

Quiz Date: 30th July 2020

Q1. Ministry of Earth Sciences has launched the “MoES-KRCNet” under the Digital India initiative of Government of India. KRCNet stands for?

- (a) Knowledge Reservation Centre Network
- (b) Knowledge Resurrection Centre Network
- (c) Knowledge Record Centre Network
- (d) Knowledge Resource Centre Network
- (e) Knowledge Regain Centre Network

Q2. Name the person who has won the Life Time Excellence Award in the MoES National Awards for excellence in Earth System Science.

- (a) Ashok Sahni
- (b) S.Suresh Babu
- (c) M.A. Atmanand
- (d) N.V. Chalapathi Rao
- (e) Indra Sekhar Sen

Q3. Name the England cricketer who has become 7th bowler of the world to take 500 wickets in the Test cricket.

- (a) Monty Panesar
- (b) Stuart Broad
- (c) Jonny Bairstow
- (d) Ben Stokes
- (e) Chris Woakes

Q4. The 5th Annual Meeting of the Board of Governors of Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) was held virtually. Who is the present President of Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank?

- (a) Masatsugu Asakawa
- (b) Takehiko Nakao
- (c) Haruhiko Kuroda
- (d) Tadao Chino
- (e) Jin Liqun

Q5. Name the Bangalore based startup which has been selected by Centre for Augmenting WAR with COVID-19 Health Crisis (CAWACH) to develop “Lyfas COVID score”.

- (a) Innvolution Healthcare
- (b) IndioLabs
- (c) Acculi Labs
- (d) IZiel Healthcare
- (e) Kallows Labs

Q6. The International Monetary Fund has approved _____ in emergency funding for South Africa to assist the country in its fight against the coronavirus pandemic.

- (a) \$3.3 billion
- (b) \$4.3 billion
- (c) \$5.3 billion
- (d) \$1.3 billion
- (e) \$2.3 billion

Q7. Name the player who has bagged the Premier Leagues Golden Boot football award after netting 23 goals across the 2019/20 season.

- (a) James Maddison
- (b) Riyad Mahrez
- (c) Harry Kane
- (d) Kasper Schmeichel
- (e) Jamie Vardy



Q8. Name the Bangladeshi cricketer who has been handed a 2-year ban by the national cricket board for failing a dope test in 2018.

- (a) Nurul Hasan
- (b) Kazi Anik Islam
- (c) Mosaddek Hossain
- (d) Mustafizur Rahman
- (e) Liton Das

Q9. Name the child rights activist who passed away recently. He founded Balala Hakula Sangham in 1984.

- (a) Kailash Satyarthi
- (b) Vijay Singh
- (c) Sunil Verma
- (d) Shantha Sinha
- (e) P Achyuta Rao

Q10. Name the India's first solar-powered ferry which has won the prestigious Gustave Troupe Award for Excellence in Electric Boats and Boating.

- (a) Aditya
- (b) Akash
- (c) Ajay
- (d) Arjun
- (e) Drona

Q11. "India Report on Digital Education, 2020" has been launched virtually by the Union Minister for HRD _____

- (a) Raj Nath Singh
- (b) Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank'
- (c) Nirmala Sitharaman
- (d) Subrahmanyam Jaishankar
- (e) Thaawar Chand Gehlot

Q12. Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) has launched a new Co-branded Contactless Credit Card with _____ on RuPay Platform.

- (a) SBI Card
- (b) Standard Chartered Bank
- (c) American Express
- (d) ICICI Bank
- (e) HSBC

Q13. Which day is observed every year as World Nature Conservation Day?

- (a) 28th July
- (b) 27th July
- (c) 26th July
- (d) 25th July
- (e) 24th July

Q14. Who is the author of the book titled "Quest for Restoring Financial Stability in India"?

- (a) Urjit Patel
- (b) Michael Patra
- (c) N.S. Vishwanathan
- (d) Bimal Jalan
- (e) Viral V. Acharya

Q15. How many bulk drug parks would be set up in India under the scheme for promotion of Bulk Drug Parks?

- (a) 2

- (b) 4
- (c) 3
- (d) 8
- (e) 5

Solutions

S1. Ans.(d)

Sol. Ministry of Earth Sciences has launched the “MoES-Knowledge Resource Centre Network (KRCNet)” under the Digital India initiative of Government of India.

S2. Ans.(a)

Sol. Professor Ashok Sahni has won the Life Time Excellence Award in the MoES National Awards for excellence in Earth System Science.

S3. Ans.(b)

Sol. England cricketer, Stuart Broad becomes 7th bowler of the world to take 500 wickets in the Test cricket.

S4. Ans.(e)

Sol. The 5th Annual Meeting of the Board of Governors of Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) was held virtually. President of Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank is Jin Liqun.



S5. Ans.(c)

Sol. Acculi Labs, a Bangalore based startup has been selected by Centre for Augmenting WAR with COVID-19 Health Crisis (CAWACH), an initiative by the DST to develop “Lyfas COVID score”.

S6. Ans.(b)

Sol. The International Monetary Fund has approved \$4.3 billion in emergency funding for South Africa to assist the country in its fight against the coronavirus pandemic.

S7. Ans.(e)

Sol. Leicester City striker, Jamie Vardy has bagged the Premier Leagues Golden Boot football award after netting 23 goals across the 2019/20 season.

S8. Ans.(b)

Sol. Bangladeshi cricketer, Kazi Anik Islam has been handed a 2-year ban by the national cricket board for failing a dope test in 2018.

S9. Ans.(e)

Sol. Child rights activist P Achyuta Rao passed away. He founded Balala Hakula Sangham in 1984.

S10. Ans.(a)

Sol. India's first solar-powered ferry, Aditya has won the prestigious Gustave Trouve Award for Excellence in Electric Boats and Boating.

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Sol. "India Report on Digital Education, 2020" has been launched virtually by the Union Minister for HRD Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank'.

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Sol. Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) and SBI Card has launched a new Co-branded Contactless Credit Card on RuPay Platform.

S13. Ans.(a)

Sol. World Nature Conservation Day is observed on 28th July every year.

S14. Ans.(e)

Sol. The book titled "Quest for Restoring Financial Stability in India" is authored by former Reserve Bank of India deputy governor Viral V.Acharya.

S15. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Scheme for promotion of Bulk Drug Parks aims for the establishment of 3 bulk drug parks in India.