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- Consider the following statements regarding the official languages in India:
  - The whole proceeding of judicial matters at the Supreme Court of India can be done in English and Hindi only.
  - It is mandatory for the states to select at least one language as the official language of the state, among the 22 official languages mentioned in the constitution.

Choose the correct statements using the code given below:

- 1 only
  - 2 only
  - Both 1 and 2
  - Neither 1 nor 2**
- The Bodo, Dogri, Santhali, and Maithili languages were added to the list of recognized languages in which amendment to the constitution?
    - 73rd Constitution Amendment Act of 2003
    - 52nd Constitution Amendment Act of 1985
    - 92nd Constitution Amendment Act of 2003**
    - 61st Constitution Amendment Act of 1989
  - Which of the following Statements is/are correct related to functions of All India Council for Technical Education?
    - Declare technical institutes of various levels and types that offer technical education courses to be eligible for funding.
    - Establish guidelines for allowing technical institutions autonomy.
    - Create plans to promote technical education for women, the handicapped, and the underprivileged.

Select the correct codes:

- 1 and 3 only
  - 2 and 3 only
  - 1 and 2 only
  - 1, 2 and 3**
- Consider the following Statements:
    - The Proclamation of national emergency is applicable to the entire country and not to any particular part of it.
    - The President can proclaim a National Emergency only after receiving a written recommendation from the cabinet.

Select the correct statement/ Statements by using the following options.

- 1 Only
  - 2 Only**
  - Both 1 and 2
  - Neither 1 nor 2
- The Deputy Chairman of the Rajya Sabha is elected by:**
    - Elected members of Rajya Sabha
    - All members of Rajya Sabha**
    - Elected members of Parliament
    - All members of Parliament
  - Resolution for the removal of Deputy Chairman must be passed by**
    - Simple Majority
    - Absolute majority**
    - Special Majority
    - Executive order
  - Consider the following statements :
    - Quo-warranto is a very powerful instrument for safeguarding against the usurpation of public offices.
    - A High Court can issue a mandamus to compel a court or judicial tribunal to exercise its jurisdiction when it has refused to exercise it.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- Only 1
  - Only 2
  - Both 1 and 2**
  - Neither 1 nor 2
- Consider the following statements regarding joint sitting of both the houses.  
After a bill has been passed by one House and transmitted to the other House, the President may notify the Houses of his intention to convene them for a joint sitting, if,
    - The bill is rejected by another house

2. The Houses have finally agreed to disagree on Bill's amendments.
3. More than three months have gone since the other House received the Bill and has yet to approve it.

Select the correct option from the following:

- a) 1 and 3 only
  - b) 1 and 2 only**
  - c) 2 and 3 only
  - d) 1,2,3
9. Who among the following Speakers of Lok Sabha formally disassociated from the political party after his election as the Speaker?
- a) G.V. Mavalankar
  - b) Sardar Hukam Singh
  - c) Neelam Sanjiva Reddy**
  - d) P.A. Sangma
10. Regarding the office of the Lok Sabha Speaker, consider the following statements: [Test Series Question]
1. He/She holds the office during the pleasure of the President.
  2. He/She need not be a member of the House at the time of his/her election but has to become a member of the House within six months from the date of his/her election.
  3. If he/she intends to resign, the letter of his/her resignation has to be addressed to the Deputy Speaker.

Which of the statements given above is/ are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
  - b) 3 only**
  - c) 1, 2 and 3
  - d) None of the above
11. Consider the following statements related to earthquakes:
1. India is one of the most earthquake-prone countries because of the existence of technically active young fold mountains in the Himalayas.
  2. The Mercalli scale measures the magnitude of an earthquake.
  3. The seismograph records the ground motion induced by seismic waves in a digital graphic format.

Which of the following given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
  - b) 2 and 3 only
  - c) 1, 2 and 3**
  - d) 1 and 3 only
12. Which of the following is not the reason to induce an earthquake?
- a) Re-emergence of old fractures in the craton.
  - b) Small plates frequently interact in the Mediterranean Sea region.
  - c) Human-induced deep-sea mining and nuclear testing.**
  - d) All the above can be probable reasons to induce quakes.
13. Which of the following describes the build-up and release of stress during an earthquake?
- a) the Modified Mercalli Scale
  - b) the elastic rebound theory**
  - c) the principle of superposition
  - d) the travel time difference
14. Consider the following statements regarding the functions of sea waves
1. When the seawater loaded with rock fragments and sand attacks the coastal rocks it is called abrasion.
  2. The rock particles present in the water hit against each other and break into progressively smaller particles, the process is called attrition.
  3. The rocks made up of limestone are subjected to solution action by the sea waves.

Which of the following above statements is true?

- a) 1 and 2 Only
  - b) 2 and 3 Only
  - c) 1 and 3 Only
  - d) 1, 2 and 3**
15. Which of the following landforms are created by the sea waves?
- a) Sea Cliff
  - b) Sea Caves
  - c) Sea Arches
  - d) All of the above**
16. Consider the following statements on Fold Mountains.
1. Fold mountains are the oldest mountains on Earth.
  2. Fold mountains are mainly found at oceanic continental edges.

Which of the statement(s) given above is/are not correct?

- a) **1 only**
  - b) 2 only
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
17. From which of the following forces did fold mountains formed?
- a) Elastic Force
  - b) **Compressive Force**
  - c) Frictional Force
  - d) Gravitational Force
18. Which of the following parameters reveal the origin of a wave?
- 1. Size
  - 2. Shape
  - 3. Duration
  - 4. Direction

Select the appropriate ones using the codes given below

- a) 1 Only
  - b) **1 and 2 Only**
  - c) 3 and 4 Only
  - d) All of the Above
19. Consider the following statements
- 1. The longitudinal valley lying between lesser Himalaya and the Shiwaliks are known as Duns.
  - 2. Himalayas lying between Indus and Satluj has been traditionally known as Punjab Himalaya

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
  - b) 2 only
  - c) **Both 1 and 2**
  - d) Neither 1 and 2
20. Which of the following statements is/are correct?
- 1. The range lying to the south of the Himadri forms the most rugged mountain system and is known as Shiwalik.
  - 2. The ranges are mainly composed of highly compressed and altered rocks.

Select the correct answer from given option

- a) 1 only
  - b) **2 only**
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) Neither 1 and 2
21. Recently seen in news, which of the following cities are correctly matched with their countries
- | Places             | Country |
|--------------------|---------|
| 1. Kherson         | Georgia |
| 2. Sharm El-Sheikh | Iran    |
| 3. Tbilisi         | Ukraine |
- a) Only 3
  - b) 2 and 3
  - c) 1 and 3
  - d) **None of the above**
22. With reference to G-20, consider the following countries
- 1. Egypt
  - 2. Australia
  - 3. Argentina
  - 4. Mexico
  - 5. Iran
  - 6. Saudi Arabia
  - 7. Turkey

Which of the above countries is a part of G20?

- a) 1, 2, 3, 4, 6
  - b) **2, 3, 4, 6, 7**
  - c) 3, 4, 5, 6
  - d) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
23. Consider the following statements and answer the questions below:

1. Only those people who were already getting subsidised foodgrains can get free foodgrains under the PM-GKAY.
2. The PM-GKAY provides additional benefits to NFSA beneficiaries and covers additional beneficiaries beyond the accepted limit under the NFSA.

The correct statement is/are:

- a) **Only 1**
  - b) Only 2
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
24. Which of the following statements is/are incorrect with respect to CDS?
- a) He heads the Department of Military Affairs (DMA) in the Ministry of Defence.
  - b) **CDS will be responsible for the defence of the country.**
  - c) As the head of DMA, CDS is vested with the authority in prioritising inter-service procurement decisions as Permanent Chairman-Chiefs of Staff Committee.
  - d) The CDS is also vested with the authority to provide directives to the three chiefs.
25. Recently seen in news, the term 'tokenization' is related to:
- a) artificial intelligence
  - b) cryptocurrency
  - c) **data security**
  - d) 5G technology



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