



Dikshant IAS - Daily Current Quiz

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1. "PM-Suraj" portal is related to which one of the following?

- a) Training youth for sports
- b) Loan assistance to the underprivileged
- c) Agricultural technological development
- d) Education for uneducated women

Ans: b)

- Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched the national portal "Social Upliftment and Employment-Based Public Welfare (PM-SURAJ)" on March 13, 2024.
- The PM-Suraj National Portal for credit assistance to the underprivileged is a symbol of the government's commitment to give priority to the underprivileged. It is a transformational initiative, which aims to uplift the most deprived sections of the society. Loan assistance will be provided through banks, non-banking financial companies (NBFCs)-micro finance institutions (MFIs) and other organizations to eligible individuals across the country.

2. Nayab Saini has taken oath as the Chief Minister of which state in March 2024?

- a) Tripura
- b) Sikkim
- c) Goa
- d) Haryana

Ans:d)

- Haryana BJP leader Nayab Singh Saini has been elected as the new Chief Minister of Haryana after the resignation of Manohar Lal Khattar in March 2024.



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3. Consider the following statements in the context of 'Bharat Shakti Abhyas' programme.

1. The event at Chaubatiya in Uttarakhand was based on showcasing the indigenous capability of the three services through integrated tri-service fire and maneuver exercises in battlefield conditions, under the country's Atmanirbhar Bharat initiative.

2. Its objective is to demonstrate the firepower of indigenous weapons and the operational capabilities and readiness of the Army.

Which of the above statements is/are not correct?

- a) only 1
- b) only 2
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) none of these



Ans: a)

- Demonstrating indigenous defense capabilities, a tri-service live fire and maneuver exercise named "Bharat Shakti" was conducted at Pokhran, Rajasthan on 12 March 2024. Hence statement 1 is not correct.
- "Bharat Shakti" aims to integrate real, coordinated, multi-domain operations showcasing the integrated operational capabilities of the Indian Armed Forces to counter threats in the domains of land, air, sea, cyber and space and use of indigenous weapons. The objective was to demonstrate the firepower and operational capabilities and readiness of the Army. Hence statement 2 is correct.



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4. In which city of Bihar did Prime Minister Narendra Modi address the “Vikat Bharat Vikas Bihar Programme” on 06 March 2024?

- a) Patna
- b) Rajgir
- c) Bettiah
- d) Bhagalpur

Ans: c

- Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi addressed the “Vikas Bharat Vikas Bihar Programme” in Bettiah city of West Champaran district of Bihar on 06 March 2024. During this, he laid the foundation stone and dedicated to the nation various infrastructure projects worth about Rs 12,800 crore related to rail, road and petroleum and natural gas.
- Also, the Prime Minister inaugurated India Oil's 109 km long Muzaffarpur - Motihari LPG pipeline.
- The Prime Minister dedicated to the nation the LPG plant and storage terminal of 'Indian Oil' in Motihari.

5. In which district of Bihar, Prime Minister Narendra Modi dedicated the digital database for livestock in the country - 'Bharat Pashudhan' to the nation in the first week of March 2024?

- a) Chhapra
- b) Begusarai
- c) Muzaffarpur
- d) Madhubani

Ans: b)



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- On March 02, 2024, Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched 'Bharat Pashudhan', a digital database for animals in Begusarai, Bihar. It will have a database of livestock of the entire country.
- In Bharat Livestock, every animal will have a 12 number unique ID.
- Along with this, PM Narendra Modi also launched '1962 Farmers App'. This app will have all the information and information of Bharat Livestock Database, which farmers will be able to use.

