



Daily Current Affairs Prelims Quiz 26-06-2026

1) Consider the following statements with reference to **Masroor Rock-Cut Temples**

1. These temples located along the Beas River bank and located in Uttar Pradesh.
2. These temple constructions are largely influenced by Vijayanagar temple architecture style.

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 : d

Explanation

- **Statement 1 is incorrect** - The **Masroor Rock-Cut Temples** are located *along the Beas River in the Kangra Valley of Himachal Pradesh*.
- **Statement 2 is incorrect** - The temple complex (*dating back to the 8th century*) represents the Nagara style of North Indian temple architecture.
- They are not influenced by the Vijayanagar style, which is a South Indian style that emerged much later.

2) The “**Vande Mataram Camp**” is an initiative of which one of the following?

- a. Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports
- b. Ministry of Science and Technology
- c. Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
- d. Ministry of Home Affairs

Answer : a

Explanation

- **Option a is correct** - The **Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports** runs the "Vande Mataram Camp" through its flagship youth organization, Mera Yuva Bharat (MY Bharat).
- These immersive, *seven-day residential camps* are designed to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the national song, Vande Mataram.
- It brings together young people across India to promote national integration, leadership, and civic responsibility.

3) The “**Trade Watch Quarterly**” is launched by which one of the following?

- a. NITI Aayog
- b. Ministry of Commerce and Industry

- c. Reserve Bank of India
- d. Ministry of Finance

Answer : a

Explanation

- **Option a is correct** - The *NITI Aayog* launches the "*Trade Watch Quarterly*".
- It is designed to bridge information gaps by offering timely, data-driven analysis of India's aggregate trade performance.
- Each edition provides a comprehensive overview of global and domestic trade trends,
 - External sector developments, and
 - Features a thematic focus on specific strategic sectors of the Indian economy.

4) The **Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS)** is located in?

- a. Telangana
- b. Andhra Pradesh
- c. Maharashtra
- d. Madhya Pradesh

Answer : a

Explanation

- **Option a is correct** - Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS) is an autonomous organisation under Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES).
- It was established in 1999, as a unit of the Earth System Science Organisation (ESSO) and located in *Hyderabad, Telangana*.

5) A district administration reports that all its Sub-Centres (SCs), Primary Health Centres (PHCs), and Community Health Centres (CHCs) have been renamed as "Health and Wellness Centres". However, health officials complain that the district health system has become more difficult to manage. Which of the following best explains this concern?

1. Renaming has blurred the distinct institutional roles of SCs, PHCs and CHCs.
2. It has reduced the constitutional powers of State governments over health.
3. It weakens assessment of health system performance by creating ambiguity.

Select the correct answer:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 and 3 only
- c. 1 and 2 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Answer : c

Answer: c

Explanation:

- 1 ? Correct
- 2 ? Correct
- 3 ? The article argues the opposite—data already exists; service delivery is weak.