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Static GK Questions for IBPS PO Mains

IBPS PO Static Gk Quiz 1

1. Kuno Wildlife Sanctuary is located in which among the following states in India?

- A. Maharashtra B. Madhya Pradesh C. Uttar Pradesh
D. Rajasthan E. None of the above

2. Bharat Ratna Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Ekana Cricket Stadium is situated in which among the following places in India?

- A. Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh B. Shimla, Himachal Pradesh C. Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh
D. Patna, Bihar E. None of the above

3. Which among the following is the highest dam in India?

- A. Hirakund Dam B. Bhakra Dam C. Tehri Dam
D. Kallanai Dam E. None of the above

4. Which among the following is NOT correct matched?

- A. Simhadri Super Thermal Power Plant – Andhra Pradesh
B. Ukai Thermal Power Plant – Gujarat
C. Tiroda Thermal Power Plant – Maharashtra
D. Gurugobind Super Thermal Power Plant – Punjab
E. Chhabra Thermal Power Plant – Madhya Pradesh

5. Papikonda National Park is situated in which state in India?

- A. Gujarat B. Maharashtra C. Andhra Pradesh
D. Rajasthan E. Uttar Pradesh

6. Kempegowda International Airport is situated in which among the following places in India?

- A. Dimapur, Nagaland B. Raipur, Chhattisgarh C. Bengaluru, Karnataka
D. Udaipur, Rajasthan E. None of the above

7. Which among the following does NOT have its headquarters based in Geneva, Switzerland?

- A. United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
- B. World Health Organization
- C. World Economic Forum
- D. World Intellectual Property Organization
- E. International Atomic Energy Agency

8. The National Atlas and Thematic Mapping Organization is situated in –

- A. Kolkata, West Bengal B. Goa, Maharashtra C. Mumbai, Maharashtra
- D. Indore, Madhya Pradesh E. Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh

9. The Heritage Site of the Group of Monuments at Pattadakal is located in which among the following states in India?

- A. Karnataka B. Kerala C. Tamil Nadu
- D. Maharashtra E. Madhya Pradesh

10. Which among the following is NOT an Indian city situated on the bank of the River Ganges?

- A. Bhagalpur, Bihar B. Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh C. Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh
- D. Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh E. All are situated on the bank of the Ganges

11. Which among the following states has Dilwara Temples in its territory?

- A. Rajasthan B. Uttar Pradesh C. Madhya Pradesh
- D. Maharashtra E. None of the above

12. Which among the following is a cricket stadium in India that is situated in the state of Gujarat?

- A. JSCA International Cricket Stadium
- B. Rajiv Gandhi International Cricket Stadium
- C. Moti Bagh Stadium
- D. Holkar Cricket Stadium
- E. Barabati Stadium

13. Padayani is a folk dance form from which among the following states in India?

- A. Kerala B. Karnataka C. Tamil Nadu
D. Uttarakhand E. None of the above

14. Which among the following is observed as the National Girl Child Day every year in India?

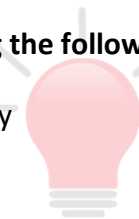
- A. February 26 B. January 24 C. March 15
D. March 19 E. None of the above

15. Koruna is the official currency of which among the following countries in the world?

- A. Czech Republic B. Denmark C. Ecuador
D. Estonia E. El Salvador

16. Who among the following has authored the book 'Broken Republic'?

- A. Arundhati Roy B. Chetan Bhagat C. Ramchandra Guha
D. Arvind Adiga E. None of the above



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17. The Saraswati Samman is given every year by which among the following for outstanding works in prose and poetry in any of the 22 Indian languages?

- A. Sahitya Akademi B. KK Birla Foundation C. Bharatiya Natya Akademi
D. Government of Maharashtra E. None of the above

18. Which among the following is NOT an award dedicated to the field of literature?

- A. Vyas Samman B. Moorti Devi Award C. Booker Prize
D. Jnanpith Award E. Kalinga Prize

19. We all know about ITC as a company in India. Which among the following used to be the full form of ITC?

- A. India Tobacco Company B. International Tobacco Conglomerate
C. Indian Tobacco Console D. Indian Tobacco Convoy E. None of the above

20. Which among the following is NOT a tournament associated with cricket?

- A. Rani Jhansi Trophy B. Rohinton Barcia Trophy C. Wills Trophy
D. Rothmans Cup E. Sir Ashutosh Mukherjee Trophy

21. Which among the following is NOT a term associated with football?

- A. Dribble B. Drop Kick C. Foul
D. Ruff E. All are associated with football

22. Who among the following is the Union Minister of Tribal Affairs in the Union Cabinet?

- A. Giriraj Singh B. Smriti Zubin Irani C. Narendra Singh Tomar
D. Arjun Munda E. None of the above

23. Ranganadi Dam is situated on Ranganadi River which is a tributary of which among the following rivers?

- A. Godavari B. Krishna C. Kaveri
D. Brahmaputra E. Ganga

24. Luanda is the national capital of which among the following countries of the world?

- A. Andorra B. Angola C. Botswana
D. Burundi E. Cyprus

25. Which among the following is observed as the World Computer Literacy Day every year all around the world?

- A. January 10 B. December 15 C. December 02
D. November 12 E. October 28



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Explanation:

1. Kuno Wildlife Sanctuary is situated in Madhya Pradesh and it has been upgraded to a national park in 2018. Initially it was established in 1981. In the protected area of this wildlife sanctuary, there are predators such as the Indian leopard, cheetah, sloth bear, Indian wolf etc. This site has been chosen earlier as an area of Asiatic Lion Reconstruction Project and Cheetah Reconstruction Projects.

Hence, option B is correct.

2. Bharat Ratna Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Ekana Cricket Stadium is located in Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh. It is known as the third largest international cricket stadiums in the country and it has the seating capacity of 50000. This stadium is run by public-private partnerships and it was inaugurated in 2017.

Hence, option A is correct.

3. Tehri Dam in Uttarakhand is the highest dam situated in India whereas the longest dam in India is Hirakund Dam in Odisha. Bhakra Dam in Punjab is the highest straight gravity dam in the country whereas Kallanai Dam in Tamil Nadu is the first dam of India.

Hence, option C is correct.

4. Chhabra Thermal Power Plant is situated in Rajasthan. It is a coal-fired thermal power plant with installed capacity of 2320 MW. Suratgarh Super Thermal Power Plant is also there in Rajasthan.

Hence, option E is correct.

5. Papikonda Nation Park is situated in the Papi Hills in the West Godavari District and East Godavari District of Andhra Pradesh. It was upgraded to a national park in the year 2008 though it was first started as a wildlife sanctuary in 1978. This national park is home to some of the endangered species in the world along with various flora and fauna species.

Hence, option C is correct.

6. Kempegowda International Airport is situated in Bengaluru, Karnataka and it was opened in 2008. It is operated by Bengaluru International Airport Limited and it is the third busiest airport in the country after Delhi and Mumbai. The airport is named after Kempe Gowda I, the founder of the city of Bengaluru.

Hence, option C is correct.

7. The International Atomic Energy Agency is situated in Vienna, Austria whereas all the other international organizations are based in Geneva, Switzerland. IAEA is an organization that seeks to promote the peaceful use of nuclear energy in the world and it was established as an autonomous body in July 1957. The IAEA reports to both the United Nations General Assembly and United Nations Security Council.

Hence, option E is correct.

8. The National Atlas and Thematic Mapping Organization is situated in Kolkata, West Bengal and the main objective of this organization is to provide maps to the administrators, planners, researchers, students etc. for various purposes. It was first started in 1954 but later it was renamed as the NATMO in the year 1978.

Hence, option A is correct.

9. The Group of monuments at Pattadakal are Hindu and Jain Community temples constructed in the 7th and 8th Century by the Chalukya Kings. UNESCO has designated it as a World Heritage Site because of the congregation of the art forms of both Northern India and Southern India. This site is protected under the Indian Law and is managed by the Archeological Survey of India (ASI).

Hence, option A is correct.

10. The cities that are situated on the bank of the river Ganges are – Bhagalpur and Patna in Bihar, Kanpur and Varanasi in Uttar Pradesh whereas Allahabad is located on the bank of the confluence of the rivers Ganga, Yamuna and Saraswati. Ayodhya is situated on the bank of the river Saryu in Uttar Pradesh.

Hence, option D is correct.

11. The Dilwara Temples are situated near Mount Abu in Rajasthan which is also the only hill station in the state. This site is mainly famous for Jain Temples decorated with marbles and intricate works of marbles. These temples were built between the 11th and 16th centuries by Vimal Shah.

Hence, option A is correct.

- 12.

Stadiums	Location
JSCA International Cricket Stadium	Ranchi, Jharkhand
Rajiv Gandhi International Cricket Stadium	Dehradun, Uttarakhand
Moti Bagh Stadium	Vadodara, Gujarat
Holkar Cricket Stadium	Indore, Madhya Pradesh
Barabati Stadium	Cuttack, Odisha

Hence, option C is correct.

13. Padayani is a folk dance form in Kerala apart from Chakyar Koothu. Mohiniyattam is a classical dance form from the state apart from Kathakali. Thirvatharakali, Kolkali, Ottamthullal, Koodiyattam etc. are also popular dance forms originating from the southern state of India, Kerala, also known as 'God's own country'.

Hence, option A is correct.

14. National Girl Child Day in India is observed on 24th January every year in order to raise awareness regarding the exploitation, discrimination, inequalities etc. faced by the girl children in the society. This day was first launched by the Ministry of Women and Child Development in the year 2008.

Hence, option B is correct.

- 15.

Countries	Capitals	Currencies
Czech Republic	Prague	Koruna
Denmark	Copenhagen	Krone
Ecuador	Quito	US Dollar
Estonia	Tallinn	Euro
El Salvador	San Salvador	US Dollar

Hence, option A is correct.

16.

Authors	Important Books
Arundhati Roy	The God of Small Things, Broken Republic, The Ministry of Utmost Happiness
Chetan Bhagat	Half Girlfriend, Revolution 20-20, One Night at the Call Centre, Five Point Someone, Three Mistakes of My Life, 2 States
Ramchandra Guha	India after Gandhi, Gandhi before India, The Makers of Modern India
Arvind Adiga	The White Tiger, Between the Assassinations, Last Man Standing, Selection Day

17. The Saraswati Samman was started by KK Birla Foundation from the year 1991. It is an annual award given by the foundation for outstanding works in prose or poetry in any of the 22 Indian languages. K Siva Reddy won the award in the year 2018 for his works in Telegu language.

18. Vyas Samman is given by KK Birla Foundation for outstanding work in Hindi literature published in the last 10 years whereas Moorti Devi Award is given by Bharatiya Jnanpith Organization for work in Indian philosophy and culture. Booker Prize is given as an annual award for English novels published in the UK and Jnanpith Award is an annual award, constituted in 1961, for outstanding work in prose or poetry for any of the 22 Indian languages. Kalinga Prize is given by UNESCO every year for presenting scientific ideas to the common people.

19. ITC stands for India Tobacco Company Limited. It is a multinational company based out of Kolkata, West Bengal. The company was initially established in 1910 as Imperial Tobacco Company. It was renamed as India Tobacco Company in 1970 but later in 1974 it became ITC Limited without being an abbreviation.

20. Some of the important tournaments associated with cricket are – Ashes Cup, CK Naidu Trophy, Deodhar Trophy, Rothmans Cup, Rohinton Barcia Trophy, Sahara Cup, Titan Cup, Vijay Merchant Trophy, Wills Cup, Wisden Trophy whereas the some of the famous tournaments in football are – Rovers Cup, BC Raj Trophy, Sir Ashutosh Mukherjee Trophy, Santosh Trophy, Todd Memorial Trophy etc.

Hence, option E is correct.

21. Some of the common terms associated with football are – dribble, off-side, penalty, throw-in, hat-trick, foul, penalty, drop kick etc. whereas the important terms associated with bridge are – ruff, revoke, dummy, little slam, trump etc.

Hence, option D is correct.

22. Arjun Munda is the present Union Minister of Tribal Affairs in the Union Cabinet. He is an MP from Khunti, Jharkhand. Narendra Singh Tomar is the union minister of Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare, Ministry of Rural Development and Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Smriti Irani is the Union Minister of Women and Child Development and also the Ministry of Textiles and Giriraj Singh is the Union Minister of Animal Husbandry, Dairy and Fisheries.

Hence, option D is correct.

23. The Ranganadi Dam is situated on Ranganadi River in Arunachal Pradesh. Ranganadi is a tributary of Brahmaputra River and this is mainly aimed at generating hydroelectric power. This acts as a concrete gravity diversion dam.

Hence, option D is correct.

24.

Countries	Capitals	Currencies
Andorra	Andorra la Vella	Euro
Angola	Luanda	Kwanza
Botswana	Gaborone	Pula
Burundi	Bujumbura	Burundi Franc
Cyprus	Nicosia	Cyprus Pound

Hence, option B is correct.

25. The World Computer Literacy Day is observed every year on December 02 all around the world in order to raise awareness regarding the computers and other important gadgets. It was started in 2001 by an Indian company NIIT to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the organization and since then it has been the practice to celebrate it every year on 2nd December.

Hence, option C is correct.



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