

1. Which Union Ministry conducted the 'Mother Tongue Survey of India (MTSI)'?

- A. Ministry of Education B. Ministry of Home Affairs
- C. Ministry of Culture D. Ministry of External Affairs



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- ✓ The Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) has completed the Mother Tongue Survey of India (MTSI) with field videography of 576 languages. MHA Mother Tongue Survey of 576 languages, a web archive at the National Informatics Centre (NIC) to preserve the original flavour of every Mother Tongue. As per analysis of 2011 linguistic census data in 2018, over 19,500 languages or dialects are spoken in India as mother tongues.

2. What is the theme of India's G20 Presidency in 2022?

- A. Jan Bhagidari
- B. Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam
- C. LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment)
- D. Bharat Mata



- ✓ The Indian Prime Minister launched the logo, theme and website for the Indian G-20 Presidency. The G20 Logo draws inspiration from the colours of India's national flag. The Earth reflects India's pro-planet approach to life and below the G20 logo is 'Bharat'. The logo has various components from an open competition held through myGov portal. The theme of India's G20 Presidency is "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam" or "One Earth One Family One Future". It is drawn from the ancient Sanskrit text of the Maha Upanishad.

3. 'National Florence Nightingale Awards' are awarded in recognition for meritorious services rendered in which field?

- A. Economics
- B. Art and Culture
- C. Nursing
- D. Science and Technology



- ✓ The President of India Droupadi Murmu presented the National Florence Nightingale Awards for the year 2021 to the Nursing professionals. The National Florence Nightingale Awards were instituted in the year 1973 by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, as a mark of recognition for the meritorious services rendered by the nurses and nursing professionals to the society.

4. India recently held 'Week of the Young Researchers 2022' program with which country?

- A. USA B. Germany
- C. France D. UK



- ✓ The Indo–German Week of the Young Researchers 2022 was jointly organised by the Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) India, and German Research Foundation (DFG). 30 promising young researchers from India and Germany will discuss and interact closely on contemporary matters in chemical sciences. The main goal of the conclave is to promote collaboration among early and mid–career researchers and scientists.

5. Which Union Ministry has notified the 'National Bioenergy Programme'?

- A. Ministry of New and Renewable Energy
- B. Ministry of Power
- C. Ministry of Commerce and Industry
- D. Ministry of MSME



- ✓ The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE), Government of India has notified the National Bioenergy Programme. The Ministry has continued the National Bio–energy Programme for the period from FY 2021–22 to 2025–26. The Programme has been recommended for implementation in two phases and the Phase–I of the Programme has been approved with a budget outlay of Rs. 858 crores. It consists of three sub–schemes: Waste to Energy Programme, Biomass Programme and Biogas Programme.

6. What is the theme of the 'World Food Safety Day 2022'?

- A. Safer Food, Better Health
- B. Leave No one Behind
- C. Sustainable Food Options
- D. Food and Co–existence



- ✓ Every year, June 7 is observed as World Food Safety Day across the world. The objective behind the day is to promote awareness to prevent, detect and manage food–borne risks. The day was declared by the United Nations in 2018 to raise awareness of food safety. This year, the theme of World Food Safety Day is, "Safer Food, Better Health". As per a report by WHO, the world records over 600 million cases of food–borne diseases annually.

7. What is the theme of the 'World Food Day 2022'?

- A. Safer Food, Better Health
- B. Leave No one Behind
- C. Sustainable Food Options
- D. Food and Co–existence



- ✓ World Food Day is observed annually on 16 October to highlight need for regular access to nutritious food. The Day is led by The Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) and the theme for 2022 is Leave NO ONE behind.

8. Which state is host to the 14th World Spice Congress in 2023?

- A. New Delhi
- B. Maharashtra
- C. Karnataka
- D. Kerala



- ✓ The 14th World Spice Congress will be held in February 2023 at Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra. The World Spice Congress, which is organized by Spices Board India, will be conducted on the sidelines of India's G20 presidency. The theme chosen for the current edition of WSC is 'Vision 2030: SPICES' (Sustainability– Productivity – Innovation – Collaboration– Excellence and Safety)." The biennial event is the largest exclusive business platform for the spice sector.

9. CII and IOCL has announced to launch a crop residue management initiative 'Vayu Amrit' in which state?

- A. Tamil Nadu
- B. Uttar Pradesh
- C. Punjab
- D. Madhya Pradesh



- ✓ The Confederation of Indian Industry partnered with Indian Oil Corporation to launch 'Vayu Amrit', a crop residue management initiative, in Punjab's Sangrur. The CII already runs a crop residue management programme in Punjab and Haryana to mitigate stubble burning to reduce air pollution.

10. Which food product won the 'Most Popular GI' award of the Commerce and Industry Ministry?

- A. Palani Panchamirtham
- B. Hyderabadi Haleem
- C. West Bengal Rasgulla
- D. Ratlami Sev



- ✓ The famous Hyderabadi Haleem has bagged the 'Most Popular GI' award, in a competition with more than 15 food items across the country with Geographical Indication (GI) status. Awarded by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, the winner was chosen based on public opinion. Hyderabadi Haleem is a traditional dish made during the month of Ramadan; it was accorded GI status in 2010.