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Consider the following statements regarding National Agriculture Market (e-NAM)

1. It is a pan-India electronic trading portal which networks the existing market committees mandis to create a unified national market.
2. It includes commodity arrivals, buy and sell trade offers among other services

Which of the above statement is/are correct?

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

In context of Union Budget 2017-18, which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. Mahila Shakti Kendras to be set up at village level with an allocation of ~500 crores in Anganwadi Centres
2. Under Maternity Benefit Scheme, monetary help of ~6000 will be transferred directly to the bank accounts of each pregnant
3. Under the BharatNet Project, all of India's households, particularly in rural areas will be connected through broadband by 2022.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

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

3. With regard to Kambala, which was recently in news, consider the following statements

1. It is an annual traditional Buffalo Race held in coastal districts of Karnataka
2. This ancient sport along with bull-cart race was banned by the Karnataka High Court in November 2016
3. Slushy or Marshy paddy field track is used for Kambala

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

Consider the following statements regarding Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Yojana:

1. It is an Income Disclosure Scheme (IDS) to allow tax evaders to come clean with unaccounted wealth
2. It provides for 50 percent tax and surcharge on declaration of unaccounted cash deposited in banks
3. Declarant must make mandatory deposit of 25% of undisclosed income in the zero-interest Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Deposit Scheme, with lock-in period 014 years

Which of the statements given above are correct?

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

5. Recently, Supreme Court made national anthem mandatory in cinema halls, which of the following statements are correct regarding this?

1. Respecting the National Anthem comes under the category of Fundamental Duties under the Article 51A of Constitution of India
2. The National Anthem was last ordered to be played in cinemas in India after the Indo-China war of 1962
3. The recent order by the Supreme Court was given on a writ petition by Shyam Narayan Chouksey

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

6. Recently, Committee of Administrators (COA) of BCCI was in news, which of the following statements are correct regarding this?

1. The COA is headed by former Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG) Vinod Rai
2. The committee consists of four-members including the chairman
3. It was constituted on the order of the Supreme Court to oversee the recommendations of Lodha Committee on BCCI reforms.

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

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7. Mission 41K is related to which of the following initiatives?
(a) largest vaccination programme started in India
(b) Indian railway's energy saving programme
(c) Rural housing subsidy scheme
(d) Road connectivity project for left Wing Extremism (IWE) affected
8. In context of Goods and Services Tax (GST), which of the statements are correct?
1 GST is consumption based tax levied on the supply of goods and services which will be collected at each stage of sale and purchase of goods and services based on the input tax credit method
2 It will merged most of the existing direct taxes into single system of taxation
3 It was approved by the Constitution (101th Amendment) Act, 2016 which seeks to enhance fiscal federalism
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
9. Recently, Kaladan Multimodal Project was in news, it connects which of the following countries?
(a) India-Maldives
(b) Bangladesh-Sri Lanka
(c) India-Myanmar
(d) China-Pakistan
10. Consider the following statements about One Belt One Road (OBOR), which was in the news recently
1 The OBOR initiative aims to connect major Eurasian economies through infrastructure, trade and investment.
2 It is a network of overland road and rail routes, oil and natural gas pipelines and other infrastructure projects.
3 Latvia has recently become the first country in the Baltic sea area to sign a memorandum of understanding to link up with the initiative
Which of the statement given above are correct?
(a) 1 and 2 only (b) 2 and 3 only
(c) 1 and 3 only (d) 1, 2 and 3
11. Vyas Samman 2016 has been conferred on Hindi Scholar Surendra Verma. For which of the following novel/works he was awarded?
(a) Kshama
(b) Premchand Kee Kahaniyon Kaa Kramanusar Adhyan
(c) Vyomkesh Darvesh
(d) Kaatna Shami Ka Vriksha Padmapankhuri Ki Dhaar Se
12. Mosul, Iraq's second largest city is in news due to ongoing operation of U.S. led forces against Islamic State of Iraq and Levant (ISIL), which of the following statements are correct in this regard?
1 Mosul is situated on the banks of Euphrates river
2 It is an ancient Assyrian city of Nineveh, which has an ethnically and religiously diverse population
3. Many UNESCO World Heritage sites have been destroyed by ISIS since its occupation of the city in 2014
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
13. Which organisation has recently received the Indira Gandhi Peace Prize for the year 2015?
(a) Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO)
(b) United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)
(c) United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO)
(d) International Labour Organization (ILO)
14. What is the India's rank in the latest released Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQI) 2017, according to lancet report "Global Burden of Disease (GBD)"?
(a) 144th (b) 154th
(c) 166th (d) 137th
15. The Bhindawas Bird Sanctuary (BBS) is located in which of the following states?
(a) Kerala (b) Rajasthan
(c) Sikkim (d) Haryana
16. Which committee has recently recommended several measures for de-siltation of River Ganga?
(a) Lodha committee
(b) Mudgal committee
(c) J P Nadda committee
(d) Madhav Chitale committee
17. The 2017 Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief (HADR) exercise "Icaravau Karunya" has started by Indian Navy in which state?
(a) Telangana
(b) Karnataka
(c) Kerala
(d) Tamil Nadu
18. Who has been recently appointed as new Deputy Chief of Integrated Defence Staff (Operations)?
(a) Satish Dua
(b) Bipin Rawat
(c) PN Pradhan
(d) N S Rathore

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7. (b) 8. (c) 9. (e)
10. (d) 11. (d) 12. (b)
13. (b) 14. (b) 15. (d)
16. (d) 17. (b) 18. (e)

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19. The 2017 bilateral maritime exercise "SIMBEX-17" has started between India and which of the following countries?
 (a) Sri Lanka
 (b) South Africa
 (c) South Korea
 (d) Singapore
- Who is the author of the book "Matoshree"?
 (a) Sumitra Mahajan
 (b) Udhav Thackeray
 (c) Venkaiah Naidu
 (d) Sushma Swaraj
21. Which country has topped the 2017 Renewable Energy Country Attractiveness Index (RECAI) released by Ernst and Young (EY)?
 (a) China (b) India
 (c) Germany (d) Finland
22. Which company is the most valuable brand in India, according to recently released Brand Finance India 100 report 2017?
 (a) Tata Group (b) Airtel
 (c) Adani Group (d) Reliance
23. India's first Aquatic Rainbow Technology Park (ARTP) will be set up in which of the following cities?
 (a) Paradip (b) Chennai
 (c) Kochi (d) Goa
- What is the theme of International Mental Health Day?
 (a) Mental health and You
 (b) Childhood memories
 (c) Families
 (d) Join Hands Together
25. As per recently released report by the Ministry of Railways, which of the following has been adjudged as the cleanest railway station in category AI?
 (a) Vishakhapatnam
 (b) Jammu Tawi
 (c) Secunderabad
 (d) New Delhi
26. Who among the following Indian wildlife activist has won the Whitley Awards 2017?
 (a) Sanjay Gubbi
 (b) Naresh Kadyan
 (c) Aruna Sabhane
 (d) Shahriar Kabir
27. Which Indian scientist has won the 2017 Dan David prize in the "Future" category?
 (a) M.S. Swaminathan
 (b) Biman Bagchi
 (c) HarGobind Khorana
 (d) Shrinivas Kulkarni
28. Reema Lagoo, who passed away recently, was associated with which field?
 (a) Politics (b) Film Industry
 (c) Journalism (d) Science
29. Which committee has been recently constituted by the Union government to monitor the regional air connectivity scheme "UDAN"?
 (a) Lodha committee
 (b) Nivya Murthy committee
 (c) R N Choubey committee
 (d) Mudgal committee
30. Who has been awarded the 2017 INSA Young Scientist award for research in cancer treatment?
 (a) Sidharth Deshmukh
 (b) Aravind Kumar Rengan
 (c) R O Trivedi
 (d) Aasok Tmange
31. Rifath Sharook who has designed the world's lightest satellite "KalamSat", hails from which country?
 (a) Israel (b) Malaysia
 (c) India (d) South Korea
32. Which state government has constituted "Maa Committee" to check mid day meal quality in schools?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh
 (b) Jharkhand
 (c) Tamil Nadu
 (d) Madhya Pradesh
33. Who has become the first Indian driver to win the race in the GP3 Series?
 (a) Naraian Karthikeyan
 (b) Arjun Maini
 (c) Karun Chandhok
 (d) Sanjay Sharma
- Who has recently become the first Indian woman to scale Mount Everest for the fifth time?
 (a) Santosh Yadav
 (b) Lhakpa Sherpa
 (c) Anshu Jamsenpa
 (d) Arunima Sinha
35. Who has been appointed as the new Prime Minister of France?
 (a) Edouard Philippe
 (b) Marine Le Pen
 (c) Emmanuel Macron
 (d) Michel Debre
36. Which city has recently hosted the 2nd meeting of National Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction (NPDRR)?
 (a) Kochi
 (b) Bhubaneswar
 (c) Ahmedabad
 (d) New Delhi
- Which IIT institute has collaborated with the British Geological Survey (BGS) to turn Varanasi into a smart city?
 (a) IIT Mandi (b) IIT Madras
 (c) IIT Kharagpur (d) IIT Kanpur

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19. (d) 20. (a) 21. (a) 22. (a) 23. (b) 24. (e) 25. (a) 26. (a) 27. (d)
 28. (b) 29. (e) 30. (b) 31. (e) 32. (a) 33. (b) 34. (c) 35. (a) 36. (d)
 37. (c)

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38. The Nandankanan Zoological Park (NZP) is located in which of the following states?
 (a) Odisha
 (b) Madhya Pradesh
 (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Tamil Nadu
39. Who has become the first Indian woman to be conferred with the Woodrow Wilson Award for Global Corporate Citizenship?
 (a) Indira Naoyl
 (b) Shikha Sharma
 (c) Chanda Kochhar
 (d) Arundhati Bhattacharya
- India's first electric cab fleet will be launched
 (a) Nagpur Kolkata
 (c) Chennai (d) Lucknow
41. Which state has topped the 2017 Public Affairs Index (PAI) in governance?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh
 (b) Gujarat
 (c) Kerala
 (d) Maharashtra
42. Which Indian village has won the 2017 Smart Village Award?
 (a) Punsari
 (b) Mawlynnong
 (c) Dharnai
 (d) Govardhan Ecovillage
43. The 43rd edition of G7 summit will be held in which country?
 (a) Germany (b) Italy
 (c) Canada (d) United States
44. Which state has become the first Indian state to introduce a logo for vehicles driven by persons with hearing impairment?
 (a) Telangana
 (b) Jharkhand
 (c) Gujarat
 (d) Andhra Pradesh
45. Which country to host the 2017 Arctic Energy Summit (AES)?
 (a) Sweden (b) Ireland
 (c) Finland (d) Norway
46. Which Indian cricketer has been awarded the honorary life membership of Marylebone Cricket Club (McC)?
 (a) Mahendra Singh Dhoni
 (b) Sachin Tendulkar
 (c) Anil Kumble
 (d) WSLaxman
- Which Indian personality has recently been appointed WHO Goodwill Ambassador for Hepatitis in South-East Asia Region?
 (a) Shah Rukh Khan
 (b) Amitabh Bachchan
 (c) Priyanka Chopra
 (d) Aamir Khan
48. Which country has hosted first-ever One Belt One Road (OBOR) Summit?
 (a) Russia (b) China
 (c) Pakistan (d) Nepal
49. Which state government has ITCETC the first-ever Videsh Sampark outreach programme?
 (a) Kerala
 (b) Andhra Pradesh
 (c) Telangana
 (d) Karnataka
50. What is the India's GDP growth forecast for FY 18, according to IMF's latest report 'Regional Economic Outlook (REO) for Asia and Pacific'?
 (a) 7.1% (b) 7.2%
 (c) 7.3% (d) 7.4%
51. Indian Army will re-introduce CASO as 'permanent feature' of counter-terror operations. What does "CASO" stands for?
 (a) Cordon and Searchlight Operations
 (b) Cordon and Search Operations
 (c) Cordon and Seeding Operations
 (d) Cordon and Seed Operations
52. Which country has hosted the United Nations Day of Vesak-2017?
 (a) Sri Lanka (b) China
 (c) India (d) Myanmar
53. Which country has approved \$75 million high-tech chemical protective clothing for the Indian armed forces?
 (a) United States (b) Russia
 (c) Israel (d) France
- Which Indian Wrestler has clinched bronze in men's Greco-Roman 85kg category at the 2017 Asian Wrestling Championship?
 (a) Sushil Kumar
 (b) Yogeshwar Dull
 (c) Narsingh Yadav
 (d) Anil Kumar
55. Who has been sworn-in as the new President of South Korea?
 (a) Rhee Syng-man
 (b) Moon Jae-in
 (c) Heo Jeong
 (d) Goh Kun
56. Which high-level committee has been set up by the Union Government to provide credible data for employment policies?
 (a) Amitabh Kant committee
 (b) TCA Ananth committee
 (c) Arvind Panagariya committee
 (d) C Ranqarajan committee
- The Sakewa Festival has recently celebrated in which state?
 (a) Sikkim
 (b) Meghalaya
 (c) Assam
 (d) Arunachal Pradesh

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38. (a)	39. (e)	40. (a)	41. (e)	42. (d)	43. (b)	44. (a)	45. (b)	46. (d)	
47. (b)	48. (b)	49. (e)	50. (b)	51. (b)	52. (a)	53. (a)	54. (d)	55. (b)	
56. (c)	57. (a)								

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58. Who has become the world's highest wicket-taker in women ODI cricket?
 (a) Mithali Rai
 (b) Harmanpreet Kaur
 (c) Ekta Bisht
 (d) Jhutan Goswami
59. The Daima Wildlife Sanctuary IS located in which state?
 (a) Maharashtra
 (b) Jharkhand
 (c) Assam
 (d) Uttar Pradesh
60. Which Indian personality has been elected as the new chairman OI FIFA Governance Committee?
 (a) Mukul Mudgal
 (b) Shashank Manohar
 (c) Ajay Shirke
 (d) AnuragThakur
61. The 2017 hunting festival "Bishu Parv" was observed in which state?
 (a) Odisha
 (b) Manipur
 (c) West Bengal
 (d) Jharkhand
- Which Hollywood actor has won the first-ever gender-neutral MTV award for Best Actor in a movie?
 (a) Tom Cruise
 (b) Jennifer Lopez
 (c) Millie Bobby Brown
 (d) Emma Watson
63. Which of the following is the official mascot of the Asian Athletics Championships-2017?
 (a) Olive Turtle (b) Bengal Tiger
 (c) Bawean Deer (d) Flying Squirrel
- India's first bio refinery plant has been set up in which of the following states?
 (a) Andhra Pradesh
 (b) Assam
 (c) Tamil Nadu
 (d) Maharashtra
65. Which country has been elected as the new President of Governing Council of UN-Habitat?
 (a) China (b) India
 (c) Russia (d) Sri Lanka
- Who has won the 2017 French Presidential election?
 (a) Emmanuel Macron
 (b) Marine Le Pen
 (c) Francois Hollande
 (d) Jean-Luc Melenchon
- The multinational military exercise "Eager Lion" 2017 has recently held in which of the following countries?
 (a) Israel (b) Saudi Arabia
 (c) Jordan (d) Qatar
68. The joint military exercise "Bahkatan" 2017 has recently held between United States and which country?
 (a) Saudi Arabia (b) Jordan
 (c) Israel (d) Philippines
69. Who has recently become the 14th statehood?
 (a) Neiphui Rio (b) Atu Zumvu
 (c) Joseph Hesso (d) L L Ooungel
70. The World's biggest-ever X- ray laser "European XFEL" has generated its first X-ray laser light from which country?
 (a) France (b) Germany
 (c) Italy (d) Switzerland
71. Which committee has been constituted by the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI) to lay down technical standards for performance of core services?
 (a) RB Barman committee
 (b) Arvind Panagariya committee
 (c) Pulak Ghosh committee
 (d) C Rangarajan committee
72. Which state government has recently signed an agreement with United Nations and IIT for setting up innovation lab in the state?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh
 (b) Chhattisgarh
 (c) Jharkhand
 (d) Odisha
73. Justice (retd) Leila Seth, the renowned jurist has passed away. She was the first woman chief justice of which high court?
 (a) Himachal Pradesh High Court
 (b) Karnataka High Court
 (c) Delhi High Court
 (d) Kerala High Court
74. Which country's hockey team has won the 2017 Sultan Azlan Shah Cup?
 (a) India
 (b) Pakistan
 (c) Australia
 (d) Great Britain
75. India's first private sector small arms manufacturing plant has set up in which state?
 (a) Madhya Pradesh
 (b) Bihar
 (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Maharashtra
76. Which social networking site has officially launched "Express Wi-Fi" internet services in India?
 (a) YouTube (b) Facebook
 (c) Twitter (d) Instagram
77. Which state government has recently become the registered proprietor of the GI tag for Banganapalle mangoes?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh
 (b) West Bengal
 (c) Maharashtra
 (d) Andhra Pradesh

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 67 (e) 68. (d) 69. (b) 70 (b) 71. (a) 72. (b) 73. (a) 74. (d) 75. (a)
 76. (b) 77. (d)

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78. Recently, Sualgiri and Swalgiri communities have been notified as Scheduled Castes in the Indian constitution. The communities are associated with which state?
 (a) Manipur
 (b) West Bengal
 (c) Assam
 (d) Odisha
79. The world's highest railway bridge will come up over which Indian River?
 (a) Chenab (b) Godavari
 (c) Ganga (d) Narmada
80. Who has been appointed the new chairman of the Public Accounts Committee (PAC) of Parliament?
 (a) KV Thomas
 (b) JoytiradityaScindia
 (c) SachinPilot
 (d) Mallikarjun Kharge
81. Which city has become the India's cleanest city, according to the Swachh Bharat survey 2017?
 (a) Tiruchirapally
 (b) Indore
 (c) Visakhapatnam
 (d) Mysuru
82. Which state has become the first Indian state to shift to January to December financial year?
 (a) Bihar
 (b) Jharkhand
 (c) Andhra Pradesh
 (d) Madhya Pradesh
83. Who has won the 2017 World Snooker Championship?
 (a) Pankaj Advani
 (b) Mark Selby
 (c) Geet Sethi
 (d) John Higgins
84. Which Indian table tennis player has won the 2017 Men's singles ITTF Challenge Seamaster Chile Open tournament?
 (a) SubhajtSaha
 (b) Sharath Kamal
 (c) Anthony Amalraj
 (d) Soumyajit Ghosh
85. Which country to host the 2017 UNESCO/Guillermo Cano World Press Freedom Prize Ceremony?
 (a) Indonesia (b) Canada
 (c) Thailand (d) Finland
86. The first-ever World Tuna Day (WTD) is observed by the United Nations (UN) on which date?
 (a) May 1 (b) May 2
 (c) May3 (d) May 4
87. The new Index of Industrial Production (IIP) series for India will be calculated on which base year?
 (a) 2006-07 (b) 2008-09
 (c) 2010-11 (d) 2011-12
88. Which union minister has launched a nationwide "Vidya-Veerta Abhiyan" to honour war warriors?
 (a) Prakash Javadekar
 (b) RajnathSingh
 (c) ArunJaitley
 (d) Smriti Irani
89. Who has been appointed as the first woman President of Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)?
 (a) Chandra Kochar
 (b) Shobana Kamineni
 (c) Nita Ambani
 (d) Arundhati Bhattacharya
90. Which of the following has become the first city in the world to have its own Microsoft font?
 (a) Paris (b) New York
 (c) Berlin (d) Dubai
91. The Union government will launch "SAMPADA Scheme" for which sector?
 (a) Mining
 (b) Education
 (c) Food processing
 (d) Tourism
- The first-ever Ganga Cleanliness Pledge Day (GCPD) will be observed on which date in India?
 (a) May2 (b) May5
 (c) May4 (d) May3
93. Which state is the India's most corrupt state, according to latest survey by the Centre for Media Studies (CMS)?
 (a) Karnataka
 (b) Jammu & Kashmir
 (c) Andhra Pradesh
 (d) Maharashtra
94. India will provide how much amount to Bangladesh under new "Muktijodha scholarship" scheme?
 (a) Rs 30 crore (b) Rs 35 crore
 (c) Rs 25 crore (d) Rs 20 crore
95. India's first-ever digitised Panchayat ward has come up in which of the following states?
 (a) Kerala (b) Assam
 (c) Rajasthan (d) Gularat
96. Which country has become the first country in the world to ban the mining of metafs?
 (a) El Salvador (b) Mozambique
 (c) Seychelles (d) Namibia
97. Which city has become the first Indian city to win Pierre L'enfant Planning Excellence and Achievement Awards-2017?
 (a) New Delhi (b) Bhubaneswar
 (c) Guwahati (d) Chennai

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78. (d) 79. (a) 80. (d) 81. (b) 82. (d) 83. (b) 84. (d) 85. (a) 86. (b)
 87. (d) 88. (a) 89. (b) 90. (d) 91. (e) 92. (a) 93. (a) 94. (b) 95. (a)

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98. Who has been conferred the 52nd edition of the Jnanpith Award-2016?
 (a) Sankha Ghosh
 (b) Chandrashekhara Kambara
 (c) SrilalShukla
 (d) DR Bendre
99. What is the India's rank in the 2017 World Press Freedom Index (WPMI)?
 (a) 133rd (b) 134th
 (c) 135th (d) 136th
100. What is the theme of the 2017 World Immunization Week?
 (a) Are you up-to-date?
 (b) Close the immunization gap
 (c) Vaccines Work
 (d) Immunization vaccine for you
101. Which Indian short film to be screened by UNESCO as part of 2017 World Press Freedom Day (WPDFD) in Indonesia?
 (a) Gutthi
 (b) Azaad
 (c) Little terrorist
 (d) Roadside Ambianis
102. Who has been appointed as the new Director General of Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITSP)?
 (a) Rajiv Rai Bhatnagar
 (b) Archana Ramasundaram
 (c) RK Pachnanda
 (d) Sujan Chaudhary
- Which country to host 18th edition of World Road Meeting (WRM)?
 (a) Australia (b) India
 (c) China (d) South Korea
104. Who has been crowned Miss Teen Universe 2017?
 (a) Sriшти Kaur
 (b) Xirelle Agustín
 (c) Nieves Gonzalez
 (d) Nicole Obando
105. Which country has appointed Hana Khatib as first female judge in its MUSlim sharia court system?
 (a) Iran (b) Israel
 (c) Palestine (d) Iraq
106. What is the theme of the 2017 World Intellectual Property Day (WIPI)?
 (a) Digital Creativity: Culture Reimagined
 (b) Creativity - The Next Generation
 (c) Innovation - Improving Lives
 (d) Green Innovation
107. Which state government will re-launched 'Adarana' scheme for improving traditional occupations?
 (a) Himachal Pradesh
 (b) Sikkim
 (c) Andhra Pradesh
 (d) Odisha
- The 15th edition of Indo-French naval exercise 'verona' has started in which of the following sea ports?
 (a) Port of Gujón
 (b) Visakhapatnam Port
 (c) Toulon port
 (d) Koehi Port
109. Manpreet Kaur, who recently clinched Gold at the 2017 Asian Grand Prix Meet. is associated with which sports?
 (a) Shot put (b) Javelin throw
 (c) Sprint (d) Long jump
110. India has signed MoU with which neighboring country for extending Hindi language course?
 (a) Nepal (b) China
 (c) Maldives (d) Bangladesh
- Who has been conferred with the 2016 Dada Saheb Phalke award?
 (a) Manoj Kumar
 (b) Guizar
 (c) Soumitra Chatterjee
 (d) Kasinadhuni Viswanath
112. Which state government has launched "Kilkari" app to create awareness among pregnant women?
 (a) Jharkhand
 (b) Haryana
 (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Uttar Pradesh
- Which committee has been constituted by the Union Government to examine the existing framework with regard to Virtual Currencies?
 (a) Dinesh Sharma committee
 (b) Shaktikanta Das committee
 (c) Amitabh Kant committee
 (d) Simal Jalan committee
114. Which Indian bank has won the 2017 Golden Peacock Innovative Product / Service Award (GPIPSA)?
 (a) Sank 01 Baroda
 (b) State Bank of India (SBI)
 (c) ICICI Bank
 (d) Yes Bank
115. Which Indian personality has won the 2017 Goldman Environmental Prize?
 (a) Pralulla Samantra
 (b) Wezwada Wilson
 (c) Champa Devi Shukla
 (d) Ramesh Agrawal
116. What is the theme of the 2017 International Mother Earth Day (IMED)?
 (a) Environmental & Climate Literacy
 (b) Trees for the Earth
 (c) Unite for tomorrow
 (d) Earth and its ecosystems
117. Which state will be awarded with Krishi Karman Award for 2015-16 for wheat production?
 (a) Madhya Pradesh
 (b) Himachal Pradesh
 (c) Uttar Pradesh
 (d) Bihar

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| 98. (a) | 99. (d) | 100. (e) | 101. (b) | 102. (e) | 103. (b) | 104. (a) | 105. (b) | 106. (e) |
| 107. (e) | 108. (e) | 109. (a) | 110. (b) | 111. (d) | 112. (b) | 113. (a) | 114. (d) | 115. (a) |
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118. India's first-ever "village of books" will open in which state to promote tourism?
 (a) Haryana
 (b) Himachal Pradesh
 (c) Maharashtra
 (d) Tamil Nadu
119. The 2017 United Nations Oceans Conference will be held in which city?
 (a) Lisbon (b) Beijing
 (c) New York (d) Thimphu
120. Which country to host 2017 BRICS Film Festival?
 (a) Russia (b) South Africa
 (c) China (d) India
121. Who has been chosen for the 2016 Sahitya Akademi Award for translation in English language?
 (a) A R Vankatachalapathy
 (b) K Satchidanandan
 (c) Githa Hariharan
 (d) Sri Aniruddhan Vasudevan
122. The National Disaster Management Authority (NOMA) has conducted its first-ever mock exercise on forest fire in which state?
 (a) Karnataka
 (b) Uttarakhand
 (c) Jharkhand
 (d) Odisha
123. Which state government will set up "Book Banks" in schools to provide old books to needy students?
 (a) Punjab
 (b) Madhya Pradesh
 (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Uttar Pradesh
124. Who will head the committee formed by the Union Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) to review UGC recommendations?
 (a) Chairman of UGC
 (b) Union Minister of Human Resource Development
 (c) Secretary of the department of Higher Education (HE)
 (d) Secretary of Home Affairs
125. The Civil Services Day (CSD) is celebrated on which day in India?
 (a) April 20 (b) April 21
 (c) April 22 (d) April 23
126. Which state government will launch a unique programme "Ammaku Vandaman" in schools to pay tribute to mothers?
 (a) Karnataka
 (b) Tamil Nadu
 (c) Kerala
 (d) Andhra Pradesh
127. Who has become the India's first visually impaired runner to compete the historic Boston Marathon?
 (a) Sagar Baheti
 (b) Vishnukant Sharma
 (c) Nikunj Sen
 (d) Devika Narain
128. Which of the following banks has become the India's most-valued Public Sector Unit (PSU) in terms of market valuation?
 (a) Punjab National Bank
 (b) EXIM Bank
 (c) State Bank of India
 (d) Allahabad Bank
129. The Sessa Orchid Sanctuary is located in which state?
 (a) Mizoram
 (b) Arunachal Pradesh
 (c) Sikkim
 (d) Meghalaya
130. _____ in food grains production?
 (a) Himachal Pradesh
 (b) Andhra Pradesh
 (c) Madhya Pradesh
 (d) Uttar Pradesh
131. What is the theme of the 2017 World Heritage Day (WHO)?
 (a) World Heritage for Tourism
 (b) Cultural Heritage & Sustainable Tourism
 (c) The Heritage of Sport
 (d) Cultural Heritage for Tourism
132. The Manipur government has launched 'DARPAN' web portal to check corruption. What does "DARPAN" stands for?
 (a) Digital Application for Reprint by Public and Nation
 (b) Digital Application for Reappraisal by Public and Nation
 (c) Digital Application for Review by Public and Nation
 (d) Digital Application for Reassessment by Public and Nation
133. Which Union Ministry has launched nation-wide training programme for Elected Women representatives (EWRs) of Panchayats?
 (a) Ministry of Women & Child Development
 (b) Ministry of Human Resource Development
 (c) Ministry of Rural Development
 (d) Ministry of Tribal Affairs
134. Robert W Taylor, the renowned computer pioneer passed away, He hailed from which country?
 (a) France (b) Germany
 (c) Australia (d) United States
135. Which state government has recently launched 'unemployment allowance scheme'?
 (a) Himachal Pradesh
 (b) Rajasthan
 (c) Telangana
 (d) Andhra Pradesh

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