

Quiz Date: 13th March 2020

Q1. Five Indians named by the World Economic Forum (WEF) in its new list of 115 Young Global Leaders. Which of the following leader is not them?

- (a) Byju Raveendran
- (b) Gaurav Gupta
- (c) Tara Singh Vachani
- (d) Gaurav Munjal
- (e) Swapan Mehra

Q2. Which of the following state government has launched 'NIGHA' app to ensure 'clean and healthy' elections by curbing the use of money and alcohol in the upcoming local body elections?

- (a) Odisha
- (b) Andhra Pradesh
- (c) Gujarat
- (d) Kerala
- (e) Rajasthan

Q3. Who will take over the post of Director-General Defence Intelligence Agency (DIA) and Deputy Chief of Integrated Defence Staff (Intelligence)?

- (a) Satinder Kumar Saini
- (b) Anil Kumar Bhatt
- (c) Manoj Mukund Naravane
- (d) Bipin Rawat
- (e) KJS Dhillon

Q4. The World Health Organization has officially declared _____ the disease caused by the novel coronavirus as a pandemic as it spreads freely in more than 100 countries around the world.

- (a) COVID-19
- (b) COVID-17
- (c) COVID-20
- (d) COVID-18
- (e) COVID-21

Q5. World Economic Forum (WEF) announced the list of 'change-makers' from as many as 52 countries are working in areas ranging from revamping of health systems to investigating corruption while using their power of the under 40s to change the world. WEF based in-

- (a) New Delhi
- (b) Vienna

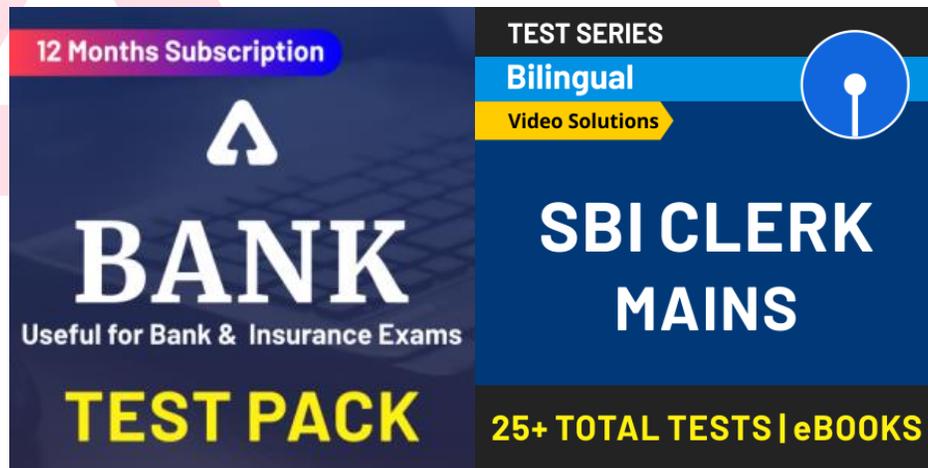
- (c) Geneva
- (d) London
- (e) New York

Q6. The High Court of Bangladesh has ordered that _____ will be the national slogan of Bangladesh.

- (a) Ekla Bangla
- (b) Joy Bangla
- (c) Dak Bangla
- (d) Eko Bangla
- (e) Amar Shonar Bangla

Q7. PhonePe inks partnership with private sector lender _____ for UPI transactions.

- (a) Axis Bank
- (b) HSBC Bank
- (c) Citi Bank
- (d) ICICI Bank
- (e) HDFC Bank



Q8. The traditional 'Fagli' festival was celebrated in-

- (a) Uttarakhand
- (b) Jammu and Kashmir
- (c) Himachal Pradesh
- (d) Assam
- (e) West Bengal

Q9. Which of the following search engine has launched a skill programme for women called 'DigiPivot'.

- (a) Google India
- (b) YouTube India
- (c) Facebook India
- (d) Bing India
- (e) Yahoo India

Q10. PhonePe Private Limited is an Indian e-commerce payment system and digital wallet company headquartered in-

- (a) Gurugram
- (b) Kolkata
- (c) New Delhi
- (d) Mumbai
- (e) Bengaluru

Q11. Who has named the "Greatest Leader of All Time" in a poll conducted by 'BBC World Histories Magazine' in India?

- (a) Kharak Singh
- (b) Guru Gobind Singh
- (c) Maharaja Ranjit Singh
- (d) Hari Singh Nalwa
- (e) Prithviraj Chauhan

Q12. World Kidney Day 2020 is observed globally on-

- (a) 16th March
- (b) 13th March
- (c) 15th March
- (d) 14th March
- (e) 12th March

Q13. Ministry of Civil Aviation and Airports Authority of India (AAI) along with the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) is organizing "Wings India 2020" event in-

- (a) Hyderabad
- (b) New Delhi
- (c) Kolkata
- (d) Chennai
- (e) Mumbai

Q14. In which city, the International Day of Yoga event 2020 will be organized?

- (a) New Delhi

- (b) Patna
- (c) Jammu
- (d) Leh
- (e) Varanasi

Q15. Who is the present Prime Minister of Bangladesh?

- (a) Khaleda Zia
- (b) Sheikh Hasina
- (c) Ashraf Ghani
- (d) Imran Khan
- (e) Arif Alvi



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S1. Ans.(d)

Sol. Byju Classes' founder Byju Raveendran and Zomato's co-founder Gaurav Gupta are among the five Indians named by the World Economic Forum (WEF) in its new list of 115 Young Global Leaders. The other three Indians on the list are- Tara Singh Vachani (CEO of Antara Senior Living), Vinati Mutreja (Managing Director and CEO, Vinati Organics Limited) and Swapan Mehra (CEO, Iora Ecological Solutions).

S2. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh YS Jagan Mohan Reddy has launched 'NIGHA' app to ensure 'clean and healthy' elections by curbing the use of money and alcohol in the upcoming local body elections.

S3. Ans.(e)

Sol. Lt Gen KJS Dhillon will take over the post of Director-General Defence Intelligence Agency (DIA) and Deputy Chief of Integrated Defence Staff (Intelligence). DIA and DCIDS is a department that comes under the Chief of Defence Staff in the newly created Department of Military Affairs.

S4. Ans.(a)

Sol. The World Health Organization has officially declared COVID-19, the disease caused by the novel coronavirus as a pandemic as it spreads freely in more than 100 countries around the world.

S5. Ans.(c)

Sol. Geneva-based WEF announcing the list of 'change-makers' from as many as 52 countries are working in areas ranging from revamping of health systems to investigating corruption while using their power of the under 40s to change the world.

S6. Ans.(b)

Sol. The High Court of Bangladesh has ordered that 'Joy Bangla' will be the national slogan of Bangladesh.

S7. Ans.(d)

Sol. PhonePe inks partnership with private sector lender ICICI Bank for UPI transactions. PhonePe earlier partnered with Yes Bank, but after YES Bank has been placed under moratorium by Reserve Bank of India due to which UPI transactions at PhonePe got disrupted.

S8. Ans.(c)

Sol. The traditional 'Fagli' festival was celebrated in Yangpa village of Kinnaur district, Himachal Pradesh. The festival is organised to observe the "victory of good over evil".

S9. Ans.(a)

Sol. Google India has launched a skill programme for women called 'DigiPivot'. The programme designed for women who are looking to return to their corporate careers after a break or simply planning to make mid-career shifts to digital marketing.

S10. Ans.(e)

Sol. PhonePe Private Limited is an Indian e-commerce payment system and digital wallet company headquartered in Bangalore.

S11. Ans.(c)

Sol. Maharaja Ranjit Singh, the 19th-century ruler of the Sikh Empire in India named the "Greatest Leader of All Time" in a poll conducted by 'BBC World Histories Magazine'.

S12. Ans.(e)

Sol. World Kidney Day is observed globally on the second Thursday of March every year. This year World Kidney Day is observed on 12th March 2020. The theme of the 2020 World Kidney day is “Kidney Health for Everyone Everywhere—from Prevention to Detection and Equitable Access to Care.”

S13. Ans.(a)

Sol. Ministry of Civil Aviation and Airports Authority of India (AAI) along with the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) is organizing “Wings India 2020” event at Hyderabad, Telangana. “Wings India 2020” is a civil aviation business exhibition and air show which is organized once in every two years.

S14. Ans.(d)

Sol. The International Day of Yoga event 2020 will be organized in the capital of Ladakh i.e. Leh. The event is being organized every year on the occasion of International Day of Yoga. The International Day of Yoga is observed globally every year on 21st of June.

S15. Ans.(b)

Sol. Sheikh Hasina is the present Prime Minister of Bangladesh.

