021 National Science Day?

- a. Science for the People, and People for the Science
- b. Women in Science
- c. Science and Technology for a sustainable future
- d. Future of STI : Impact on Education Skills and Work

346. Name the online portal launched by the government to provide online civic services to residents of 62 Cantonment Boards.

- a. e-Basti
- b. e-Chhawani
- c. e-Samuh
- d. e-Padaav

347. Who has been appointed as the new Executive Secretary of the 'United Nations Capital Development Fund'?

- a. Preeti Sinha
- b. Natasha Sahgal
- c. Shrabani Deodhar
- d. Vandana Gupte

348. Name the newly elected Director General of the International Solar Alliance (ISA).

- a. RK Pachauri
- b. Darbari S. Seth
- c. Upendra Tripathy
- d. Ajay Mathur

349. The President of India has appointed Justice Puligoru Venkata Sanjay Kumar as the Chief Justice of which High Court?

- a. Sikkim
- b. Manipur
- c. Assam
- d. Nagaland

350. The 11th Rashtriya Sanskriti Mahotsav has been organised in which State by the Government of India?

- a. Madhya Pradesh
- b. West Bengal
- c. Uttar Pradesh
- d. Gujarat

351. The sustainable electric two-wheeler, named 'PiMo' has been developed by which institution?

- a. IIT Madras
- b. IIT Delhi
- c. IIT Kanpur
- d. IIT Kharagpur

352. Which State/UT has launched the 'Zero Covid by February 28' campaign to ensure zero COVID-19 cases by February 28, 2021?

- a. Goa
- b. Puducherry
- c. Tamil Nadu
- d. Jammu & Kashmir

353. Who has been appointed as the new Prime Minister of Italy?

- a. Jens Weidmann
- b. Joe Biden
- c. Mario Draghi
- d. Giuseppe Conte

354. Which State's Governor has been given additional charge of discharging duties of Puducherry's Lieutenant Governor?

- a. Tamil Nadu
- b. Telangana
- c. Andhra Pradesh
- d. Karnataka

355. Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala become the first female chief of WTO. She was the former Finance Minister of which nation?

- a. Libya
- b. Algeria
- c. Nigeria
- d. Zambia

356. Vijayanagara has become which State's 31st district?

- a. Andhra Pradesh
- b. Telangana
- c. Tamil Nadu
- d. Karnataka

357. Name the player who has topped the latest ICC Men's Test Player Rankings for batsman?

- a. Kane Williamson
- b. Steve Smith
- c. Joe Root
- d. Virat Kohli

358. The memoir titled 'Unfinished' is written by which Indian celebrity?

- a. Anushka Sharma
- b. Priyanka Chopra
- c. Kareena Kapoor
- d. Shilpa Shetty

359. In India, the Samarpan Diwas is marked to commemorate the death anniversary of which India politician?

- a. Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya
- b. Atal Bihari Vajpayee
- c. Syama Prasad Mukherjee
- d. Ram Manohar Lohia

360. What is the theme of the World Radio Day 2021?

- a. New World, New Radio
- b. Dialogue, Tolerance and Peace
- c. Radio and diversity
- d. Radio and Sports

361. Who has won the prestigious 'Wildlife Photographer of the Year People's Choice Award' for 2021?

- a. Sergey Gorshkov
- b. Brent Stirton
- c. Tim Laman
- d. Robert Irwin

362. Name the winner of the Femina Miss India World 2020.

- a. Suman Ratan Singh Rao
- b. Manika Sheokand
- c. Manasa Varanasi
- d. Manya Singh

363. Which Indian film has won the Tiger Award for best film at the International Film Festival Rotterdam 2021?

- a. Annaatthe
- b. Adangatheey
- c. Kabadadaari
- d. Koozhangal

- 364.** Which country has recently inked an MoU with India for the construction of Shahtoot Dam?
a. Afghanistan
b. Bangladesh
c. Nepal
d. Bhutan
- 365.** India's first 'Thunderstorm Research Testbed' is planned to be set-up in which State?
a. Madhya Pradesh
b. Odisha
c. Maharashtra
d. Tamil Nadu
- 366.** The Madhya Pradesh government has launched the SAANS Campaign to curb death rate among infants, caused by which of these disease?
a. Pneumonia
b. Measles
c. Coronavirus
d. Rotavirus
- 367.** India's first ever Geothermal Field Development Project is being set-up in place?
a. Dehradun
b. Jaipur
c. Shimla
d. Ladakh
- 368.** What is the venue of the India-US bilateral joint military exercise 'Yudh Abhyas 20' being held in February 2021?
a. Rajasthan
b. Uttarakhand
c. Himachal Pradesh
d. Jammu & Kashmir
- 369.** Which State has unveiled as system of issuing a unique 16-digit Unicode to mark all kinds of landholdings in the State?
a. Madhya Pradesh
b. Kerala
c. Uttar Pradesh
d. Haryana
- 370.** Name the cricket player who has won the inaugural ICC Player of the Month award for January, 2021?
a. Rohit Sharma
b. Rishabh Pant
c. Ravichandran Ashwin
d. Ravindra Jadeja
- 371.** Which company has been chosen by NASA for its SPHEREx Mission to perform an all-sky survey?
a. Blue Origin
b. SpaceX
c. Boeing
d. United Launch Alliance
- 372.** Which country is set to build world's largest wind power plant?
a. Singapore
b. UAE
c. Germany
d. South Korea
- 373.** Which Indian company has signed an agreement to develop world's first high altitude pseudo satellite?
a. DRDO
b. Ordnance Factory Board, Kolkata
c. Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL)
d. BEML Limited
- 374.** What is the rank of India in the 2020 Democracy Index?
a. 51
b. 49
c. 61
d. 53
- 375.** Who has been appointed as the President of Boxing Federation India?
a. Amarjit Singh
b. Khoibi Salam
c. Hemanta Kumar Kalita
d. Ajay Singh
- 376.** Reliance Industries has become the world's first company to receive consignment of 'carbon-neutral oil' from which country?
a. Russia
b. France
c. United States
d. Japan
- 377.** Who has achieved the feat of becoming the youngest female pilot in India?
a. Ayesha Aziz
b. Hanifa Chapu
c. Rupa Bhawani
d. Ateeqa Bano
- 378.** Name the newly appointed interim Director of the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI).
a. Mohit Bajaj
b. Amit Srivastava
c. Praveen Sinha
d. Ranjan Mishra
- 379.** Which country has topped the 2020 Democracy Index?
a. Norway
b. Singapore
c. Sweden
d. New Zealand
- 380.** Which word has been selected as the Oxford Languages' Hindi Word of the Year 2020?
a. Samvidhaan
b. Ramayan
c. Aatmanirbharta
d. Swachhta
- 381.** Who will take over as the new CEO of Amazon?
a. Andy Jassy
b. Werner Vogels
c. Jeffrey Wilke
d. Teresa Carlson
- 382.** The first-ever 'Amputee Clinic' of India has been set-up in which city?
a. Hyderabad
b. New Delhi
c. Pune
d. Chandigarh
- 383.** Which film won 'Best Film' at the Dadasaheb Phalke International Film Festival Awards 2021?
a. Chhapaak
b. Laxmii
c. Dil Bechara
d. Tanhaji
- 384.** The Financial Action Task Force (FATF) on February 25, 2021 retained Pakistan on its 'grey list' till when?
a. June, 2021
b. August, 2021
c. September, 2021
d. October, 2021
- 385.** Which country has assumed the Chairmanship of BRICS for 2021?
a. Brazil
b. Russia
c. India
d. China
- 386.** Which country has passed a law asking Facebook and Google to pay for the news content shared on their platforms?
a. New Zealand
b. Australia
c. Canada
d. UK
- 387.** The Cabinet has approved the imposition of the President's rule in which State/ UT?
a. Ladakh
b. Jammu & Kashmir
c. Puducherry
d. Delhi
- 388.** Union Environment Minister Prakash Javadekar inaugurated Atal Paryavaran Bhavan in which Union Territory?
a. Jammu & Kashmir
b. Puducherry
c. Andaman & Nicobar Islands
d. Lakshadweep
- 389.** Which State has become the first one to table a paperless budget?
a. Kerala
b. Delhi
c. Madhya Pradesh
d. Uttar Pradesh
- 390.** Which nation has joined Iran-Russia maritime exercise?
a. Japan
b. France
c. India
d. Italy
- 391.** PM Narendra Modi laid the foundation of Maharaja Suheldev Memorial in which State?
a. Maharashtra
b. Madhya Pradesh
c. Uttar Pradesh
d. Bihar
- 392.** Indian Navy will commission its third Scorpene Submarine by what name in March, 2021?
a. INS Karanj
b. INS Kaveri
c. INS Vijaya
d. INS Lakshya
- 393.** Who has been named as the leader of opposition in Rajya Sabha?
a. Mallikarjun Kharge
b. Anand Sharma
c. P. Chidambaram
d. Digvijaya Singh

394. The Central Reserve Police Force has inducted 34 women commandos into which among its following units?

- a. CoBRA
- b. Parliament Duty Group
- c. Rapid Action Force
- d. CISF

395. India's first undersea tunnel is being constructed in which city?

- a. Kolkata
- b. Cochin
- c. Pune
- d. Mumbai

396. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has brought which bank covered

under Article-371F, under its regulatory purview?

- a. North East Small Finance Bank
- b. State Bank of Sikkim
- c. State Bank of Manipur
- d. State Bank of Assam

397. Which Arabian country has approved its women to join the Armed Forces?

- a. Qatar
- b. Kuwait
- c. Saudi Arabia
- d. Oman

398. Which Indian State hosts the famous 'Khajuraho Dance Festival'?

- a. Odisha
- b. West Bengal
- c. Madhya Pradesh
- d. Chhattisgarh

399. 'Rashtra Pratham - 82 Varshon ki Swarnim Gatha' is a book narrating which armed force?

- a. CRPF
- b. ITBP
- c. Indian Coast Guard
- d. SSB

400. Which country has created a new National Ministry for Extra-terrestrial Space Affairs?

- a. El Salvador
- b. Costa Rica
- c. Nicaragua
- d. Panama

Answers

1. (a)	2. (c)	3. (b)	4. (a)	5. (a)	6. (b)	7. (d)	8. (a)	9. (d)	10. (d)
11. (a)	12. (c)	13. (a)	14. (a)	15. (c)	16. (b)	17. (b)	18. (d)	19. (a)	20. (a)
21. (b)	22. (b)	23. (c)	24. (c)	25. (b)	26. (b)	27. (b)	28. (b)	29. (b)	30. (c)
31. (c)	32. (a)	33. (b)	34. (d)	35. (c)	36. (c)	37. (c)	38. (b)	39. (c)	40. (a)
41. (b)	42. (d)	43. (d)	44. (d)	45. (d)	46. (c)	47. (c)	48. (d)	49. (b)	50. (a)
51. (b)	52. (b)	53. (b)	54. (b)	55. (c)	56. (a)	57. (a)	58. (c)	59. (d)	60. (b)
61. (d)	62. (b)	63. (c)	64. (b)	65. (b)	66. (d)	67. (a)	68. (b)	69. (b)	70. (c)
71. (d)	72. (a)	73. (d)	74. (d)	75. (b)	76. (c)	77. (b)	78. (d)	79. (a)	80. (b)
81. (d)	82. (c)	83. (a)	84. (d)	85. (a)	86. (c)	87. (b)	88. (a)	89. (a)	90. (c)
91. (b)	92. (b)	93. (d)	94. (a)	95. (d)	96. (b)	97. (b)	98. (c)	99. (d)	100. (c)
101. (c)	102. (c)	103. (a)	104. (a)	105. (d)	106. (a)	107. (d)	108. (b)	109. (c)	110. (b)
111. (b)	112. (d)	113. (d)	114. (b)	115. (a)	116. (a)	117. (b)	118. (a)	119. (d)	120. (c)
121. (a)	122. (d)	123. (d)	124. (d)	125. (d)	126. (a)	127. (d)	128. (d)	129. (b)	130. (b)
131. (d)	132. (a)	133. (d)	134. (c)	135. (c)	136. (a)	137. (d)	138. (b)	139. (d)	140. (c)
141. (d)	142. (a)	143. (b)	144. (c)	145. (c)	146. (b)	147. (c)	148. (a)	149. (b)	150. (a)
151. (c)	152. (c)	153. (a)	154. (b)	155. (b)	156. (b)	157. (c)	158. (d)	159. (c)	160. (c)
161. (d)	162. (d)	163. (a)	164. (b)	165. (d)	166. (c)	167. (b)	168. (d)	169. (a)	170. (d)
171. (b)	172. (a)	173. (c)	174. (d)	175. (a)	176. (b)	177. (c)	178. (d)	179. (a)	180. (a)
181. (b)	182. (a)	183. (d)	184. (d)	185. (a)	186. (a)	187. (c)	188. (d)	189. (b)	190. (b)
191. (c)	192. (c)	193. (c)	194. (c)	195. (d)	196. (d)	197. (a)	198. (a)	199. (d)	200. (a)
201. (a)	202. (c)	203. (d)	204. (c)	205. (a)	206. (a)	207. (d)	208. (b)	209. (a)	210. (d)
211. (b)	212. (a)	213. (c)	214. (d)	215. (d)	216. (c)	217. (d)	218. (a)	219. (b)	220. (c)
221. (d)	222. (c)	223. (d)	224. (b)	225. (d)	226. (a)	227. (d)	228. (d)	229. (c)	230. (c)
231. (c)	232. (d)	233. (c)	234. (b)	235. (a)	236. (d)	237. (a)	238. (c)	239. (d)	240. (a)
241. (c)	242. (a)	243. (d)	244. (b)	245. (d)	246. (a)	247. (c)	248. (d)	249. (a)	250. (c)
251. (b)	252. (a)	253. (b)	254. (a)	255. (c)	256. (a)	257. (b)	258. (c)	259. (b)	260. (a)
261. (d)	262. (d)	263. (b)	264. (a)	265. (d)	266. (b)	267. (c)	268. (c)	269. (c)	270. (b)
271. (b)	272. (b)	273. (d)	274. (b)	275. (c)	276. (d)	277. (d)	278. (d)	279. (a)	280. (b)
281. (d)	282. (b)	283. (a)	284. (d)	285. (c)	286. (d)	287. (a)	288. (d)	289. (a)	290. (b)
291. (b)	292. (c)	293. (d)	294. (c)	295. (a)	296. (c)	297. (d)	298. (a)	299. (b)	300. (b)
301. (a)	302. (a)	303. (c)	304. (d)	305. (c)	306. (b)	307. (c)	308. (a)	309. (a)	310. (a)
311. (b)	312. (c)	313. (d)	314. (b)	315. (a)	316. (d)	317. (a)	318. (c)	319. (b)	320. (c)
321. (c)	322. (b)	323. (a)	324. (b)	325. (a)	326. (d)	327. (b)	328. (d)	329. (c)	330. (b)
331. (d)	332. (c)	333. (d)	334. (a)	335. (b)	336. (d)	337. (d)	338. (c)	339. (c)	340. (a)
341. (d)	342. (c)	343. (a)	344. (a)	345. (d)	346. (b)	347. (a)	348. (d)	349. (b)	350. (b)
351. (a)	352. (b)	353. (c)	354. (b)	355. (c)	356. (d)	357. (a)	358. (b)	359. (a)	360. (a)
361. (d)	362. (c)	363. (d)	364. (a)	365. (b)	366. (a)	367. (d)	368. (a)	369. (c)	370. (b)
371. (b)	372. (d)	373. (c)	374. (d)	375. (d)	376. (c)	377. (a)	378. (c)	379. (a)	380. (c)
381. (a)	382. (d)	383. (d)	384. (a)	385. (c)	386. (b)	387. (c)	388. (d)	389. (d)	390. (c)
391. (c)	392. (a)	393. (a)	394. (a)	395. (d)	396. (b)	397. (c)	398. (c)	399. (a)	400. (c)

Who's Who?

President	~ Ram Nath Kovind
Vice-President	~ M. Venkaiah Naidu
Prime Minister	~ Narendra Modi

Cabinet Ministers

Minister	Portfolio
Narendra Modi (Prime Minister)	Personnel, Public and Grievances and Pensions, Department of Atomic Energy, Department of Space
Rajnath Singh	Defence
Amit Shah	Home Affairs
Nitin Jairam Gadkari	Road Transport and Highways; Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
DV Sadananda Gowda	Chemicals and Fertilizers
Nirmala Sitharaman	Finance; Corporate Affairs
Narendra Singh Tomar	Agriculture and Farmers Welfare; Rural Development; Panchayati Raj; Food Processing Industry
Ravi Shankar Prasad	Law and Justice; Communications; Electronics and Information Technology
Thawar Chand Gehlot	Social Justice and Empowerment
Dr. S. Jaishankar	External Affairs
Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank'	Education
Arjun Munda	Tribal Affairs
Smriti Zubin Irani	Women and Child Development; Textiles
Dr. Harsh Vardhan	Health and Family Welfare; Science and Technology; Earth Sciences
Prakash Javadekar	Environment, Forest and Climate Change; Information and Broadcasting; Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises
Piyush Goyal	Railways; Commerce and Industry; Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
Dharmendra Pradhan	Petroleum and Natural Gas; Steel
Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi	Minority Affairs
Pralhad Joshi	Parliamentary Affairs; Coal and Mines
Dr. Mahendra Nath Pandey	Skill Development and Entrepreneurship
Giriraj Singh	Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries
Gajendra Singh Shekhawat	Jal Shakti

Ministers of State (Independent Charge)

Minister	Portfolio
Santosh Kumar Gangwar	Labour and Employment (Independent Charge)
Rao Inderjit Singh	Statistics and Programme Implementation (Independent Charge); and Planning (Independent Charge)
Dr. Jitendra Singh	Development of North Eastern Region (Independent Charge); Prime Minister's Office; Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions; Department of Atomic Energy; Department of Space
Shripad Yesso Naik	Ayurveda, Yoga and Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homoeopathy (AYUSH) (Independent Charge)
Kiren Rijju	Youth Affairs and Sports (Independent Charge); Minority Affairs, AYUSH Ministry
Pralhad Singh Patel	Culture (Independent Charge); Tourism (Independent Charge)
Raj Kumar Singh	Power (Independent Charge); New and Renewable Energy (Independent Charge); Skill Development and Entrepreneurship
Hardeep Singh Puri	Housing and Urban Affairs (Independent Charge); Civil Aviation (Independent Charge); Commerce & Industry
Mansukh Mandaviya	Ports, Shipping and Waterways (Independent Charge); Chemicals & Fertilizers

Ministers of State

Minister	Portfolio
Fagga Singh Kulaste	Steel
Ashwini Kumar Choubey	Health and Family Welfare
Arjun Ram Meghwal	Parliamentary Affairs; Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises
VK Singh	Road Transport and Highways
Krishan Pal Gurjar	Social Justice and Empowerment
Danve Raosaheb Dadarao	Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
G. Kishan Reddy	Home Affairs
Parshottam Rupala	Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
Ramdas Athawale	Social Justice and Empowerment
Sadhvi Niranjana Jyoti	Rural Development
Babul Supriyo	Environment, Forest and Climate Change
Sanjeev Kumar Balyan	Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries
Sanjay Shamrao Dhotre	Education; Communications; Electronics and IT
Anurag Singh Thakur	Finance; Corporate Affairs
Nityanand Rai	Home Affairs

Minister	Portfolio
Rattan Lal Kataria	Jal Shakti ; Social Justice & Empowerment
V. Muraleedharan	External Affairs; Parliamentary Affairs
Renuka Singh	Tribal Affairs
Som Parkash	Commerce and Industry
Rameswar Teli	Food Processing Industries
Pratap Chandra Sarangi	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises; Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries
Kailash Choudhary	Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
Debasree Chaudhuri	Women and Child Development
Shripad Yesso Naik	Defence
Dr. Jitendra Singh	PM Office, Dept of Atomic Energy, Dept of Space, Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Kiren Rijiju	Minority Affairs
Raj Kumar Singh	Skill Development & Entrepreneurship
Hardeep Singh Puri	Commerce and Industry
Mansukh L. Mandaviya	Chemicals and Fertilizers
Krishan Pal	Social Justice and Empowerment
Danve Raosaheb Dadarao	Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution

Constitutional Head

Speaker of the Lok Sabha	Om Birla
Deputy Chairman, Rajya Sabha	Harivansh Narayan Singh

Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG)

CAG	Girish Chandra Murmu
Controller General of Account	Soma Roy Burman

Armed Forces

Supreme Commander	President (Ram Nath Kovind)
Chief of Defence Staff	General Bipin Rawat (Former Army Chief)
Chief of Air Staff	Air Chief Marshal RKS Bhadauria
Chief of Naval Staff	Admiral Karambir Singh
Chief of Army Staff	General Manoj Mukund Naravane
Director General Military Operations (DGMO)	Lt. General Paramjit Singh

Secretaries and Advisors

Cabinet Secretary	Rajiv Gauba
Advisor, PM	Bhaskar Khulbe and Amarjeet Sinha
Private Secretary, PM	Hardik Satishchandra Shah and Vivek Kumar
Defence Finance Secretary	Gargi Kaul
Foreign Secretary	Harsh Vardhan Shringla
Home Secretary	Ajay Kumar Bhalla
Finance Secretary	Ajay Bhushan Pandey
Defence Secretary	Ajay Kumar
Revenue Secretary	Tarun Bajaj
DEA Secretary	Ajay Seth
National Security Advisor (NSA)	Ajit Doval
Deputy NSA	Datta Padsalgikar
Principal Scientific Adviser	K. Vijay Raghavan
Chief Economic Adviser	Krishnamurthy Subramanian

Intelligence and Investigative Organisations

Central Vigilance Commissioner	Sanjay Kothari
Director, CBI	Subodh Kumar Jaiswal
Chief Information Commissioner	Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha
Director, IB	Arvind Kumar
Chief, RAW	Samant Kumar Goel
Director, NIA	Kuldiep Singh
Chief, ED	Sanjay Kumar Mishra
Director General, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence	Balesh Kumar

Paramilitary Forces

Director General (DG), Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB)	Kumar Rajesh Chandra
DG, Border Security Force (BSF)	Rakesh Asthana
DG, Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF)	Kuldiep Singh
DG, Central Industrial Security Force (CISF)	Subodh Kumar Jaiswal
DG, National Security Guard (NSG)	MA Ganapathy
DG, Special Protection Group (SPG)	Arun Kumar Sinha
DG, Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP)	SS Deswal
DG, National Cadet Corps (NCC)	Tarun Kumar Aich
DG, Indian Coast Guard (ICG)	K. Natrajan
DG, National Disaster Response Force (NDRF)	Satya Narayan Pradhan
DG, Railway Protection Force (Service)	Arun Kumar
DG, Assam Rifles (AR)	Pradeep Chandran Nair
DG, Home Guard (HG)	Virender Singh

Chairmen and Secretaries of Important Commissions

Chairman, NITI Aayog	PM Narendra Modi
Vice-Chairman, NITI Aayog	Dr. Rajiv Kumar
CEO, NITI Aayog	Amitabh Kant Das
Chairman, National Medical Commission	Suresh Chandra Sharma
Chairman, Union Public Service Commission	Pradeep Kumar Joshi
Chairman, 21st Law Commission	Balbir Singh Chuchan
Chairman, National Commission for Women	Rekha Sharma
Chairman, National Commission for Backward Classes	Dr. Bhagwan Lal Sahni
Chairman, SSC	Sujata Chaturvedi
Chairman, 7th Pay Commission	Ashok Kumar Mathur
Chairman, 15th Finance Commission	NK Singh
Chairman, CCI	Ashok Kumar Gupta
Chairman, National Commission for Scheduled Castes	Vijay Sampla
Chairman, National Human Rights Commission	Arun Kumar Mishra
Chairman, National Commission for Protection of Child Rights	Priyank Kanoongo
Chairman, National Commission for Minorities	Syed Ghayorul Hasan Rizvi
Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission	Kamlesh Neelkanth Vyas