MUST DO CURRENT AFFAIRS FOR AFCAT 2020

Q1. Vashishtha Narayan Singh, who challenged Einstein's theory, passed away recently who was he? Ans. Mathematician

Q2. Who is the chairman of the committee that will draft the new National Water Policy(NWP)? Ans. Mihir Shah

Q3. Which country had been accorded the status of partner country for the 39^{th} India International Trade Fair, which held in New Delhi in November, 2019?

Ans. Afghanistan

Q4. World's first CNG port terminal will be established in which city of Gujarat? Ans. Bhavnagar

Q5. Which country has won 2019 Fed Cup Title in Tennis? Ans. France

Q6. Who has become the fastest Indian cricketer, and third overall Indian, to take 50 T20I wickets?

Q7. 'Snagai Festival' celebrated every year in which state of India? Ans. Manipur

Q8. Which country won the 2019 Davis Cup title in Tennis? Ans. Spain

Q9. Who was awarded the 28th Bihari Puraskar for 2018 f<mark>or h</mark>er novel 'Swapnapash'? Ans. Manisha Kulshreshtha

Q10. Who won the 29th Vyas Samman for her novel 'Kaagaz ki Nav'? Ans. Nasera Sharma

Q11. Who won the 28th Vyas Samman for his novel 'Jitne Log, Utne Prem'?

Ans. Leela Dhar Jagudi

Q12. Which Malayalam writer won the 2019 Jnanpith Award?

Ans. Akkitham Achuthan Namboothiri

Q13. Margaret Atwood won the 2019 Booker Prize along with Bernardine Evaristo, what is the name of her novel?

Ans. The Testament

Q14. Bernardine Evaristo won the 2019 Booker Prize along with Margaret Atwood, what is the name of her novel?

Ans. Girl, Women, Other

Q15. Peter Handke won the 2019 Nobel Prize for?

Ans. Literature

Q16. 2018 Nobel Prize for literature won by whom?

Ans. Olga Tokarczuk

Q17. What is the name of the research center founded by the Nobel Laureate Abhijit Banerjee and Ether Dufflo?

Ans. Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab

Q18. The third Military Literature Festival will be held in which city?

Ans. Chandigarh

Q19. Prime Minister Shinzo Abe has become the longest-serving Prime Minister in the history of Japan by surpassing whose record?

Ans. Katsura Taro

Q20. President Ram Nath Kovind awarded the President's Colour to which of the following institution?

Ans. Indian Naval Academy

Q21. Which state has ranked top in the Swachh Survekshan Grameen Awards 2019?

Ans. Tamil Nadu

Q22. Who won the WTA Finals Title 2019 in Tennis?

Ans. Ashleigh Barty

Q23. US open 2019 won by Rafael Nadal in men's single, who won it in women?

Ans. Bianca Vanessa Andreescu (Canada)

Q24. Which tennis player won the ATP Finals 2019 title, held at O₂ Arena, London?

Ans. Stefanos Tsitsipas

Q25. First meeting of National Ganga Council chaired by PM Narendra Modi, organized in which city?

Ans. Kanpur

Q26. Shashi Tharoor was recently chosen for the prestigious Sahitya Akademi Award 2019

for his which book?

Ans. An Era of Darkness: British Empire in India

Q27. Who has become the Most Googled Person Of The Year In India 2019?

Ans. Abhinandan Varthman

Q28. Syed Modi International Tournament 2019 won by Carolina Marin in Women's Category, who won in

Men's single?

Ans. Wang Tzu Wei

Q29. Who swear in as the new President of Mauritius in December, 2019?

Ans. Prithvirajsing Roopan

Q30. Who has become the prime minister of Finland who also become the youngest Prime Minister of any country?

Ans. Sanna Marin

Q31. Sahle-Work Zewde has become the first woman Prime Minister of which country?

Ans. Ethiopia

Q32. In which country ICC U-19 world cup 2020, in which Bangladesh emerged as the winner, organized? Ans. South Africa

Q33. In which city UN Climate Change Conference (COP 25) will be organized from 2 to 13 December?

Ans. Madrid (But Chairmanship was under Chile)

Q34. Which Indian city has been designated as the UNESCO Creative City of Gastronomy?

Ans. Hyderabad (Mumbai- UNESCO Creative City of Films)

Q35. In which country 35th ASEAN summit held?

Ans. Thailand (Bangkok)

Q36. In which city NATO Summit held form 3rd and 4th December?

Ans. Watford. London

Q37. Which state was ranked first in the Sustainable Development Goals Index 2019-20?

Ans. Kerala

Q38. 'Damini', a dedicated women helpline, has launched by the Road Transport Corporation of which state?

Ans. Uttar Pradesh

Q39. The annual Flamingo Festival is to be held in January in which state?

Ans. Andhra Pradesh (at Pulicat Lake)

Q40. Which Indian actress won the Crystal Award, by World Economic Forum, for raising mental health awareness?

Sol. Deepika Padukone

Q41. What is the rank of India in the World Economic Forum's Gender Gap Index?

Ans. 112th

Q42. Which cricketer broke the record of Wally Hammond to become the fastest batsmen to score 7,000 runs in test cricket?

Ans.	Steven	Smith
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Q43. Which country has announced to launch a Gandhi Citizenship Education Prize?

Ans. Portugal

Q44. Gotabaya Rajapaksha became the President of Sri Lanka. Who swear in as the new Prime Minister of Sri Lanka?

Ans. Mahinda Rajapaksha

Q45. TN Seshan passed away recently he was the ____ Chief Election Commissioner of India?

Ans. 10th

Q46. Ramakant Gundecha passed away recently, he was a famous _____?

Ans. Dhrupad Vocalist

Q47. Who has become the youngest Indian cricketer to score a half-century in international cricket and broke the record of Sachin Tendulkar?

Ans. Shafali Verma

Q48. 11th BRICS Summit, 2019 was held in which country?

Ans. Brazil (12th BRICS summit, 2020 will held in Russia)

Q47. P.S Sreedharan Pillai has been appointed as the governor of which state?

Ans. Mizoram

Q48. Who won the 2019 JCB Prize for Literature for her novel 'The Far Fields'?

Ans. Madhuri Vijay

Q49. Who has been appointed as the new Controller General of Accounts (CGA)?

Ans. Soma Roy Burman

Q50. Who become the first female President of the European Commission (EC)?

Ans. Ursula von der Leyen

Q51. Which cricketer won the Sir Garfield Sobers Trophy for Cricketer of the Year?

Ans. Ben Strokes (England) (he also won BBC Sports Personality of the Year award 2019)

Q52. Who has been elected as the new President of Asian Development Bank (ADB)?

Ans. Masatsugu Asakawa

Q53. What is the rank of India in the Climate Change Performance Index (CCPI) 2019?

Ans. 9th (Top four spots unoccupied, Sweden at 5th position)

Q54. Who becomes the first Indian to play 150 Ranji matches?

Ans. Wasim Jaffer

Q55. What is the name of satellite launched by ISRO through **PSLV-C48** which is a radar imaging earth observation satellite?

Ans. RISAT-2BR1

Q56. Which school organization has allowed girls' education in its premises in a phased manner?

Ans. Sainik School

Q57. Which city has been selected as the world's leading Sports tourism Destination at the 26th edition of the World Travel Awards (WTA)?

Ans. Abu Dhabi

Q58. Who among the following has been elected as the President of the governing board of 'News Broadcasters Federation (NBF)'?

Ans. Arnab Goswami

Q59. Who won the DSC Prize for South Asian Literature 2019 for his novel 'Half the Night is Gone'? Ans. Amitabha Bagchi

Q60. Who won the prestigious Tansen Samman at the Tansen Samaroh 2019 held at Gwalior? Ans. Pandit Vidyadhar Vyas

Q61. Which country has recently been declared as 'Reciprocating Territory' by India? Ans. United Arab Emirates

Q62. Kobe Bryant, who has been killed in helicopter crash, was a Basketball player. He played for which NBA team?

Ans. Los Angeles Lakers

Q63. Which state has won the Khelo India Youth Games 2020 trophy? Ans. Maharashtra (Khelo India Youth Games held in Guwahati)

Q64. Which board awarded with the 'Golden Leaf Award 2019 at Tab Expo held at Amsterdam, Netherlands?

Ans. Tobacco Board of India (HQs at Guntur, AP)

Q65. Who has been declared as the most famous teenager of the decade by the UN?

Ans. Malala Yousafzai

Q66. Union Health Ministry launched SAANS campaign to reduce child mortality due to which disease?

Ans. Pneumonia (Social Awareness and Action to Neutralise Pneumonia Successfully)

Q67. Which state inaugurated first sugar mill which will produce ethanol directly from sugarcane?

Ans. Uttar Pradesh (Pipraich, Gorakhpur)

Q68. Which state become the first state to adopt the National Policy on Bio-fuels?

Ans. Rajasthan

Q83. Who have become the first ever hockey player to win prestigious World Games Athlete of the Year Award?

Ans. Rani Rampal

Q84. In which city the first International Conference on 'Landslides Risk Reduction and Resilience' was held?

Ans. New Delhi

Q85. Abiy Ahmed Ali awarded Nobel Peace Prize 2019. He is the Prime Minister of which country?

Ans. Ethiopia

Q86. Who topped the Forbes' list of 100 most powerful women of the world?

Ans. Angela Merkel

Q87. Name the three Indian women who find their name in the Forbes' list of 100 most powerful women of the world.

Ans. Nirmala Sitharaman (34th), Roshni Nadir Malhotra (54th) and Kiran Mazumdar Shaw (65th)

Q88. Where the 13th edition of South Asian Games held?

Ans. Nepal (India topped the medal tally)

Q89. Which cricket team both the Syed Mushtaq Ali trophy and Vijay Hazare Trophy in 2019-20 session of domestic cricket?

Ans. Karnataka

Q90. Which football player won the 2019 Ballon d'Or award?

Ans. Lionel Messi

Q91. Which two variety of Tea from Darjeeling get the GI tag recently?

Ans. Green and White Tea

Q92. Who has been appointed as the Chief Executive Officer of the Alphabet Inc.?

Ans. Sundar Pichai

093. Who has become the Times Person of the Year?

Ans. Greta Thunberg

Q94. What is the name of the Chennai engineer who found the lost Vikram Lander?

Ans. Shanmuga Subramanian

Q95. Which day is celebrated as the National Education Day on the occasion of birthday of Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad?

Ans. 11th November

Q96. Who has been named the PETA (People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals) 'Person of the Year' Award 2019?

Ans. Joaquin Phoenix (PETA Person of the year India-Virat Kohli)

Q97. Sir Anerood Jugnauth GCSK is awarded with Padam Vibhushan Award. He is the former Prime Minister of which country?

Ans. Mauritius

Q98. 'My Life, My Mission' is the autobiography of:

Ans. Baba Ramdev

Q99. Which is the latest addition to the AYUSH group of health care system?

Ans. Sowa-Rigpa

Q100. Which word has been declared as the Word of the year 2019 by Oxford Dictionary?

Ans. Climate Emergency

