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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

## June GA Quiz 2

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

1. Which of the following actors has recently received UAE's golden visa?

- A. Sanjay Dutt                      B. Anil Kapoor                      C. Ranveer Singh  
D. Ajay Devgan                      E. None of these

2. Which team has won the Champions League 2021?

- A. Liverpool                      B. Chelsea                      C. Aston Villa  
D. Tottenham                      E. None of these

3. Who among the following has recently won the 2021 Belgrade Open title?

- A. Roger Federer                      B. Novak Djokovic                      C. Alexander Zverev  
D. Aslan Karatsev                      E. None of these

4. Which of the following countries is going to resume IPL 2021?

- A. South Africa                      B. UAE                      C. Australia  
D. New Zealand                      E. None of these

5. Centre has expanded scope of Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme to aid MSME sector amid disruption caused by 2nd wave of COVID-19. What is the interest rate under "ECLGS 4.0"?

- A. 7.2 percent                      B. 7.3 percent                      C. 7.5 percent  
D. 7.6 percent                      E. None of these

6. Which of the following states has recently switched Liquor Policy from Prohibition to Restriction?

- A. Madhya Pradesh                      B. Tamil Nadu                      C. Andhra Pradesh  
D. Karnataka                      E. None of these



**7. Which of the following states has recently announced ₹5 lakh assistance to children who lost both the parents due to Covid-19?**

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

**8. Which of the following states/UTs has recently launched Scheme 'SASCM' for families lost earner of the family?**

- A. Delhi                      B. Punjab                      C. Jammu and Kashmir  
D. Himachal Pradesh                      E. None of these

**9. National Environmental Engineering Research Institute (NEERI) has developed a Saline Gargle RT-PCR Covid-19 testing method that does away with swabs and offers results in three hours. The Institute is located in which of the following cities?**

- A. Pune                      B. Mumbai                      C. Nashik  
D. Nagpur                      E. None of these

**10. Which of the following IIMs has recently joined hands with GIZ to study the impact of the covid-19 pandemic on different industries, employees, and industrial best practices in India?**

- A. IIM Indore                      B. IIM Lucknow                      C. IIM Udaipur  
D. IIM Kolkata                      E. None of these

**11. Harmohan Sahni has been appointed as the CEO of which company?**

- A. Raymond                      B. Peter England                      C. Siyaram  
D. Manyavar                      E. None of these

**12. Who among the following was recently given the additional charge as Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) Chairman?**

- A. J B Mohapatra                      B. K L Ramakrishnan                      C. L M Balareddy  
D. A K Malhotra                      E. None of these



**13. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has recently cancelled the licence of Shivajirao Bhosale Sahakari Bank. The bank is located in which of the following city?**

- A. Mumbai
- B. Pune
- C. Aurangabad
- D. Navi Mumbai
- E. None of these

**14. Which company has recently announced the acquisition of rival Medlife to create India's largest online pharmacy?**

- A. Netmeds
- B. MedPlus
- C. Practo
- D. Pharmeasy
- E. None of these

**15. Which of the following firms has recently honoured Union health minister Harsh Vardhan for work in area of tobacco control?**

- A. WHO
- B. UNICEF
- C. ILO
- D. OPEC
- E. None of these

**16. Researchers of which IIT have designed "smart windows" to cut carbon emissions?**

- A. IIT Guwahati
- B. IIT Mumbai
- C. IIT Kanpur
- D. IIT Ropar
- E. None of these

**17. TCS has opened its first European innovation Centre in which city?**

- A. Prague
- B. London
- C. Amsterdam
- D. Berlin
- E. None of these

**18. Who among the following has recently won the 2021 Sixth Man of the Year?**

- A. Donovan Mitchell
- B. Joe Ingles
- C. Bojan Bogdanov
- D. Jordan Clarkson
- E. None of these

**19. Global Day of Parents was observed on which of the following dates?**

- A. June 2
- B. May 31
- C. June 1
- D. May 30
- E. None of these



**20. The 2021 World Milk Day was observed on which date?**

A. June 1

B. May 30

C. June 2

D. May 31

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	B	B	B	C	C	C	C	D	A	A	A	B	D	A	A	C	D	C	A

**Explanation:**

**1. Hints to Remember**

**Who:** Sanjay Dutt

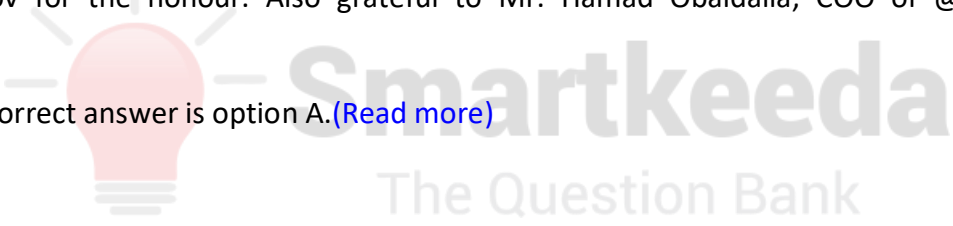
**What:** receives UAE's golden visa

**When:** published on 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Bollywood actor Sanjay Dutt on Wednesday thanked the UAE government for granting him the golden visa. Dutt took to his social media handles to share clicks of himself holding his passport with the golden visa.

Sharing the photos, Dutt wrote, "Honoured to have received a golden visa for the UAE in the presence of Major General Mohammed Al Marri, Director General of @GDRFADUBAI. Thanking him along with the @uaegov for the honour. Also grateful to Mr. Hamad Obaidalla, COO of @flydubai for his support."

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



**2. Hints to Remember**

**Who:** Chelsea

**What:** Beats Manchester City to Win Its Second Champions League Title

**When:** published on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Chelsea won the Champions League for the second time in their history after defeating Manchester City 1-0 at the Estadio do Dragao in Porto.

Kai Havertz's goal at the end of the first half was enough to earn Chelsea victory over Pep Guardiola's revered Premier League champions.

In a thrilling encounter, which was witnessed by 14,000 fans inside the stadium, Chelsea denied City their first ever Champions League title.

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



### 3. Hints to Remember

**Who:** Novak Djokovic

**What:** clinches Belgrade Open title

**When:** published on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021

In Tennis, world number one Novak Djokovic clinched the Belgrade Open title after defeating Slovakia's Alex Molcan in Serbia today. Serbian maestro Djokovic outclassed first-time ATP Tour finals Molcan 6-4, 6-3 in 88 minutes.

With this win, Djokovic has so far captured three titles at his home nation and over all he secured 83 singles titles in his career. The 34-year-old improves to a 20-3 record on the season and will next travel to Paris, where he will play American Tennys Sandgren in the French Open first round.

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

### 4. Hints to Remember

**Who:** IPL 2021

**What:** to resume in UAE in September-October, confirms BCCI

**When:** published on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2021

The remainder of the 2021 season of the Indian Premier League (IPL) will be held in the United Arab Emirates (UAE) during the September-October window.

In a Special General Meeting chaired by BCCI president Sourav Ganguly on Saturday, the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) confirmed to the State units that the tournament will have to be shifted out of India on account of 'monsoon.'

Choosing not to point to the COVID-19 crisis, the BCCI instead said India would witness heavy rains in September and therefore it wouldn't be possible to host the IPL in the country. Even though the exact dates weren't announced, it is understood that the tournament will start on September 18 or 19 and end by October 10.

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

### 5. Hints to Remember

**Who:** Centre

**What:** expands scope of Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme to aid MSME sector amid disruption caused by 2nd wave of COVID-19

**When:** published on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021



The Centre today further expanded the scope of the Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme (ECLGS) amid the economic disruption caused by the second wave of COVID-19 pandemic to aid Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) sector.

The ministry said, Under 'ECLGS 4.0', 100 percent guarantee cover will be extended to loans of up to two crore given to hospitals, nursing homes, clinics, medical colleges for setting up on-site oxygen generation plants.

The finance ministry said, interest rate has been capped at 7.5 percent for the same. It said, Civil Aviation sector to be eligible under ECLGS 3.0. The ministry said, Validity of ECLGS extended to September 30 this year or till guarantees for an amount of 3 lakh crore rupees are issued. Disbursement under the scheme has been permitted up to December 31 this year. The current ceiling of 500 crore rupees of loan outstanding for eligibility under 'ECLGS 3.0' will be removed, subject to maximum additional ECLGS assistance to each borrower being limited to 40 percent or 200 crore rupees.

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

## 6. Hints to Remember

**Who:** Andhra Pradesh Govt

**What:** Switches Liquor Policy from Prohibition to Restriction

**When:** published on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister Y S Jagan Mohan Reddy on Sunday announced a major shift in his government's liquor policy, moving away from prohibition (nishedham) to restriction (niyantrana). "We will implement restrictions on liquor in a phased manner to protect the families from the evil," the Chief Minister spelt out in a 16-page booklet released on Sunday, marking his government's second anniversary in office.

Two years ago when he assumed office, Jagan had promised "liquor prohibition" in a phased manner as it was "ruining families and destroying human relationships." The government had taken over the liquor business in the state to "curb liquor sale" since earning profits was not the motive. It claimed that the number of retail liquor outlets has been reduced from 4,380 to 2,934 in the last two years.

Now that the government has escrowed revenue from liquor sale and borrowed more than Rs 10,000 crore from various banks, the policy has ostensibly been changed from prohibition to restriction, top official sources pointed out. Even in the 2021-22 financial year, the AP State Development Corporation is targeting to borrow at least another Rs 16,000 crore for various schemes.

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





## 7. Hints to remember

**Who:** Tamil Nadu CM

**What:** announces ₹5 lakh assistance to children orphaned by Covid

**When:** published on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin on Saturday announced ₹5 lakh assistance to children who lost both the parents due to Covid-19, news agency ANI reported.

With this, Tamil Nadu joined the league of states who have already announced financial assistance to children who lost their parents in the second wave of Covid pandemic.

States like Delhi, Andhra Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Kerala, Uttarakhand, and Chhattisgarh have announced assistance for such children in one form or the other.

While Delhi will bear the cost of education and upbringing of children who lost their parents, the Andhra Pradesh government will deposit ₹10 lakh for every child orphaned by infection.

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

## 8. Hints to Remember

**Who:** J&K LG

**What:** launches scheme for families who have lost bread earner

**When:** published on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha on Wednesday launched a Special Scheme for financial assistance to families which have lost their only bread earner due to COVID pandemic.

The J&K Government has adopted a comprehensive approach, by creating a Special Cell in Social Welfare Department to identify and track support to these families over time, in spirit of leaving no one behind. Under the scheme, called '?????' or 'Special Assistance Scheme for COVID Mortalities (SASCM)', cash assistance of Rs 1000 per month shall be provided to spouse and the eldest member of the family.

Apart from this, the scheme provides for scholarship of Rs 20,000 per annum for school going students and Rs 40,000 per annum for college going students. A family in distress shall be eligible for scholarship for two children, if they are not getting any other scholarship. The assistance is not limited to above. The Special Cell in Social Welfare Department shall also explore further assistance under other existing schemes of the government for which the family may be eligible. An important element of support shall be financial assistance for self employment for any of the surviving member who wishes to start any business for livelihood support.

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



## 9. Hints to Remember

**Who:** Nagpur based NEERI

**What:** develops new technology for COVID testing

**When:** published on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2021

The National Environmental Engineering Research Institute (NEERI) has developed a Saline Gargle RT-PCR Covid-19 testing method that does away with swabs and offers results in three hours.

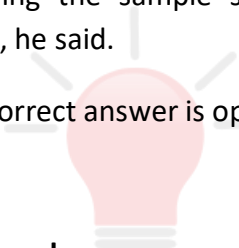
The Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) has approved the new testing method last week and asked NEERI to train lab technicians and scale up its adoption across the country.

Krishna Khairnar, senior scientist, environmental virology cell with the Nagpur-based NEERI, said this test was suited for rural and tribal areas as it had minimal infrastructure requirements.

NEERI scientist expect this testing technique to be beneficial for rural and tribal areas where infrastructure requirements are a constraint and trained lab technicians were not available.

The Saline Gargle RT-PCR method is instant, comfortable and patient-friendly. The sampling can be done by the patient and results generated within three hours, Khairnar said. This method of collecting and processing the sample saves costs and does away with the RNA extraction infrastructure requirement, he said.

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



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## 10. Hints to Remember

**Who:** IIM Indore

**What:** to study on pandemic's impact on industries, employees

**When:** published on 26<sup>th</sup> May 2021

The Indian Institute of Management in Indore (IIM-I) has joined hands with a German body to study the impact of the covid-19 pandemic on different industries, employees, and industrial best practices in India.

"Covid-19 has not only impacted the health index of several countries (WHO, 2020); but also created the macro-level 'turbulence' that has severe implications for economic, political, social and psychological well-being. The institutions will now work together on documenting the challenges faced by these business sectors and their ways of tackling challenges," IIM Indore said.

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



## 11. Hints to Remember

**Who:** Raymond Limited

**What:** appoints Harmohan Sahni as CEO of realty business

**When:** published on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021

Raymond Ltd on Monday said it has appointed Harmohan Sahni as chief executive officer (CEO) of its realty business.

"Raymond Ltd strengthened its executive leadership team with the appointment of Harmohan Sahni as chief executive officer of its realty business. An industry stalwart, Harmohan was till recently the COO of Real Estate business of ECL Finance Ltd (Edelweiss Group) and has enormous experience in executing projects," Raymond said in a statement.

With a 100 acre plus land parcel in the heart of Thane city in Maharashtra, Raymond forayed into the real estate space in 2019 with its maiden project 'Aspirational District', which is spread over 14 acres.

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

## 12. Hints to Remember

**Who:** JB Mohapatra

**What:** Gets Additional Charge Of Tax Body CBTB Chairman

**When:** published on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021

JB Mohapatra, a 1985-batch Indian Revenue Service officer, was given the additional charge as Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) chairman after the extended tenure of incumbent PC Mody ended, a government order said.

The Central Board of Direct Taxes frames policy for the Income Tax Department.

The order issued by the department of revenue, which is under the Union finance ministry, said: "Jagannath Bidyadhar Mohapatra, member CBDT, shall discharge the duties and responsibilities of the post of chairman, CBDT, in addition to his own duties for a period of three months or till appointment of a regular chairman, whichever is earlier."

It stated that the arrangement has been "decided with the approval of the competent authority".

Official sources said an order appointing Mr Mohapatra as regular CBDT chairman could be issued in the coming days by the prime minister-headed Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC).

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



### 13. Hints to Remember

**Who:** RBI

**What:** cancels licence of Pune-based Shivajirao Bhosale Sahakari Bank

**When:** published on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021

The RBI on Monday said it has cancelled the licence of Shivajirao Bhosale Sahakari Bank, Pune as the lender does not have adequate capital and earning prospects. As per data submitted by Shivajirao Bhosale Sahakari Bank, more than 98 per cent of the depositors will receive full amount of their deposits from the Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (DICGC), the RBI said in a release.

On liquidation, every depositor would be entitled to receive deposit insurance claim amount of his/her deposits up to a monetary ceiling of Rs 5 lakh from the DICGC.

Giving details, the RBI said the bank does not have adequate capital and earning prospects and as such, it does not comply with the certain provisions of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949.

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

### 14. Hints to Remember

**Who:** Pharmeasy

**What:** acquires Medlife to create India's largest online pharmacy

**When:** published on 26<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Mumbai-based Pharmeasy on Tuesday announced the acquisition of rival Medlife, thereby creating India's largest online pharmacy. "It's official. Medlife is now a part of the PharmEasy family! We started with the sole purpose of making affordable healthcare accessible to all in 2015, PharmEasy has now covered every single pin code across the country. With this, we aim to reach even more people pan India and cater to their healthcare needs," Dhaval Shah, Co-founder of Pharmeasy wrote on LinkedIn.

"While we love the Medlife brand - we believe that a singular focus on our consumer needs through a single platform 'Pharmeasy' will help us solve for consumer needs much better," he said. He added that this would make them the largest healthcare delivery platform across the country.

In a blog post, Pharmeasy stated that Medlife will discontinue operations and merged with the company from May 25, 2021. Medlife customers need to login to the PharmEasy app to start using their Medlife account via the same mobile number. All their digitised prescriptions and saved addresses dating back to a year will be available on the PharmEasy app.

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



## 15. Hints to Remember

**Who:** WHO

**What:** honours Union health minister Harsh Vardhan for work in area of tobacco control

**When:** published on June 1, 2021

Union health minister Harsh Vardhan was awarded the 'WHO Director-General Special Recognition Award' for his accomplishments in the area of tobacco control on Monday.

Leading a pledge to keep away from tobacco on the occasion, Vardhan said, "People who consume tobacco or smoke cigarettes can face more complications of Covid-19 which can even lead to death. They face 40-50% added risk due to this habit."

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

## 16. Hints to Remember

**Who:** IIT Guwahati researchers

**What:** pave way for automatic climate control of buildings, develop 'smart' window materials

**When:** published on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021

Buildings around the world are designed in such a way that a lot of energy goes into maintaining indoor temperature and brightness annually -- 39% of energy-related carbon dioxide emissions comes from this issue.

IIT Guwahati researchers have created a 'smart' window material that would allow for automatic climate control in buildings and cut down massively on energy usage and reduce carbon emissions.

Dr. Debabrata Sikdar, Assistant Professor, Department of Electronics and Electrical Engineering, along with his research scholar, Ashish Kumar Chowdhary from IIT Guwahati, have designed a smart window material that can effectively control the amount of heat and light passing through it in response to an applied voltage.

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

## 17. Hints to Remember

**Who:** TCS

**What:** opens its first European innovation centre in Amsterdam

**When:** published on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2021



Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) will bring universities, companies, startups and authorities collectively at its most modern innovation hub in Amsterdam to abet employ digital technology to resolve sustainability challenges.

The Indian IT providers huge launched the opening of its most modern hub in its innovation community in Amsterdam, following a prolong caused by the Covid disaster.

This may occasionally focus on sustainability challenges confronted by organisations and turns into the vital in a community of hubs, identified as TCS Tempo Ports, in Europe.

Tempo is TCS's innovation umbrella with a community of centres, identified as Ports, created to gather its ecosystem of consultants in diversified disciplines.

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

## 18. Hints to Remember

**Who:** UTAH JAZZ'S JORDAN CLARKSON

**What:** WINS 2020-21 NBA SIXTH MAN OF THE YEAR AWARD

**When:** published on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Utah Jazz guard Jordan Clarkson was voted the NBA's Sixth Man of the Year for 2020-21. The 28-year-old Clarkson moved from the Los Angeles Lakers to the Cleveland Cavaliers and, most recently, to Utah. He beat out teammate Joe Ingles and New York Knicks guard Derrick Rose to win this year's accolade.

In 68 games, Clarkson has averaged 18.4 points, 4.0 rebounds and 2.5 assists as the Jazz finished with a record of 52-20 and captured the No. 1 seed in the Western Conference playoffs. This is the sixth straight season the award has gone to a player from the Western Conference.

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

## 19. Hints to Remember

**Who:** Global Parents Day 2021

**What:** was observed on June 1

Global Parents Day is observed every year on 1 June to honour and express gratitude to our parents for the efforts they put in to shape our futures. The day celebrates the unique relationship between children and parents and it also provides us with an opportunity to appreciate our parents for the sacrifices they make for us. Parents play a crucial role in our lives for our career, social, financial and mental development. In 2012, the United Nations announced that 1 June would be celebrated as Global Parents Day.



The theme for Global Parents Day 2021 is 'appreciate all parents throughout the world'. The theme puts a spotlight on the struggles, sacrifices and efforts made by parents for their children worldwide. For instance, during the COVID-19 pandemic, parents took all responsibilities of their children and took care of them even when they were burdened with their own tasks. The theme has been kept in accordance with the efforts and hard work done by parents across the globe during the pandemic for their children.

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

## 20. Hints to Remember

**Who:** World Milk Day

**What:** celebrated on 01st June

**When:** published on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2021

The World Milk Day is observed every year on 1 June to recognise the importance of milk as a global food. The main objective of this day is to focus on activities that are connected to the dairy sector. The World Milk Day was established by the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) of the United Nations in 2001. The date, 1 June was chosen because many countries were observing the milk day during that time of the year. Since then, the benefits of milk and dairy products have been active through campaigns, events, and programs across the world.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic this year, no major event has been lined up for World Milk Day. However, the official website of World Milk Day urges people to shift to social media and spread the word.

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





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