



Dikshant IAS - Daily Current Quiz

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1. In March 2024, the International Astronomical Union (IAU) has approved the name for the landing site of Chandrayaan-3's Vikram lander on the Moon. What will be its name?

- a) Station Kailash
- b) Station Shiv Shakti
- c) Station Ganga
- d) Station Mahakal

Ans: b)

- On March 19, 2024, the Working Group of the International Astronomical Union (IAU) has approved the name 'Station Shiv Shakti' for the landing site of Chandrayaan-3's Vikram lander.
- According to the Gazetteer of Planetary Nomenclature, like terrestrial nomenclature, planetary nomenclature is used to uniquely identify a feature on the surface of a planet or satellite so that it can be easily located, described, and discussed.

2. Recently, where has the world's first 'Om' shaped temple been inaugurated?

- a) Bihar
- b) Maharashtra
- c) Rajasthan
- d) Gujarat

Ans: c)

- The world's first 'Om' shaped temple was inaugurated at Jadan in Pali district of Rajasthan.

3. Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated the first oil palm processing mill under Mission Palm Oil in which state?

- a) Rajasthan
- b) Arunachal Pradesh



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- c) Jharkhand
- d) Kerala

Ans: b)

- India's first oil palm processing unit was commissioned in Arunachal Pradesh by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on March 9, 2024.
- This factory is part of Mission Palm Oil and is India's first oil palm factory under NMEO-OP.

4. Which state government launched India's first government OTT platform 'Cspace' in March?

- a) Uttar Pradesh
- b) Kerala
- c) Goa
- d) Madhya Pradesh

Ans: b)

- On March 7, 2024, Kerala Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan launched India's first government over-the-top (OTT) platform named 'Cspace' in Thiruvananthapuram.
- Managed by the Kerala State Film Development Corporation (KSFDC), the platform aims to showcase award-winning films, short films, documentaries and other content that have not been widely released in theatres, but which have significant artistic and cultural merit.

5. Who among the following inaugurated India's first underwater metro tunnel in Kolkata on 06 March 2024?

- a) Mamata Banerjee
- b) Draupadi Murmu
- c) Narendra Modi
- d) Jagdeep Dhankhar



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Ans: c)

- Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated India's first underwater metro section in Kolkata on March 6, 2024. The Howrah Maidan-Esplanade section of the Kolkata Metro is an important addition to the metropolitan transport network, being the country's first metro tunnel under a significant river.

