

1. Which Union Ministry launched the new draft national policy on persons with disabilities (PwD)?

- A. Ministry of Home Affairs
- B. Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
- C. Ministry of Law and Justice
- D. Ministry of Women and Child Development



- ✓ **The Social Justice and Empowerment Ministry has invited public feedback on the new draft national policy on persons with disabilities. It proposes interventions in disability prevention, education, healthcare, social security and accessibility. It also focussed on other causes of disability, such as malnourishment, medical negligence and impairment caused by disasters.**

2. Which state ranked the highest in national e-governance service delivery assessment (NeSDA), as per NeSDA report?

- A. Telangana
- B. Kerala
- C. Odisha
- D. Gujarat



- ✓ **According to the National e-governance service delivery assessment (NeSDA) report, Kerala had the highest overall compliance score amongst all states. Jammu and Kashmir, assessed for the first time, ranked the highest among Union Territories. Meghalaya and Nagaland are the leading state portals among the northeast and hilly states. The overall score of Tamil Nadu increased the most in 2021 compared to 2019.**

3. Which state/UT is the venue of the meeting of the Western Zonal Council in 2022?

- A. Goa
- B. Gujarat
- C. Daman & Diu
- D. Maharashtra



- ✓ **Union Home Minister Amit Shah chaired a meeting of the Western Zonal Council in Diu, after a gap of two years due to the coronavirus pandemic. The Western Zonal Council comprises the states of Gujarat, Maharashtra, Goa and Union Territory of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu.**
- ✓ **Five Zonal Councils were set up through Part-III of the States Re-organisation Act, 1956. Other Councils are Northern Zonal Council, Central Zonal Council, Eastern Zonal Council, and Southern Zonal Council.**

4. What is the theme of the 'World Day Against Child Labour 2022'?

- A. Universal Social Protection to End Child Labour
- B. Rehabilitation and Restoration
- C. Importance of Education
- D. Commitment to End Child Labour



- ✓ **World Day Against Child Labour is marked every year on 12 June across the world. The day aims to raise awareness about the exploitation of children who are engaged in child labour. The International Labour Organization (ILO) declared the World Day Against Child Labour in the year 2002. The theme for this year is "Universal Social Protection to End Child Labour".**

5. What is 'Sandhayak', which was recently launched by the Indian Navy?

- A. Survey vessel
- B. Frigate
- C. Aircraft carrier
- D. Submarine



- ✓ **The Indian Navy launched 'Sandhayak', the first of the four large survey vessels, in Kolkata. The primary role of these survey ships would be to conduct full-scale coastal and deep-water hydrographic survey of ports and harbours.**
- ✓ **The ships would be deployed for collecting oceanographic and geophysical data and determination of navigational routes. The contract for building four survey ships was signed between the Defence Ministry and Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers (GRSE) in 2018.**

6. Where is the NADI-3 Asian Sangam River Conference held?

- A. Guwahati
- B. Imphal
- C. Agartala
- D. Dimapur



- ✓ **The two-day NADI-3 (Natural Allies in Development and Interdependence) Asian Sangam River Conference was held in Guwahati from May 28-29, 2022.**
- ✓ **NADI, which means river, is an initiative to clarify and activate the collective vision of the subregional. It recognizes the region south of the Himalayas as a contiguous confluence of river valleys from the Ganges and the Brahmaputra to the Mekong.**

7. Who among the following won the International Panorama Golden Award?

- A. Keshab Mahanta
- B. Shaunak Sen
- C. K V Raghupathi
- D. None of these



- ✓ **Tirupati-based writer K.V. Raghupathi has been selected for the International Panorama Golden Award by White Falcon Publishing for his book, The Mountain is Calling, published in 2019. Raghupathi, an English professor who retired from the Central University of Tamil Nadu, Tiruvarur, has been writing since the 1980s.**

8. Which day is celebrated on May 28th by the Women's Global Network for Reproductive Rights?

- A. International Day of Action for Women's Health
- B. International Day of Women's reproductive rights
- C. International Day of Population
- D. International Day of Gender Equality



- ✓ **International Day of Action for Women's Health is celebrated on May 28 every year by the Women's Global Network for Reproductive Rights. Several women's health advocates and their communities have been leading the celebration of the day since 1987. During the International Women's Health Meeting in Costa Rica, Latin American and Caribbean Women's Health Network (LACWHN) proposed to celebrate May 28 as International Day of Action for Women's Health.**

9. What is the theme of the International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers, 2022?

- A. People. Peace. Progress. The Power of Partnerships
- B. Honouring Peacekeeping
- C. Women, Peace and Security
- D. Risk of COVID-19 in peacekeeping



- ✓ **The International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers is celebrated on 29 May every year, to pay tribute to the contribution of the peacekeepers. This year the theme of the International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers, 2022 is "People. Peace. Progress. The Power of Partnerships".**
- ✓ **This year also marks the 22nd anniversary of the adoption of UN Security Council Resolution 1325 on Women, Peace & Security. UN honours more than 3,900 UN peacekeepers who have lost their lives during their service, since 1948.**

10. When is 'International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression' observed?

- A. June.04
- B. June.05
- C. June.06
- D. June.07



- ✓ **The United General Assembly decided to commemorate 4 June of each year as the 'International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression'. The objective of the day is to acknowledge the pain of the children across the world who are the victims of physical, mental and emotional abuse. UN had also ratified the Convention on the Rights of the Child.**
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