

## 17th February 2022, Current Affairs Quiz

1. Union Minister Sarbananda Sonowal has unveil "Water taxi service" in which city?
  - A. Mumbai
  - B. New Delhi
  - C. Lucknow
  - D. Bhopal

**Answer: A.**

**Explanation:**



Union Minister Sarbananda Sonowal to unveil "Water taxi service" in Mumbai on 17 February 2022. The much-awaited water taxi service promising connectivity between Mumbai and Navi Mumbai.

2. Recently the Government has approved a new scheme "New India Literacy Programme" for the period which financial year?
  - A. 2023 to 2028
  - B. 2024 to 2029
  - C. 2022 to 2027
  - D. 2026 to 2030

**Answer: C.**

**Explanation:** Government has approved a new scheme "New India Literacy Programme" for the period Financial Years "2022 to 2027" to cover all the aspects of Adult Education to align with National Education Policy 2020 and Budget Announcements 2021-22.

3. Recently under which country's Presidency the first "G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors' meeting" 2022?
- A. Indonesia
  - B. China
  - C. Russia
  - D. France

**Answer: A.**

**Explanation:** Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman on 17 February 2022 participated in the first "G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors' meeting" under G20 Presidency of Indonesia. The Minister has virtually join sessions during the two-day meeting to discuss current global economic issues and G20 priorities for 2022.

4. Channaveera Kanavi has been passed away, he was associated with which field?
- A. Doctor
  - B. Poet
  - C. Lawyer
  - D. Economist

**Answer: B.**

**Explanation:** Vice President M Venkaiah Naidu has expressed grief over the passing away of eminent Kannada poet, Channaveera Kanavi. He was known for his linguistic mastery, his poems covered a wide range of themes.

5. Recently military leader Paul-Henri Sandaogo Damiba has been sworn as a president of which nation?
- A. Egypt
  - B. Morocco
  - C. Burkina Faso
  - D. Namibia

**Answer: C.**

**Explanation:**



Lieutenant-Colonel "Paul-Henri Sandaogo Damiba" has been sworn as a president of Burkina Faso, just over three weeks after he led a coup that overthrew democratically elected "Roch Marc Christian Kaboré".

6. Recently in which state the 4-day biennial "Medaram Tribal Fair" held?
- A. Odisha
  - B. Kerala
  - C. Assam
  - D. Telangana

**Answer: D.**

**Explanation:** In Telangana, 4-day biennial Medaram Tribal Fair has begun in Mulugu district. The Tribal Festival is considered to be Asia's largest tribal fair celebrated over four days every two years at Medaram village, which is about 250 kilometres from Hyderabad.

7. Recently Government has approved the continuation of "the Capacity Development" (CD) Scheme till which year?
- A. Mar-25
  - B. Mar-26
  - C. Mar-28
  - D. Mar-30

**Answer: B.**

**Explanation:**



The government has approved the continuation of the Capacity Development (CD) Scheme till 31st of March, 2026.

8. Recently who among the following has addressed 5th "Indian Ocean Conference" in Abu Dhabi?
- A. Narendra Modi
  - B. Gita Gopinath
  - C. Dr S Jaishankar
  - D. Amit Shah

**Answer: C.**

**Explanation:** External Affairs Minister Dr S Jaishankar has stressed on the importance of respecting and facilitating freedom of navigation and overflight and unimpeded commerce in a globalised world. While addressing the fifth "Indian Ocean Conference" in Abu Dhabi.

9. Recently 11th edition EKUVERIN Joint military exercise between India and Maldives conducted at which Island?
- A. Majuli Island
  - B. Andaman Island
  - C. Wheer Island
  - D. Kadhdhoo Island

**Answer: D.**

**Explanation:**



The 11th edition of Exercise EKUVERIN between India and Maldives has conducted at Kadhdhoo Island, Maldives.

10. Which of the following organisation has reconstituted the Advisory Committee on Investor Protection and Education Fund?
- A. Ministry of Home Affairs
  - B. Securities and Exchange Board of India
  - C. Ministry of Education
  - D. Ministry of Women and Child Development

**Answer: B.**

**Explanation:** The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has reconstituted the Advisory Committee on Investor Protection and Education Fund under the chairmanship of G Mahalingam.

11. Recently Prime Minister Narendra Modi has inaugurated the "Purvanchal Expressway", what is the length of Expressway?
- A. 541-km
  - B. 441-km
  - C. 341-km
  - D. 241-km

**Answer: C.**

**Explanation:** Prime Minister Narendra Modi has inaugurated 341km "the Purvanchal Expressway" in Uttar Pradesh's Sultanpur district is the symbol of the state's development.

12. Which of the following bank has started the "Jiva Program" to promote natural farming?
- A. Yes Bank
  - B. Canara Bank
  - C. Axis bank
  - D. NABARD

**Answer: D.**

**Explanation:** National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) has launched the "Jeeva Program" to promote natural farming under its existing watershed and Wadi programs in 11 states.

13. Who among the following has been appointed as the President of The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) for the year 2022-23?
- A. Alka Mittal
  - B. Ashok Chandak
  - C. Debashis Mitra
  - D. Rameshwar Thakur

**Answer: C.**

**Explanation:**



Debashis Mitra has been elected as the President of The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) for the year 2022-23.