

**Q:1** Consider the following statements about the "Muzaffirid dynasty".

1. The founder of the dynasty was Zafar Khan.
2. Ahmed Shah I shifted the capital from Patan to the new city of Ahmedabad.
3. Ahmed Shah I imposed the Jizyah tax on Hindus for the first time in Gujarat.

Which of the following statement is correct?

1. Both 2 and 3
2. Both 1 and 3
3. Only 2
4. All statements are correct

**Q:2** Match the following: parts of the Brain and its functions.

Parts of Brain	Functions
(a) Hypothalamus	(i) It is referred to as a relay station for all incoming sensory and motor (movement) data.
(b) Thalamus	(ii) It has a major role in learning and memory.
(c) Hippocampus	(iii) it is responsible for initiating and integrating movements.
(d) Basal Ganglia	(iv) It controls functions such as sleep and growth.

1. (a) - (iv), (b) - (ii), (c) - (iii), (d) - (i)
2. (a) - (iv), (b) - (i), (c) - (ii), (d) - (iii)
3. (a) - (i), (b) - (iv), (c) - (ii), (d) - (iii)
4. (a) - (iv), (b) - (ii), (c) - (i), (d) - (iii)

**Q:3** Match the following fairs and their respective states.

Fairs	States
(a) Chhapar	(i) Himachal Pradesh
(b) Gangasagar	(ii) Punjab
(c) Nalwari	(iii) West Bengal
(d) Baneshwar	(iv) Rajasthan

1. (a) - (iii), (b) - (ii), (c) - (i), (d) - (iv)
2. (a) - (ii), (b) - (iii), (c) - (i), (d) - (iv)
3. (a) - (ii), (b) - (iii), (c) - (iv), (d) - (i)
4. (a) - (i), (b) - (ii), (c) - (iii), (d) - (iv)

**Q:4** Consider the following statements about the 'Amrit Bharat Station Scheme'.

1. In December 2022, the Amrit Bharat Station Scheme was introduced by the Union Ministry of Railways.

2. Indian Railways has designated a total of 2000 railway stations in India, including the border regions, for rehabilitation under this Scheme.
3. Users will have access to free Wi-Fi at the train stations.

Which of the following statement is correct?

1. Only 1
2. Both 1 and 2
3. Both 1 and 3
4. All statements are true

**Q:5** Consider the following statement about the "Estimate Committee"

1. It consists of 30 members elected by the Lok Sabha and the Rajya Sabha from amongst their members.
2. Its tenure is of one year.
3. Its chairman is appointed by the Speaker of the Lok Sabha.

Which of the following statement is correct?

1. Only 1
2. Only 2
3. Both 1 and 3
4. Both 2 and 3



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Answer Key

1. (4) 2. (2) 3. (2) 4. (3) 5. (4)

Answers and Solutions

**Q:1** The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **All statements are correct.**

From 1391 to 1583, the Muzaffarid dynasty, often known as the Ahmedabad dynasty, ruled over Gujarat in western India. Zafar Khan, the governor of Gujarat under the rule of the Tughlaq dynasty of the Delhi Sultanate, is credited with founding the dynasty.

The founder of the dynasty was Zafar Khan.

Ahmed Shah I shifted the capital from Patan to the new city of Ahmedabad.

Ahmed Shah I imposed the Jizyah tax on Hindus for the first time in Gujarat.

**Q:2** The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **(a) - (iv), (b) - (i), (c) - (ii), (d) - (iii).**

(a) **Hypothalamus** - It controls functions such as sleep and growth.

(b) **Thalamus** - It is referred to as a relay station for all incoming sensory and motor (movement) data.

(c) **Hippocampus** - It has a major role in learning and memory.

(d) **Basal Ganglia** - It is responsible for initiating and integrating movements.

**Q:3** The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **(a) - (ii), (b) - (iii), (c) - (i), (d) - (iv).**

The Chhappar Mela, which takes place in the village of Chhappar in the Ludhiana district in Punjab, is a lovely synthesis of various cultural ideals. One might find everything they needed to keep themselves entertained at this fair, from delectable cuisine to enjoyable activities.

Gangasagar Mela is celebrated in West Bengal on the occasion of Makar Sankranti.

Nalwari is a cattle Mela that is celebrated in Himachal Pradesh in the month of March or April.

Baneshwar Mela is an annual tribal fair held in the Dungarpur district in the Rajasthan state of India in the month of January or February.

**Q:4** The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **Both 1 and 3.**

In December 2022, the Amrit Bharat Station Scheme was introduced by the Union Ministry of Railways.

Indian Railways has designated a total of **1275** railway stations in India, including the border regions, for rehabilitation under this Scheme.

Users will have access to free Wi-Fi at the train stations.

**Q:5** The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **Both 2 and 3.**

The estimate committee, which was established for the first time in 1950, is made up of 30 people who are chosen annually by the Lok Sabha from among its members.

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Its tenure is one year.

Its chairman is appointed by the Speaker of the Lok Sabha.