



MCQs:

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

1. A seamount is an underwater mountain.
2. They are formed through volcanic activity and scientists recognise them as hotspots for marine life.

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

Ans: c

Explanation:

- A seamount is an underwater mountain.
- They are formed through volcanic activity and scientists recognise them as hotspots for marine life.
- Like volcanoes on land, seamounts can be active, extinct or dormant volcanoes.

2. Kalesar National Park is located at?

- (a) Uttar Pradesh
(b) Haryana
(c) Bihar
(d) Punjab

Ans: b

Explanation:

- A tiger was caught on camera-trap at the Kalesar National Park in Haryana's Yamunanagar district. The last sighting of tiger in the Kalesar area was in 1913.



3. Gulf of Oman connects?

- (a) Arabian Sea with the Strait of Hormuz
- (b) Arabian Sea with Red Sea
- (c) Red Sea with Mediterranean Sea
- (d) Black Sea with Red Sea

Ans: a

Explanation:

- The Gulf of Oman connects the Arabian Sea with the Strait of Hormuz, which then empties into the Persian Gulf.

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

1. Launched in 2014, the Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY) is a scheme run by the Ministry of Finance.
 2. This scheme assists underprivileged sections of our society with simple access to financial services.
- (a) 1 only
 - (b) 2 only
 - (c) Both 1 and 2
 - (d) Neither 1 nor 2

Ans: c

Explanation:

- Launched in 2014, the Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY) is a scheme run by the Ministry of Finance of the Government of India.
- This scheme assists underprivileged and needy sections of our society with simple access to financial services such as remittance, credit, insurance, pension, savings, and deposit accounts.



5. The Baltic Sea is not surrounded by?

- (a) Estonia
- (b) Georgia
- (c) Poland
- (d) Romania

Ans: d

Explanation:

- The Baltic Sea is surrounded by nine countries: Denmark, Germany, Poland, Lithuania, Latvia, Estonia, Russia, Finland and Sweden.