Quiz Date: 17th May 2020

Q1. Name the state, who has launched 'Madhu' app recently for the help of school students to understand their subjects in a better and most efficient way.
(a) Bihar
(b) Meghalaya
(c) Odisha
(d) Karnataka
(e) Andhra Pradesh

Q2. Which one of the following country has become the first nation in the world to ban sun cream which damages coral reefs and other sea life?
(a) Palau
(b) Guam
(c) Nauru
(d) Tuvalu
(e) Vanuatu

Q3. Name the former CM of Madhya Pradesh, who was passed away in August 2019 after prolonged illness?
(a) Sitaram Kesri
(b) Motilal Vora
(c) Uma Bharti
(d) Sunder Lal Patwa
(e) Babulal Gaur

Q4. Which city has topped the cleanliness charts for two consecutive quarters among cities with over 10 lakh population while Kolkata was the worst performer?
(a) Jamshedpur
(b) Indore
(c) Surat
(d) New Delhi
(e) Bhopal

Q5. Which city has named the world's QS best city for students for the 2nd consecutive year?
(a) New York
(b) Bengaluru
(c) Melbourne
(d) London
(e) Tokyo

Q6. National Mathematics Day is celebrated on-
(a) 1st December

(b) 18th December
(c) 23rd December
(d) 25th December
(e) 22nd December

Q7. A book titled "Dreams of a Billion: India and the Olympic Games" author by-?
(a) Nalin Mehta
(b) Boria Majumdar
(c) Parissa Safai
(d) Both (a) and (b)
(e) Both (a) and (c)

Q8. Which space agency has launched its 1st all-electric experimental aircraft named the X-57 "Maxwell"?
(a) JAXA
(b) ISRO
(c) NASA
(d) CNSA
(e) European Space Agency

Q9. Which country has hosted the International Army Games 2019?
(a) Japan
(b) India
(c) Russia
(d) China
(e) France

Q10. Former Prime Minister Zoran Milanovic belongs Social DemocraticParty(SDP) won Croatia's presidential election. What is the capital of Croatia?
(a) Trogir
(b) Pula
(c) Split
(d) Zadar
(e) Zagreb

Q11. The Union government has launched the ambitious National Broadband Mission to promised broadband access in all villages by-?
(a) 2025
(b) 2023
(c) 2020
(d) 2022
(e) 2024

Q12. The Ministry of Civil Aviation organised India's first-ever helicopter summit was held in-
(a) Dehradun
(b) New Delhi
(c) Lucknow
(d) Mumbai
(e) Jaipur

Q13. Indian Railways'Northeast Frontier Railway zone has started a unique initiative to earmark a special portion of the SLR coach with _____ colour.
(a) Blue
(b) Yellow
(c) Red
(d) White
(e) Pink

Q14. In which of the following city, the 35th ASEAN Summit was concluded in November 2019?
(a) Jakarta
(b) Hanoi
(c) Bangkok
(d) Kathmandu
(e) New Delhi

Q15. UNESCO and _____ government joined hands to promote music, art and craft forms and other intangible cultural heritage of the state to spur socio-economic growth of several artist communities.
(a) Kerala
(b) Rajasthan
(c) West Bengal
(d) Gujarat
(e) Madhya Pradesh

Solutions

S1. Ans.(c)
Sol. Odisha Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik has launched 'Madhu' app. It is an e-learning mobile phone application which will help school students to understand their subjects in a better and most efficient way.

S2. Ans.(a)
Sol. Palau has become the first nation in the world to ban sun cream which damages coral reefs and other sea life.

S3. Ans.(e)
Sol. Former Madhya Pradesh chief minister and senior BJP leader Babulal Gaur passed away after prolonged illness in Bhopal. He was 89 years old.

S4. Ans.(b)
Sol. The Union Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) has announced the results of the 1st and 2nd quarters of the Swachh Survekshan 2020. Indore has topped the cleanliness charts for two consecutive quarters among cities with over 10 lakh population while Kolkata was the worst performer.

S5. Ans.(d)
Sol. London has named the world's QS best city for students for the 2nd consecutive year, beating Tokyo and Melbourne that came 2nd and 3rd, respectively, on a new worldwide ranking. According to the rankings, India's best student city is Bengaluru (81st), followed by Mumbai (85th), Delhi at 113th and Chennai at 115th, out of a total of 120th cities in the list.

S6. Ans.(e)
Sol. National Mathematics Day is celebrated on 22nd December every year to mark the birth anniversary of legendary Indian mathematician, Srinivasa Ramanujan.

S7. Ans.(d)
Sol. A book titled "Dreams of a Billion: India and the Olympic Games" author by Boria Majumdar with Nalin Mehta released. The book will be published by HarperCollins India in January 2020.

S8. Ans.(c)
Sol. NASA (National Aeronautics and Space Administration) has launched its 1st all-electric experimental aircraft named the X-57 "Maxwell". It is NASA's 1st crewed X-plane (experimental plane) in nearly 2 decades adapted from Italian Tecnam P2006T aircraft.

S9. Ans.(b)
Sol. In a first, India was hosted the international military sports event in Rajasthan's Jaisalmer.

S10. Ans.(e)
Sol. Zagreb is the capital and the largest city of Croatia. Zagreb is the youngestcapital in Europe with a population of more than one million people.

S11. Ans.(d)
Sol. The government promised broadband access in all villages by 2022, as it launched the ambitious National Broadband Mission entailing stakeholder investment of Rs 7 lakh crore in the coming years.

S12. Ans.(a)
Sol. The Ministry of Civil Aviation organised India's first-ever helicopter summit held in Dehradun. The Indian Air Force was invited at the summit to talk on the "role of IAF helicopters in MEDEVAC (Medical evacuation) at the national level".

S13. Ans.(e)
Sol. Indian Railways'Northeast Frontier Railway zone has started a unique initiative to earmark a special portion of the SLR coach with pink colour. This is done to specially help the women passengers with better safety and security.

S14. Ans.(c)
Sol. The 35th ASEAN Summit was held in Bangkok, Thailand. Thailand Prime Minister Prayut Chan-o-Cha inaugurated 35th Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) summit in November 2019.

S15. Ans.(b)
Sol. UNESCO and Rajasthan government joined hands to promote music, art and craft forms, and other intangible cultural heritage of the state to spur socio-economic growth of several artist communities.