



Daily Current Affairs Prelims Quiz 25-06-2026

1) Consider the following statements

1. Yoga is inscribed on the Representative List of Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity
2. The theme of the International Day of Yoga 2025 is "Yoga for Healthy Ageing".

Select the correct statements using the codes below:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Answer : a

Explanation

- **Statement 1 is correct** - Yoga was inscribed on the UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage Representative List of the *Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity in 2016*.
- **Statement 2 is incorrect** - The theme for the International Day of Yoga in 2025 was "Yoga for One Earth, One Health".
- The theme "Yoga for Healthy Ageing" was designated for the 2026 observance.

2) What is ANCHOR recently seen in news?

- a. Detailed 3D atlas of human brainstem
- b. A next-generation distributed ledger platform launched by the National Payments Corporation of India.
- c. A specialized marine conservation initiative under the Wildlife Protection Act.
- d. A newly discovered deep-space exoplanet system.

Answer : a

Explanation

- **Option a is correct** - ANCHOR stands for Atlas of Neurochemical Characterization of the Human Brainstem with 3D Reconstruction.
- Released in June 2026, it is heralded as the world's most detailed 3D digital atlas of the human brainstem at cellular resolution.

4) The **Udanti-Sitanadi Tiger Reserve** is located in?

- a. Maharashtra
- b. Karnataka
- c. Madhya Pradesh
- d. Chhattisgarh

Answer : d

Explanation

- **Option d is correct** - The Udanti-Sitanadi Tiger Reserve is located in **Chhattisgarh**.
- It was created by merging the areas of the former Udanti Wildlife Sanctuary and Sitanadi Wildlife Sanctuary.
- The reserve's drainage network is dominated by the **Mahanadi River**, along with its tributaries—the Udanti River, Sitanadi River, Indravati River, and Pairi River.

4) The Kalamkari paintings are associated with which one of the following states?

- a. Andhra Pradesh
- b. Karnataka
- c. Madhya Pradesh
- d. Chhattisgarh

Answer : a

Explanation

- **Option a is correct** - It is an Indian art of hand-painting using natural dyes practiced in **Andhra Pradesh**.
- Its name originated from Persian words "kalam (pen)" and "kari (craftsmanship)", literally means "pen-work."
- Features -
 - Highly intricate patterns.
 - Rich earth tones.
 - Depictions of epic folklore.

