1. Which state celebrated Konark festival on December 1, 2019?
   A) Mizoram  B) Odisha  C) Assam  D) Meghalaya

2. Name the first Arab country that will assume the G20 (Group of 20) presidency?
   A) Sudan  B) United Arab Emirates  C) Saudi Arabia  D) Jordan

3. Who was appointed as the 10th President of Asian Development Bank (ADB) on 2nd December 2019?
   A) Taroichi Yoshida  B) Masatsugu Asakawa  C) Haruhiko Kuroda  D) Tadao Chino

4. Where was the new fish species named “Schistura syngkai” discovered?
   A) Odisha  B) Assam  C) West Bengal  D) Meghalaya
5. Who is the author of the book titled “The Legacy of Militancy in Punjab: Long Road to Normalcy”

A) Aravind Adiga and Inderjit Singh Jaijee  
B) Inderjit Singh Jaijee and Dona Suri  
C) Anita Desai and Dona Suri  
D) Jhumpa Lahiri and Dona Suri

6. Pension week is celebrated from ________________.

A) November 30 to December 6  
B) November 29 to December 5  
C) November 28 to December 4  
D) November 27 to December 3

7. What was the theme of the World AIDS (Acquired immunodeficiency syndrome) day that is celebrated on December 1 annually?

A) Theme – “Hands up for #HIVprevention”  
B) Theme – “Communities make Difference”  
C) Theme – “Know Your Status”  
D) Theme – “Right to health”
8. Which incident is remembered & observed as National Pollution Control Day on December 2?
   A) AZF Explosion       B) Halifax Explosion
   C) Piper Alpha tragedy  D) Bhopal gas tragedy

9. Which schedule of the Constitution states that tribal areas of Assam, Meghalaya, Mizoram and Tripura will not be affected with the Citizenship Amendment Act 2019?
   A) Fourth       B) Second       C) Sixth       D) Fifth

10. Name the states that are protected by the Inner Line Permit (ILP) where, Citizenship Amendment Act 2019 can’t be implemented.
    A) Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Mizoram and Nagaland
    B) Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Meghalaya and Nagaland
    C) Arunachal Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal and Nagaland
    D) Arunachal Pradesh, Tripura, Meghalaya and Nagaland
11. Name the 1st Indian corporate firm, that was awarded with UN award in ‘climate neutral now’ category for its carbon neutral programme.

A) Reliance Industries Limited  
B) Tech Mahindra  
C) Tata Consultancy Services  
D) Infosys

12. Which organization has released the report titled “Birth Registration for Every Child by 2030: Are we on track?“ ?

A) United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF)  
B) United Nation (UN)  
C) Save the Children  
D) United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)

13. Which state’s Restoration of Dignity and Human Rights of Indigenous Tribal Community has received the gold prize in the 2019 World Habitat Award?

A) Madhya Pradesh  
B) Maharashtra  
C) Tamil Nadu  
D) Karnataka
14. Which film has won the prestigious Suvarna Chakoram award 2019 (Golden Crow Pheasant) in the 24th edition of International Film Festival of Kerala (IFFK) 2019?

A) Howl’s Moving Castle  
B) Nobody Knows  
C) They Say Nothing Stays the Same  
D) The Tale of Princess Kaguya

15. Which country has elected Abdelmadjid Tebboune as its President on 13th December 2019?

A) Libya  
B) Algeria  
C) Morocco  
D) Tunisia

16. Where was the 1st meeting of the National Ganga Council held?

A) New Delhi, Delhi  
B) Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh (UP)  
C) Chandigarh, Haryana  
D) Jaipur, Rajasthan
17. How much capital was allocated to Namami Gange project for the year 2015-20 to the five states (Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Jharkhand, and West Bengal)?

A) Rs. 20,000 crores  B) Rs. 10,000 crores  C) Rs. 15,000 crores  D) Rs. 5,000 crores

18. Where was the International Seminar on Climate Smart Farming Systems’ for BIMSTEC (Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi-Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation) countries held?

A) Dhaka, Bangladesh  B) New Delhi, India  C) Kathmandu, Nepal  D) Bangkok, Thailand

19. Which Organization has invoked the Drug Price Control Order (DPCO) 2013, to increase the ceiling price of 21 medicines that are under DPCO price regulation by 50%?

A) Drug Controller General of India (DCGI)  B) National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority (NPPA)
20. Which year is set as a target to neutralize carbon emissions by European Union (EU)?

A) 2040   B) 2050   C) 2030   D) 2025

21. What is the target year set by UNICEF (United Nations International Children’s Emergency Fund) to achieve universal birth registration of every child?

A) 2030   B) 2045   C) 2050   D) 2025

22. How many children under age of 5 are not registered in the world as per the UNICEF (United Nations International Children’s Emergency Fund)’s report titled ‘Birth Registration for Every Child by 2030: Are we on track?’?

A) 146 million   B) 156 million
C) 166 million   D) 176 million
23. Who won the Men’s Singles title in the BWF (Badminton World Federation ) World Tour Finals 2019?

A) Anthony Sinisuka Ginting  
B) Hiroyuki Endo  
C) Kento Momota  
D) Mohammad Ahsan

24. Who will head the 3-member inquiry commission constituted by Supreme Court (SC) to inquire into the encounter killing of the four accused involved in the Hyderabad (Telangana) gang-rape and murder case of a veterinarian?

A) Ashok Kumar Mathur  
B) Kalyan Jyoti Sengupta  
C) Surinder Singh Nijjar  
D) V S Sirpurkar
25. Name the bill, passed by Parliament to set up a unified authority to regulate all financial services in India.

A) International Economic Services Centres (IESCs) Authority Bill, 2019
B) International Financial Services Centres (IFSCs) Authority Bill, 2019
C) International Public Servants (Inquiries) (IPSs) Authority Bill, 2019
D) International Financial Reorganisation Centres (IFRCs) Authority Bill, 2019
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