

**PRESTORMINGTM 2021**  
**TEST 9 - INDIAN GEOGRAPHY**

1. In India, two-thirds of the total cropped area needs irrigation facilities. These areas receive annual rainfall of less than 100 cm. In this regard, which of the following crops are suitable for cultivation in these areas?

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| 1. Food crops like Rice and Wheat          | 2. Cash crops like Sugarcane and cotton |
| 3. Oilseed crops like Mustard and Rapeseed | 4. Pulse crops like Pigeon pea and gram |
| 5. Millet crops like Jowar and Ragi        |   |

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 2, 3 and 4 only      (b) 3, 4 and 5 only      (c) 3 and 4 only      (d) 1, 2, 4 and 5 only

2. During the financial year of 2019-20, which of the following kind of energy sector in India has seen the highest growth in the power generation?

- (a) Hydropower      (b) Nuclear Power      (c) Thermal power      (d) Renewable energy

3. Which one of the following geographical regions of India has the highest density of forest cover?

- (a) Himalayas and North-East Indian region      (b) Peninsular Plateau Region  
(c) Great plains and coastal plains of India      (d) The Western Ghats and the Eastern Ghats

4. Consider the following statements about the islands in the Indian Subcontinent:

1. While the islands in the Bay of Bengal are largely tectonic and volcanic in origin, the islands in the Arabian Sea are mainly coral formations.
2. While the islands in the Bay of Bengal receive rainfall from both the South West and the North East monsoons, the islands in the Arabian Sea receive the rainfall only from the South West Monsoon.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only      (b) 2 only      (c) Both 1 and 2      (d) Neither 1 Nor 2

5. Consider the following about the Western Ghats:

1. It is traversing the states of Tamil Nadu, Kerala, Karnataka, Goa, Maharashtra and Gujarat.
2. The Western Slope is steep while the Eastern slope is gentle.
3. It lacks minerals due to its high erosion and thick vegetation.
4. It is a kind of Block mountain formed due to the down warping of a part of the land into the Arabian Sea.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only      (b) 1, 2 and 4 only      (c) 1, 3 and 4 only      (d) 2, 3 and 4 only

6. In the period between 15th May and 15th of June in the Indian Subcontinent, which of the following regions would have the chances of the heavy rainfall through the South West Monsoon?

1. Meghalaya      2. Maharashtra      3. Andaman Islands      4. Punjab      5. Kerala

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1, 2, 3 and 5 only      (b) 1, 2 and 5 only      (c) 1, 2, 4 and 5 only      (d) 2, 4 and 5 only

7. Why the Bay of Bengal has low salinity when compared to the Arabian Sea?

- (a) Size of the Bay of Bengal is larger than the Arabian Sea  
(b) Large influx of freshwaters into the Bay of Bengal  
(c) The Large number of Salt producing Industries is located on the coast of Bay of Bengal  
(d) There is no delta formation in the coast of the Arabian Sea

8. Arrange the following geological events that occurred in the Indian Sub-Continent in the correct chronological order.

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| 1. Formation of the Himalayas              | 2. Lava Eruption in the Deccan trap |
| 3. Karewa formations in the Kashmir Valley | 4. Formation of Meghalaya Plateau   |

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 4 – 3 – 1 – 2      (b) 2 – 1 – 4 – 3      (c) 2 – 4 – 1 – 3      (d) 4 – 1 – 2 – 3

9. With respect to the Tropic of Cancer, which one of the following statements is correct?

- (a) In the Western Region, the Tropic of Cancer does not pass through the State of Rajasthan  
(b) In the North East region, the tropic of cancer passes through only the state of Mizoram  
(c) In the Central Region, the tropic of cancer does not pass through the state of Jharkhand  
(d) In the East Region, the tropic of cancer does not pass through the state of Odisha

10. With respect to the Geological Structure of India, which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. The Archean Rocks cover two-thirds of Gangetic Plains of India.
2. The Dharwad system of rocks is highly rich in Iron ore and Manganese.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

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