

Quiz Date: 23rd March 2020

Q1. Name the writer who will be honoured with 29th Saraswati Samman for his short stories collection "Chequebook".

- (a) Anita Desai
- (b) Vikram Seth
- (c) Arundhati Roy
- (d) Vasdev Mohi
- (e) Salman Rushdie

Q2. Which country will host the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) Council of Heads of Government meeting 2020?

- (a) India
- (b) Russia
- (c) China
- (d) Kyrgyzstan
- (e) Kazakhstan

Q3. Name the 1st edition of the largest Food, Agri-business and Rural Development Summit of Asia.

- (a) Agri Manthan
- (b) Kisan Manthan
- (c) Krishi Manthan
- (d) Asia Manthan
- (e) Krishak Manthan

Q4. The 7th Economic Census process was recently launched in which state?

- (a) Gujarat
- (b) Jharkhand
- (c) Odisha
- (d) Haryana
- (e) Manipur

Q5. Who among the following will succeed Rita Chowdhury as the Director of the National Book Trust?

- (a) D K Joshi
- (b) Dineshwar Sharma
- (c) V.P. Singh Badnore
- (d) Lt Col Yuvraj Malik
- (e) KK Venugopal

Q6. What is the currency of Bangladesh?

- (a) Taka
- (b) Ngultrum
- (c) Dram
- (d) Peso
- (e) Ruble

Q7. Which of the following Zone of the Indian Railways has signed an MoU with the State Bank of India to provide doorstep banking services?

- (a) South Central Zone
- (b) South Western Railway Zone
- (c) East Coast Railway Zone
- (d) East Central Railway Zone

(e) South East Central Railway Zone



Q8. What is the capital of Russia?

- (a) Castries
- (b) Moscow
- (c) Kigali
- (d) Basseterre
- (e) Kingstown

Q9. Which of the following institution has signed an MoU with the video sharing platform "TikTok" for the production of short video modules for students and trained professionals?

- (a) Indian Institute of Management, Rohtak
- (b) Indian Institute of Management, Lucknow
- (c) Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad
- (d) Indian Institute of Management, Indore
- (e) Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore

Q10. Which of the following is the capital of Thailand?

- (a) Dushanbe
- (b) Taipei
- (c) Bangkok
- (d) Dodoma
- (e) Ankara

Q11. Name the country which has topped the Henley Passport Index 2020 which provides a global picture of freedom of travelling.

- (a) Japan
- (b) India
- (c) United Arab Emirates
- (d) Finland
- (e) USA

Q12. Which one of the following is the currency of Myanmar?

- (a) Cordoba
- (b) Won
- (c) Naira
- (d) Kyat
- (e) Krone

Q13. The Government of India (GoI), the Government of Assam and the World Bank have signed a _____ loan agreement for the implementation of Assam Inland Water Transport Project.

- (a) \$68 million
- (b) \$78 million

- (c) \$88 million
- (d) \$98 million
- (e) \$108 million

Q14. What is the capital of Uganda?

- (a) Harare
- (b) Lusaka
- (c) Caracas
- (d) Tashkent
- (e) Kampala

Q15. The 1st edition of the largest Food, Agri-business and Rural Development Summit of Asia begins in?

- (a) Ahmedabad, Gujarat
- (b) Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
- (c) Indore, Madhya Pradesh
- (d) Hyderabad, Telangana
- (e) Puri, Odisha

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S1. Ans.(d)

Sol. Vasdev Mohi will be honoured with 29th Saraswati Samman for his short stories collection "Chequebook".

S2. Ans.(a)

Sol. India will host the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) Council of Heads of Government meeting 2020.

S3. Ans.(c)

Sol. "Krishi Manthan", the 1st edition of the largest Food, Agri-business and Rural Development Summit of Asia begins in Ahmedabad, Gujarat.

S4. Ans.(a)

Sol. Chief Minister Vijay Rupani has launched the 7th Economic Census process in Gujarat.

S5. Ans.(d)

Sol. Lt Col Yuvraj Malik will succeed Rita Chowdhury as the Director of the National Book Trust.

S6. Ans.(a)

Sol. The Bangladeshi Taka is the currency of Bangladesh.

S7. Ans.(a)

Sol. The South Central Zone of the Indian Railways has signed an MoU with the State Bank of India to provide doorstep banking services.

S8. Ans.(b)

Sol. Moscow was Russia's capital before Peter the Great moved the capital to his new city, St. Petersburg, in 1712.

S9. Ans.(d)

Sol. The Indian Institute of Management, Indore has signed an MoU with the video sharing platform "TikTok" for the production of short video modules for students and trained professionals.

S10. Ans.(c)

Sol. Bangkok is the capital and most populous city of Thailand.

S11. Ans.(a)

Sol. Japan has topped the Henley Passport Index 2020 which provides a global picture of freedom of travelling.

S12. Ans.(d)

Sol. The Burmese Kyat is the currency of Myanmar (Burma).

S13. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Government of India (GoI), the Government of Assam and the World Bank have signed a \$88 million loan agreement for the implementation of Assam Inland Water Transport Project.

S14. Ans.(e)

Sol. Uganda takes its name from the Buganda kingdom, which encompasses a large portion of the south of the country, including the capital Kampala.

S15. Ans.(a)

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