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August GA Quiz 2

Directions: Study the following questions carefully and answers the questions given below:

1. Who among the following was appointed as the new coach of Tamil Nadu side ahead of the new domestic season?

- A. Bharat Arun
- B. Krishnamachari Srikkanth
- C. Woorkeri Raman
- D. Margashayam Venkataramana
- E. None of these

2. The Union Cabinet has cleared the Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (DICGC) Bill, 2021. This bill will allow depositors to withdraw up to _____ in 90 days.

- A. Rs. 3 lakh
- B. Rs. 5 lakh
- C. Rs. 7 lakh
- D. Rs. 2 lakh
- E. None of these

3. The Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) has recently what percent of royalty from Dr Reddy's Laboratory (DRL) on the sale of anti-Covid drug 2-DG?

- A. 3 percent
- B. 2 percent
- C. 1 percent
- D. 4 percent
- E. None of these

4. The Centre has set up the "Garima Grihas" for the _____ are being set up with the help of community-based organizations.

- A. Transgender persons
- B. Orphaned children
- C. Widow women
- D. A and B
- E. None of these

5. Prime Minister Narendra Modi today launched "SAFAL", a competency-based assessment for grades 3, 5 and 8 introduced by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) on the first anniversary of National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. What does first "A" stand for in "SAFAL"?



- A. Analysis B. Assessment C. Arrangement
D. Authentic E. None of these

6. Union Government is now taking steps to undertake the production of _____ on a large scale.

- A. COVID SIGNAL B. COVID BELL C. COVID BEEP
D. COVID WARNING E. None of these

7. 19-year-old Shehroze Kashif from which country has become the world's youngest person to summit K2?

- A. Bangladesh B. Afghanistan C. Pakistan
D. UAE E. None of these

8. The United States has recently announced a USD _____ million assistance to support COVID-19 vaccination efforts across India.

- A. 30 B. 25 C. 35
D. 20 E. None of these

9. Which of the following state is first to provide 1 percent reservation for Transgender persons in public employment?

- A. Maharashtra B. Kerala C. Tamil Nadu
D. Karnataka E. None of these

10. Which of the following has recently implemented "One Nation One Ration" card scheme across State?

- A. Chhattisgarh B. Madhya Pradesh C. Odisha
D. Jharkhand E. None of these

11. Which state's CM has launched Model Hepatitis B Treatment Centres at two hospitals in the state?

- A. Assam B. Sikkim C. Arunachal Pradesh
D. Manipur E. None of these



12. Which motor company has recently tied-up with Savitribai Phule Pune University to train youth?

- A. Tata Motors B. Maruti Suzuki C. Hyundai Motor
D. Mahindra & Mahindra E. None of these

13. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has imposed a monetary penalty of Rs 5 crore on which bank for contravention of certain provisions of directions issued by the RBI, encompassing those on cyber security framework?

- A. ICICI Bank B. HDFC Bank C. Axis Bank
D. EXIM Bank E. None of these

14. Which payments banks has recently become the first bank in the country to achieve the milestone of issuing 1 crore FASTags?

- A. Jio Payments Bank B. Airtel Payments Bank C. Paytm Payments Bank
D. India Post Payments Bank E. None of these

15. As per the recent news, who among the following is among 13 contenders for prestigious fiction's Booker Prize?

- A. Sunjeev Sahota B. Vikram Seth C. Amitav Ghosh
D. Aravind Adiga E. None of these

16. Polina Guryeva has recently won a silver medal for which country at the Tokyo Games 2021?

- A. Uzbekistan B. Turkmenistan C. Kazakhstan
D. Tajikistan E. None of these

17. Who among the following has recently created history by winning the Bharat Kesari Wrestling Dangal 2021 organised in Tamil Nadu this year?

- A. Labhanshu Sharma B. Karan Sharma C. Arjun Sharma
D. Dev Sharma E. None of these



18. Which company has recently won the Golden Peacock National Training Award 2021?

- A. Sai Life Sciences B. Suven Life Sciences C. Etico Life Sciences
D. Laxai Life Sciences E. None of these

19. Who among the following is the author of the book titled as 'The Khan of Khel Khudai'?

- A. Harshaa Bharatula B. Aravind Adiga C. Ramin Bahrani
D. Adarsh Gourav E. None of these

20. The 2021 Muslim Women Rights Day was observed on which date?

- A. August 1 B. July 31 C. August 2
D. July 30 E. None of these



Correct answer:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
D	B	B	A	B	C	C	B	D	C	D	B	C	C	A	B	A	A	A	A

Explanation:

1. Hints to Remember

Who: M Venkataramana

What: to take over as new Tamil Nadu coach

When: published on 31st July 2021

Former India off-spinner M Venkataramana was on Friday appointed as the new coach of Tamil Nadu side ahead of the new domestic season. He takes over the reins of the state side from D Vasu whose contract expired in June this year.

“Vasu did a good job with the team. We are looking for fresher ideas and have now gone in with Venkataramana. He has vast experience both as a player and coach. We are confident that he will do a good job,” a senior TNCA official said. During Vasu’s tenure as the coach, TN had won the Syed Mushtaq Ali T20 last season. In addition to that, TN had made the finals of the Vijay Hazare Trophy and Syed Mushtaq Ali in 2019-20.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. [\(Read more\)](#)

2. Hints to Remember

Who: Cabinet

What: clears amendment to DICGC Act

When: published on 28th July 2021

In a bid to ensure timely support to depositors of stressed banks, the Union Cabinet on Wednesday approved amendment to the DICGC Act to provide account holders access to up to Rs 5 lakh funds within 90 days of a bank coming under moratorium.

Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman in her Budget speech had announced that changes will be made to the Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (DICGC) Act, 1961.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. [\(Read more\)](#)



3. Hints to Remember

Who: DRDO

What: to get 2% royalty from Dr Reddy's on sale of anti-Covid drug 2-DG

When: published on 29th July 2021

The Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) will get two per cent royalty from Dr Reddy's Laboratory (DRL) on the sale of anti-Covid drug 2-DG, Minister of State for Defence Ajay Bhatt said on Wednesday.

In a written reply in the Lok Sabha, Ajay bhatt answered questions regarding the pricing of the drug. The defence ministry said that the DRDO developed the technology along with Hyderabad-based Dr Reddy's Lab, adding that the pricing is solely decided by DRL.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))

4. Hints to Remember

Who: Garima Grihas for transgender persons

What: is being set up with help of community-based organizations

When: published on 27th July 2021

The Centre has said that the Garima Grihas for the transgender persons are being set up with the help of community-based organizations.

In a written reply of question, Minister of State for Social Justice and Empowerment A. Narayanaswamy informed Lok Sabha, 12 pilot shelter homes have been initiated with the aim of providing safe and secure shelter to transgender persons. He said, such shelter homes have been set up in the states of Maharashtra, Delhi, West Bengal, Rajasthan, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Tamil Nadu and Odisha.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))

5. Hints to Remember

Who: PM Modi

What: launches SAFAL assessment framework for CBSE students

When: published on 29th July 2021

Prime Minister Narendra Modi today launched SAFAL (Structured Assessment For Analysing Learning), a competency-based assessment for grades 3, 5 and 8 introduced by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) on the first anniversary of National Education Policy (NEP) 2020.



SAFAL will be used to assess the progress of foundational skills and basic learning outcomes among students, a statement issued by CBSE read.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))

6. Hints to Remember

Who: Government

What: taking steps to undertake the production of COVID BEEP on a large scale-Dr Jitendra Singh

When: published on 28th July 2021

Union Minister of State (Independent Charge) Science & Technology; Minister of State (Independent Charge) Earth Sciences; MoS PMO, Personnel, Public Grievances, Pensions, Atomic Energy and Space, Dr Jitendra Singh said Government is taking steps to undertake the production of COVID BEEP on a large scale. In a statement laid on the table of the Loksabha in reply to a question, the Minister said that COVID BEEP is India's first indigenous, cost effective, wireless physiological parameters monitoring system for COVID-19 patients, developed by ESIC Medical College Hyderabad in collaboration with Electronics Corporation of India Ltd. (ECIL) and Department of Atomic Energy.

So far, 40 Nos. of COVID-BEEP were supplied as part of ECIL CSR activities to Government hospitals in Hyderabad for deployment and feedback in FY 2020-2021. Further, additional 100 Nos. are being prepared for dispatch to ESIC, Hyderabad by mid-August, 2021.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))

7. Hints to Remember

Who: Pak climber

What: becomes world's youngest mountaineer to scale K2

When: published on 28th July 2021

A 19-year old Pakistani climber on Tuesday became the youngest person in the world to reach the summit of K2, the second-highest peak in the world.

Mr. Shehroze Kashif from Lahore achieved the feat of scaling the 8,611-metre high peak with the aid of bottled oxygen.

“Good News! Received the confirmation from K2 Base Camp that Shehroze Kashif has summited K2 8611-M. It's a new world record! Youngest in the world to stand on top of K2 8611-M at the age of 19 years. Congratulations!,” Mr. Karrar Haidri, Secretary Alpine Club of Pakistan, said in a statement.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))



8. Hints to Remember

Who: US

What: announces USD 25 million aid to support India's COVID-19 vaccination process

When: published on 28th July 2021

The United States on Wednesday announced USD 25 million assistance to support COVID-19 vaccination efforts across India.

US Secretary of State Antony Blinken, who is on a two-day visit to India, said that the funding will contribute to saving lives by strengthening vaccine supply chain logistics, addressing misinformation, vaccine hesitancy, and helping to train more health care workers.

"US has contributed more than 200 million dollars worth of COVID19 assistance. I am pleased to announce that the United States government will send additional 25 million dollars to support vaccination efforts across India," Blinken announced during a joint press conference with External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar here.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))

9. Hints to Remember

Who: Karnataka

What: becomes first State to provide 1 percent reservation for Transgender persons in public employment

When: published on 21st July 2021

Karnataka became the first state in India to reserve jobs in public employment in favour of transgender persons. The state government informed the division bench of the Karnataka high court of Chief Justice Abhay Shreeniwas Oka and Suraj Govindaraj that it has amended the Karnataka Civil Services (General Recruitment) Rules, 1977 to provide for 1% horizontal reservation for transgenders.

A draft notification issued on May 13 proposed to amend Rule 9 for the purpose. The proposed amendment to Rule 9 Sub Rule (1D) was inserted to provide for 1% of vacancies to be filled in any service or post by the state government from among the transgender candidates in each category of general, Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and in each of the categories among the Other Backward Classes.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. ([Read more](#))



10. Hints to Remember

Who: Odisha government

What: implements One Nation One Ration card scheme across State

When: published on 30th July 2021

The Odisha government has implemented the one nation one ration card scheme. Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik launched the scheme across the state yesterday.

The scheme allows the beneficiaries to lift his or her quota of food grains from any of the fair price shops of his or her choice, both within and outside the state. Inside the state alone, the beneficiaries will have more than 10000 fair price shops for their ration, to choose from.

The state government also launched a vitamin-added rice distribution scheme under the public distribution system in the tribal dominated and remote district of Malkangiri as a pilot project yesterday. The scheme is supposed to address the nutritional needs, particularly of the women and children.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))

11. Hints to Remember

Who: Manipur CM

What: launches Model Hepatitis B Treatment Centres on World Hepatitis Day

When: published on 28th July 2021

On the occasion of World Hepatitis Day 2021, Manipur Chief Minister N. Biren Singh launched Model Hepatitis B Treatment Centres at two hospitals in Manipur.

The Model Hepatitis B Treatment Centres are opened at Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Medical Science (JNIMS) and Regional Institute of Medical Sciences (RIMS). The centres were launched during the function held today at CM Secretariat on the occasion of World Hepatitis Day 2021 under the theme- Hepatitis Can't Wait.

Speaking on the occasion, the Chief Minister said that treatment of Hepatitis B and its medicines would be made available free of cost at the Model Treatment Centres launched today. The opening of treatment centres would be helpful in controlling the infectious diseases in the State to a large extent.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. ([Read more](#))



12. Hints to Remember

Who: Maruti Suzuki India

What: partners with Savitribai Phule Pune University to train youth in auto retail

When: published on 28th July 2021

The country's leading car maker Maruti Suzuki India on Tuesday said it has partnered with Savitribai Phule Pune University, Maharashtra, to train the youth in automobile retail. A customised three-year 'Bachelor of Vocational Studies in Retail Management' course will be offered to students by the university with support from the company, Maruti Suzuki India Ltd (MSIL) said in a statement.

The curriculum will comprise one-year classroom training followed by two-year on-the-job training at Maruti Suzuki authorised dealerships, it added.

Commenting on the partnership, MSIL Executive Vice-President (Training Academy) Manoj Agrawal said one of the key challenges faced by the automobile industry currently is the skill gap and non-availability of trained personnel.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))

13. Hints to Remember

Who: RBI

What: imposes Rs 5-crore penalty on Axis Bank

When: published on 29th July 2021

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has imposed a monetary penalty of Rs 5 crore on Axis Bank for contravention of certain provisions of directions issued by the RBI, encompassing those on cyber security framework.

The directions include 'Strengthening the Controls of Payment Ecosystem between Sponsor Banks and SCBs/UCBs as a Corporate Customer', 'Cyber Security Framework in Banks', 'RBI (Financial Services provided by Banks) Directions, 2016', 'Financial Inclusion- Access to Banking Services - Basic Savings Bank Deposit Account' and 'Frauds - Classification and Reporting'.

"This action is based on the deficiencies in regulatory compliance and is not intended to pronounce upon the validity of any transaction or agreement entered into by the bank with its customers," the Central Bank said in a statement.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))



14. Hints to Remember

Who: Paytm Payments Bank

What: crosses 1-crore FASTags mark

When: published on 28th July 2021

Paytm Payments Bank on Wednesday said it has become the first bank in the country to achieve the milestone of issuing 1 crore FASTags. According to NPCI, over 3.47 crore FASTags were issued by all banks together till the end of June 2021.

Paytm Payments Bank (PPBL) now has close to 28 per cent share as FASTag issuer bank, it said.

"In the last 6 months alone, PPBL has equipped over 40 lakh commercial & private vehicles with FASTags.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))

15. Hints to Remember

Who: Indian-Origin Author Sunjeev Sahota

What: Among 13 Contenders for Booker Prize

When: published on 1st August 2021

Indian-origin British author Sunjeev Sahota is among the 13 authors longlisted for the prestigious 2021 Booker Prize for fiction for his novel China Room, alongside Nobel laureate Kazuo Ishiguro and Pulitzer Prize winner Richard Powers.

The 2021 longlist or "The Booker Dozen" of 13 novels was unveiled on Tuesday after judges evaluated 158 novels published in the UK or Ireland between October 1, 2020 and September 30, 2021.

Sahota, 40, who was the 2015 Booker Prize nominee for The Year of the Runaways, is on the longlist for the \$69,000 prize for his novel China Room, inspired in part by the author's own family history.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))

16. Hints to Remember

Who: Weightlifter Guryeva

What: Wins Turkmenistan's 1st Olympic medal

When: published on 27th July 2021

Sparsely populated and isolated from most of the outside world, Turkmenistan has finally won its first Olympic medal since independence from the Soviet Union.



Weightlifter Polina Guryeva won a silver medal for the Central Asian nation at the Tokyo Games on Tuesday, and then predicted she would go down in the country's history.

"I was in shock because it's the first Olympic medal in the history of the Turkmen people. It's the first medal, which I won. No sport in Turkmenistan has had a medal, not one medal," the 21-year-old Guryeva said. "I think I've entered the history of Turkmenistan by winning a medal. I'm so in shock."

Guryeva lifted a total 217 kilograms in the 59-kilogram category, edging Mikiko Andoh of Japan for second place. Kuo Hsing-Chun of Taiwan won gold by lifting 236kg.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))

17. Hints to Remember

Who: Labhanshu Sharma

What: wins Bharat Kesari Wrestling Dangal for Uttarakhand

When: published on 28th July 2021

Indian Wrestler Labhanshu Sharma has created history by winning the Bharat Kesari Wrestling Dangal 2021 organised in Tamil Nadu this year. 20 years since the formation of Uttarakhand, Labhanshu has broken the drought and won the title of Bharat Kesari for the state. A young wrestler with dedication and clear vision, Labhanshu believes perfection and practice inside the sports arena will result in glory outside the arena. His dedication and hard work are a benchmark for youngsters and Labhanshu is a perfect role model for the youth of the nation to follow.

Labhanshu says, "Sports is my passion, and to break a drought of 20 years gives me the drive to achieve more and work harder at making my state and my country proud. The secret to success is as simple as it gets, work hard, train harder and dedicate yourself to your sport. Nothing beats this and if you give your 100 per cent then success will be yours."

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))

18. Hints to Remember

Who: Sai Life Sciences

What: wins Golden Peacock National Training Award 2021

When: published on 26th July 2021

Sai Life Sciences, one of India's fastest growing ([https://www.sailife.com/?utm_source=pr &utm_medium=web &utm_campaign=golden-peacock-national-training-award-2021](https://www.sailife.com/?utm_source=pr&utm_medium=web&utm_campaign=golden-peacock-national-training-award-2021)) Contract Research, Development & Manufacturing Organizations (CRDMOs), today announced that it has been honoured with the Golden Peacock National Training Award 2021 in the pharmaceutical category.



This is the second consecutive Golden Peacock Award for the company following the Golden Peacock National Quality Award it received in 2020.

Making the announcement, Chief Quality Officer of Sai Life Sciences, Dr M Damodharan said, "Being in a knowledge-intensive industry, we foster the skills and competencies of our people through best-in-class L & D practices spanning holistic training, systematized governance, and user convenience. But it is the willingness with which our associates adopted the online training system that has allowed us to sustain superior compliance standards of over 99.5% in the last two years. I dedicate this prestigious recognition to all Saimers."

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))

19. Hints to Remember

Who: Book 'The Khan of Khel Khudaai'

What: launched

When: published on 29th July 2021

There are not many authors, who can present a compelling fictionalized account of the current geopolitics. Author Harshaa Bharatula's debut novel, "The Khan of Khel Khudaai," pulls it off with panache.

The book gives readers an insight into the culture and the complex manoeuvres of multiple entities - Afghan and non-Afghan. The story captures readers' attention, especially now when political conditions in Afghanistan have made headlines worldwide.

"The Khan of Khel Khudaai" is set in the 1970s when Afghanistan witnessed a series of events that resulted in the present situation that it finds itself in. The book also traces the impacts of those unrests on the common citizens of Afghanistan. The book very genuinely touches the reality, which both Indian and non-Indian readers would indeed find fascinating and gripping. Author Harshaa Bharatula is a Business Consultant, currently based in Bengaluru. He holds an MBA in finance from IFMR (Krea University) and a B.Com from Loyola College, Chennai. He has been an avid history buff since his school days.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))

20. Hints to Remember

Who: Muslim Women Rights Day

What: was observed on August 1st

Muslim Women Rights Day is observed on August 1. It was on this very day in 2019, the passage of the triple talaq bill in Parliament proved to be a great milestone as it brought about a ray of hope, a promise to liberate Muslim women from the shackles of social evil that came in the form of the



divorce terms. This year marks the second anniversary of that historical bill which is officially known as the Muslim Women Act (Protection of Rights on Marriage) passed in the Rajya Sabha.

The law made the 'triple talaq' a criminal offence. It was seen as a crucial step as it ensured Muslim women protection against gender inequality, and empowerment by lawfully bidding adieu to the practice of instantaneous 'talaq'. Hence the day is aptly held as Muslim Women Rights Day. The law is meant to promote women's self-reliance, self-respect, and boost self-esteem as it strengthens the fundamental and democratic rights of Muslim women.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))





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