

IASBABA TEST 29 CURRENT AFFAIRS

1. **The Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) was set up on the recommendations of**
 - a) Sarkaria Commission
 - b) First Administrative Reforms Commission
 - c) Punchhi Commission
 - d) Santhanam Committee
2. **One of the stunning breakthroughs this year was made by an Artificial Intelligence program named AlphaFold devised by researchers from UK based Deep Mind. What was the breakthrough?**
 - a) Guessing the shape of the novel coronavirus
 - b) Accurately predicting the 3D shape of proteins
 - c) Devising a new form of origami
 - d) It was something in nuclear physics
3. **Consider the following statements**
 1. Anaerobic bacteria do not live where oxygen is found.
 2. In humans they are found in the gastrointestinal tract.
 3. Microorganisms that live in “anaerobic” environments produce phosphine.

Select the correct statements

 - a) 1 Only
 - b) 3 Only
 - c) 1 and 2
 - d) 1, 2 and 3
4. **Consider the following statements**
 1. Cosmetics such as face creams and other facial materials contain microplastics.
 2. Cultured Shrimps have the highest levels of microplastic contamination among seafood.
 3. Microplastics contaminate only the surface waters and not groundwater.

Select the correct statements

 - a) 1 Only
 - b) 1 and 2
 - c) 2 and 3
 - d) 1 and 3
5. **Consider the following statements with respect to ‘Water Hyacinth’.**
 1. It can be used for the bio cleaning of industrial wastewater.
 2. It can be used as a substrate for biogas production.
 3. It creates a prime habitat for mosquitos.
 4. It is very beneficial for fishes as it increases the oxygen the water.

Select the correct statements

 - a) 1, 2 and 3
 - b) 2, 3 and 4
 - c) 1,3 and 4
 - d) 1, 2 and 4
6. **Consider the following statements**
 1. Avian influenza cannot be transmitted to humans.
 2. Influenza A viruses are divided into subtypes on the basis of two proteins on the surface of the virus.

Select the correct code:

 - a) 1 Only
 - b) 2 Only
 - c) Both 1 and 2
 - d) Neither 1 nor 2
7. **Consider the following statements**
 1. Indian Pangolin is found only in two countries
 2. Chinese Pangolin is found only in one country.
 3. Indian Pangolin is listed in Schedule I of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 and as Critically Endangered on IUCN Red List.

Select the incorrect statements

 - a) 1 and 2
 - b) 2 Only
 - c) 3 Only
 - d) 1, 2 and 3
8. **Which of the following Ramsar Sites are located in Himachal Pradesh?**
 1. Renuka Lake
 2. Harike Wetland
 3. Asan Barrage
 4. Chandra Taal
 5. Pong Dam Lake

Select the correct code:

 - a) 2, 3 and 4
 - b) 1, 2 and 5
 - c) 1, 3 and 4
 - d) 1, 4 and 5
9. **Which of the following pairs are correctly matched?**
 1. Deepor Beel Wildlife Sanctuary – Assam
 2. Coringa Wildlife Sanctuary – Tamil Nadu
 3. Atapaka Bird Sanctuary – Andhra Pradesh

Select the correct code:

 - a) 1 Only
 - b) 2 and 3
 - c) 1 and 3
 - d) 1, 2 and 3
10. **Consider the following statements**
 1. The President can only promulgate an Ordinance when either of the two Houses of Parliament is not in session.
 2. The Governor cannot issue an Ordinance without instructions from the Prime Minister.

Select the correct statements

 - a) 1 Only
 - b) 2 Only
 - c) Both 1 and 2
 - d) Neither 1 nor 2