

7. Consider the following statements in the context of the Non-Cooperation Movement during the Indian Freedom struggle:

1. A special Congress session of 1920 in Calcutta approved a non-cooperation programme till the Punjab and Khilafat wrongs were undone and Swaraj was established.
2. Annie Besant led the women protestors during the course of the Non-cooperation Movement.

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

8. With reference to the National Council for Vocational Education and Training (NCVT), consider the following statements:

1. It is set up by subsuming the existing National Council for Vocational Training and the National Skill Development Agency.
2. It is a statutory body under the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship.
3. It acts as an overarching skills regulator that regulates the functioning of entities engaged in vocational education and training.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

9. Shigmo Spring festival, which is the celebration of a rich, harvest of paddy by the tribal communities, is celebrated in which of the following state of India.

- (a) Chhattisgarh
- (b) Nagaland
- (c) Manipur
- (d) Goa

10. Which of the following is/are the features of the Industrial Relations Code, 2020?

1. The Code prohibits strikes and lock-outs in all industrial establishments without notice.
2. The power to exempt without conditions the provisions of the Code lies only with the Central government.
3. It defines 'workers' to include those persons drawing above ₹18,000 a month as salary.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

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

11. Which of the following IUCN classified species of turtle does **not** nest along the Indian coast?

- (a) Olive ridley Turtle
- (b) Hawksbill Turtle
- (c) Green Turtle
- (d) Kemp's Ridley Turtle

12. Consider the following statements regarding the epidermis:

1. Plants living in dry habitats have thicker epidermis.
2. The entire surface of a plants have outer covering of epidermis. innermost lining
3. Epidermal cells on the aerial parts of the plant often secrete a waxy, water-resistant layer on their outer surface.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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