

1. When will Haridwar Kumbh Mela 2021 begin?

- A) March 1  
B) April 1   
C) May 1  
D) April 30



- ✓ The Uttarakhand government has decided to limit Kumbh Mela 2021 to just 30 days from earlier three months. This was informed by Chief Secretary Om Prakash. This time the Kumbh, which is one of the most sacred events for Hindus, will be held from April 1 to April 30.

2. Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched 'Mahabahu-Brahmaputra' initiative in which state?

- A) Odisha  
B) Assam   
C) West Bengal  
D) Jharkhand



- ✓ PM Narendra Modi launched the 'Mahabahu-Brahmaputra' initiative in Assam with an aim to provide seamless connectivity to Eastern Parts of the country. The initiative was launched with the inauguration of Ro-Pax vessel operations between Neamatighat-Majuli, North-South Guwahati and Dhubri-Hatsingimari.

3. Union Cabinet approved the signing of Comprehensive Economic Cooperation and Partnership Agreement between India and which country?

- A) Canada  
B) Malaysia  
C) Mauritius   
D) Singapore



- ✓ The Union Cabinet approved the Comprehensive Economic Cooperation and Partnership Agreement (CECPA) between India and Mauritius. The Agreement will cover trade in Goods & Services, Telecom, Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT), Rules of Origin, Dispute Settlement, Financial services, and cooperation in other areas.

4. Which organisation has planned to launch the World Solar Bank?

- A) United Nations  
B) International Solar Alliance   
C) SAARC  
D) World bank



- ✓ The International Solar Alliance (ISA) to launch the World Solar Bank. The launch will likely be announced at the United Nations Climate Change Conference in Glasgow in November 2021.

5. On which date, the Indian Coast Guard raising day is celebrated?

- A) February 01   
B) February 02  
C) February 03  
D) February 04



- ✓ Recently, the Indian Coast Guard (ICG) celebrated its 43<sup>rd</sup> raising day on Feb.1. The ICG was raised on 1977 February 1, with the enactment of Coast Guard Act 1978, as a full-fledged independent Armed Force of the Union under the Ministry of Defence. Its primary task is to protect the country's vast maritime zones.

6. What is the theme of the 'World Wetlands Day 2021'?

- A) Wetlands for Us  
B) Wetlands and Water   
C) Wetlands and COVID-19  
D) Save Wetlands



- ✓ World Wetlands Day is observed every year on 2<sup>nd</sup> February to create awareness on the importance of wetlands and its role played in the planet. This year, the theme of the World Wetlands Day is 'Wetlands and Water'. This year's theme highlights the importance of wetlands as a source of freshwater.

7. What is the theme of the World Cancer Day 2021?

- A) We can. I can  
B) I am and I will   
C) Not Beyond Us  
D) Cancer can be prevented



- ✓ The World Cancer Day is observed every year on 4<sup>th</sup> February to raise awareness about cancer, its treatment and to encourage methods of its prevention. The theme of the 2021 Cancer Day is 'I Am and I Will', which is being continued since 2019.

8. World Unani Day is celebrated in which date?

- A) February 11   
B) February 12  
C) February 13  
D) February 14



- ✓ World Unani Day is observed every year on 11th February, to mark the birth anniversary of the Unani scholar and social reformer Hakim Ajmal Khan. He was the founder of scientific research in Unani System of Medicine. The Unani system of medicine originated in Greece and its foundation was laid by Hippocrates.

9. What is the theme for this year's International Day of Zero Tolerance for Female Genital Mutilation?

- A) End Female Genital Mutilation  
B) Unleashing Youth Power  
C) No Time for Global Inaction, Unite, Fund, and Act to End Female Genital Mutilation   
D) Intensify Global Efforts



International Day of Zero Tolerance for Female Genital Mutilation is observed annually on Feb.6, across the world. Genital Mutilation, or altering the female genitalia for non-medical reasons is prevalent in 30 countries in Africa the Middle East and other parts of the world.

In 2012, the UN General Assembly designated Feb.6<sup>th</sup> as the International Day of Zero Tolerance for Female Genital Mutilation and the UN works for the complete eradication of the practice by 2030.

10. When is the 'World Radio Day' celebrated across the world?

- A) February 12  
B) February 13   
C) February 14  
D) February 15



- ✓ 'World Radio Day' is celebrated on Feb.13 every year, across the world. It was first proclaimed by the member states of UNESCO in 2011. The UN General Assembly adopted the proposal in 2012.
- ✓ The 2021 edition of World Radio Day is based on 3 main sub-themes namely Evolution, Innovation and Connection. UNESCO released a video named "New World; New Radio".