

Quiz Date: 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020

**Q1. Chief Minister \_\_\_\_\_ has launched the Self Declaration COVID19 Nagaland App at Kohima.**

- (a) N Biren Singh
- (b) TR Zeliang
- (c) Neiphiu Rio
- (d) Conrad Sangma
- (e) Zoramthanga

**Q2. Which of the following publication will launch a publishing series titled 'Corona Studies Series' to document and to provide relevant reading materials for all age-groups for the post-Corona readership needs?**

- (a) Pharmacy Council of India
- (b) National Council for Teacher Education
- (c) NCERT
- (d) All India Council for Technical Education
- (e) National Book Trust

**Q3. Union Health and Family Welfare Minister \_\_\_\_\_ launched the 24x7 National Teleconsultation Centre to answer COVID-19 related queries.**

- (a) Harsh Vardhan
- (b) Vijay Goel
- (c) Prakash Javadekar
- (d) Piyush Goyal
- (e) Jagat Prakash Nadda

**Q4. Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman announced a big consolidation of public sector banks in 2019. As per the scheme of amalgamation 10 public sector banks are to be merged into \_\_\_\_\_ banks.**

- (a) two
- (b) four

- (c) three
- (d) five
- (e) six

**Q5. The National Book Trust was established by the Government of India in which year?**

- (a) 1982
- (b) 1950
- (c) 1961
- (d) 1957
- (e) 1993

**Q6. The Reserve Bank of India has notified with a circular that the mega merger of 10 PSBs will be effective from-?**

- (a) 1st September 2020
- (b) 1st May 2020
- (c) 1st March 2020
- (d) 1st April 2021
- (e) 1st April 2020



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**Q7. Which of the following state has set up "Team-11" comprising of as many inter-departmental committees to fight the coronavirus spread?**

- (a) Gujarat
- (b) Madhya Pradesh
- (c) Rajasthan
- (d) Uttar Pradesh
- (e) West Bengal

**Q8. The Government of India has set up \_\_\_\_\_ empowered groups to deal with COVID-19.**

- (a) 12

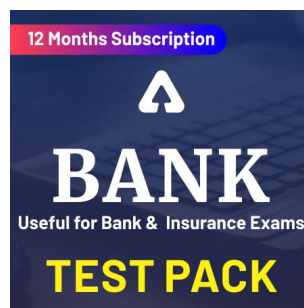
- (b) 09
- (c) 11
- (d) 13
- (e) 10

**Q9. Name the veteran US civil rights leader, who was passed away recently.**

- (a) Andrew Young
- (b) Joseph Lowery
- (c) Bayard Rustin
- (d) James Bevel
- (e) Charles Steele

**Q10. Name the Indian shot-putter, who was suspended for four years by World athletics body's (formerly known as International Association of Athletics Federations-IAAF) recently.**

- (a) Navin Chikara
- (b) Sanjeev Rajput
- (c) Anish Bhanwala
- (d) Saurabh Chaudhary
- (e) Anjum Moudgil



**Q11. All branches of Oriental Bank of Commerce and United Bank of India will operate as branches of-?**

- (a) Union Bank of India
- (b) Indian Bank
- (c) Punjab National Bank
- (d) Canara Bank

(e) State Bank of India

**Q12. Name the retired Air Vice Marshal, who was passed away recently.**

(a) Sam Manekshaw

(b) Praveen Bakshi

(c) Madan Khurana

(d) Sunny Rao

(e) Chandan Singh Rathore

**Q13. The first prototype of hospital isolation coach have been created successfully by the \_\_\_\_\_ Railways.**

(a) Northern

(b) Southern

(c) Western

(d) Eastern

(e) North-Eastern

**Q14. Which of the following bank has rolled out the banking services on WhatsApp recently?**

(a) Indian Bank

(b) HDFC Bank

(c) State Bank of India

(d) ICICI Bank

(e) Bank of Baroda

**Q15. Former Union Minister \_\_\_\_\_ was passed away recently.**

(a) Jaswant Singh

(b) Beni Prasad Verma

(c) Chandrapal Singh Yadav

(d) Rewati Raman Singh

(e) Ujjwal Raman Singh

**Q16. All branches of Andhra Bank and Corporation Bank will operate as branches of-?**

- (a) Union Bank of India
- (b) Indian Bank
- (c) Punjab National Bank
- (d) Canara Bank
- (e) State Bank of India

**Q17. The Government of India has launched a coronavirus risk-tracking app called 'Corona \_\_\_\_\_.'**

- (a) Raksha
- (b) Kavach
- (c) Dharam
- (d) Surya
- (e) Dhaal

**Q18. A new space capsule from \_\_\_\_\_ has been picked up by National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) to ferry cargo and supplies to the agency's planned lunar space station.**

- (a) SpaceX
- (b) ISRO
- (c) CNSA
- (d) Roscosmos
- (e) JAXA

**Q19. Which of the following bank has unveiled a new logo before its merger with the Oriental Bank of Commerce (OBC) and the United Bank of India (UBI)?**

- (a) State Bank of India
- (b) Punjab National Bank
- (c) ICICI Bank

- (d) HDFC Bank
- (e) Indian Bank

**Q20. All branches of Syndicate Bank will operate as branches of-?**

- (a) Union Bank of India
- (b) Indian Bank
- (c) Punjab National Bank
- (d) Canara Bank
- (e) State Bank of India

### Solutions

S1. Ans.(c)

Sol. Chief Minister Neiphiu Rio launched the Self Declaration COVID19 Nagaland App at Kohima. The app will be mandatory for any person who entered Nagaland after March 6.

S2. Ans.(e)

Sol. National Book Trust will launch a publishing series titled 'Corona Studies Series' to document and to provide relevant reading materials for all age-groups for the post-Corona readership needs.

S3. Ans.(a)

Sol. Union Health and Family Welfare Minister Harsh Vardhan launched the 24x7 National Teleconsultation Centre to answer COVID-19 related queries. The Centre is a telemedicine hub, through which, expert doctors from various clinical domains will be available 24x7 to answer questions related to COVID-19 all.

S4. Ans.(b)

Sol. Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman announced a big consolidation of public sector banks in 2019. As per the scheme of amalgamation, 10 public sector banks are to be merged into 4 banks. Now, the Reserve Bank of India has notified with a circular that the mega merger of 10 PSBs will be effective from the start of new financial year i.e. 1st April 2020.

S5. Ans.(d)

Sol. The National Book Trust, India is an apex body, established by the Government of India in the year 1957.

S6. Ans.(e)

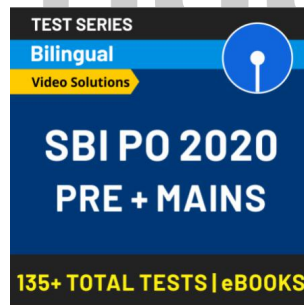
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S7. Ans.(d)

Sol. UP Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath has set up "Team-11" comprising of as many inter-departmental committees to fight the coronavirus spread. He has formed 11 inter-departmental committees with over two dozen senior government officials working at crucial levels under the CM's supervision.

S8. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Government of India has set up 11 empowered groups to deal with COVID-19. These 11 empowered groups have been tasked to ensure a comprehensive and integrated response to COVID-19. The 11 empowered groups have been set up by the GoI under the Disaster Management Act.



S9. Ans.(b)

Sol. Veteran US civil rights leader Joseph Lowery passed away. Joseph Lowery helped establish the Atlanta-based Southern Christian Leadership Conference, an African-American civil rights organisation set up to promote racial equality.

S10. Ans.(a)

Sol. Indian shot-putter Navin Chikara was suspended for four years by World athletics body's (formerly known as International Association of Athletics Federations-IAAF), Athletics Integrity Unit for failing an out-of-competition dope test in 2018.

S11. Ans.(c)

Sol. From 1st April, 2020, all branches of Oriental Bank of Commerce and United Bank of India will operate as branches of Punjab National Bank. Also the customers, including depositors of Oriental Bank of Commerce and United Bank of India, will be treated as customers of Punjab National Bank with effect from April 1, 2020.

S12. Ans.(e)

Sol. Retired Air Vice Marshal Chandan Singh Rathore passed away. He was the recipient of Maha Vir Chakra (MVC). He gave major contributions as a valorous young air warrior during the Sino-India 1962 war and the 1971 Indo-Pak war and contributed towards a stronger and safer India.

S13. Ans.(a)

Sol. The first prototype of hospital isolation coach have been created successfully by the Northern Railways. The hospital isolation coach have been created in order to fight against the COVID-19 outbreak in the country. There are 10 isolation wards in each coach.

S14. Ans.(d)

Sol. ICICI Bank has rolled out the banking services on WhatsApp. The facility will enable the banks' retail customers to undertake a slew of banking requirements from their home. This facility is expected to provide a relief for the banks customers as they can reap the benefit of various banking services from their home amid lockdown in the country due to COVID-19 pandemic.

S15. Ans.(b)

Sol. Former Union Minister Beni Prasad Verma passed away. He has served as the telecom minister, steel minister and was also a Lok Sabha member from 1996 to 2014. He also served as the Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs during is career.

S16. Ans.(a)



Sol. From 1st April, 2020, all branches of Andhra Bank and Corporation Bank will operate as branches of Union Bank of India. Also, the customers, including depositors of Andhra Bank and Corporation Bank, will be treated as customers of Union Bank of India with effect from April 1, 2020.

S17. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Government of India has launched a coronavirus risk-tracking app called 'Corona Kavach.' Jointly developed by the Union Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology and the Union Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. The app uses a person's location to assess whether they are in the high-risk geographical zone or not.

S18. Ans.(a)

Sol. A new space capsule from SpaceX has been picked up by National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) to ferry cargo and supplies to the agency's planned lunar space station. Hence, with a \$7 billion NASA contract, SpaceX will use its biggest rocket, Falcon Heavy to send spacecraft named as "Dragon XL" to the Lunar Gateway.

S19. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Punjab National Bank (PNB) has unveiled a new logo before its merger with the Oriental Bank of Commerce (OBC) and the United Bank of India (UBI). The new logo bears the distinct signages of all the three PSU banks i.e. the Punjab National Bank, the United Bank of India (UBI) and the Oriental Bank of Commerce (OBC).

S20. Ans.(d)

Sol. From 1st April, 2020, all branches of Syndicate Bank will operate as branches of Canara Bank. Also the customers, including depositors of Syndicate Bank, will be treated as customers of Canara Bank with effect from April 1, 2020.