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Current Affairs Questions for CGL Tier 1, IBPS RRB, IBPS Clerk, IBPS PO, LIC AAO, LIC Assistant, RBI Assistant, RBI Grade-B, SBI Clerk and SBI PO Exams

December GA Quiz 21

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

1. Who among the following has recently inaugurated 'Samajik Adhikarita Shivir' for distribution of aids and assistive devices to 'Divyangjan' and Senior Citizens?

- A. Virendra Kumar B. Ramdas Athawale C. Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi
D. Sarbananda Sonowal E. None of these

2. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has recently chaired the All India Mayors' Conference. This Conference was held in which city?

- A. Mathura B. Gorakhpur C. Varanasi
D. Jhansi E. None of these

3. Sahakar Mitra Internship Scheme has been introduced by the corporation to promote summer internship programs. This scheme is run by which organization?

- A. Central Pollution Control Board
B. National Small Industries Corporation
C. National Cooperative Development Corporation
D. Indian Council of Agricultural Research
E. None of these

4. Which organization has recently secured an order for manufacturing, assembly, integration, testing and supply of High-Speed Expendable Aerial Target (HEAT) System known as ABHYAS from the Aeronautical Development Establishment (ADE) wing of the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO)?

- A. Bharat Electronics Limited
B. Hindustan Aeronautics Limited
C. Bharat Dynamics Limited
D. Indian Space Research Organisation
E. None of these

5. Who among the following has been appointed as the Vice President of Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM)?

- A. Vinod Agarwal B. Narendra Chauhan C. Mahendran Kapoor
D. Ratan Sharma E. None of these

6. Which state has recently launched “Mukhyamantri Vayu Swasthya Seva” for Remote Tribal Districts?

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

7. Which State Govt has recently created 3 new districts namely Tseminyu, Nuiland and Chumukedima?

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

8. “Shri Krishan Balram Rath Yatra” has been declared as state festival of which state?

- A. Haryana B. Rajasthan C. Punjab
D. Gujarat E. None of these

9. International Human Solidarity Day 2021 was observed on which date?

- A. December 19 B. December 17 C. December 20
D. December 18 E. None of these

10. Who among the following has recently confirmed India’s First Medal at BWF World Championships 2021?

- A. B. Sai Praneeth B. Srikanth Kidambi C. Prannoy H. S.
D. Parupalli Kashyap E. None of these

11. Which INS was planned to be commissioned in mid-2022 and proceeded on its maiden sea sortie on the occasion of Goa Liberation Day?

- A. INS Mormugao B. INS Imphal C. INS Visakhapatnam
D. INS Kolkata E. None of these

12. The Aerial Delivery Research and Development Establishment (ADRDE) at _____ has recently conducted a flight demonstration of Controlled Aerial Delivery System of 500 kilogram capacity (CADS-500)?

- A. Gwalior B. Mathura C. Jhansi
D. Agra E. None of these

13. Rishabh Pant has been appointed as Brand Ambassador of which state?

- A. Himachal Pradesh B. Punjab C. Uttarakhand
D. Madhya Pradesh E. None of these

14. Who among the following is youngest elected President of Chile?

- A. Gabriel Boric B. Sebastián Sichel C. Franco Parisi
D. Antonio Kast E. None of these

15. Which organization has been awarded with the prestigious Golden Peacock Environment Management Award for the year 2021 in the Steel Sector by the Institute of Directors?

- A. Tata Steel Ltd
B. Steel Authority of India Ltd
C. JSW Steel Ltd
D. Hindalco Steel Ltd
E. None of these

16. Equitas Small Finance Bank has recently been empanelled as a banking partner of which state government to offer its services to the state government employees?

- A. Gujarat B. Maharashtra C. Goa
D. Rajasthan E. None of these

17. Which insurance company has entered into a partnership with CSC e-Governance Services India under the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India?



- A. Liberty General Insurance
- B. Reliance General Insurance
- C. Bajaj Allianz General Insurance
- D. SBI General Insurance
- E. None of these

18. Which insurance company has recently tied up with digital payments major PhonePe to offer digital motor insurance products?

- A. SBI General Insurance
- B. Edelweiss General Insurance
- C. Reliance General Insurance
- D. Tata AIG General Insurance
- E. None of these

19. As per the TrueCaller Report, which of the following countries is the 4th Most Spammed Country in the World?

- A. Bangladesh
- B. Vietnam
- C. India
- D. Sri Lanka
- E. None of these

20. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has recently launched development projects worth _____ rupees on Goa Liberation Day 2021.

- A. 550 crore
- B. 600 crore
- C. 700 crore
- D. 650 crore
- 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
A	C	C	B	A	B	C	C	C	B	A	D	C	A	B	B	A	B	C	D

Explanation:

1. Hints to Remember

Who: Minister Dr. Virendra Kumar

What: inaugurates 'Samajik Adhikarita Shivar' for distribution of aids and assistive devices to 'Divyangjan' and Senior Citizens

When: published on 16th December 2021

Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment, Dr. Virendra Kumar virtually inaugurated 'Samajik Adhikarita Shivar' for distribution of aids and assistive devices to 'Divyangjan' under the ADIP Scheme and to Senior Citizens under the 'Rashtriya Vayoshri Yojana' of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India in District Bhadohi. The Camp was organized by the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPWD) in association with Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO), a Miniratna-II PSU under Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India and District Administration, Bhadohi (U.P) at Vibhuti Narayan, Government Inter Collage, Gyanpur in Bhadohi District, Uttar Pradesh.

Total 2818 number of Divyangjan and Senior Citizens beneficiaries have been identified under ADIP Scheme and Rashtriya Vayoshri Yojana (RVY) of Government of India during the assessment camps organized by ALIMCO at different location from 8th November to 13th November 2021.

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

2. Hints to Remember

Who: PM Modi

What: chairs All India Mayors' Conference in Varanasi

When: published on 17th December 2021

Prime Minister Narendra Modi has recently chaired the All India Mayors' Conference in Varanasi Uttar Pradesh via video conferencing. In his address, the Prime Minister said our cities are the driving force of our economy. He said we should make our cities a hub of a vibrant economy.

The Prime Minister urged the Mayors' to make their cities vibrant, clean and beautiful. Elaborating on the renovation works done in Varanasi, Mr. Modi said development of Kashi will be a roadmap for the development of other cities in the country. He urged the Mayors to work towards cleanliness in their wards and organise beauty competitions between the wards.

The Prime Minister said most of the cities in our country are traditional cities, developed in a traditional way. He said in this era of modernization, the antiquity of these cities is equally important. The Prime Minister insisted that destroying the existing structures is not the way but emphasis should be on rejuvenation and preservation.

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

3. Hints to Remember

Who: SAHKAR MITRA NCDC's Scheme on Internship Programme (SIP)

What: was introduced

Sahakar Mitra Internship Scheme has been introduced by the corporation to promote summer internship programs. These summer internships will provide work-related learning experiences to the applicants who have enrolled in the scheme. These learning experiences will be related to the special fields of NCDC. Sahakar Mitra Internship scheme is run by National Cooperative Development Corporation.

To have more information regarding the benefits, objective, eligibility, registration form, read the article till end. The scheme will aim to benefit Cooperatives and Young professionals. More about the scheme – The government has launched various schemes for the benefit of the students and young interns so that they can get comprehensive industrial knowledge and develop practical skills.

Interns can learn knowledge and they will be given more opportunities for cooperatives sectors. It is important for the interns and professionals to have knowledge about innovative solutions. The scheme was launched by Union Minister Narendra Singh Tomar. Under the scheme, a monthly allowance of Rs.10,000 will be given to the candidate.

Hence, the correct answer is option C.

4. Hints to Remember

Who: HAL

What: Obtains ADE-DRDO Supply Order For ABHYAS Target Platform

When: published on 17th December 2021

The Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) has secured an order for manufacturing, assembly, integration, testing and supply of High-Speed Expendable Aerial Target (HEAT) System known as ABHYAS from the Aeronautical Development Establishment (ADE) wing of the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO).

After successful completion of this initial order, HAL would be identified as Development-cum-Production Partner (DcPP) for supply of this target system along with a private firm (50% of the

volume). The platform is estimated to have a large requirement from the tri-services for evaluation trials of missile programs.

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

5. Hints to Remember

Who: SIAM

What: appoints Mr Vinod Aggarwal as its new Vice President

When: published on 20th December 2021

Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM) on Friday said it has elected Vinod Aggarwal, MD & CEO, VE Commercial Vehicles Limited (VECV) as its new Vice President for 2021-22.

Aggarwal will replace Vipin Sondhi, MD & CEO, Ashok Leyland Limited who served as the Vice President of SIAM from September 2020 till date.

VECV is a joint venture between the Volvo Group and Eicher Motors Limited. Aggarwal joined Eicher in 1983 and since then has managed various finance and commercial roles in the Eicher businesses including tractors, trucks, buses, components and engine business.

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



6. Hints to Remember

Who: Odisha CM Naveen Patnaik

What: Launched Mukhyamantri Vayu Swasthya Seva for Remote Tribal Districts

When: published on 20th December 2021

Odisha Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik on Monday launched the 'Mukhyamantri Vayu Swasthya Seva' (CM's air health service) for four remote districts in the state.

Patnaik launched the service by flagging off a chopper from the Biju Patnaik International Airport (BPIA) in Bhubaneswar.

The service has been launched for tribal-dominated Malkangiri, Nabarangpur, Kalahandi and Nuapada districts. Specialists such as neurologists, nephrologists and cardiologists will be flown to the district headquarter hospitals (DHHs) to treat the patients.

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

7. Hints to Remember

Who: Nagaland govt

What: creates three new districts namely Tseminyu, Nuiland and Chumukedima

When: published on 18th December 2021

Nagaland Government has created three new districts namely Tseminyu, Nuiland and Chumukedima. The state has now a total of 15 districts. Tseminyu became the 13th district followed by Nuiland and Chumukedima as 14th and 15th Districts respectively. The decision was taken during a state cabinet meeting held under the leadership of Chief Minister Neiphiu Rio today at Kohima.

Addressing a press conference today, MLA & Advisor for Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services, Women Resources Development, Mr. R Khing said, the Nagaland cabinet under Chief Minister Neiphiu Rio decided the creation of three new districts - Tseminyu, Niuland and Chümukedima as the 13th, 14th and 15th districts in the State.

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

8. Hints to Remember

Who: Punjab CM Channi

What: declares Krishan Balram Rath Yatra as State Festival

When: published on 20th December 2021

Punjab chief minister Charanjit Singh Channi, who flagged off the 25th 'Shri Krishan Balram Rath Yatra' in the city, declared the annual procession a state festival.

The yatra, which was carried out after a gap of two years due to coronavirus restrictions, was attended by a large number of devotees. The CM also announced a grant of ₹2.51 crore for the Iskcon Temple in Ludhiana.

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

9. Hints to Remember

Who: International Human Solidarity Day 2021

What: was observed on December 20

International Human Solidarity Day was introduced by the UN General Assembly. The purpose of solidarity is to build our movement and to embody our mutual care and concern for justice. Solidarity works best when there is respect and understanding of each other's needs and life circumstances.

The principle of solidarity is a socio-ethical and political concept which states that it is fair and just that benefits and obligations are shared between members of society.

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

10. Hints to Remember

Who: Kidambi Srikanth

What: Confirms India's First Medal At 2021 BWF World Championships

When: published on 17th December 2021

Kidambi Srikanth defeated Mark Caljouw to cruise into the semi-finals of the ongoing BWF World Championships on Friday in Huelva. The former world number one Indian thrashed the Dutch shuttler 21-8, 21-7 in a contest that lasted for just 26 minutes. With this win, Kidambi Srikanth confirmed India's first medal at the 2021 BWF World Championships and also his first-ever podium finish at the event. This is also India's third medal at the showpiece event in men's singles. The 12th seeded Indian raced to an 11-5 lead by the first mid-game interval. The Indian badminton player, who was looking sharp throughout the match, closed the first game at 21-8.

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

11. Hints to Remember

Who: Indian Navy's second stealth destroyer, Mormugao

What: sails for maiden sea trials

When: published on 19th December 2021

Indian Navy's second indigenous stealth destroyer of the P15B class, 'Mormugao' planned to be commissioned in mid-2022, proceeded on its maiden sea sortie on the occasion of Goa Liberation Day.

"December 19 is perhaps the most befitting date for the ship to be put to sea as today the nation celebrates 60 years of Goa's liberation from Portuguese rule," the Ministry of Defence said in a statement.

'Mormugao', built at Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Ltd (MDSL) as part of the Project 15B destroyers, incorporates several niche indigenous technologies and is a shining example of Atma Nirbhar Bharat, the Ministry of Defence said adding that the ship has provided thrust and impetus to the 'Make in India' initiative.

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



12. Hints to Remember

Who: DRDO

What: Conducts Flight Demonstration of CADS

Where: at Agra

When: published on 19th December 2021

The Aerial Delivery Research and Development Establishment (ADRDE), Agra conducted a flight demonstration of Controlled Aerial Delivery System of 500 kilogram capacity (CADS-500).

As per the Ministry, ADRDE, Agra is an R&D laboratory of the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) and the flight demonstration is part of a series of activities organised towards celebrating 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav', commemorating 75 years of Independence.

The CADS-500 is used for precise delivery of payloads up to 500 kilograms at a predetermined location by making use of manoeuvrable capabilities of the Ram Air Parachute (RAP).

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

13. Hints to Remember

Who: Uttarakhand State

What: appoints Rishabh Pant as Brand Ambassador

When: published on 20th December 2021

Swashbuckling India wicketkeeper-batter Rishabh Pant has been appointed the brand ambassador of Uttarakhand with an aim to promote sports and create mental health awareness among the state's youth.

Uttarakhand Chief Minister Pushkar Singh Dhami made the announcement about the same on Sunday.

Pant, 24, was born in the state's Roorkee town in Haridwar district.

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

14. Hints to Remember

Who: Gabriel Boric

What: becomes Youngest President Elect of Chile

When: published on 20th December 2021

Gabriel Boric, a leftist former student leader, will become Chile's youngest president after storming to a resounding victory in a run-off vote against his ultra-conservative far-right opponent, José Antonio Kast.

With nearly 97% of the vote counted, the 35-year-old claimed 55.8% to take a 12 percentage point lead over Kast, who quickly accepted his defeat and called Boric to congratulate him.

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

15. Hints to Remember

Who: SAIL

What: Receives Prestigious Golden Peacock Environment Management Award 2021

When: published on 18th December 2021

The Steel Authority of India Ltd. (SAIL), under the Ministry of Steel has been awarded with the prestigious Golden Peacock Environment Management Award for the year 2021 in the Steel Sector by the Institute of Directors. SAIL has been the winner of this award for successive three years. This bears testimony to the efforts made by the Company for sustainable and environmentally responsible steel making.

SAIL is sensitive to global concern for climate change. Carbon footprint reduction has become an integral part of the company's corporate policies and operations. Deployment of state-of-the-art environment friendly technology, R&D initiatives in association with academic institutes of repute for resource efficiency, creation of carbon sinks by massive plantation drives, gradual shift to LED lighting, enhancing share of renewable energy etc are some of the major initiatives undertaken by SAIL in this area.

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

16. Hints to Remember

Who: Equitas SFB

What: empanelled as Maharashtra govt banking partner

When: published on 20th December 2021

Equitas Small Finance Bank has been empanelled as a banking partner of the Government of Maharashtra to offer its services to the state government employees.

As per an agreement, Equitas Small Finance Bank is entitled to distribute salaries and allowances to the existing employees as well as make provision of pension to pensioners, thereby providing solutions to institutions and value-added services for individuals, the bank said in a release.

Bandhan Bank, Karur Vysya Bank, South Indian Bank are the other three banks that are assigned the role of distributing salaries, allowances to government employees, it said.

The agreement is for the liability base. The government has granted authority to Equitas Small Finance Bank to open salary and pension accounts for the existing and retired employees across 58 of its branches in Maharashtra, the lender said.

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

17. Hints to Remember

Who: Liberty General Insurance

What: Partners CSC e-Governance Services India to Expand Rural Reach

When: published on 20th December 2021

Liberty General Insurance, one of the fastest growing General Insurance companies in India today entered into a partnership with CSC e-Governance Services India under the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India. Through this agreement Liberty will further strengthen its presence in rural areas across India by selling its insurance products through the CSC network. Initially, the company will offer Motor Insurance products – Two-Wheeler, Private Car and Commercial Vehicle to the customers.

In a formal ceremony held in New Delhi today, Mr. Amit Jain, President, Personal Lines, Bancassurance & Affinity and Marketing, Liberty General Insurance and Mr. Sanjay Kumar Rakesh Chief Executive Officer, CSC e-Governance Services India Ltd signed and exchanged the agreement.

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

18. Hints to Remember

Who: Edelweiss General Insurance

What: ties up with PhonePe to offer digital motor insurance

When: published on 20th December 2021

Edelweiss General Insurance (EGI) has tied up with digital payments major PhonePe to offer digital motor insurance products, EGI announced.

The partnership will help EGI reach out to PhonePe's vast and growing network of customers and offer them simple, end-to-end digital solutions in the motor insurance segment, it stated.

Chalking out the benefits of the partnership, EGI said that PhonePe customers can now purchase the insurtech's motor insurance policy with zero paperwork. Along with that, customers can also opt for add-on benefits like depreciation protect, engine protection, consumable expense protect, roadside assistance, key and lock protect etc.

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

19. Hints to Remember

Who: India

What: is the 4th Most Spammed Country In The World, Says TrueCaller Report

When: published on 18th December 2021

Do you ever pick up a call excitedly only to find out it's spam? Don't worry, this phenomenon has bumped India's position from 9th to 4th in Truecaller's top 20 most spammed countries.

The Global Spam Report by Truecaller makes some striking points. For starters, a single spammer in India made about 202 million spam calls between January to October in 2020.

Globally, Truecaller identified 184.5 billion calls and 586 billion messages. "Of those, 7.8 billion spam calls were identified and blocked while 182 billion messages were identified and blocked," the report said.

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

20. Hints to Remember

Who: PM Narendra Modi

What: launches development projects worth 650 crore rupees on Goa Liberation Day

When: published on 20th December 2021

Prime Minister Narendra Modi participated in the Goa Liberation Day celebrations at Shyamaprasad Mukherjee Stadium in Taligao. He felicitated freedom fighters and veterans of 'Operation Vijay' at the function. During his address on this occasion, the Prime Minister said, Goa is top in good governance, per capita income, and several other fronts. He said that Atmanirbhar Bharat, Swayampurna Goa is a grand success in the state.

The Prime Minister said that during its struggle for liberation, people of Goa kept the flame for Independence burning for the longest time. The Prime Minister congratulated Goa government for completing 100 percent coverage of 1st dose to all its eligible population. He appreciated Chief Minister Pramod Sawant for keeping the pace of development up in the state.

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



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