

#### MCQs:

1. W	hich of	the	following	statement	/s	is	/are	true?
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- **1.** The magnetosphere shields earth from solar and cosmic particle radiation.
- **2.** Earth is the only planet in the solar system which has magnetosphere.
- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

Ans: c

## **Explanation:**

Other planets in our solar system have magnetospheres, but Earth has the strongest one
of all the rocky planets. The magnetosphere shields earth from solar and cosmic particle
radiation, as well as erosion of the atmosphere by the solar wind.

# 2. Spartly islands are located at?

- (a) Yellow sea
- (b) South China sea
- (c) East China sea
- (d) Arabian sea

Ans: b

#### **Explanation:**

The Spratly Islands are a disputed archipelago in the South China Sea.

#### 3. Bhortal Nritya is the dance form of?

- (a) West Bengal
- (b) Manipur
- (c) Assam



(d) Nagaland

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## **Explanation:**

 Bhortal Nritya- It comes from Barpeta region of Assam. It was developed by Sattriya artist Narahari Burha Bhakat. Dancers equipped with cymbals perform on fast beats known as 'Zhiya Nom'.

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

- **1**. PESA is an Act to provide for the extension of the provisions of Part IX of the Constitution relating to the Panchayats to the Scheduled Areas.
- 2. It ensures self-governmance through Gram Sabhas.
- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

#### Ans: c

#### **Explanation:**

- It ensures self-governmence through Gram Sabhas (village assemblies) for people living in the Scheduled Areas.
- The Ministry of Panchayati Raj is the nodal Ministry for implementation of the provisions of PESA in the States.

# 5. Article 324 of the Constitution Region is associated with?

- (a) Election Commission of India
- (b) Accountant General
- (c) Information Commission
- (d) NITI Ayog

#### Ans: a



# **Explanation:**

• Article 324 of the Constitution provides that the power of superintendence, direction, and control of elections to parliament, state legislatures, the office of the president of India, and the office of vice-president of India shall be vested in the election commission.

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