

1. Consider the following pairs of prehistoric sites in India and their location.
  1. Bhimbetka: Odisha
  2. Burzahom: Kashmir
  3. Ratnagiri: Maharashtra
  4. Gudahandi: Madhya Pradesh
 How many of the above options is/are correct?
  - a) Only one
  - b) Only two**
  - c) Only three
  - d) All four
2. Consider the following statements regarding Sarna Religion.
  1. The Sarna religion is a nature-worshipping faith.
  2. The Sarna religion is practised by a majority of the tribal community in Jharkhand.
  3. Sarhul festival is the New Year festival, celebrated as part of the Sarna religion.
 Which of the above statements is/are correct?
  - a) 1 only
  - b) 1 and 3 only
  - c) 2 and 3 only
  - d) 1, 2 and 3**
3. What is common between the places: Rummindei, Sanchi, Sarnath and Sahasram?
  - a) They were the capitals of the Mahajanapadas.
  - b) They are some of the earliest cities, even before the Indus valley civilization was discovered.
  - c) They are the major rock edicts of Ashoka.
  - d) They contain Ashokan pillar inscriptions.**
4. Consider the following statements regarding Young Bengal Movement.
  1. It attacked old traditions and decadent customs
  2. It advocated women's rights and their education
  3. It organized debates against idol worship
 How many of the above statements is/are correct?
  - a) Only one
  - b) Only two
  - c) All three**
  - d) None
5. Consider the following statements about the Caucasus Mountain Range.
  1. The range runs between the Caspian Sea and the Mediterranean Sea.
  2. It harbors a biodiversity hotspot with endemic flora and fauna.
  3. The region is prone to seismic activity due to its tectonic setting.
 How many of the above statements is/are correct?
  - a) Only one
  - b) Only two**
  - c) All three
  - d) None
6. Consider the following statements about PM's NAMO Drone Didi initiative :
  1. Under the initiative, rural women are trained to become drone pilots for educational purposes.
  2. The initiative aims to equip 15,000 women-led Self-Help Groups (SHGs) with agricultural drones to assist in tasks such as crop monitoring, spraying fertilisers and sowing seeds.
 Which of the above statements are correct?
  - a) 1 only
  - b) 2 only**
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
7. Consider the following statements about The Global Conclave on Plastics Recycling and Sustainability (GCPRS):
  1. The Global Conclave on Plastics Recycling and Sustainability (GCPRS) is organized by the AIPMA (All-India Plastics Manufacturers' Association (AIPMA)).
  2. It gathers industry stakeholders to address critical issues in plastic use and recycling , showcasing innovative technologies and fostering collaboration for sustainable practices across sectors.
 Which of the above statements are correct?
  - a) 1 only
  - b) 2 only
  - c) Both 1 and 2**
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
8. Consider the following statements about Money Mule:
  1. A money mule is a person who allows their bank account to be used by criminals to transfer illegally obtained money.
  2. Banks have observed a rise in mule accounts, particularly among new accounts less than 3 years old.
 Which of the above statements are correct?
  - a) 1 only**
  - b) 2 only
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
9. Consider the following statements:
 Statement-I: Assam frequently experiences severe flooding and displacement of people.

Statement-II: Assam has more than hundred rivers, many originating from extreme rainfall areas.

Which one of the following is correct in respect of the above statements?

- a) **Both Statement-I and Statement-II are correct and Statement-II is the correct explanation for Statement-I**
- b) Both Statement-I and Statement-II are correct and Statement-II is not the correct explanation for Statement-I
- c) Statement-I is correct but Statement-II is incorrect
- d) Statement-I is incorrect but Statement-II is correct
10. Miombo forest is seen in which of the following continents?
- a) Asia
- b) **Africa**
- c) Australia
- d) Europe



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