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- 1. 'Zarengold' was in news recently. It is a
  - (a) Metal
  - (b) Satellite
  - (c) Train to Arctic
  - (d) New Unstable form of Gold
- 2. Consider the following statements:
  - 1. NITI Aayog follows Bottom up Approach
  - 2. Governing council is top body of NITI Aayog. It includes all chief ministers.
  - 3. Chairperson is Mr. Rajiv kumar

Choose correct

- (a) 1 & 2
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 2 & 3
- (d) All
- 3. Consider the following statements:
  - In first-ever SDG Gender Index which measures progress made in achieving gender commitments against internationally set targets, India was ranked 95th out of a total 129 countries.
  - 2. It was released by UN Women

Choose correct one:

- (a) Only 1
- (b) Only 2
- (c) Both
- (d) None
- 4. Consider the following statements:
  - 1. The Global Disability Summit is being held at Buenos Aires, Argentina from 6 June to 8 June 2019.
  - 2. The International Alliance Disability (IDA), a UN body is organizing it with Govt of argentina Choose correct
    - (a) Only 1
- (b) Only 2
- (c) Both
- (d) None
- 5. Consider the following statements regarding the Citizen's Charter:
  - 1. It is a document which represents the commitment of the Organisation towards its Citizens.
  - 2. It is legally enforceable.
  - 3. Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances provides guidelines for implementation of the Charters.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 6. Consider the following statements:
  - 1. Chandrayaan-2, the country's first moon lander and rover mission
  - 2. The lander is named Vikram (meaning valour, after the father of the Indian space programme, Vikram Sarabhai). It will release a small robotic rover, named Pragyan (wisdom), to move around, feel and understand the lunar surface.
  - 3. Weighing about 1,500 kg, Chandrayaan-2 will be launched on the heavylift GSLV-Mk III rocket. Choose correct one
  - (a) 1 & 2
- (b) 2 & 3
- (c) 1 & 3
- (d) All

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- 7. Consider the following statements:
  - 1. Copper Hoard Culture describe find-complexes which occur in the southern part of India.
  - 2. The doab hoards are associated with the so-called Ochre Coloured Pottery (OCP) which appears to be closely associated with the Late Harappan (or Posturban) phase
  - 3. Ochre Coloured Pottery culture was prevalent in pre harappan phase in indo gangetic planes Choose correct options :
  - (a) 1 & 2
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 2 & 3
- (d) All
- 8. From the following
  - 1. Hathigumpha Inscription: Sena King
  - 2. Junagarh Inscription: Kushan King
  - 3. Nanaghat Inscription: Satvahana King
  - 4. Panjtar Stone Inscription: Kushan King

Choose correct matches:

- (a) 1 & 2
- (b) 3 & 4
- (c) 1, 2 & 3
- (d) All
- 9. Regarding Van Dhan scheme choose correct
  - 1. It is regarding improving the net asset value of dense and open forests in india.
  - 2. 10 Self Help Groups of 30 Tribal gatherers is constituted and Training and technical support is provided by TRIFED

Choose the correct option:

- (a) Only 1
- (b) Only 2
- (c) Both
- (d) None
- 10. From the following statements:
  - 1. The Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA) is an international financial institution which offers political risk insurance and credit enhancement guarantees in developing nations
  - 2. It is a member of the World Bank Group

Choose correct option:

- (a) Only 1
- (b) Only 2
- (c) Both
- (d) None
- 11. The International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) provides:
  - (a) insurance against certain types of risk, including political risk, primarily to the private sector
  - (b) concessional financing (interest-free loans or grants), usually with sovereign guarantees
  - (c) various forms of financing without sovereign guarantees, primarily to the private sector
  - (d) debt financing on the basis of sovereign guarantees
- 12. From the following statements:
  - Committee for Evolution of the New Education Policy' under the Chairmanship of Late Shri K. Kasturirangan, Former Cabinet Secretary, was constituted, which submitted its report in May, 2016
  - 2. The Draft National Education Policy, 2019 is built on the foundational pillars of Access, Equity, Quality, Affordability and Accountability.
  - 3. The Committee has proposed to rename MHRD as Ministry of Education (MoE).

Choose the correct option:

- (a) 1 & 2
- (b) 1 & 3
- (c) 2 & 3
- (d) All

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- 13. From the following statements:
  - 1. Consumer Price Index for Industrial Workers (CPI-IW) is a monthly publication by CSO
  - 2. Consumer Price Index for Industrial Workers (CPI-IW), is the appropriate indicator of general inflation. Choose correct option:
  - (a) Only 2 (b) Only 1 (c) Both (d) None
- 14. Country which is not a member of Quad Group
  - (a) India (b) USA (c) Australia (d) China
- 15. A task force on project management led by Niti Aayog chief executive Amitabh Kant has pitched for a dedicated policy framework for
  - (a) NPA resolution
  - (b) Industry led education
  - (c) Agrarian crisis
  - (d) Public-private partnerships and public sector projects
- 16. From the following statements:
  - 1. The Quality Council of India was set up jointly by the Government of India and the Indian Industry
  - 2. It's a statutory body

Choose correct option

- (a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both (d) None
- 17. From the following statements:
  - 1. The World Health Organization Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC) is a treaty adopted by the 56th World Health Assembly held in Geneva, Switzerland on 21 May 2003
  - 2. The World Health Organisation (WHO) awarded Rajasthan government's Medical & Health Department its Tobacco Control Award for year 2019 recognition of Rajasthan's achievements in the field of tobacco control.
  - 3. It became the first World Health Organization treaty adopted under article 19 of the WHO constitution.

Choose correct option:

- (a) Only 1
- (b) Only 2
- (c) Only 3
- (d) All the above
- 18. On the world map Drake passage will be nearest to
  - (a) Cape Town
  - (b) Ushuaia
  - (c) Puerto Williams
  - (d) Falkland Islands
- 19. Consider the following statements about Aldabra Giant Tortoise, which is/are correct
  - 1. It is endemic to Aldabra Atoll in Bay of Bengal.
  - 2. It is said to be one of the largest species of tortoises

Choose the correct option:

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only



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- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) None of the above
- 20. Phenomena related with Volcanoes
  - 1. Converging boundary
  - 2. Diverging boundary
  - 3. Trenches
  - 4. Hydrothermal vent

Choose the correct option

- (a) 1 & 3
- (b) 1, 3 & 4
- (c) All
- (d) 1, 2, 3

## **ANSWER KEYS**

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