

**Que-1** The causes of recent fall of rupee are

- 1- The ongoing global geopolitical tensions
- 2- The rise in oil prices
- 3- Subsequent rise in inflation

Which of the following given above is/are correct

- a) 1 only      b) 1 and 3 only  
c) 1, 2 and 3      d) 2 and 3 only
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**Que-2** With reference to Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV), consider the following statements

- 1- It causes infections of the lungs and respiratory tract.
- 2- RSV is the most common cause of acute lower respiratory infection in old age people.
- 3- In adults and older, healthy children, RSV symptoms are mild and typically mimic the common cold.

Which of the following given above is/are correct

- a) 1 only      b) 1 and 3 only  
c) 1, 2 and 3      d) 3 only
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**Que-3** With reference to National Green Tribunal (NGT) Act, 2010, consider the following statements

- 1- This is an Act of the Parliament of India which enables the creation of a special tribunal to handle the expeditious disposal of the cases pertaining to environmental issues.
- 2- It draws inspiration from India's constitutional provision of (Constitution of India/Part III) Article 21 Protection of life and personal liberty, which assures the citizens of India the right to a healthy environment.
- 3- The tribunal is mandated to make and endeavour for disposal of applications or appeals finally within a year of the filing of the same.

Which of the following given above is/are correct

- a) 1 and 2 only      b) 1 and 3 only  
c) 1, 2 and 3      d) 2 only
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**Que-4** Consider the following statements about Cooperative federalism

- 1- Cooperative federalism is the vertical relationship between union and states and shows Union is above the State.
- 2- Also known as marble-cake federalism.
- 3- Indian constitution has incorporated instruments to ensure co-operation

between the center and states to ensure that cooperation is necessary for the proper growth of the country.

Which of the following given above is/are correct

- a) 2 only      b) 1 only  
c) 1, 2 and 3      d) 2 and 3 only
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**Que-5 Based on a long-standing research program of the World Bank, the Worldwide Governance Indicators capture six key dimensions of governance between 1996 and present. Which are among those six dimension**

- 1- Voice & Accountability
- 2- Political Stability and Lack of Violence
- 3- Citizens Freedom

Which of the following given above is/are correct

- a) 1 and 2 only      b) 1 only  
c) 1, 2 and 3      d) 2 and 3 only
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**Que-6 Consider the following statements about GST council**

- 1- The tax rates, rules and regulations are governed by the GST Council.
- 2- The recommendations of the GST Council is/are binding on Union/State.
- 3- It consists of the finance ministers of the central government and all the states.

Which of the following given above is/are correct

- a) 2 only      b) 1 and 3 only  
c) 1, 2 and 3      d) 2 and 3 only
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**Que-7 What is retinoblastoma?**

- 1- This is the most common eye cancer occurring in young children.
- 2- It can only occur in both eyes and may be hereditary or sporadic.
- 3- It can be life-threatening as well as take away vision if not treated timely and is detected by seeing White Reflex (WR).

Which of the following given above is/are correct

- a) 1 and 2 only      b) 1 and 3 only  
c) 1, 2 and 3      d) 3 only
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**Que-8 The dispute over Nagorno Karabakh that began in 1988 has over the years caused massive human rights violations is between**

- a) Armenia-Georgia
- b) Azerbaijan-Georgia
- c) Armenia-Azerbaijan
- d) Georgia-Turkey

### ANSWER

1- (c)

- The causes of this quick fall are the ongoing global geopolitical tensions, the rise in oil prices, a lack of food imports, and the subsequent rise in inflation.
- Historically, a reduction in the value of the Rupee has resulted in an increase in NRI remittances from nations such as the United States, the United Arab Emirates, the United Kingdom, and a few Asian countries. Because of the growing value of the US dollar, investment in India has become significantly more lucrative.

2- (b)

- Lower respiratory infection attributable to respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) was responsible for more than 1,00,000 deaths in children under five worldwide in 2019.

- RSV is the most common cause of acute lower respiratory infection in young children.
- RSV can cause severe infection in some people, including babies 12 months and younger (infants), especially premature infants, older adults, people with heart and lung disease, or anyone with a weak immune system (immunocompromised).

3- (a)

- The tribunal is mandated to make and endeavour for disposal of applications or appeals finally within 6 months of the filing of the same.
- Initially, the NGT is proposed to be set up at five places of sittings and will follow circuit procedure for making itself more accessible; New Delhi is the Principal Place of Sitting of the Tribunal and Bhopal, Pune, Kolkata and Chennai shall be the other place of sitting of the Tribunal.

4- (d)

- Cooperative federalism is the horizontal relationship between union and states and shows neither is above the other.
- Few are the listed provision in the Indian constitution which depicts the core relationship between center and

state like 7th schedule, All India Services, Full Faith and Credit Clause, Zonal council, NITI AAYOG, GST.

5- (a)

- Based on a long-standing research program of the World Bank, the Worldwide Governance Indicators capture six key dimensions of governance (Voice & Accountability, Political Stability and Lack of Violence, Government Effectiveness, Regulatory Quality, Rule of Law, and Control of Corruption) between 1996 and present.

6- (b)

- The recommendations of the GST Council is/are not binding on Union/State.
- GST Council is the governing body of GST having 33 members, out of which 2 members are of centre and 31 members are from 28 state and 3 Union territories with legislation.
- The council contains the following members (a) Union Finance Minister (as chairperson) (b) Union Minister of States in charge of revenue or finance (as member) (c) the ministers of states in charge of finance or taxation or other ministers as nominated by each states government (as member).

- GST Council is an apex member committee to modify, reconcile or to procure any law or regulation based on the context of goods and services tax in India. The council is headed by the union finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman assisted with the finance minister of all the states of India. The GST council is responsible for any revision or enactment of rule or any rate changes of the goods and services in India

7- (b)

- It can occur in one or both eyes and may be hereditary or sporadic.
- It is the most common cancer in the eye (malignant tumor) in small children.

#### Symptoms

- White Reflex in the eye: Pupil that looks white or yellow instead of red when light hits it.
- Squinting: A crossed eye, looking either toward the nose or towards the ear.
- Poor vision with or without WR. The eye may be red or painful also.

8- (c)

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