

1. Which of the following are the features of the New Education policy-2020?

1. Gross Enrolment Ratio in higher education to be raised to 50% by 2035.
2. The proposed Higher Education Commission of India in the New Education policy will be an umbrella body for the entire higher education in India including medical and legal education.
3. Both public and private higher education institutions will be governed by the same set of norms for regulation, accreditation and academic standards.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- (a) 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

2. Consider the following statements regarding the recently released “State of the Young Child in India Report”:

1. It has been prepared by the Ministry of Women and Child Development.
2. It has been mentioned in the report that of the 159 million children aged below 6 years in India, 38 per cent do not receive full immunization.
3. Kerala comes at the first place in both the ‘Young Child Outcomes Index’ and ‘Young Child Environment Index’ as part of the report.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- (a) 3 only
- (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

3. Which of the following statements regarding the ‘Start-Up Village Entrepreneurship Programme’ is/are **incorrect**?

1. It is a sub scheme of the Startup India Initiative supervised by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade.
2. It addresses three major pillars of rural start-ups namely - finances, incubation and skill ecosystems.

3. Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India (EDII), Ahmedabad is its technical support partner.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 3 only
- (c) 2 only
- (d) None of the above

4. Which of the following statements regarding the SVAMITVA Scheme are correct?

1. The Ministry of Panchayati Raj (MoPR) is the Nodal Ministry for implementation of the scheme.
2. It aims to provide an integrated property validation solution for rural India.
3. It would enable village households to use their property as a financial asset for taking loans and other financial benefits from Bank.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- (a) 2 and 3 only
- (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

5. Which of the following statements regarding the ‘One Nation One Ration Card Initiative’ are correct?

1. The eligible beneficiaries would be able to avail their entitled food grains under NFSA from any fair price shop in the country using the same ration card, even in the same state.
2. It will provide universal access to PDS food grains for migrant workers.
3. It will also give the beneficiaries the opportunity to opt for the dealer of their choice.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3