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Most Important Question for Current Affairs

Q.1. Which ministry has recently launched 'Project Pari'?

- a. Ministry of Health
- b. Ministry of Culture
- c. Ministry of External Affairs
- d. Ministry of Education

Q.2. Where has President Draupadi Murmu recently launched the 'Lifestyle for Sustainability' campaign?

- a. Mumbai
- b. Bhubaneswar
- c. Bengaluru
- d. Chennai

Q.3. What is the unemployment rate in India in the financial year 2023-24?

- a. 05%
- b. 7.5%
- c. 06%
- d. 08%

Q.4. Where has Prime Minister Modi recently paid tribute to the 'Tomb of Unknown Soldiers'?

- a. Bangladesh
- b. Russia
- c. Austria
- d. France

Q.5. Recently, HCL Tech Chairman Roshni Nadar has received the highest civilian honor of which country?

- a. Russia
- b. Germany
- c. France
- d. Jordan

Q.6. Who has recently been selected as the 'ICC Player of the Month' for June 2024?

- a. Smriti Mandhana
- b. Jaspreet Bumrah
- c. Both of the above
- d. Suryakumar Yadav

Q.7. Who has topped GenAI innovation recently?



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- a. Japan
- b. China
- c. America
- d. Russia

Q.8. Who has recently received the 'Best Agricultural State Award for 2024'?

- a. Haryana
- b. Maharashtra
- c. Madhya Pradesh
- d. Tamil Nadu

Q.9. Who has recently become the head coach of Team India?

- a. Suresh Raina
- b. Gautam Gambhir
- c. Anil Kumble
- d. Rohit Sharma

Q.10. Who has recently become the HoC for the appointment of Vice Chancellors in West Bengal?

- a. Sheel Nagu
- b. Dr. Arpit Chopra
- c. UU Lalit
- d. Sumit Sharma

Q.11. Recently, Pankaj Agarwal has become the new Chief Electoral Officer of which state?

- a. Haryana
- b. Maharashtra
- c. Karnataka
- d. Kerala

Q.12. Who has recently become the main sponsor of the Indian team for the Paris Olympics 2024?

- a. Jio
- b. Adani Group
- c. Tata Group
- d. None of these

Q.13. Recently, which state government has waived the registration tax on strong hybrid vehicles?

- a. Bihar
- b. Uttarakhand
- c. Uttar Pradesh
- d. Maharashtra

Q.14. Recently, who has become the female flag bearer of India for the Paris Olympics?



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a. Nikhat Zareen

c. Priyanka Goswami

b. PV Sindhu

d. Saina Nehwal

Q.15. When is World Youth Skills Day celebrated?

a. 11 July

c. 12 July

b. 13 July

d. 15 July

Answer Key & Explanation

1. B

The Ministry of Culture has launched Project PARI (Public Art of India) in conjunction with the 46th World Heritage Committee meeting scheduled to be held in New Delhi on July 21-31, 2024. Implemented by the Lalit Kala Akademi and the National Gallery of Modern Art, the initiative aims to blend India's rich artistic heritage with modern themes. Over 150 artists will create public artworks that will democratise art and enhance cultural participation across the country.

2. B

President Draupadi Murmu inaugurated the Brahma Kumari's Divine Retreat Centre at Haridamada village near Bhubaneswar in Odisha. She also launched Brahma Kumari's national campaign 'Lifestyle for Sustainability'.

3. C



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According to RBI data, the employment rate is estimated to be 6 percent in the financial year 2023-24. This information has come to the fore after measuring productivity and employment at the industry level. However, this employment rate was 3.2 percent in the financial year 2022-23. According to the data released by the RBI, total employment in India was 643.3 million in the financial year 2023-24, while this figure was 596.7 million in the financial year 2022-23. The Reserve Bank of India is the central bank of the country. The Reserve Bank of India uses data from the government's national accounts and the Ministry of Labor to estimate the country's productivity and employment levels.

4. B

Prime Minister Narendra Modi, who is on a two-day visit to Russia, laid a wreath and paid homage at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Moscow. The Tomb of the Unknown Soldier is a war memorial located at the Kremlin Wall in Moscow, dedicated to Soviet soldiers who lost their lives during World War II.

5. C

HCL Technologies Chairperson Roshini Nadar has been conferred with France's highest civilian award, the Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur or Knight of the National Order of the French Legion of Honour. Thierry Mathou, Ambassador of France to India, presented the award to Roshini Nadar on behalf of the French President at the French Embassy in New Delhi in July 2024.

6. C

Jasprit Bumrah, the hero of India's victorious T20 World Cup campaign, added another feather to his haul of achievements when he was named the 'ICC Men's Player of the Month for June'. It was double delight for India as women's team vice-captain Smriti Mandhana was also named the 'Women's Player of the Month' by the global body. Mandhana won her first ICC Women's Player of the Month after playing a key role in India's win over South Africa in the ODI series last month.

7. B





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India ranks fifth in generative AI (GenAI) innovations, after China, the United States, Republic of Korea, and Japan. Irrespective of India's position, the country has shown the highest annual growth rate in GenAI patent publications, with significant potential for economic impact.

China: Tops the list with 38,210 patents.

United States: Second place with 6,276 patents.

Republic of Korea: Third place with 4,155 patents.

Japan: Fourth place with 3,409 patents.

India: Fifth place with 1,350 patents from 2014 to 2023.

8. B

The 15th Agriculture Leadership Awards Committee has selected Maharashtra for the Best Agriculture State Award for 2024. This was announced by the 15th Agriculture Leadership Awards Committee headed by Justice P Sathasivam, former Chief Justice of India and Governor of Kerala. Maharashtra Chief Minister Eknath Shinde will receive the award at a ceremony to be held in New Delhi in July 2024.

9. B

The Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) appointed Gautam Gambhir as the new head coach of the Indian cricket team. Gambhir has replaced Rahul Dravid. He will join Team India from the Sri Lanka tour starting in late July and his tenure will last till the ODI World Cup 2027. Gambhir will be the 25th head coach of the Indian men's team. Before this, 24 legends have adorned this post. These include most Indian and some foreign coaches as well.

10. C

Supreme Court appoints former CJI UU Lalit as head of appointment committee for VCs | In the ongoing dispute between the West Bengal government and the Governor, who is also the Chancellor of state-aided universities, regarding the appointment of Vice-Chancellors (VCs) of



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universities, a division bench comprising Surya Kant* and KV Vishwanathan, JJs ordered formation of a separate or joint search-cum-selection committee and appointed former Chief Justice of India Uday Umesh Lalit as the Chairman of the Search-cum-Selection Committee for all universities.

11. A

Ahead of the assembly elections, senior Indian Administrative Service (IAS) officer Pankaj Aggarwal has been appointed as the Chief Electoral Officer of Haryana. Pankaj Aggarwal is a 2000 batch IAS officer. This appointment has been made after the administrative reshuffle in July 2024 when 12 IAS officers were transferred. Pankaj Aggarwal's name was also included in these.

12. B

Gautam Adani, Chairman of the Adani Group, has announced that the group will be the title sponsor of the Indian contingent at the upcoming 2024 Paris Olympics. This collaboration marks an important milestone in the partnership between the Indian sports community and the private sector, aimed at enhancing support for athletes competing at the highest level.

13. C

The Uttar Pradesh government has decided to waive registration tax on hybrid cars - as is already being done on fully electric vehicles. Showroom owners said the move will bring hybrid cars at par with petrol-powered cars.

14. B

The Indian Olympic Association (IOA) has announced that India will continue the tradition of having two flag bearers for the Paris 2024 Olympics, following the precedent set at Tokyo 2020. The decision is in line with the International Olympic Committee's push for gender equality in sports. Badminton star PV Sindhu has been named the women's flag bearer of the Indian contingent.

15. D



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World Youth Skills Day is celebrated every year on 15 July. It focuses on the strategic importance of equipping youth with skills for employment, decent work and entrepreneurship. This day is to equip youth around the world with the skills required for employment, work and entrepreneurship. This day is to celebrate and acknowledge the importance of equipping youth with skills for employment and entrepreneurship. Through this day, youth are inspired to celebrate and acknowledge the importance of equipping them with skills for employment and entrepreneurship.

