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General Knowledge - Awards and Honours

English

Q:1 Which among the following cities has been designated the title of "cleanest cities of 2023" in the The Swachh Survekshan Awards 2023?

1. Surat
2. Lucknow
3. Varanasi
4. Kochi

Q:2 Which Indian cricket was conferred Arjuna Award at National Sports and Adventure Awards 2023 by President Droupadi Murmu?

1. Mohammad Shami
2. Rohit Sharma
3. Virat Kohli
4. Sachin Tendulkar

Q:3 Name the organisation which is recipient of the PM award for Innovation in the Defence Sector and will be participating at 10th edition of Vibrant Gujarat Global Summit 2024.

1. DRDO
2. IDEX
3. BHEL
4. HAL

Q:4 Who among the following has been nominated for female Sportstar of the year award at ACES Award 2024?

1. Mary Kom
2. PV Sindhu
3. Lovlina Borgohain
4. Nikhat Khan

Q:5 Who among the following has been awarded with 2023 Falling Walls Prize for his groundbreaking work in eliminating Malaria?

1. Abdoulaye Diabate
2. Yusuf Omarzai
3. Rajeev Singh
4. Abid Abisi

Q:6 The Sahitya Akademi Awards 2023 were announced on December 20, 2023 in _____ languages.

1. 23
2. 20
3. 15
4. 24

Q:7 Who launched the National Awards for e-Governance (NAeG) 2024 web portal?

1. DPIIT
2. NITI Aayog
3. DARPG
4. DePWD

Q:8 Sujata Mahapatra has won the Sangeet Natak Akademi Award for _____.

1. Odissi
2. Kathak
3. Fusion Dance
4. Modern Dance

Q:9 The first Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna award was given to which of the following sports person ?

1. Major Dhyanchand
2. Sachin Tendulkar
3. Vishwanathan Anand
4. Saina Nehwal

Q:10 The National Film Award for Best Choreography for the movie Vishwaroopam was awarded to _____.

1. Amala Akkineni
2. M.R Krishnamurthy
3. Pandit Birju Maharaj
4. Kalamandalam Gopi

Answer Key

1. (1)	2. (1)	3. (2)	4. (3)	5. (1)
6. (4)	7. (3)	8. (1)	9. (3)	10. (3)

Answers and Solutions

Q:1 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Surat**.

The Swachh Survekshan Awards 2023 were declared by the Government of India on January 12, 2024. The Award for the title of "cleanest cities of 2023" was given to Indore and Surat by President of India Smt Droupadi Murmu.

Q:2 The correct answer is **Option 1** i.e. **Mohammad Shami**

The President of India Shri Droupadi Murmu conferred the National Sports and Adventure Awards 2023 at Radhtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi. India's Ace bowler Mohammad Shami was conferred with the Arjuna Award by the President.

Q:3 The correct answer is **Option 2** i.e. **IDEX**

The 10th edition of Vibrant Gujarat Global Summit 2024 will see participation of Innovations for Defence Excellence-Defence Innovation Organisation (IDEX-DIO) at Gandhinagar, Gujarat. The Pavillion of IDEX will be set up on the theme of summit "Gateway to the Future". IDEX received the prestigious PM award for Innovation in the Defence Sector.

Q:4 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **Lovlina Borgohain**

The 2023 world champion in women's 75kg category Lovlina Borgohain has been nominated for the popular choice -Sportstar of the year (Female) award for the upcoming Sportstar ACES Awards 2024. She was also the bronze medallist at the Tokyo Olympics.

Q:5 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Abdoulaye Diabate**

African Scientist from Burkina Faso Abdoulaye Diabate was conferred with the 2023 Falling Walls Prize for Science and Innovation Management. The Scientist has been given the award for his groundbreaking research on gene drive technology that can eradicate Malaria and its carriers.

Q:6 The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **24**

The Sahitya Akademi Awards 2023 were announced by

Sahitya Akademi on December 20th 2023. The awards were announced in 24 languages. A total of 9 books of poetry, 3 essays, 5 short stories, 6 novels and 1 literary study have been awarded.

Q:7 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **DARPG**

The National Awards for e-Governance (NAeG) 2024 web portal was launched by the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG). NAeG is one of the most prestigious digital Governance Awards in the country.

Q:8 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Odissi**

Shrimati Sujata Mohapatra received the Sangeet Natak Akademi Award in 2017 for her contribution to Odissi dance.

- Sujata Mohapatra is actively involved in teaching Odissi.
- Mohapatra, who had started learning Odissi at an early age from Guru Sudhakar Sahu, later took training under Padma Vibhushan Guru Kelucharan Mohapatra at Odissi Research Center in Bhubaneswar.
- She married Ratikant Mohapatra, son of Guru Kelucharan Mohapatra. Her daughter Preetisha Mohapatra is also an Odissi dancer.

Q:9 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **Vishwanathan Anand**.

- The first Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna award was given to the Indian chess grandmaster Vishwanathan Anand.
- He received the award in the year 1991-1992.
- The Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna is India's highest sporting honor and is awarded for outstanding achievement in sports.

Q:10 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **Pandit Birju Maharaj**.

- The National Film Award for Best Choreography for the film Vishwaroopam was given to Pandit Birju Maharaj.
- He was a famous Kathak dancer.
- Pandit Birju Maharaj was awarded the Padma Vibhushan in the year 1986.