

Biodiversity QUESTIONS

1) Which one of the following is the first national park established in India?

- >Bandipur
- >Corbert
- >Velavadar
- >Periyar

Answer:

- >Corbert
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2) Consider the following statements 1.National park are a special category of protected areas of land and sea coasts, where people are an integral part of the system. 2.Sanctuaries are concerned with conservation of particular species. 3.Biosphere reserves are connected with the habitate of a particular wild animal. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- >1,2 and 3
- >2 only
- >1 and 2
- >1 and 3 only

Answer:

- >2 only
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3) The red data book containing information on all wild plant and animals which is in danger of extinction has been published by which one of the following?

- >International union for conservation of nature and natural Resources (IUCN)
- >World Wild life fund (WWF)
- >World Conservation Union (WCU)
- >United National Union Programme (UNEP)

Answer:

- >International union for conservation of nature and natural Resources (IUCN)
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4) Consider the following regions of India- 1. Western Ghat 2. Aravali Hills 3. Eastern Himalayas. Which of the above is/are biodiversity hot spot/hot spots-

- >1 only

- >1 and 3 only
- >2 and 3 only
- >1,2 and 3 only

Answer:

- >1 and 3 only
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5) Where is Asiatic wild Ass is found ?

- >Rann of Kachchh
- >Kaziranga
- >Ranthamore
- >Periyar

Answer:

- >Rann of Kachchh
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6) Biodiversity forms the basis for human existence in the following ways-
1. Soil formation 2. Prevention of soil erosion 3. Recycling of waste 4.
Pollination of crops.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- >1,2 and 3 only
- >2,3 and 4 only
- >1 and 4 only
- >1,2,3 and 4

Answer:

- >1,2 and 3 only
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7) Which one of the following is not a site for in-situ method of conservation of flora ?

- >Biosphere Reserve
- >Botanical Garden
- >National Park
- >Wildlife Sanctuary

Answer:

- >Botanical Garden
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8) The Red Data Books published by the International Union for conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (INCN) contain list of-
1. Endemic plant and animal species present in the biodiversity hotspots. 2. Threatened plant and animal species. 3. Protected sites for conservation of nature and natural resources in various countries:-

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:-

- >1 and 3
- >2 only
- >2 and 3
- >3 only

Answer:

- >2 only
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9) Polar bears are carnivores and prey on many arctic birds and fish. However, under natural conditions, no one found polar bears predated any penguin. This is because-

- >Penguins have chemical substance in their muscles which is toxic to polar bears.
- >Penguins are gregarious and always move in groups, therefore, a polar bear cannot approach them.
- >Polar bears and penguins never coexist under natural conditions. The former lives in the North pole while the latter lives in the south pole.
- >Polar bears and penguins display symbiotic relationships and they help each other for their existence in the ice-cold ecosystem.

Answer:

- >Polar bears and penguins never coexist under natural conditions. The former lives in the North pole while the latter lives in the south pole.
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10) Which of the following is the smallest bird ?

- >Pigeon
- >Parrot
- >Humming bird
- >House sparrow

Answer:

- >Humming bird
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11) The Coral reefs are the marine counterpart of-

- >Temperate forest
- >Tropical rain forest
- >Savannahs
- >Scrubland

Answer:

- >Scrubland
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12) Development of the natural systems is described as-

- >Function of the system
- >Evolution of the systems
- >Self sustained process of the system
- >None of the above

Answer:

- >Self sustained process of the system
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13) Which one of the following strongly threatens biodiversity?

- >Eragile ecosystems such as mangroves and wetlands
- >Inaccessible habitates in the Himalayas
- >Destruction of natural habitates and regetation and Jhum cultivation.
- >Creation of biosphere reserves

Answer:

- >Destruction of natural habitates and regetation and Jhum cultivation.
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