

## **Prelims Practice Questions 24-01-2018**

| <ol> <li>Consider the following statemer</li> </ol> |
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- 1. World Gold Council has all the members from World Trade Organisation.
- 2. The headquarters of the World Gold Council is in UK  $\ensuremath{^{\backslash n}}$

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Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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a. 1 only

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b. 2 only

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c. Both1 and 2

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d. Neither 1 nor 2

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2. Which one of the following organisation has recently released a report titled 'Reward Work, Not Wealth'?

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a. WTO

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b. IMF

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c. Oxfam

| d.       | Ministry of Labour                                                                                  |
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| 3. C     | onsider the following statements.                                                                   |
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| 1.       | Global Index of Talent Competitiveness is produced by global business school INSEAD.                |
| 2.       | India has improved its position to $81^{\rm st}$ rank in the recently launched index. $\n$          |
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| Whi      | ch of the above statements is/are correct?                                                          |
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| b.<br>c. | \n 1 only \n 2 only \n Both 1 and 2 \n Neither 1 nor 2 \n                                           |
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| 4. C     | onsider the following statements.                                                                   |
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| 1.       | $\n$ India was ranked at the 62nd place among emerging economies on an Inclusive Development Index. |
| 2.       | $^{\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ $                                                          |

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development; inclusion; and inter-generational equity.
  3. The index was released by IMF.
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Which of the above statements is/are correct?
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  a. 1 and 2 only
  b. 2 and 3 only
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  c. 1 and 3 only
  d. 1, 2 and 3
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5. Consider the following statements.
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  1. Central Water Commission is managing Dam Rehabilitation and
    Improvement Project (DRIP) with the financial assistance from World Bank to
    rehabilitate about 225 dams in India.
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  2. DHARMA is a software to support the effective collection and management of
    Dam Safety data across India.
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Which of the above statements is/are correct?
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  a. 1 only
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  b. 2 only
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c. Both 1 and 2
  d. Neither 1 nor 2
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6. Consider the following statements.
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  1. INSPIRE programme is a scholarship scheme.
  2. The scheme is managed by Centre's Department of Science and Technology.
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Which of the above statements is/are correct?
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  a. 1 only
  b. 2 only
  c. Both 1 and 2
  d. Neither 1 nor 2
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7. Consider the following statements.
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  1. Mount Mayon is an active volcano in Japan.
  2. It is a strato-volcano and is part of Pacific Ring of fire.
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| 3.           | It is renowned for its perfect conical shape. $\n$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| b.<br>c.     | \n 1 and 2 only \n 2 and 3 only \n 1 and 3 only \n 1, 2 and 3                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| \n\n<br>8. C | onsider the following statements.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| 1.           | Batesian mimicry is a defence mechanism in which dangerous traits of harmful organisms (model) are mimicked by a harmless organism (mimic).<br>$\label{eq:local_problem} \begin{tabular}{ll} \begin{tabular}{l$ |
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| b.<br>c.     | \n 1 only \n 2 only \n Both 1 and 2 \n                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| d.           | Neither 1 nor 2                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

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| 9. Consider the following statements.                                                                      |
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| <ol> <li>Wildlife Conservation Trust is a statutory body under the Ministry of<br/>Environment.</li> </ol> |
| 2. It conducts large scale tiger population estimation. $\n$                                               |
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| Which of the above statements is/are correct?                                                              |
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| \n<br>a. 1 only                                                                                            |
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| b. 2 only \n                                                                                               |
| c. Both 1 and 2                                                                                            |
| d. Neither 1 nor 2                                                                                         |
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| 10. Consider the following Statements regarding National Legal Services Authority (NALSA)                  |
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1. Its purpose is to provide free legal services to eligible candidates and to

organize Lok Adalats for speedy resolution of cases.

| <ol> <li>The prime objective of NALSA is speedy disposal of cases and reducing the burden of judiciary.     \n</li> <li>The Chief Justice of India is patron-in-chief of NALSA while second senior most judge of Supreme Court of India is the Executive-Chairman.     \n</li> </ol> |
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| Which of the statements given above is/are correct?                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| a. 1 and 2 only  h  b. 2 and 3 only  n  c. 1 and 3 only  n  d. 1, 2 and 3                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
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| Answers & Explanations                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| The World Gold Council is the market development organisation for the gold industry. It has $23\ \text{members}.$                                                                                                                                                                    |
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| 04. a                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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| The Inclusive Development Index was released by World Economic Forum. |
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| 05. c                                                                 |
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| 06. c                                                                 |
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| 07. b                                                                 |
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| Mount Mayon is in Philippines.                                        |
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| 08. a                                                                 |
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| The mimic can also use other deceptions like acoustics.               |
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| 09. b                                                                 |
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| Wildlife Conservation Trust is an NGO.                                |
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| 10. d                                                                 |
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| Share your answers & thoughts in the comment section                  |

