- 1. 1st World Indigenous Games were held in which country: **Brazil**
- 2. Gold Monetisation Scheme 2015 will replace which Gold Deposit Scheme: Gold Deposit Scheme 1999
- **3.** 1<sup>st</sup> dedicated mobile handset manufacturing facility will be established in which city of India : **Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh**
- 4. Which Bank became 1st to join Chillr Platform: Bank of Baroda
- 5. Who became Lokayukta of Delhi : **RevaKhetrapal**
- **6.** SakethMyneni related with which Sports : **Tennis**
- 7. Who appointed the Chairman (vice-President is the Chairman of RajyaSabha) of RajyaSabha : **Members of RajyaSabha and LokSabha**
- 8. \_\_\_\_ members of RajyaSabha retired after every two years : 1/3
- 9. Salary of Supreme Court Judges is charged on : Consolidated Fund of India
- 10.In Indian Constitution, Articles 352, 356 and 360 related with: National Emergency, State Emergency (President's Rule) and Financial Emergency respectively
- 11. Name the only two Indians awarded with Ramanujan Prize : Amalendu Krishna and SujathaRamadorai
- 12. Who wrote the book 'The KumbhMela: Mapping the Ephemeral Megacity': **TarunKhanna**
- 13. Name the only two non-fiction books of ChetanBhagat: Making India

  Awesome and What Young India Wants
- 14. Who awarded with Peter Mackler Award 2015: ZainaErhaim of Syria
- 15. Which Indian won Gold Medal in Archery World Cup: AbhishekVerma
- 16. Which country won Rugby World Cup 2015 : New Zealand
- 17. Who won Singapore BNP Paribas WTA Title : SaniaMirza and Martina Hingis



- 18. Which organization launched the 'Vikalp Scheme': Indian Railways (or waitlisted passengers)
- 19.7 months ban on fishing imposed by which State Government: Odisha
- 20.BrijmohanLallMunjal, recently died, was founder of which organization: **Hero MotoCorp**
- 21. Who became the President of Turkey: RecepTayyipErdogan
- 22.49<sup>th</sup> trial of BrahMos missile successfully test fired from : **INS Kochi**
- 23. Who appointed as Chairman of Central Board of Excise and Customs :Najib Shah
- 24. National Unity Day is observed on which date: 31st October
- 25. Who became Speaker of US House of Representatives: Paul Ryan
- 26. Who awarded with New York Global Leaders Dialogue Humanitarian Award: **BindeshwarPathak**
- 27. Who became 1<sup>st</sup> Scientist to return his civilian award (Padma Bhushan): **PushpaMitraBhargava**
- 28.3<sup>rd</sup> India-Africa Forum Summit held in which country: India
- 29. Who became President of Tanzania: John PombeMagufuli
- **30.**Who won European Union's Sakharov Prize for human rights: RaifBadawi
- 31.Recently, sexual assault on men declared as crime in which country:

  China
- 32. Who awarded with Best Swimmers Award in 69<sup>th</sup> Senior National Aquatic Championship: **Mana Patel and VirdhawalKhade**
- **33.**Who won Swiss Indoors Basel Title of Tennis : Roger Federer of Switzerland
- 34. Who appointed as 2<sup>nd</sup> Commanding Officer of INS Vikramaditya : Captain Krishna Swaminathan



- 35.INS Vikramaditya is \_\_\_\_ aircraft carrier : Kiev Class
- **36.** Who is the President of Indonesia : **JokoWidodo**
- 37. Who won Mexican Grand Prix of Formula 1: NicoRosberg of Germany
- 38.National Tribal Crafts MelaAaadishilp 2015 started at which place : **New Delhi**
- 39. Who is Union Minister of Tribal Affairs: JualOram
- 40.Fast patrol vessel of Aadesh-Class of India Coast Guard commissioned at Kochi, name that : ICGS Arinjay
- 41. Which country won FIBA Asia Championship title: China
- 42. World's highest research and development facility centre 'Chang La' located at which place : **Leh**
- **43.**Which State became 1<sup>st</sup> to established Special Agriculture Zones (SEZs): Uttarakhand
- 44. Which country has largest share in global mangrove areas: Indonesia
- 45. Who won Men's singles title of China Open: Novak Djokovic
- 46.According to the Legatum Prosperity Index 2015, which country ranked at No.1 position : **Norway**
- 47. Which State Government recently launched "Van Dhan Jan Dhan' scheme for Ayurvedic medicines : **Maharashtra**
- 48. Who won Hero Women's Indian Open 2015: Emily Kristine Pedersen
- 49. Who became President of Guatemala : **Jimmy Morales**
- 50. Who honoured for exemplary agriculture work: Anita Adalja, an Indian-American
- 51. World Polio Day is observed on which date: 24th October
- 52. Which Indian film awarded with People's Choice Award at Rome Film Festival: **Angry Indian Goddesses**



- **53.**Which organization awarded with UN Climate Solutions Award : Chintan
- 54.Recently, World's 1<sup>st</sup> 3D blood vessel bio printer invented by which country: **China**
- 55. Financial Assistance for BPL Patients raised by Rs.5 Lakh under which scheme: RashtriyaArogyaNidhi (RAN)
- 56. Tianui-1C launched by China, what is it: Mapping satellite
- 57. According to the report of World Bank's 2016 Ease of Doing Business Report, what is India's rank: 130<sup>th</sup>
- **58.**Which organization/ministry launched E-Sahyog : **Union Ministry of Finance**
- **59.**Which organization developed the Herbal Drug 'BGR-34': **National Botanical Research Institute (NBRI)**
- 60. Which railway station of India became 1<sup>st</sup> visually challenged friendly station: **Mysuru, Karnataka**
- **61.**Name the 4 Indians appointed as Cabinet Ministers in Canada : HarjitSajjan, NavdeepBains, AmarjeetSohi and BardishChagger
- **62.**Who wrote the famous book titled as 'Gandhi, Nehru and J.P.' : **Bimal Prasad**
- 63. Who appointed as Brand Ambassador of Tata Motors: Lionel Messi
- 64. According to the report of Census Bureau, which language became most Indian spoken language in USA: **Hindi**
- 65. Who won Silver Medal in 13<sup>th</sup> Asian Shooting Championship : **JituRai**
- 66. Recently, State of Emergency declared in which country: Maldives
- 67. According to the report of WHO, the largest number of Tuberculosis cases recorded in which country in 2014 : **India** (1.5 million cases)



- 68. Who became 1<sup>st</sup> Indian awarded with IEEE electron devices society early career award : **MayankShrivastava**
- 69.SLINEX is Naval Exercise between which two countries: India and Sri Lanka
- 70. Who awarded with Karnataka Science and Technology Academy (KSTA) Lifetime Achievement Award : **B.N. Suresh**
- 71. Country's 1<sup>st</sup> real estate channel 'Magickbricks Now' launched by which organization: **Times Group**
- 72. Who won India Masters Golf title: S. Chikka
- 73.Name the bank awarded with IDBRT Best Bank Award for best IT enabled Regional Rural Bank : **Kerala Gramin Bank**
- 74. Madhya Pradesh raised 33% quota for women in govt. jobs, earlier it was : 30%
- 75. Recently, which country introduced biometric visas to Indians: France
- 76. Who awarded with VishnudasBhave Award: VikramGokhale
- **77.**According to FIFA Ranking, which country ranked at No.1 position : **Belgium**
- 78.According to the report of Forbes World's Most Powerful Persons, PM Modi ranked at which position: 9<sup>th</sup>
- 79. According to the report of Forbes World's Most Powerful Persons, who ranked at No.1 position: **Vladimir Putin**, **President of Russia**
- 80. Who became Prime Minister of Canada: **Justin Trudeau of Liberal**Party
- **81.**Name the youngest Prime Minister of Canada till now: **Joe Clark (40 years)**
- 82.Bimal Prasad recently died, who was he: Former Indian Ambassador to Nepal



- **83.**Who is the Author of the book titled as 'Gandhi, Nehru and J.P.' : **Bimal Prasad**
- 84.Name the Vice-President of Maldives impeached by Parliament of Maldives : **Ahmed Abdul Ghafoor**
- 85.Name the two Vice-Presidents of Maldives impeached by its Parliament : **Ahmed Abdul Ghafoor and Mohamed Jameel**
- 86.Recently, India introduced how many fee slabs for e-tourist Visa policy :
- 87. Which Indian Metro service received ISO rating for energy efficient management: **Delhi Metro**
- **88.**Which Indian State will set up bio-ethanol refiner, recently announced : **Punjab**
- 89. Who appointed as India's Ambassador to Afghanistan: ManpreetVohra
- 90. Which bank launched the scheme 'Green PIN': South Indian Bank
- 91. What is the range of BrahMos supersonic cruise missile: 290 km
- **92.**Who won WTA mixed doubles title of Tennis : **SaniaMirza and Martina Hingis**
- 93.According to the report on World's Most Valuable Nations Brands, what is India's rank: **7**<sup>th</sup>
- 94. Who became Vice-President of Nepal: Nanda Kishor Pun
- 95. Which internet giant started the 'Project Loon' in India: Google
- 96. Who is the Author of the book titled as 'Advantage India-From Challenge to Opportunity': **APJ Abdul Kalam**
- 97. Who became 43<sup>rd</sup> Chief Justice of India: Justice T.S. Thakur
- 98. Which country was most hit by cyclone 'Chapala': Yemen
- 99. The festival namely 'Sahabat India' organized in which country/city: Indonesia



- 100. Recently, which country has declared national emergency for 30 days: Maldives
- **101.** JituRai related with which sport : **Shooting**
- 102. Hashim Abdul Halim, recently died, who was he: Former Speaker of West Bengal
- 103. Who awarded with WISE Prize for Education 2015 : SakenaYacoobi
- 104. Recently, which two European countries conducted the joint session of after the conflict of almost 25 years : **Bosnia and Serbia**
- 105. Name the 1<sup>st</sup> female jockey to win Melbourne Cup: **Michelle Payne**
- 106. Name an Indian Boxer obtained No.1 spot in World ranking : ShivaThapa
- 107. Microsoft will initiate pilot project under Digital India Initiative in which city: **Varanasi**
- 108. UDAY Scheme launched by which ministry: Ministry of Power
- 109. What is minimum and maximum investment under Sovereign Gold Bond Scheme: 2 grams and 500 grams of physical gold respectively
- 110. APJ Abdul KalamAmrutYojana launched by which State Government : Maharashtra
- 111. Who became Defence Minister of Canada: HarjitSajjan
- 112. Who appointed as life President of Hockey India: Vidya Stokes
- 113. What percentage cess on service of Swachh Bharat imposed by Govt. of India which will be effective from: 15<sup>th</sup> November 2015
- 114. 1<sup>st</sup> Mega Tourism Circuit of the country will be develop in which State: **Kerala** (**Gavi-Vagamon region**) **under 'SwadeshDarshan' scheme**



- 115. According to the list of World's healthiest countries, which country ranked at No.1 and what is India's rank: Singapore and 103<sup>rd</sup> respectively
- 116. Which Indian State has highest graduate unemployment rate: Kerala (over 30%)
- 117. Under Indian Gold Coin Scheme, what denomination of gold coins were issued: **5, 10 and 20 grams**
- 118. Who won Gold Medals in 69<sup>th</sup> Senior National Aquatic Championship in men's and women's category held at Rajkot, Gujarat : VirdhawalKhade (Men's category) and Mana Patel (Women's category)
- 119. According to FIFA ranking, which country ranked at No.1 and what is India's rank: **Belgium and 167**<sup>th</sup> **respectively**
- 120. Who appointed as Managing Director of Oxford University Press India (OUPI): **V. Sivaramakrishnan**
- **121.** The scheme 'SATYAM' launched by which ministry : **Ministry of Science and Technology**
- 122. Recently PM Modi launched 450 MW Baglihar Hydro Electric Project, situated in which State: **Jammu and Kashmir**
- 123. Justin Trudeau of Liberal Party became \_\_ Prime Minister of Canada :23<sup>rd</sup>
- 124. 1<sup>st</sup> International Film Festival for the persons with disabilities will be held in which city: **New Delhi**
- 125. 7<sup>th</sup> edition of INDRA-2015 held between India and Russia at which place: **Bikaner, Rajasthan**



- **126.** Who ranked at No.1 position in Fortune India List of 50 most powerful businesswomen for 2015 : **Arundhati Bhattacharya followed by ChandaKochar and Shikha Sharma**
- 127. What is the deadline to achieve all villages electrification under DeendayalUpadhyayaGrameenJyotiYojana: 31st March 2017
- 128. National Legal Services Day observed on which date: 09th November
- 129. 5<sup>th</sup> trial of Agni-IV missile successfully tested from Wheeler Island, off the Odisha coast, what is its range and weighs: 4000 km and 17 tonnes respectively
- 130. Who appointed as 1st Ombudsman at BCCI: AjitPrakash Shah
- 131. 1<sup>st</sup> World Humanitarian Summit 2016 will be held in which country: **Istanbul, Turkey**
- 132. 1<sup>st</sup>RashtriyaSanskritiMahotsav held in which Indian city: New Delhi (organized by Ministry of Culture)
- 133. What is the full form of SWAYAM : Study Webs of Active-Learning for Young Aspiring Minds
- **134.** Name the city/town in India to have achieved 100% literacy : **Kottayam, Kerala**
- 135. Name the city/town in India known as 'City of Letters' (AkshataNagari): **Kottayam, Kerala**
- 136. Name the Indian State to launch auction of mines and became 1<sup>st</sup>:Gujarat
- 137. World Science Day is observed on which date: 10<sup>th</sup> November
- 138. Which organization published the report titled as 'World Energy Outlook 2015': **International Energy Agency**
- 139. What percent of FDI is allowed in Coffee plantation in India: 100%



- 140. According to Census 2011, which State has highest and lowest male and female literacy rate: Lakshadweep (highest in male literacy), Bihar (lowest in male literacy), Kerala (highest in female literacy 91.98%), Rajasthan (lowest in female literacy 52.66%)
- 141. Which year declared as International Year of Pulses by Food and Agriculture Organization : **2016**
- 142. Who became 1<sup>st</sup> female Vice-President of Tanzania : **SamiaSuluhu**
- 143. 21<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Frontiers in Yoga Research and its Applications 2016 (INCOFYRA) will be organized in which city/country: **Bengaluru**
- 144. Who appointed as MD and CEO of Andhra Bank: Suresh N. Patel
- 145. Who took over the command of aircraft carrier INS Vikramaditya : Captain Krishna Swaminathan
- 146. Who appointed as Executive Director of RBI: Deepak Singhal
- **147.** Which language became 3<sup>rd</sup> most common language in the House of Commons in Canada : **Punjabi**
- 148. Recently, which Indian Coast Guard Ship commissioned by Vice-Admiral Sunil Lamba PVSM in Kochi: **ICGS Arinjay**
- 149. Recently, Counter-Espionage Public Hotline launched by which country: **China**
- 150. Recently, Norway re-opened Consulate General in Mumbai after almost 4 decades, earlier it was shut down in which year: **1973**
- 151. International Summit on Migration between European Union and African Leaders held in which country: **Malta**
- 152. 1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Gender Equality held in which country: Kovalam, Kerala, India



- 153. Who awarded with AdityaVikram Birla Kala Shikhar Award for lifetime achievement: **Shivkumar Sharma**
- 154. Name the two Indians listed in inaugural 'Global Diversity List':

  BindeshwarPathak and Purnima Mehta
- **155.** Comac C919 Aircraft developed by which country: **Commercial Aircraft Corporation, China**
- 156. Recently, which country provisionally suspended from International Athletics on doping charges : **Russia**
- 157. The scheme 'SARANSH' launched by which Union Ministry of India: Ministry of Human Resource Development
- 158. Which country won highest number of medals in World Youth Chess Championship, recently held in Greece: India (11 medals including 5 Gold medals)
- 159. Meghalaya considered as home to the Citrus Indica, the very first species of citrus fruits in the World, it is found in which area of Meghalaya: **West Garo Hills, Meghalaya**
- 160. 'Gyps Vulture Reintroduction Programme' launched by which Indian State: **Haryana**
- 161. Who is the Chairman of National Investment and Infrastructure Fund (NIIF): **Finance Minister of India**
- **162.** Which famous personality launched the project 'Imprint India': **PM**NarendraModi
- 163. Bimal Prasad, recently died, who was he: Former Ambassador to Nepal
- **164.** Who appointed as Indian High Commissioner to UK : **Navtej Singh Sarna**
- 165. The Citizenship Act passed in which year: 1955



- 166. Which organization developed Advanced Torpedo Defence System 'Mareech': **Defence Research and Development Organization** (**DRDO**)
- 167. National Children's Day observed on 14<sup>th</sup> November 2015 and World Children's Day observed on which date : **20<sup>th</sup> November**
- 168. World Pneumonia Day observed on which date: 12<sup>th</sup> November
- 169. North-East India's 1<sup>st</sup> elephant hospital established at which place : **Kaziranga National Park, Assam**
- 170. PM Modi inaugurated Ambedkar Memorial situated at which place : **King Henry's Road, London, UK**
- 171. Who won Brazilian Grand Prix title of Formula 1 : NicoRosberg of Germany
- 172. Who won China Open 2015 in women's singles category: **Xuerui Li** of China
- 173. Who is the Union Health Minister of India: J.P. Nadda
- 174. Sharavati Project is situated in which State of India: Karnataka
- 175. 175 gms coin issued by Iltutmish was in which metal : **Silver**
- 176. Alai Darwaza is a gateway to which famous monument : **QutubMinar**
- 177. Keoladeo Bird Sanctuary is situated in which State of India: Rajasthan
- 178. What is the Capital and Currency of South Sudan : Juba and Pound respectively
- 179. What is the full form of PRAN : Permanent Retirement Account Number
- 180. Name the oldest language of India: Tamil



- **181.** International Day for Tolerance observed on which date : **16**<sup>th</sup> **November**
- 182. Name the person banned by FIFA for 10 years : Ganesh Thapa,

  President of Nepal Football team
- 183. Who appointed as India's Permanent Representative to United Nations: **Syed Akbaruddin**
- 184. Which State became 1<sup>st</sup> to start e-auction of mines: **Rajasthan**
- **185.** 19<sup>th</sup> International Children's Film Festival of India is held at which place: **Hyderabad**
- **186.** Recently, Financial Infrastructure Development Network (FIDN) launched by which organization : **Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation** (APEC)
- 187. World Diabetes Day is observed on which date: 14<sup>th</sup> November
- **188.** Name the French city came under terrorist attack recently: **Paris**
- 189. PM NarendraModi launched Neev Fund to finance low-income state infrastructure project in London related with which Public Sector Bank:

  State Bank of India
- **190.** Recently, Valletta Summit on Migration 2015 held in which country : **Malta**
- 191. World Pneumonia Day 2015 observed on 12<sup>th</sup> November under which theme: Every Breath Counts: **Stop Pneumonia Now**
- 192. Skal World Congress 2017 will be held at which place: **Hyderabad**
- 193. Recently, which Private/Public Sector Bank signed an agreement with London Stock Exchange Group: Yes Bank
- 194. There are how many Schedules in Constitution of India: 12
- 195. Which articles gives the definition of 'Money Bill': Article 110



- 196. Recently, Mitchell Johnson retired from all forms of International Cricket, how many time he awarded with Cricketer of the Year Award : Two times in 2009 and 2014
- **197.** Who won Gold and Silver medals in BWF World Junior Badminton Championship: Chia Hung Lu Chia and SirilVerma respectively
- **198.** Ashok Singhal, the famous leader of Vishva Hindu Parishad (VHP), died, he was founder of which famous movement : **Ramjanmabhoomi Movement**
- 199. Name the three airlines imposed with fine of Rs.258 Crore by Competition Commission of India: Jet Airways, IndiGo and Spice Jet
- 200. EKS Kosmos-2510, newest defence satellite, recently launched by which country: **Russia**
- **201.** International Skill Summit called as 'Nypunyam 2016' will be held in which city/country: **Kerala**
- 202. Which Year declared as India-UK Year of Culture by Prime Minister of Britain David Cameron: 2017
- **203.** Who awarded with Infosys Prize for Social Sciences: **Dr.SrinathRaghavan**
- 204. 'The SKILLS 2015-International Conference' will be held in which city/country: **Hyderabad (during 19<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> November 2015)**
- **205.** 'EkKadamUnnati Ki Aur' campaign launched by which famous organization/company: **Intel**
- 206. 1<sup>st</sup> mega silk cluster of India will come up in which State : Belavadi,Karnataka
- 207. International Day of Persons with Disabilities is observed on which date: **03<sup>rd</sup> December**



- **208.** According to the report of Global Hunger Index 2015, which country ranked at No.1 and what is India's rank: **Central African Republic and 80<sup>th</sup> respectively**
- 209. Who is the President and Prime Minister of Finland : SauliNiinisto and JuhaSipila respectively
- 210. What is Capital and Currency of Finland: Helsinki and Euro respectively
- 211. Tata Steel launched its 1<sup>st</sup> integrated steel plant in India at which place
  : Kalinganagar, Jajpur, Odisha
- 212. Who became 1<sup>st</sup>Lokayukta of India to be removed by Assembly : Y. BhaskarRao, Lokayukta of Karnataka
- 213. Who awarded with DRR Champion for Asia Region by UNISDR: **KirenRijiju**
- 214. 1<sup>st</sup> International Qawalli Festival 2016 titled as 'Taali Ho' will be held at which place : **Delhi**
- 215. World Antibiotic Awareness Week launched by WHO during which period: 16<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2015
- 216. World Antibiotic Awareness Week launched under which theme : Antibiotics: **Handle with Care**
- 217. Name the computer/supercomputer became World's powerful Supercomputer : **Tianhe-2**
- 218. Who appointed as 43<sup>rd</sup> Chief Justice of India: Justice T.S. Thakur
- 219. Who appointed as India's Ambassador to China : Vijay KeshavGokhale
- 220. Indus River originates from which range: Northern slopes of Kailash Range



- 221. Which organization calculates and publishes London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR): **Thomson Reuters**
- 222. Name the blood protein regulates the amount of water in plasma :

  Albumin
- 223. The goods which have positive relationship between price and quantity demanded are called as: **Giffen Goods**
- **224.** Battle of Chandawar was fought which two : **Mohammad Ghori and Jai Chand**
- 225. Phobes and Deimos are two satellites of which planet: Mars
- 226. Recently, 27<sup>th</sup> Summit of Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) held in which country: **Manila, Philippines**
- **227.** Who won Gold Medal in Track Asia Cup (Cycling) : AmrithaReghunathan of India
- 228. According to the report of Global Terrorism Index 2015, which country ranked at No.1 and what is India's rank: **Iraq**, 6<sup>th</sup> **respectively**
- 229. World Toilet Day is observed on which date: 19th November
- 230. Who awarded with Indira Gandhi Prize for Peace, Disarmament and Development: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)
- 231. Who won Indiana FIDE Rating Chess Tournament : SrishtiPandey
- 232. National Resource Facility for Bio-medical Research (NARF) will come up in which city: **Hyderabad**
- 233. What % of disinvestment in Coal India has been approved by CCEA: 10%
- 234. ICFT-UNESCO Fellini Prize is related with which field: Films
- 235. International Centre of Excellence in Investigation (ICEI) will be set up in which city of India: **Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh**



- 236. Largest single location greenfield steel project has been commissioned in which Indian State : **Odisha**
- 237. Who is the Author of the book titled as 'Inside IB and RAW':

  Shankaran Nair
- 238. Who is Secretary-General of Interpol: Jurgen Stock
- 239. G-20 Summit held/will be held in which country: Antalya, Turkey
- 240. Who is/are the Author(s) of the book titled as 'The Great Indian Diet': Luke Countinho and ShilpaShetty
- 241. According to Global Gender Gap Report 2015, which country ranked at No.1 position and what is India's rank: **Iceland**, **108**<sup>th</sup> **respectively**
- 242. Who is the CEO of TCS: NatarajanChandrasekaran
- 243. Who awarded with Honorary Doctorate by University of East London: Ashok Amritraj
- 244. India-Bangladesh Electricity Link will get loan of \$120 million from Asian Development Bank under which programme : South Asia Subregional Economic Co-operation (SASEC) Programme
- 245. Who elected as 1<sup>st</sup> ever Chairperson of an urban municipal body in Kerala from BJP : **PrameelaSashidharan**
- 246. Nitish Kumar became 5<sup>th</sup> time CM of Bihar, who became Deputy CM of the State : **Tejaswi Prasad Yadav**
- **247.** Who awarded with 'Reporters Without Borders Prize': **ZainaErhaim of Syria**
- 248. World Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Day is observed on which date: **18**<sup>th</sup> **November**
- 249. Who is the Author of 'Brahma Sutra': AdiShankaracharya
- 250. What is the prevailing system for the appointments of Judges of High Court and Supreme Courts in India: **Collegium System**



- **251.** What is the full form of SIDO : **Small Industries Development Organization**
- 252. Name the cheapest mode of transport in terms of fixed plus running costs: Waterways
- 253. Mediterranean Sea connects with Atlantic Ocean by: Strait of Gibralter
- 254. Rigveda was written during which 'Age': Iron Age
- **255.** According to Global Peace Index 2015, which country ranked at No.1 position and what is India's rank: **Iceland**, (**143**<sup>rd</sup> **among 162 countries**) **respectively**
- **256.** Ram Krishna Trivedi, recently died, who was he: Former Governor of Gujarat
- 257. Where is the Headquarter of World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA):

  Montreal, Canada
- 258. Who appointed as President of Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry: **HarshavardhanNeotia**
- 259. Rajasthan signed a Sister-State Agreement with which State/City/Country: South Australia
- 260. World Fisheries Day is observed on which date: 21st November
- 261. ASEAN Summit 2015 held at which place: Malaysia
- **262.** Who is the Chairman of 7<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission : **Justice A.K. Mathur**
- 263. International Film Festival of India 2015 will be held at which place : **Goa**
- 264. Who is the Chairman of Committee on Revisiting and Revitalizing the PPP Model: **Vijay Kelkar**



- **265.** Who awarded with 1<sup>st</sup> 'Distinguished Indologist' Award : **Heinrich Von Stietencron of Germany**
- 266. Who appointed as Member to high-level panel on health by United Nations: Yusuf Hamied of India
- 267. World's 2<sup>nd</sup> largest diamond ever has been discovered in which country: **Botswana**
- **268.** 2<sup>nd</sup> World Congress for Disaster Management was held in which city/country: **Visakhapatnam**
- 269. Who is the Author of the book titled as 'The Modern Gurukul': SonaliBendre
- 270. Name the Indian woman farmer is included in BBC's list of 100 most aspirational women: **RimppiKumari**
- 271. Which country won 8<sup>th</sup> Men's Junior Asia Hockey Cup: India
- 272. Who won ATP World Tour Finals of Tennis : Novak Djokovic of Serbia
- 273. Who won IBSF World Snooker Championship: PankajAdvani
- 274. Who is Union Railways Minister: Suresh Prabhu
- 275. Recently, 10 days State of Emergency declared in which country: Mali
- 276. Who is President and Prime Minister of Mali: Ibrahim Boubacar Keita and Modibo Keita respectively
- 277. Who will become Chief Guest in Republic Day Celebrations 2016 :Francois Hollande
- 278. Who appointed as US Director of Asian Development Bank: Swati Dandenkar, an Indian-American



- 279. Recently, Advanced Air Defence (AAD) interceptor missile successfully test fired from which place: Abdul Kalam Island off the Odisha Coast
- 280. K. Sankaran Nair recently died, who was he: Former Chief of Research and Analysis Wing
- **281.** Recently, who awarded with Presidential Medal of Freedom : **Yogi Berra of USA**
- 282. Recently, Airports Authority of India signed an agreement with which organization /company : IL & FS Global Financial Services
- 283. Name the batsman of Namibia who died following his collapse during the match: **Raymond van Schoor**
- 284. Who awarded with Presidential Scholarship by kendall College School of Culinary Arts : **AashritAbhinavSundar**
- 285. Who awarded with South Asian Public Service Award 2015 by Office of Immigrant Affairs: **UshirPandit-Durant**
- 286. 2<sup>nd</sup> World Congress on Disaster Management held at which place : **Visakhapatnam**
- 287. Mahatma Gandhi International Centre inaugurated in Matale, Sri Lanka, who is the President of Sri Lanka: **MaithripalaSirisena**
- 288. Who awarded with DinanathMangeshkar Award: **PrashantDamle**
- 289. Recently, SEBI signed an agreement with Bangladesh Securities and Exchange Commission, who is the Chairman of SEBI: **U.K. Sinha**
- 290. Name the Committee, recently set up for promotion of Sanskrit Language: N. Gopalaswami Committee
- 291. East Asia Summit 2015 held in which country: Malaysia
- 292. Who became 1<sup>st</sup> Indian to win Asian Woman Footballer of Year Award in UK : **AditiChauhan**



- 293. Which Indian State entered the Guinness Book of World Records for planting the most saplings in one day: **Uttar Pradesh**
- 294. 1<sup>st</sup> 'South Asian Annual Disaster Management Exercise 2015 (SAADMEx) will be held in which country: **India**
- 295. 1<sup>st</sup> instance of Satyagraha was held in which city of India: Ahmedabad
- 296. Chairman of RajyaSabha in India is elected by : Members of RajyaSabha and LokSabha
- 297. Tungbhadra Multipurpose project is a joint venture which two States:

  Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh
- 298. Which Indian State has maximum percentage of mangroves: West Bengal
- 299. Which part or provision of Indian Constitution cannot be amended : **Judicial Review**
- 300. Who introduced the Mansabdari System: Akbar
- **301.** Who appointed as Coach of Indian Men's Hockey Team : **Roger Van Gent**
- 302. Who appointed as Special Representative for Somalia and Head of UN Assistance Mission, Somalia (UNSOM): **Michael Keating**
- 303. Who awarded with RamnathGoenka Lifetime Achievement Award : KuldipNayar
- 304. Who became President of Argentina: Mauricio Macri
- **305.** 'Dhanush' missile successfully test fired from which place : **Subhadra off Puri coast, Odisha**
- 306. Where is the Headquarter of International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO) : **Madrid**



- **307.** World's largest animal cloning centre will be set up in which country : **China**
- 308. Mahip Singh, recently died, was related with which field: Literature
- 309. What is the range of recently test fired nuclear capable missile 'Dhanush': 350 km
- **310.** What is the new deadline set up by Govt. of India for completion of rural connectivity through roads under PMGSY: **Year 2019**
- 311. Recently, 'Tourist Mitra' launched by which State: Karnataka
- 312. Recently, which country launched 'Telstar 12V', communication satellite of Canada: **Japan**
- 313. 'Orange the World Campaign' related with which organization/company: **United Nations**
- 314. According to the report released by UN, which country most affected by weather related disasters between 1995 and 2015 : **USA**
- 315. What is the full form of LED : **Light Emitting Diode**
- 316. Who is Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment: Thawar Chand Gehlot
- 317. Recently, PM Modi inaugurated Torana Gate in which city/country: Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 318. Who appointed as Chairperson of Target Olympic Podium (TOP) Scheme: **Anju Bobby George**
- 319. National Milk Day is observed on which date : 26<sup>th</sup> November
- 320. Who known as 'Father of White Revolution': Dr.VergheseKurien
- 321. Constitution Day is observed on which date: 26<sup>th</sup> November
- 322. International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women is observed on which date : **25**<sup>th</sup> **November**



- **323.** Salary of Judge of High Court charged from : Consolidated Fund of State
- 324. There are how many rings on Olympic Flag: 5
- 325. What is the currency of Austria: Euro
- 326. World's 1st Chemistry Lab was set up in which country: Netherlands
- 327. What is the former name of Tuberculosis: Consumption
- **328.** Who was 1<sup>st</sup> Indian to be elected to the British Parliament : **DadabhaiNaoroji**
- 329. In which year, India became member of United Nations: 1955
- **330.** Name the language was patronized by the rules of Delhi Sultanate : **Persian**
- 331. Short bilateral Cricket series between India and Pakistan will be played in which country: **Sri Lanka**
- 332. Recently, which State of India decided to ban the liquor from 01<sup>st</sup> April 2016 : **Bihar**
- **333.** KhekihoZhimomo, recently died, who was he: **RajyaSabha MP** from Nagaland
- 334. New species of tree frog Ghatixalusmagnus discovered in which city/State : Idukki, Kerala
- 335. Who appointed as President of Associated Chamber of Commerce and Industry of India (ASSOCHAM): **Sunil Kanoria**
- **336.** According to the report of World Meteorological Organization (WMO), which year recorded as the warmest year on record: **2015**
- **337.** 3-Cities Fame India Eco Drive started from which place : **Red Fort, New Delhi**
- **338.** SurendraUpadhyay, recently died, who was he: Former Chairman of Rajasthan Brijbhasha Academy



- **339.** Who became 1<sup>st</sup> woman Prosecutor General of Maldives : **AishathBisam**
- 340. What is the full form of AMRUT : Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation
- **341.** World Robot Olympiad (WRO) 2015 held in which country : **Doha**, **Qatar**
- 342. Which State/UT introduced Working Journalists Amendment Bill, 2015 : **Delhi**
- **343.** What is the full form of TReDS : **Trade Receivables Discounting**System
- 344. Name the joint exercise concluded in Delhi as attended by SAARC members : **SAADMEx 2015**
- 345. Name the award 1<sup>st</sup> time given at 46<sup>th</sup> International Film Festival of India (IFFI) : **Fellini Medal**
- **346.** South Asian Annual Disaster Management Exercise (SAADMEx) 2015 held at which place : **Delhi**
- **347.** 3 cities Fame India Eco Drive started from which city/place : **New Delhi**
- **348.** Name the 3 cities included in 3 Cities Fame India Eco Drive : **Delhi**, **Chandigarh and Jaipur**
- 349. Name the award/medal will be awarded for the first time in 46<sup>th</sup> International Film Festival of India (IFFI) : **Fellini Medal**
- 350. Who appointed as Chairman of Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission (APPSC): **Dr.P. UdayBhaskar**
- 351. Name the person recently resigned from the post of Chairman of Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR): **Prof. Y. SudershanRao**



- 352. SurendraUpadhyaya, recently died, who was he: Former Chairman of Rajasthan Brijbhasha Academy
- 353. Which bank recently announced to shut of its banking operations in India: HongKong Shanghai Banking Corporation (HSBC)
- 354. Name the 4 female umpires for selected for ICC Women's World Twenty20 Qualifier: Kathleen Cross, Claire Polosak, Sue Redfern and Jacqueline Williams
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- 356. Who became Prime Minister of Portugal: Antonio Costa
- 357. 1<sup>st</sup> day-night test match recently started between which two countries/teams : **Australia and New Zealand**
- 358. Noboru Karashima of Japan, recently died, he was awarded with Padma Shri in which year: 2013
- 359. Bangladesh, Bhutan, India and Nepal (BBIN) Friendship Motor Car Rally started from which place : **Silchar, Assam**
- 360. Who appointed as 1<sup>st</sup> woman Secretary General of Commonwealth : **Patricia Scotland**

