



**MCQs:**

**1. Which of the following statement/s is/are true?**

1. RuPay is an Indian multinational financial services and Payment Service System.
2. It has been launched by the National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) in 2014.

- (a) 1 only  
(b) 2 only  
(c) Both 1 and 2  
(d) Neither 1 nor 2

Ans: c

**Explanation:**

- RuPay is an Indian multinational financial services and Payment Service System, conceived and launched by the National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) in 2014.

**2. Article 239AA of the Indian Constitution is associated with?**

- (a) Lakshadweep  
(b) Andaman and Nicobar  
(c) Delhi  
(d) Jammu and Kashmir

Ans: c

**Explanation:**

- Under Article 239 of the Constitution of India, the administration of UT's is handled by an administrator appointed by the President of India.



**3. Bagh caves, famous for Jataka stories paintings is located at?**

- (a) Uttar Pradesh
- (b) Madhya Pradesh
- (c) Bihar
- (d) Uttarakhand

Ans: b

**Explanation:**

- The Bagh Caves are a **collection of nine rock-cut monuments** located on the southern slopes of the Vindhyas near Bagh, Dhar district, Madhya Pradesh, India.

**4. Which of the following statement/s are true?**

1. NOTA is a symbol introduced by the Election Commission of India (ECI) in 2013,
2. NOTA votes are counted as invalid and do not affect the outcome of the election.

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

Ans: c

**Explanation:**

- NOTA is a symbol introduced by the Election Commission of India (ECI) in 2013, following a Supreme Court order, to provide an option to voters who do not want to vote for any candidates.
- The ECI has clarified that NOTA votes are counted as invalid and do not affect the outcome of the election.



**5. Kalamkari style of Painting is associated with?**

- (a) Kerala
- (b) Tamil Nadu
- (c) Madhya Pradesh
- (d) Andhra Pradesh

Ans: d

**Explanation:**

- Kalamkari paintings are famous in the states of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.