Daily Mains Practice Questions 28-08-2023

GS-I

Social Issues

1) In India, districts with an increased proportion of soil zinc samples had significantly lower rates of child stunting and underweight. In this context, explain how the deficiency in micronutrients in soil are linked to health of children and women. **(250 words)**

Refer – Down To Earth

GS-II

International Relations

2) China, which has virtually captured BRICS, sees it as an anti-Western alliance. In this context, comment if BRICS the Chinese NAM? **(250 words)**

Refer – The Hindu Business Line

International Relations

3) The vulnerability of the Arctic region may lead to unprecedented changes in the climate may have an impact on India in terms of economic security, water security and sustainability. Critically Examine **(250 words)**

Refer – The Hindu

Enrich the answer from other sources, if the question demands.