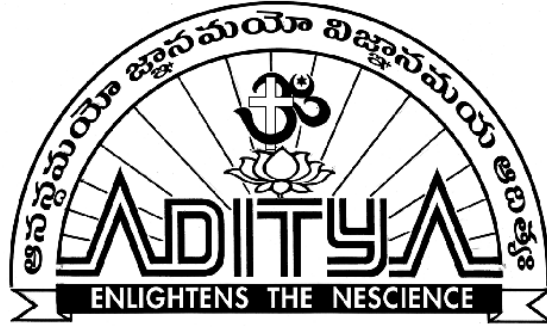


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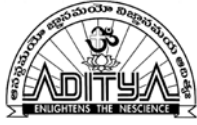
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- Which state will host the first meeting of the Education Working Group on 1 & 2 February 2023?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. b
- The first G20 Energy Transition Working Group meeting under India's Presidency will be held in which city from 5 - 7 February 2023?
(a) Bengaluru (b) Hyderabad (c) Chennai
(d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. a
- President Droupadi Murmu addressed the 31st Foundation Day of the National Commission for Women (NCW) in New Delhi. When is the Foundation Day of NCW celebrated?
(a) 29 January (b) 30 January (c) 31 January (d) 1 February (e) 2 February Ans. c
- Which of the following state government has launched the Vision for All School Eye Health program in partnership with OneSight EssilorLuxottica Foundation and Prasad Netralaya?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Goa (d) Himachal Pradesh (e) Punjab Ans. c
- Which state's cabinet has approved a state floriculture mission with an initial investment of Rs 150 crore, covering 20,000 farmers?
(a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. c
- Which of the following city will be made the new capital of Andhra Pradesh?
(a) Visakhapatnam (b) Ananthapuram (c) Vijayawada (d) Guntur (e) Nellore Ans. a
- According to IMF's World Economic Outlook, the economic growth of India would decline from 6.8% to how much percent for FY23?
(a) 6.5% (b) 6.4% (c) 6.3% (d) 6.2% (e) 6.1% Ans. e
- Who has been appointed as the first Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Gujarat Maritime Cluster?
(a) Pradeep Kharola (b) Aryama Sundaram (c) R Venkataramani
(d) Mukul Rohatgi (e) Madhvendra Singh Ans. e
- Footwear manufacturer and designer Puma India has signed whom as its new brand ambassador?
(a) Harleen Deol (b) Harmanpreet Kaur (c) Renuka Singh
(d) Smriti Mandhana (e) Deepti Sharma Ans. b
- Murali Vijay has announced his retirement recently. He was related to which of the following sport?
(a) Hockey (b) Tennis (c) Badminton (d) Football (e) Cricket Ans. e
- Which state government has won the best tableau award through online poll on Republic Day?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
(d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. b
- Which bowler has become the highest wicket-taker for Team India in T201 Cricket history?
(a) Yuzvendra Chahal (b) Bhuvneshwar Kumar (c) Ravichandran Ashwin
(d) Jasprit Bumrah (e) Hardik Pandya Ans. a
- Who has been conferred with FIH's President's Award 2023?
(a) Rajesh Verma (b) Prasad K Panicker (c) V Karthikeyan Pandian
(d) R K Gupta (e) Sanjay Kumar Verma Ans. c
- The Indian Coast Guard Day is celebrated on February 1 every year. This year, India is celebrating which edition of Coast Guard Day?
(a) 45th (b) 46th (c) 47th (d) 48th (e) 49th Ans. c

15. KV Tirumalesh passed away recently at the age of 82. Who was he?
(a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Film Director Ans. a
16. The science 20 Inception Meeting was held on 30 January 2023 at which place?
(a) Jammu and Kashmir (b) Puducherry (c) Himachal Pradesh
(d) Punjab (e) Ladakh Ans. b
17. The Government e-Marketplace (GeM) reported that in 2022, the Ministry of Defense has emerged as the largest buyer through MSME vendors. In 2022, Defense Ministry has procured goods and services worth how many rupees from the MSME sector?
(a) 6,747 crores (b) 16,747 crores (c) 26,747 crores (d) 6,147 crores (e) 16,647 crores Ans. b
18. West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee has inaugurated the 46th International Kolkata Book Fair. Which of the following country is the theme country at the fair?
(a) Spain (b) Mauritius (c) Brazil (d) Finland (e) Scotland Ans. a
19. Who has inaugurated IndiaOne Air's Regional Connectivity Scheme (RCS) Flight Operations for Jamshedpur-Kolkata under the UDAN scheme?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Jyotiraditya Scindia
(d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. c
20. Which of the following state government has launched the Ladli Bahna Yojana on the occasion of Narmada Jayanti?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
(d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. e
21. Samatha Kumbh will be held on the premises of the Statue of Equality at Muchintal in which state from 2 to 14 February 2023?
(a) Kerala (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha
(d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Telangana Ans. e
22. Who has inaugurated the National Summit on Quality of Biologicals, organized by the National Institute of Biologicals (NIB) in New Delhi?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Mansukh Mandaviya
(d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. c
23. The Indian government has collected how many rupees GST in January 2023?
(a) 1,51,718 crore (b) 1,55,922 crore (c) 1,49,507 crore (d) 1,47,686 crore (e) 1,48,995 crore Ans. b
24. Who has been appointed as the new head of Morgan Stanley for India?
(a) Krishnan Sankarasubramaniam (b) Rajiv Kumar (c) Arun Kohli
(d) Binesh Kumar Tyagi (e) Laxman Narasimhan Ans. c
25. Graham Reid has resigned as the chief coach of the India men's hockey team. He is from which country?
(a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. c
26. Who has been appointed as the new Drugs Controller General of India (DCGI)?
(a) Dr. Rajeev Singh (b) Dr. S. Eswara Reddy (c) Dr. Ashvini Kumar Dwivedi
(d) Dr. Tapan Saikia (e) Dr. Ravi Kant Sharma Ans. a
27. Who has bagged the inaugural Shane Warne Award as the men's Test player of the year?
(a) Pat Cummins (b) Usman Khawaja (c) David Warner
(d) Steve Smith (e) Mitchell Starc Ans. b
28. Who is the author of a new book titled "The Poverty of Political Economy: How Economics Abandoned the Poor"?
(a) Amartya Sen (b) Meghnad Desai (c) Raghuram Rajan
(d) Dr. Manmohan Singh (e) Pulapre Balakrishnan Ans. b
29. World Interfaith Harmony Week is observed every year on _____ to _____?
(a) 1 to 6 February (b) 1 to 7 February (c) 2 to 7 February (d) 2 to 6 February (e) 3 to 8 February Ans. b

30. Padma Bhushan awardee Vani Jairam passed away recently. Who was she?
(a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Singer (d) Journalist (e) Historian Ans. c
31. Which ministry has inaugurated the G20 Cyber Security Exercise and Drill for more than 400 domestic and international participants under India's G20 presidency?
(a) National Legal Services Authority (b) Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
(c) Competition Commission of India (d) National Human Rights Commission
(e) Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology Ans. e
32. Who among the following has launched the Visit India Year-2023 initiative in New Delhi?
(a) Anurag Thakur (b) Piyush Goyal (c) Jitendra Singh
(d) Sarbananda Sonowal (e) G Kishan Reddy Ans. e
33. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has participated in the Krishnaguru Eknaam Akhanda Kirtan for World Peace in which of the following state?
(a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. c
34. Reliance Consumer Products Limited announced a strategic partnership with Maliban Biscuit Limited. Maliban Biscuit Limited is based in which country?
(a) Iran (b) Maldives (c) Bhutan (d) Mauritius (e) Sri Lanka Ans. e
35. Which state has signed an MoU with Patanjali Foods Limited for development and area expansion under palm oil cultivation and processing?
(a) Arunachal Pradesh (b) Sikkim (c) Himachal Pradesh
(d) Nagaland (e) Uttarakhand Ans. d
36. The Adani Group has acquired the strategic Haifa Port for USD 1.2 billion recently. Haifa Port is located in which country?
(a) South Korea (b) Iran (c) Japan (d) Sri Lanka (e) Israel Ans. e
37. Who along with his US counterpart Jake Sullivan launched the US-India initiative on Critical and Emerging Technology (iCET) and Innovation Bridge?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Rajnath Singh (c) Amit Shah (d) Ajit Doval (e) S Jaishankar Ans. d
38. The International Monetary Fund (IMF) has approved a total of USD 4.7 billion loan for which country?
(a) India (b) Nepal (c) Bhutan (d) Pakistan (e) Bangladesh Ans. e
39. Which insurance company has launched a "Pay As You Drive" (PAYD) policy for vehicles recently?
(a) Bajaj Allianz General Insurance (b) Bharti AXA General Insurance
(c) New India Assurance Insurance (d) Go Digit General Insurance
(e) Universal Sompo General Insurance Ans. c
40. Manuela Roka Botey has been elected as the first female PM of which country?
(a) Cuba (b) Ghana (c) Sudan (d) Equatorial Guinea (e) Oman Ans. d
41. Recently, who was conferred a Lifetime Achievement Honour by the India-UK Achievers Honours in London?
(a) Amartya Sen (b) Arvind Subramanian (c) Raghuram Rajan
(d) Dr. Manmohan Singh (e) Pulapre Balakrishnan Ans. d
42. Where did Indian Army and CAPF conduct a joint training exercise "Exercise Trishakti Prahar"?
(a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Karnataka (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. b
43. Who won the Tata Steel Masters Tournament 2023 held in Wijk aan Zee?
(a) R Praggnanandhaa (b) Aravindh Chithambaram (c) Anish Giri
(d) Abhijeet Gupta (e) Jaykumar Sammed Ans. c
44. Who has won the final of the \$25,000 ITF men's tennis tournament in Al Zahra, Kuwait?
(a) Sumit Nagal (b) Divij Sharan (c) Saketh Myneni
(d) Purav Raja (e) Prajnesh Gunneswaran Ans. e
45. World Wetlands Day is celebrated every year on which day?
(a) 1 February (b) 2 February (c) 3 February (d) 4 February (e) 5 February Ans. b

46. Which of the following country will host the first Tourism Working Group (TWG) meeting from 7 to 9 February 2023 as part of the G-20?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. b
47. Which state government has announced that Islam Nagar village has been renamed as Jagdishpur?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. e
48. Which of the following country has become the latest member of the International Solar Alliance (ISA)?
 (a) Sri Lanka (b) Ghana (c) Cuba (d) Congo (e) Pakistan Ans. d
49. Which ministry has signed an MoU with the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, NABARD, and CSC e-Governance Services India Limited to enable Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (PACS) to provide services offered by Common Service Centers?
 (a) Ministry of Culture (b) Ministry of Environment and Forests
 (c) Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (d) Ministry of Education
 (e) Ministry of Cooperation Ans. e
50. Anurag Singh Thakur has launched the Mascot, Theme Song, and Jersey for the 3rd edition of the Khelo India Winter Games. Which city will host the 3rd edition of the Khelo India Winter Games?
 (a) Jammu and Kashmir (b) Bengaluru (c) New Delhi
 (d) Hyderabad (e) Chandigarh Ans. a
51. The government has approved the conversion of _____ interest dues of Vodafone Idea into equity.
 (a) 16,133 crore (b) 15,233 crore (c) 16,333 crore (d) 14,133 crore (e) 11,133 crore Ans. a
52. Who has emerged as the world's most popular leader with an approval rating of 78 percent?
 (a) Volodymyr Zelenskyy (b) Joe Biden (c) Emmanuel Macron
 (d) Rishi Sunak (e) Narendra Modi Ans. e
53. Which bank has partnered with NIIT Limited for the training of skilled Virtual Relationship Management professionals for the banking industry?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) IDFC First Bank Ans. d
54. Who has been appointed by RBI as a member of the Advisory Committee of Srei Infrastructure Finance Limited (SIFL) and Srei Equipment Finance Limited (SEFL)?
 (a) Abhishek Singhvi (b) Aryama Sundaram (c) V Ramachandra
 (d) Mukul Rohatgi (e) Harish Salve Ans. c
55. Who has won the National champion in the MRF Formula 2000 class, in the MMSC FMSCI Indian National Car Racing Championship?
 (a) Sai Sanjay (b) Narain Karthikeyan (c) Karun Chandhok
 (d) Zachariah (e) Ghorpade Ans. a
56. Who has won the bronze medal in the men's 57kg at the Zagreb Open 2023 Ranking Series in Croatia?
 (a) KD Jadhav (b) Uday Chand (c) Sushil Kumar (d) Yogeshwar Dutt (e) Aman Sehrawat Ans. e
57. Which state has won the first National Beach Soccer Championships held at Dumas Beach, Surat?
 (a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. e
58. Joginder Sharma has announced his retirement recently. He was related to which sport?
 (a) Hockey (b) Weightlifting (c) Kabaddi (d) Football (e) Cricket Ans. e
59. International Day of Human Fraternity is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 1 February (b) 2 February (c) 3 February (d) 4 February (e) 5 February Ans. d
60. Shanti Bhushan passed away recently at the age of 97. He was related to which of the following fields?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Lawyer (e) Film Director Ans. d

61. The 96th Akhil Bharatiya Marathi Sahitya Sammelan began in which district of Maharashtra?
(a) Wardha (b) Nagpur (c) Nashik (d) Aurangabad (e) Mumbai Ans. a
62. Which of the following company has been approved as the first Indian company to supply critical rotating parts for nuclear turbines?
(a) Azad Engineering Private Limited (b) TP Engineering Private Limited (c) Steel Authority of India
(d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power Ans. a
63. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has inaugurated a three-day India Energy Week in which city recently?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. a
64. Yaya Tso, known as a birds' paradise for its beautiful lake has been proposed as a biodiversity heritage site (BHS). It is located in which state / UT?
(a) Jammu and Kashmir (b) Meghalaya (c) Himachal Pradesh
(d) Manipur (e) Ladakh Ans. e
65. Which state / UT government has launched 'Bal Mitra, a WhatsApp Chatbot to provide communication support to children and parents in the state?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Delhi (c) Punjab (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. b
66. Vice-President Jagdeep Dhankhar has inaugurated which edition of the International Surajkund Mela at Faridabad, Haryana recently?
(a) 34th (b) 35th (c) 36th (d) 37th (e) 38th Ans. c
67. The unemployment rate of India declined to 7.14% in January 2023 from 8.30% in December 2022. This data has been released by which department?
(a) Department of Economic Affairs (b) Ministry of Labour & Employment
(c) Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy (d) NITI Aayog
(e) Department of Commerce Ans. c
68. The union government has extended Pradhan Mantri Kisan Urja Suraksha evam Utthaan Mahabhiyan (PM-KUSUM) scheme till March 2026. PM-KUSUM scheme had launched in which year?
(a) 2016 (b) 2017 (c) 2018 (d) 2019 (e) 2021 Ans. d
69. Who among the following has launched the 'Save Wetlands Campaign' in Goa?
(a) Bhupender Yadav (b) Piyush Goyal (c) Jitendra Singh
(d) Sarbananda Sonowal (e) G Kishan Reddy Ans. a
70. Which state government has announced a scheme of Rs 200 crore for developing green hydrogen hubs in the state?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. e
71. Which of the following country recently announced the removal of British monarchy from its banknotes?
(a) Finland (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. c
72. Which of the following country will host Football Asian Cup 2027?
(a) Pakistan (b) Bangladesh (c) UAE (d) India (e) Saudi Arabia Ans. e
73. Raphael Varane has announced his retirement recently. He was related to which sport?
(a) Hockey (b) Tennis (c) Badminton (d) Football (e) Cricket Ans. d
74. World Cancer Day is observed every year on 4 February. What is the theme of World Cancer Day 2023?
(a) Not Beyond Us (b) Close The Care Gap (c) I Am and I Will
(d) Cancer can be prevented (e) We can, I can Ans. b
75. Pervez Musharraf passed away recently at the age of 79. He was the former president of which country?
(a) Iran (b) Nepal (c) Bhutan (d) Pakistan (e) Bangladesh Ans. d
76. Which of the following company hosted an international seminar on 'Carbon Capture Utilization and Storage (CCUS)' at the First Energy Transitions Working Group (ETWG) meeting under the aegis of the G20 India presidency at Bengaluru?
(a) ReNew Power (b) Adani Enterprises (c) JSW Energy
(d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power Ans. d

77. The 15th meeting of the standing committee of the Central Zonal Council has been organized in which city?
(a) Varanasi (b) Dehradun (c) Bhubaneswar (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
78. Uttar Pradesh CM Yogi Adityanath has inaugurated the first VFS Global Joint Visa Application Centre in which city?
(a) Ayodhya (b) Varanasi (c) Kanpur (d) Lucknow (e) Noida Ans. d
79. The Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG) is hosting the 6th Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) Supreme Audit Institutions (SAI) Leaders' Meeting in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Bhubaneswar (d) Jodhpur (e) Lucknow Ans. e
80. Who has chaired the CEO Conclave at PLASTINDIA 2023 in New Delhi?
(a) Anurag Thakur (b) Piyush Goyal (c) Jitendra Singh
(d) Suresh Prabhu (e) Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya Ans. e
81. India has supplied how many buses to Sri Lanka on the occasion of the 75th anniversary of independence (4 February)?
(a) 25 (b) 50 (c) 75 (d) 100 (e) 125 Ans. b
82. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has inaugurated a helicopter manufacturing plant of Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) in which state recently?
(a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Karnataka (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. d
83. Indian Railways is introducing Bharat Gaurav Deluxe AC Tourist Train under which scheme?
(a) Dekho Aapna Desh (b) Udaan (c) Saakshar Bharat
(d) Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat (e) Atmanirbhar Bharat Ans. d
84. Who has laid the foundation stone of a Rs 450-crore nano urea plant and township of the Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative (IFFCO) in Deoghar, Jharkhand?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Rajnath Singh
(d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. b
85. Who has been appointed as a member of the Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister (EAC-PM)?
(a) Ashima Goyal (b) Raghuram Rajan (c) Shamika Ravi
(d) Anshika Singh (e) Parul Goyal Ans. c
86. Who has been appointed as the new MD and CEO of Mahindra Financial Services Ltd?
(a) R K Gupta (b) Rajiv Kumar (c) Vinayak Pai
(d) Raul Rebello (e) Paritosh Tripathi Ans. d
87. Which planet beats Saturn to become the planet with the most moons?
(a) Mercury (b) Venus (c) Uranus (d) Jupiter (e) Neptune Ans. d
88. Who won the 65th Grammy Award for Best Immersive Audio Album for the album Divine Tides?
(a) Ricky Kej (b) Michael Buble (c) Samara Joy (d) Robert Glasper (e) Brandi Carlile Ans. a
89. International Day of Zero Tolerance for Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) is observed every year on which day?
(a) 6 February (b) 7 February (c) 8 February (d) 4 February (e) 5 February Ans. a
90. Which state government has launched the country's first new mobility-focused cluster to accelerate the growth of sustainability mobility in the country?
(a) Kerala (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha
(d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Telangana Ans. e
91. Which of the following ministry has launched the 'Yuva Sangam' portal aimed at building empathy between the youth of northeastern states and those from other parts of the country?
(a) Ministry of Culture (b) Ministry of Environment and Forests
(c) Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs
(d) Ministry of Education (e) Ministry of Jal Shakti (Water) Ans. d
92. The 23rd edition of the Kala Ghoda Arts Festival has begun in which city of Maharashtra?
(a) Nashik (b) Mumbai (c) Pune (d) Nagpur (e) Thane Ans. b

93. Union Minister Hardeep Singh Puri has announced that the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban (PMAY-U) scheme has been extended up to 2024. In which year was the scheme launched?
(a) 2015 (b) 2016 (c) 2017 (d) 2018 (e) 2020 Ans. a
94. ISRO has signed an MoU with which IIT to build training modules for Indian Spaceflight Program, using augmented reality (AR), virtual reality (VR), and mixed reality (MR) technologies?
(a) IIT Guwahati (b) IIT Delhi (c) IIT Madras (d) IIT Kanpur (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. c
95. Which company has unveiled India's first Hydrogen Internal Combustion Engine technology solution for heavy-duty trucks?
(a) Adani Group (b) Tata Group (c) Reliance Industries Limited
(d) Ashok Leyland (e) Mahindra & Mahindra Ans. c
96. Bangladesh minister, Nasrul Hamid has informed that Bangladesh will start receiving electricity from the Godda power plant from the first week of March 2023. Godda power plant is located in which state?
(a) Tripura (b) Jharkhand (c) Assam (d) Bihar (e) Meghalaya Ans. b
97. The National School of Drama (NSD) will organize which edition of Bharat Rang Mahotsav (BRM) from 14 to 26 February 2023?
(a) 20th (b) 21st (c) 22nd (d) 23rd (e) 24th Ans. c
98. Which of the following retail company has become the first Indian retailer to introduce Central Bank Digital Currency, also known as the digital rupee?
(a) D Mart (b) V-Mart Retail (c) V2 Retail (d) Reliance Retail (e) Future Retail Ans. d
99. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has increased the policy repo rate by how much percent in the bi-monthly monetary policy review with the aim of bringing inflation under control?
(a) 0.15 percent (b) 0.25 percent (c) 0.35 percent (d) 0.20 percent (e) 0.40 percent Ans. b
100. Who has bagged the 'Mathrubhumi Book of The Year' award at the fourth edition of the Mathrubhumi International Festival of Letters (MBIFL 2023)?
(a) Amartya Sen (b) Dr. Ashwin Fernandes (c) Shashi Tharoor
(d) Dr. Peggy Mohan (e) Pulapre Balakrishnan Ans. d
101. Which of the following has won the 12th National Ice Hockey Championship 2023 for the third consecutive time?
(a) Assam Regiment (b) Ladakh Scouts (c) Arunachal Scouts (d) ITBP (e) BSF Ans. d
102. Aaron Finch has announced his retirement from international cricket. He is from which country?
(a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. c
103. Safer Internet Day is observed every year on which day?
(a) 6 February (b) 7 February (c) 8 February (d) 4 February (e) 5 February Ans. b
104. Visva-Bharati University is set to become the world's first "Living Heritage University". It was founded in which year?
(a) 1911 (b) 1921 (c) 1931 (d) 1941 (e) 1929 Ans. b
105. Which of the following ministry has signed an MoU with Digital Green under a public-private partnership framework to build a national-level digital extension platform?
(a) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (b) Ministry of Environment and Forests
(c) Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (d) Ministry of New and Renewable Energy
(e) Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Ans. e
106. According to production data from the Food and Agriculture Organization Corporate Statistics Database (FAOSTAT), India is the world's largest milk producer, contributing how much percent to global milk production in the year 2021-22?
(a) 12 percent (b) 24 percent (c) 36 percent (d) 41 percent (e) 48 percent Ans. b
107. Which state government has launched 108 Namma Clinics within the municipal limits?
(a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Karnataka (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. d
108. World's first 'Super' magnets for testing in nuclear fusion plant is developed by Tokamak Energy. In which country is Tokamak Energy based?
(a) France (b) Russia (c) UK (d) USA (e) Canada Ans. c

109. Which Payments Bank has launched its current account "BizKhata" which offers unlimited transactions and instant activation for account holders across the country?
 (a) Airtel Payments Bank (b) India Post Payments Bank (c) FINO Payments Bank
 (d) Paytm Payments Bank (e) Jio Payments Bank Ans. a
110. Who has been elected as the President of the prestigious Harvard Law Review?
 (a) Apsara A Iyer (b) Janani Ramachandran (c) Sonia Guajajara
 (d) Santhi Kumari (e) Manpreet Monica Singh Ans. a
111. K Satyanarayana Raju has been appointed as the new MD and CEO of which bank?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. e
112. Who has been awarded the Golden Book Awards 2023 for the book 'Now You Breathe'?
 (a) Amartya Sen (b) Rakhi Kapoor (c) Shashi Tharoor
 (d) Chetan Bhagat (e) Pulapre Balakrishnan Ans. b
113. Who has been awarded the Hurun India's award 2022 for his remarkable achievements in the world of business?
 (a) VP Nandakumar (b) Sunil Bajpai (c) Sanjay Agrawal
 (d) M S Sahoo (e) Chandra Prakash Goyal Ans. a
114. The inaugural season of the Women's Premier League (WPL) 2023 will be held in which city from 4 to 26 March 2023?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. e
115. Who won the Kenya Ladies Open title 2023 golf tournament held at Vipingo Ridge, Kenya?
 (a) Aditi Ashok (b) Diksha Dagar (c) Nelly Korda
 (d) Anirban Lahiri (e) Sharmila Nicollet Ans. a
116. Kamran Akmal has announced his retirement from all forms of professional cricket. He is from which country?
 (a) Afghanistan (b) Nepal (c) South Africa (d) Pakistan (e) Bangladesh Ans. d
117. BKS Varma passed away recently at the age of 74. Who was he?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Painter (d) Social Worker (e) Historian Ans. c
118. Which of the following state government has launched an online portal "Family ID - One Family One Identity" to make access to government schemes easier for the families of the state?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. a
119. The first G20 Environment and Climate Sustainability Working Group Meeting under India's presidency is started in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) Hyderabad (c) Chennai
 (d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. a
120. Who among the following has launched the 'Digital Payments Utsav' in New Delhi?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Ashwini Vaishnaw (c) Amit Shah
 (d) Piyush Goyal (e) Anurag Thakur Ans. b
121. Minister of State for Textiles, Darshana Jardosh has inaugurated the 68th India International Garment Fair at India Export Mart in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) Chandigarh (c) Chennai
 (d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. d
122. Who among the following has inaugurated Arabic Academy in Mumbai?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Rajnath Singh (c) Amit Shah (d) Piyush Goyal (e) Anurag Thakur Ans. a
123. Himachal Pradesh Chief Minister Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu has laid the foundation stone of 'Himachal Niketan' in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Hyderabad (d) Shimla (e) Mumbai Ans. b

124. Which company has launched an Artificial Intelligence (AI) powered chatbot named "Bard" to compete with ChatGPT?
 (a) Microsoft (b) Apple (c) Adobe (d) Google (e) Meta Ans. d
125. Which Small Finance Bank has launched a mobile banking application with 3 Vs . voice, visual, and vernacular-enabled features - to provide banking access to individuals with limited reading and writing skills?
 (a) AU Small Finance Bank Limited (b) Capital Small Finance Bank Limited
 (c) Fincare Small Finance Bank Limited (d) Ujjivan Small Finance Bank
 (e) Equitas Small Finance Bank Limited Ans. d
126. Which of the following fintech app has become the first fintech app to support RuPay Credit Cards on UPI?
 (a) Paytm (b) Razorpay (c) Freecharge (d) Just Recharge It (e) MobiKwik Ans. e
127. Which of the following bank has launched a wealth management platform in partnership with Geojit Financial Services Ltd?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) IDFC First Bank Ans. a
128. India has received foreign inward remittances of how many US dollars in 2021-22?
 (a) USD 89,127 million (b) USD 79,127 million (c) USD 99,127 million
 (d) USD 59,127 million (e) USD 69,127 million Ans. a
129. Who has been named in the world's brightest students list by the Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth?
 (a) Natasha Perianayagam (b) Aravindh Chithambaram (c) Alexandr Predke
 (d) Abhijeet Gupta (e) Jaykumar Sammed Ans. a
130. The Ministry of Defence has signed a contract with which of the following company for the procurement of 41 sets of Modular Bridges at an estimated cost of Rs 2,585 crore for the Corps of Engineers, Indian Army?
 (a) Reliance Industries Limited (b) Larsen & Toubro (L&T) (c) Hindustan Unilever Limited
 (d) Tata Advanced Systems (e) Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) Ans. b
131. Which of the following company has launched the first traffic management system for drones in India?
 (a) Skye Airon (b) Skylark Dronetech (c) IdeaForge
 (d) Teja Aerospace and Dynamics (e) Aarav Unmanned Systems Ans. a
132. The World Government Summit 2023 is set to begin in which city?
 (a) New Delhi (b) Dubai (c) Paris (d) Tokyo (e) London Ans. b
133. The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a \$130 million (over Rs 1,072 crore) loan to enhance agricultural productivity and farmers' income in which state?
 (a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Gujarat
 (d) Himachal Pradesh (e) Punjab Ans. d
134. Which edition of the India-Mongolia Joint Working Group has been held in New Delhi?
 (a) 10th (b) 11th (c) 12th (d) 13rd (e) 14th Ans. b
135. The inception meeting of the G-20 empower group of the Ministry of Women and Child Development has begun in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Agra (d) Jodhpur (e) Mumbai Ans. c
136. Which of the following company has launched #DigitalSuraksha campaign in partnership with MeitY?
 (a) Microsoft (b) Apple (c) Adobe (d) Google (e) Meta Ans. e
137. The three-day 12th World Hindi Conference will be held in which country from February 15?
 (a) France (b) Fiji (c) UK (d) USA (e) Canada Ans. b
138. _____ is a rescue operation initiated by the Government of India to aid Syria and Turkey, after an earthquake hit both countries.
 (a) Operation Dost (b) Operation Rahat (c) Operation Maitri
 (d) Operation Dev (e) Operation Madad Ans. e

139. Quad countries have recently launched Quad Cyber Challenge to strengthen cyber security. Which of the following country is not a part of the Quad group?
(a) Australia (b) UK (c) Japan (d) USA (e) India Ans. b
140. Find out the incorrect pair-
(i) Governor of Nagaland - La. Ganesan (ii) Governor of Bihar - Phagu Chauhan
(iii) Governor of Meghalaya - Rajendra Vishwanath Arlekar
(iv) Lt. Governor of Ladakh - B D Mishra (v) Governor of Maharashtra - Ramesh Bais
(a) Only i & ii (b) Only ii & iii (c) Only iii & iv (d) Only iv & v (e) All are incorrect Ans. b
141. Appasaheb Dharmadhikari has honoured with the Maharashtra Bhushan Award for the year 2022. Who is he?
(a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Theatre artist (d) Social Worker (e) Historian Ans. d
142. Kamran Akmal has announced his retirement from all forms of professional cricket. He is from which country?
(a) Pakistan (b) Bangladesh (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. a
143. Who among the following is the author of new novel "Victory City"?
(a) Amartya Sen (b) Dr. Ashwin Fernandes (c) Shashi Tharoor
(d) Chetan Bhagat (e) Salman Rushdie Ans. e
144. World Unani Day is observed every year on which day?
(a) 10 February (b) 11 February (c) 12 February (d) 13 February (e) 14 February Ans. b
145. World Pulses Day is observed every year on which day?
(a) 10 February (b) 11 February (c) 12 February (d) 13 February (e) 14 February Ans. a
146. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has flagged off 2 Vande Bharat Express Train from Mumbai. Now, what is the total number of Vande Bharat Express Train running in the country?
(a) 8 (b) 9 (c) 10 (d) 11 (e) 12 Ans. c
147. Union Ministry of Culture has organized Rashtriya Sanskriti Mahotsav-2023 in which city?
(a) Varanasi (b) New Delhi (c) Bhubaneswar (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. e
148. Secretary of MeitY has inaugurated the first International Conference on Communication, Electronics and Digital Technologies - NICE-DT 2023 and Digital Skilling. Who is the Secretary of MeitY?
(a) Sanjay Kumar (b) Alka Upadhyay (c) Alkesh Kumar Sharma
(d) Sanjay Malhotra (e) Pramod Kumar Mishra Ans. c
149. Who has inaugurated AMRPTEX 2023 - National Philatelic Exhibition at Pragati Maidan, Delhi?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Ashwini Vaishnaw (c) Amit Shah
(d) Piyush Goyal (e) Anurag Thakur Ans. b
150. Which state government has recently implemented India's strictest anti-copying law in the state?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan (d) Maharashtra (e) Uttarakhand Ans. e
151. Which of the following Union Territory has organized the first National Lok Adalat of 2023?
(a) Delhi (b) Chandigarh (c) Jammu and Kashmir
(d) Ladakh (e) Puducherry Ans. c
152. Which of the following bank has inaugurated its third specialized branch for startups at Gurugram to provide all banking services required by them under one roof?
(a) State Bank of India (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
(d) HDFC Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. a
153. Who has been selected for the prestigious "Raja Ram Mohan Roy National Award" for excellence in Journalism?
(a) Dr. Vasudha Gupta (b) Rajiv Kumar (c) Dixit Joshi
(d) Dr. A.B.K. Prasad (e) Adille Sumariwalla Ans. d
154. Union Minister Anurag Thakur has flagged off the Formula E Championship in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) Hyderabad (c) Chennai
(d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. b

155. Who has become the fastest Indian bowler and second overall to reach the mark of 450 Test wickets recently?
 (a) Yuzvendra Chahal (b) Bhuvneshwar Kumar (c) Ravichandran Ashwin
 (d) Jasprit Bumrah (e) Hardik Pandya Ans. c
156. Indian captain Rohit Sharma has become the first Indian captain to score a century in all three formats (Tests, ODIs & T20Is) of cricket and he also became _____ international captain-batsman.
 (a) 1st (b) 2nd (c) 3rd (d) 4th (e) 5th Ans. d
157. International Day of Women and Girls in Science is celebrated annually on which day?
 (a) 11 February (b) 12 February (c) 13 February (d) 14 February (e) 15 February Ans. a
158. International Darwin Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 11 February (b) 12 February (c) 13 February (d) 14 February (e) 15 February Ans. b
159. The digital economy working group meeting of G20 has been held in which city?
 (a) Varanasi (b) New Delhi (c) Bhubaneswar (d) Lucknow (e) Mumbai Ans. d
160. DHARA the annual meeting of the members of the River Cities Alliance (RCA) is being organized by the National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG) in association with the National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA) in Pune. What does D stand for in DHARA?
 (a) Drink (b) Divine (c) Digital (d) Digi (e) Driving Ans. e
161. Who has inaugurated the second Indian Rice Congress at National Rice Research Center Institute (NRRI) in Cuttack, Odisha?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Piyush Goyal
 (d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. d
162. Which among the following has signed an MoU with National Forensic Sciences University (NFSU) for setting up of digital forensic laboratories?
 (a) Indian Council of Medical Research (b) Directorate General of GST Intelligence
 (c) Enforcement Directorate (d) IIT Delhi (e) AIIMS, New Delhi Ans. b
163. Who has inaugurated the year-long celebrations commemorating the 200th birth anniversary of Maharishi Dayanand Saraswati at Indira Gandhi Indoor Stadium in New Delhi?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Rajnath Singh
 (d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. a
164. According to the DGCA, India's aviation safety oversight ranking has jumped to _____ position from 112th place in the country's score under the ICAO's coordinated validation mission.
 (a) 55th (b) 56th (c) 49th (d) 47th (e) 41st Ans. a
165. Which edition of the ASEAN Digital Ministers meeting approved the India-ASEAN Digital Work Plan 2023 in New Delhi?
 (a) First (b) Second (c) Third (d) Fourth (e) Fifth Ans. c
166. Who has inaugurated the first phase of the 1,400 kilometres long Delhi-Mumbai expressway in Rajasthan's Dausa?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Rajnath Singh (c) Amit Shah (d) Piyush Goyal (e) Anurag Thakur Ans. a
167. Nikos Christodoulides has been elected as the President of which country recently?
 (a) Cyprus (b) Bangladesh (c) Oman (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. a
168. In the Fifth Khelo India Youth Games 2022, Maharashtra secured the top position in the medal tally with 161 medals. How many gold medals won by Maharashtra in the 5th Khelo India Youth Games?
 (a) 56 (b) 41 (c) 39 (d) 55 (e) 29 Ans. a
169. Who has won Formula E in Hyderabad?
 (a) Sebastian Vettel (b) Lewis Hamilton (c) Max Verstappen
 (d) Charles Leclerc (e) Jean-Eric Vergne Ans. e
170. World Radio Day is celebrated every year on 13 February. What is the theme of World Radio Day 2023?
 (a) Radio and Trust (b) New World, New Radio
 (c) Advocating for pluralism in radio (d) Dialogue, Tolerance, and Peace (e) Radio and Peace Ans. e

171. National Productivity Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 11 February (b) 12 February (c) 13 February (d) 14 February (e) 15 February Ans. b
172. India's first National Metro Rail Knowledge Centre to be built in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
173. Recently, the Union government has identified how many pilgrim centers for development under the Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual Heritage Augmentation Drive (PRASHAD) Scheme in Karnataka?
 (a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5 (e) 6 Ans. c
174. PM Narendra Modi has inaugurated which edition of Aero India show in Bengaluru, Karnataka?
 (a) 10th (b) 11th (c) 12th (d) 13th (e) 14th Ans. e
175. Which financial company has launched a special G20-theme QR Code to celebrate India's G20 presidency and the country's leadership in mobile payments?
 (a) PhonePe (b) GooglePay (c) Paytm (d) CashApp (e) BHIM Ans. c
176. Mohammad Shahabuddin has been elected as the 22nd president of which country?
 (a) Iran (b) Nepal (c) Bhutan (d) Pakistan (e) Bangladesh Ans. e
177. Who has been awarded the Felix Houphouet-Boigny UNESCO Peace Prize in Yamoussoukro, Ivory Coast?
 (a) Joe Biden (b) Volodymyr Zelensky (c) Vladimir Putin
 (d) Angela Merkel (e) Narendra Modi Ans. d
178. Who has won the Akbar Kakkattil Award instituted by a trust in memory of the short story writer and novelist from Kozhikode?
 (a) Amartya Sen (b) Dr. Ashwin Fernandes (c) Subhash Chandran
 (d) Chetan Bhagat (e) Pulapre Balakrishnan Ans. c
179. Which state Police have received the Prestigious President's Colour Award?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan (d) Punjab (e) Haryana Ans. e
180. Which team has won the FIFA Club World Cup 2022 title?
 (a) Real Madrid (b) FC Barcelona (c) Man United (d) Liverpool (e) Al Hilal Ans. a
181. Eoin Morgan has announced his retirement from all forms of cricket. He is from which country?
 (a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. a
182. Who has won the ICC Men's Player of the Month Award for January 2023?
 (a) Virat Kohli (b) Rohit Sharma (c) Shubman Gill
 (d) Dinesh Karthik (e) Suryakumar Yadav Ans. c
183. International Epilepsy Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) Second Sunday of February (b) Second Monday of February (c) Second Tuesday of February
 (d) Second Wednesday of February (e) Second Thursday of February Ans. b
184. Lalitha Lajmi passed away recently at the age of 90. Who was she?
 (a) Writer (b) Painter (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Film Director Ans. b
185. India's first "Frozen-Lake Marathon" at a height of 13,862 feet will be held in which state/UTs?
 (a) Tripura (b) Jammu and Kashmir (c) Ladakh
 (d) Arunachal Pradesh (e) Meghalaya Ans. c
186. The first Agriculture Representatives Meeting (ADM) of the Agriculture Working Group (AWG) under the G20 chairmanship of India has been held in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Indore (d) Jodhpur (e) Mumbai Ans. c
187. Government has launched a mobile application for reporting unauthorized coal mining activities. What is the name of this mobile application?
 (a) Khanan Surveillance (b) Khanan web app (c) Khanan System
 (d) Khanan Prahari (e) Khanan Rakshak Ans. d

188. Students which of the following IITs have won an award of AED (Emirates Dirham) 1 million along with a gold medal at the World Government Summit in Dubai?
(a) IIT Hyderabad (b) IIT Delhi (c) IIT Madras (d) IIT Indore (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. d
189. Who has inaugurated the national Aadi Mahotsav at Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium, New Delhi?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Rajnath Singh
(d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. a
190. Union Health Ministry has organised a cyclathon 'Cycle for Health'. It took place at which place?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai
(d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. b
191. The Brihanmumbai Electric Supply and Transport Undertaking (BEST) has inaugurated the country's first electric air-conditioned (AC) double-decker bus in which city?
(a) Varanasi (b) New Delhi (c) Bhubaneswar (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. e
192. The Wholesale Price-based Inflation (WPI) for January 2023 stood at what percent in India?
(a) 4.73% (b) 5.73% (c) 6.73% (d) 6.54% (e) 5.36% Ans. a
193. Which of the following bank has launched a pilot project, 'OfflinePay', to test offline digital payments for merchants and customers enabling payment transactions even when there is no mobile network?
(a) Federal Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) IndusInd Bank (d) HDFC Bank (e) Bandhan Bank Ans. d
194. Which of the following bank has launched its own private cloud platform, 'MAHABANK NAKSHATRA', to strengthen its digital infrastructure?
(a) Punjab & Sind Bank (b) Indian Overseas Bank (c) Bank of Maharashtra
(d) Karnataka Bank (e) Karur Vysya Bank Ans. c
195. Who has been appointed as the new President of the Council of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI)?
(a) Aniket Sunil Talati (b) Rajiv Kumar (c) Arun Kohli
(d) Binesh Kumar Tyagi (e) Ranjeet Kumar Agarwal Ans. a
196. Who has become the costliest player in the ongoing player auction for the Women's Premier League (WPL) 2023?
(a) Harleen Deol (b) Harmanpreet Kaur (c) Renuka Singh
(d) Smriti Mandhana (e) Deepti Sharma Ans. d
197. Financial Literacy Week by the RBI is observed every year from _____ to _____.
(a) 12 - 17 February (b) 13 - 17 February (c) 14 - 18 February
(d) 13 - 18 February (e) 13 - 19 February Ans. b
198. Recently, India has signed an MoU with which of the following country for cooperation in the Disability Sector?
(a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. d
199. The First G20 Culture Working Group meeting will be held in which place from 22 to 25 February 2023?
(a) Khajuraho (b) Ahmedabad (c) Rampur (d) Varanasi (e) Amravati Ans. a
200. As per the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation data, India's Industrial Production (IIP) index grew by how much percent in December 2022?
(a) 4.0% (b) 4.1% (c) 4.3% (d) 5.3% (e) 5.6% Ans. c
201. Which state's chief minister has inaugurated Tourist Police Stations at 20 important religious and tourist places in various districts of the state?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Gujarat
(d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. d
202. Tata-owned Air India has signed an agreement to buy how many wide-body and narrow-body planes from Airbus and Boeing?
(a) 320 (b) 250 (c) 220 (d) 470 (e) 500 Ans. d
203. G20 Global Tech Summit (GTS) has been held in which city recently?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Bhubaneswar
(d) Visakhapatnam (e) Mumbai Ans. d

204. Which of the following bank has signed an MoU with BNP Paribas to cater to the banking requirements of European corporates operating in India?
(a) ICICI Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) IndusInd Bank (d) HDFC Bank (e) Bandhan Bank Ans. a
205. Which of the following payment bank has launched the UPI LITE feature for multiple small-value UPI transactions?
(a) Airtel Payments Bank (b) India Post Payments Bank (c) FINO Payments Bank
(d) Paytm Payments Bank (e) Jio Payments Bank Ans. d
206. Which of the following company has signed two women cricketers named Yastika Bhatia and Renuka Singh Thakur as its brand ambassadors?
(a) Skoda Auto Volkswagen India (b) Hyundai Motor (c) Maruti Suzuki
(d) Ford India (e) Ashok Leyland Ans. b
207. Kollam district panchayat has won the Swaraj Trophy for the best district panchayat in the State for the 2021-22 financial year. Kollam is the district of which state?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha
(d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. e
208. Which edition of the joint exercise TARKASH' has concluded in Chennai by the National Security Guard (NSG) and the US Special Operations Force (SOF)?
(a) 2nd (b) 3rd (c) 4th (d) 5th (e) 6th Ans. e
209. International Childhood Cancer Day (ICCD) is observed every year on which day?
(a) 11 February (b) 12 February (c) 13 February (d) 14 February (e) 15 February Ans. e
210. Javed Khan Amrohi passed away recently at the age of 60. Who was he?
(a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Film Director Ans. c
211. How many cheetahs from South Africa have brought to Kuno National Park in Madhya Pradesh recently?
(a) 6 (b) 8 (c) 10 (d) 12 (e) 14 Ans. d
212. The Government of India will set up the first waste-to-hydrogen plant at a cost of Rs 430 crores in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Pune (e) Mumbai Ans. d
213. Who has virtually inaugurated the Jal Jan Abhiyan in Abu Road in Sirohi district of Rajasthan?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Rajnath Singh
(d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. a
214. Which of the following ministry will organize Divya Kala Mela in Mumbai from 16 to 25 February?
(a) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (b) Ministry of Environment and Forests
(c) Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (d) Ministry of Women and Child Development
(e) Social Justice and Empowerment Ministry Ans. e
215. National-level hackathon KAVACH-2023 has been launched by _____.
(a) Finance Ministry (b) Reserve bank of India
(c) Election Commission of India (d) NITI Aayog
(e) All India Council for Technical Education Ans. e
216. Which state's chief minister has launched the 6th phase of Sujalam-Sufalam Jal Abhiyan at Khoraj?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
(d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. b
217. According to a TomTom report, which of the following city has the slowest city when it comes to moving in traffic?
(a) New Delhi (b) Bengaluru (c) Paris (d) Tokyo (e) London Ans. e
218. The European Union recently planned to ban the sale of gas and diesel cars. The ban will come into effect from which year?
(a) 2026 (b) 2030 (c) 2035 (d) 2040 (e) 2045 Ans. c
219. The 49th meeting of the GST Council was held in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b

220. Who has been appointed as the new Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of YouTube?
(a) Raja Chari (b) Julie Turner (c) Aruna Miller (d) Apsara A Iyer (e) Neil Mohan Ans. e
221. Recently, Rajendra Vishwanath Arlekar has been appointed as the Governor of which state?
(a) Himachal Pradesh (b) West Bengal (c) Assam
(d) Bihar (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. d
222. Recently, Lieutenant General (Retd) Kaiwalya Trivikram Parnaik took oath as the 20th Governor of which state?
(a) Tripura (b) Jammu and Kashmir (c) Assam
(d) Arunachal Pradesh (e) Meghalaya Ans. d
223. Who has been appointed as the new Vice Chief of Army Staff?
(a) Anish Dayal Singh (b) Sujoy Lal Thakosen (c) M A Ganapathy
(d) Umesh Mishra (e) MV Suchindra Kumar Ans. e
224. World Whale Day is observed every year on which day?
(a) 18 February (b) 19 February (c) 20 February (d) 21 February (e) 22 February Ans. b
225. Punjab's first state-level 'Prawn Fair' has begun in which district of Punjab?
(a) Amritsar (b) Bathinda (c) Faridkot (d) Kapurthala (e) Muktsar Ans. e
226. Union Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw has inaugurated the 'SemiconIndia Conference of Electronics Manufacturing Supply Chain Ecosystem in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai
(d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. b
227. The first G20 meeting of Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors (FMCBG) under the G20 Indian Presidency will be held on the 24 to 25 of February in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai
(d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. a
228. Who among the following state's chief minister has inaugurated the 2nd edition of the State Biodiversity Congress in the state?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. e
229. India's External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar has unveiled Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's bust in India House in which country?
(a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) Fiji (d) Finland (e) Scotland Ans. c
230. Which bank has been awarded 'Prathista Puraskar' under Digidhan Awards 2022 for achieving the target with the highest percentage in BHIM-UPI transactions in the private sector bank category?
(a) Punjab & Sind Bank (b) Indian Overseas Bank (c) Union Bank of India
(d) Karnataka Bank (e) Karur Vysya Bank Ans. d
231. Which among the following has announced its 2nd global hackathon called 'Harbinger 2023 - Innovation for Transformation'?
- (a) Finance Ministry (b) RBI (c) Bureau of Indian Standards
(d) NITI Aayog (e) NASSCOM Ans. b
232. C.P. Radhakrishnan was sworn-in as the 11th governor of which state?
(a) Tripura (b) Jharkhand (c) Assam (d) Bihar (e) Meghalaya Ans. b
233. Ramesh Bais took oath as the 22nd Governor of which state?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Gujarat (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. a
234. Chetan Sharma has submitted his resignation to which organization recently?
(a) FCI (b) BCCI (c) NGT (d) FICCI (e) RBI Ans. b
235. Who has been appointed as new MD of Jaguar Land Rover India?
(a) Pradeep Kharola (b) Aryama Sundaram (c) R Venkataramani
(d) Mukul Rohatgi (e) VP Rajan Amba Ans. e

236. Which of the following team has won the Ranji Trophy 2022-23 title by defeating Bengal?
 (a) Saurashtra (b) Madhya Pradesh (c) Baroda
 (d) Bengal (e) Delhi Ans. a
237. Which of the following state has celebrated its foundation day on 20 February?
 (a) Tripura (b) Sikkim (c) Assam
 (d) Arunachal Pradesh (e) Meghalaya Ans. d
238. Jammu and Kashmir Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha has inaugurated which edition of the Police-Public Mela at Jammu?
 (a) 31st (b) 32nd (c) 33rd (d) 34th (e) 35th Ans. c
239. On the first anniversary of the signing of the Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, India launched the Business Council Chapter. Which country has India launched it with?
 (a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) USA (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. e
240. North India's first nuclear power plant would be set up in which state?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan (d) Punjab (e) Haryana Ans. e
241. What is the name of the mobile application launched Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) to expedite the process of police verification of passport issuance?
 (a) mPassport (b) mPassport Police App (c) mPassport Veification App
 (d) Passport Police App (e) mPassport Process App Ans. b
242. Who among the following has launched the Sagar Parikrama Phase-III from Hazira Port, Gujarat?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Rajnath Singh (c) Amit Shah
 (d) Parshottam Rupala (e) Anurag Thakur Ans. d
243. The first PM Gati Shakti regional workshop for the Western and Central Zone was held in which state?
 (a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Goa (d) Himachal Pradesh (e) Punjab Ans. c
244. Who has been appointed as the National Ambassador of the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) India?
 (a) Varun Dhawan (b) John Abraham (c) Ayushmann Khurrana
 (d) Rajkummar Rao (e) Vicky Kaushal Ans. c
245. Who has been appointed as the new CEO of NITI Aayog?
 (a) Abhishek Singhvi (b) Aryama Sundaram (c) Kishor Kumar Basa
 (d) BVR Subrahmanyam (e) Laxman Narasimhan Ans. d
246. Who has won the National Geographic's 'Photo of the Year' contest 2023?
 (a) Rajesh Talwar (b) Alok Chakrawal (c) Ramesh Kandula
 (d) Brijesh Kumar Upadhyay (e) Karthik Subramaniam Ans. e
247. Who has been awarded Jnanappana Puraskaram 2023 for his contribution to the field of literature?
 (a) Jayathmika Lakshmi (b) V Madhusoodanan Nair (c) YKC Wadiyar
 (d) Trishika Kumari Devi (e) Pramoda Devi Wadiyar Ans. b
248. Who has won the 76th British Academy Film Awards (BAFTA) Awards 2023 in the Best Leading Actor category for Elvis?
 (a) Elvis Presley (b) Austin Butler (c) Dacre Montgomery
 (d) Baz Luhrmann (e) Cole Tucker Ans. b
249. Military exercise "Dharma Guardian" will be conducted between India and which country?
 (a) Australia (b) Russia (c) Japan (d) USA (e) China Ans. c
250. Soil Health Card Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 21 February (b) 20 February (c) 23 February (d) 19 February (e) 24 February Ans. d
251. Which state / UTs government has announced a ban on bike taxis of Ola, Uber, and Rapido with immediate effect?
 (a) Odisha (b) Delhi (c) Gujarat (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. b

252. India and which country have launched a joint digital payment mechanism to enable residents of both countries to make easier and faster cross-border transactions?
(a) Tanzania (b) Bangladesh (c) Oman (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. d
253. Which of the following metro has launched the first-ever Train Control & Supervision System?
(a) Delhi Metro (b) Kolkata Metro (c) Lucknow Metro (d) Jaipur Metro (e) Mumbai Metro Ans. a
254. Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan has launched a Learning-Teaching Material 'Jaadui Pitara' for the foundational years of children in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Hyderabad (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
255. Union Minister of Food Processing Industries, Pashupati Kumar Paras has inaugurated India Pavillion in which city?
(a) Dubai, UAE (b) Berlin, Germany (c) Paris, France
(d) Sofia, Bulgaria (e) London, UK Ans. a
256. Indian Railways will launch Guru Kirpa Yatra on 5th April 2023, from which place with its Bharat Gaurav Tourist Train?
(a) Ayodhya (b) Varanasi (c) Kanpur (d) Lucknow (e) Rampur Ans. d
257. Gulab Chand Kataria was sworn in as the 31st governor of which state?
(a) Himachal Pradesh (b) West Bengal (c) Assam
(d) Bihar (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. c
258. Which of the following film has been awarded Dadasaheb Phalke International Film Festival Awards 2023?
(a) Pathan (b) The Kashmir Files (c) RRR
(d) Pushpa (e) Brahmastra Ans. b
259. Recently, who has become the player to hit the most number of sixes in the history of Test cricket?
(a) Virat Kohli (b) Rohit Sharma (c) Joe Root
(d) Ben Stokes (e) Suryakumar Yadav Ans. d
260. Which edition of the biennial training 'Ex DUSTLE 2023', between the Indian Army and Uzbekistan Army, is being conducted in Pithoragarh, Uttarakhand?
(a) 1st (b) 2nd (c) 3rd (d) 4th (e) 5th Ans. d
261. World Day of Social Justice is observed annually on which day?
(a) 20 February (b) 21 February (c) 23 February (d) 24 February (e) 25 February Ans. a
262. International Mother Language Day is celebrated every year on which day?
(a) 21 February (b) 22 February (c) 23 February (d) 24 February (e) 25 February Ans. a
263. Om Prakash Kohli passed away recently at the age of 87. Who was he?
(a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Film Director Ans. b
264. Union Minister for Road Transport and Highways Nitin Gadkari has laid the Foundation Stone of the world's largest and unique Divyang Park - Anubhuti Inclusive Park in which state?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Goa
(d) Himachal Pradesh (e) Punjab Ans. a
265. Which of the following state is organizing the Taj Mahotsav 2023?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
(d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. a
266. 18th UIC World Security Congress has been organized by Railway Protection Force in which city?
(a) Jaipur (b) Udaipur (c) Chittorgarh (d) Jodhpur (e) Ajmer Ans. a
267. Who has been appointed as the new Chairman and Managing Director (CMD) of Indian Telephone Industries (ITI) for a period of five years?
(a) Rajesh Verma (b) Rajiv Kumar (c) Rajesh Rai
(d) R K Gupta (e) Sanjay Kumar Verma Ans. c

268. Who has been appointed as the new coach of the Indian boxing team?
 (a) Devendro Singh (b) Dmitry Dmitruk (c) Josh Taylor
 (d) Dmitry Bivol (e) Muhammad Ali Ans. b
269. Who has won the gold medal in the men's 10m air rifle competition of the ISSF Shooting World Cup in Cairo, Egypt?
 (a) Rudranksh Patil (b) Maximilian Ulbrich (c) Varun Tomar
 (d) Abhinav Bindra (e) Anjum Moudgil Ans. a
270. Who has won the Argentina Open title 2023?
 (a) Novak Djokovic (b) Rafael Nadal (c) Roger Federer
 (d) Alexander Zverev (e) Carlos Alcaraz Ans. e
271. Who has launched the book "Modi: Shaping a Global Order in Flux"?
 (a) J P Nadda (b) Amit Shah (c) Rajnath Singh
 (d) Nitin Gadkari (e) Nirmala Sitharaman Ans. a
272. World Scout Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 21 February (b) 22 February (c) 23 February (d) 24 February (e) 25 February Ans. b
273. Who has chaired the meeting of the 41st edition of the Pro-Active Governance and Timely Implementation (PRAGATI) Interaction?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Ashwini Vaishnaw (c) Amit Shah
 (d) Piyush Goyal (e) Anurag Thakur Ans. a
274. The Churchgate railway station in Mumbai is named after _____.
 (a) Manmohan Singh (b) A. P. J. Abdul Kalam (c) P. V. Narasimha Rao
 (d) CD Deshmukh (e) Morarji Desai Ans. d
275. Which edition of the Annual Defence Dialogue between India and Sri Lanka has been held in New Delhi?
 (a) 5th (b) 6th (c) 7th (d) 8th (e) 9th Ans. c
276. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has inaugurated the 'Barisu Kannada Dim Dimava' cultural festival in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
277. Seven-year-old Prince Jigme Namgyel Wangchuck has become the first digital citizen of which country?
 (a) India (b) Maldives (c) Bhutan (d) Mauritius (e) Sri Lanka Ans. c
278. Union Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Minister Narendra Singh Tomar has inaugurated the four-day National Horticulture Fair in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) Hyderabad (c) Chennai
 (d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. a
279. Recently, which country has surpassed India as the sixth-largest equity market in the world for the first time since May 2022?
 (a) Australia (b) Russia (c) Japan (d) United Kingdom (e) China Ans. d
280. Anusuiya Uikey was sworn in as the 16th Governor of which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. d
281. Who has been appointed as the new President of World Bank?
 (a) Ajay Banga (b) Aruna Miller (c) Apsara A Iyer
 (d) Janani Ramachandran (e) Sonia Guajajara Ans. a
282. Who has been honoured with the prestigious Sangeet Natak Akademi Awards for 2019?
 (a) Jayathmika Lakshmi (b) Yaduraya Wodeyar (c) YKC Wadiyar
 (d) Trishika Kumari Devi (e) Prem Kumar Mallick Ans. e
283. Who has inaugurated the three-day All-India Taekwondo Championship in New Delhi?
 (a) Anurag Thakur (b) Piyush Goyal (c) Jitendra Singh (d) Nitin Gadkari (e) Amit Shah Ans. a

284. Who has won the gold medal in the men's individual 50m rifle 3 positions competition at the ISSF World Cup in Cairo?
(a) Abhinav Bindra (b) Gagan Narang (c) Aishwary Pratap (d) Jaspal Rana (e) Dan Rivers Ans. c
285. Central Excise Day is celebrated every year on which day?
(a) 21 February (b) 22 February (c) 23 February (d) 24 February (e) 25 February Ans. d
286. Y20 India Summit under the aegis of India's G20 Presidency is being held at which university?
(a) Sardar Patel University (b) University of Allahabad (c) Nalanda University
(d) Takshashila University (e) Maharaja Sayajirao University Ans. e
287. Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) will be operating Baba Saheb Ambedkar Yatra tour package under which initiative?
(a) Bharat Jodo Yatra (b) Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav (c) Dekho Apna Desh
(d) Amrit Kal (e) Aao Jane Apna Bharat Ans. c
288. Which of the following university has signed an MoU with Tata Memorial Hospital (TMH) Mumbai to engage in long-term cooperation in cancer care?
(a) University of Auckland (b) University of Sydney (c) Harvard University
(d) Yale University (e) Stanford University Ans. a
289. Who has praised the 'Healthy Baby' show campaign being organized across the Secunderabad Parliament Constituency?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Rajnath Singh
(d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. a
290. Recently, which state passed a Bill that provides for up to 10 years in prison to curb paper leaks in government recruitment exams?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
(d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. b
291. Who has addressed the 'Kol Janjati Mahakumbh' organized on the occasion of Shabri Mata Janm Jayanti at Satna, Madhya Pradesh?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Amit Shah (c) Rajnath Singh
(d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Jagdeep Dhankhar Ans. b
292. Lok Sabha Speaker, Om Birla has inaugurated the 19th Annual Zone III Conference of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) India Region in which state?
(a) Tripura (b) Sikkim (c) Assam
(d) Arunachal Pradesh (e) Meghalaya Ans. b
293. The Union government has approved the renaming of Maharashtra's Aurangabad city as _____ and that of Osmanabad city as _____.
(a) Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar, Dharashiv (b) Dharashiv, Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar
(c) Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar, Maharana Pratap (d) Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar, Dharashiv
(e) Tanaji Malusare, Shahaji Ans. a
294. The 9-day World Book Fair 2023 will be held from 25th February to 5th March 2023 at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi. What is the theme of the World Book Fair 2023?
(a) Indigenous Voices (b) National Education Policy (c) Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav
(d) Amrit Kal (e) Gandhi: The Writers' Writer Ans. c
295. Which bank has partnered with Singapore-based digital banking solutions provider Tagit to implement omnichannel digital banking solutions for its retail and corporate customers?
(a) Punjab & Sind Bank (b) Indian Overseas Bank (c) Union Bank of India
(d) Karnataka Bank (e) Saraswat Bank Ans. e
296. Who has been given an extension as Defence Secretary till October 2024?
(a) Rajiv Gauba (b) Pramod Kumar Mishra (c) Ajay Kumar Bhalaa
(d) T V Somanathan (e) Aramane Giridhar Ans. e

297. Justice (Retd) S Abdul Nazeer was sworn in as the 24th Governor of which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam
 (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. d
298. Sergio Ramos has announced his retirement from international football. He is from which country?
 (a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) Spain (e) Ireland Ans. d
299. 14th Rashtriya Sanskriti Mahotsav has commenced in which state?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan (d) Punjab (e) Haryana Ans. c
300. The first meeting of the W20 (Women 20) under India's G20 presidency was held in which city?
 (a) Jaipur (b) Udaipur (c) Chittorgarh
 (d) Sambhaji Nagar (e) Ajmer Ans. d
301. Union MoS Science & Technology, Dr. Jitendra Singh has inaugurated the 'International Biotech Conclave' in which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. d
302. The Ministry of Ayush has organized a "Chintan Shivir" for Ayush in which state?
 (a) Himachal Pradesh (b) West Bengal (c) Assam
 (d) Bihar (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. c
303. Recently, who has inaugurated National Highway projects worth Rs 3670 crore in Maharashtra?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Rajnath Singh (c) Amit Shah
 (d) Piyush Goyal (e) Nitin Gadkari Ans. e
304. North East India's first compressed biogas plant project has been inaugurated in which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. c
305. Three-day Ellora Ajanta International Festival 2023 began in which city of Maharashtra?
 (a) Nashik (b) Mumbai (c) Aurangabad (d) Nagpur (e) Thane Ans. c
306. India has been ranked _____ out of 55 countries in the latest International IP Index report by the US Chamber of Commerce.
 (a) 39 (b) 40 (c) 41 (d) 42 (e) 44 Ans. d
307. Exercise Desert Flag VIII is taking place in which country from 27 February to 17 March 2023?
 (a) India (b) Bangladesh (c) Oman (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. e
308. Which of the following INS has become the first Indian submarine to dock in Indonesia?
 (a) INS Satpura (b) INS Sahyadri (c) INS Suvarna
 (d) INS Talwar (e) INS Sindhukesari Ans. e
309. Which state / UTs has been chosen by India Today Tourism Survey for the best adventure tourism award?
 (a) Jammu and Kashmir (b) Gujarat (c) Himachal Pradesh
 (d) Punjab (e) Ladakh Ans. a
310. Which of the following country has won the ICC Women's T20 World Cup Trophy 2023?
 (a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. c
311. World NGO Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 21 February (b) 22 February (c) 27 February (d) 26 February (e) 28 February Ans. c
312. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has inaugurated Shivamogga airport in which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Karnataka (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. d
313. Who has inaugurated 7 National Highway projects with an investment of 6500 cr in Ballia, Uttar Pradesh?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Ashwini Vaishnaw (c) Amit Shah
 (d) Nitin Gadkari (e) Anurag Thakur Ans. d

314. Which state has become the first state to use robotic scavengers to clean manholes?
 (a) Kerala (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha
 (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Telangana Ans. a
315. Who has been appointed as the new Secretary General of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI)?
 (a) Rajesh Verma (b) Shailesh Pathak (c) Sanjay Khanna
 (d) R K Gupta (e) Sanjay Kumar Verma Ans. b
316. Which state government has signed an MoU with the UN Women to boost women-friendly activities in the State's tourism sector?
 (a) Kerala (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha
 (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Telangana Ans. a
317. Who has been awarded the Marconi Prize 2023?
 (a) Rajesh Verma (b) Rajiv Kumar (c) Hari Balakrishnan
 (d) Mahendra Shah (e) Raj Shukla Ans. c
318. Who has been honoured with Entrepreneur of the Year 2022?
 (a) Rajesh Talwar (b) Sajjan Jindal (c) Ramesh Kandula
 (d) Brijesh Kumar Upadhyay (e) Brijesh Gupta Ans. b
319. Which state government will build the country's first Marina or a boat basin offering dockage to promote coastal tourism in the state?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam
 (d) Karnataka (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. d
320. Which team has defeated Newcastle to win the Carabao Cup title in 2023 after six years?
 (a) Newcastle United (b) Manchester United (c) Liverpool
 (d) Chelsea (e) Barcelona Ans. b
321. Which of the following women's hockey team has won the 13th Hockey India Senior Women National Championship 2023 held in Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh?
 (a) Maharashtra (b) Madhya Pradesh (c) Odisha
 (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. b
322. National Science Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 26 February (b) 27 February (c) 28 February (d) 24 February (e) 25 February Ans. c
323. National Protein Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 26 February (b) 27 February (c) 28 February (d) 24 February (e) 25 February Ans. b
324. Kanak Rele passed away recently at the age of 85. Who was she?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Dancer (e) Film Director Ans. d

