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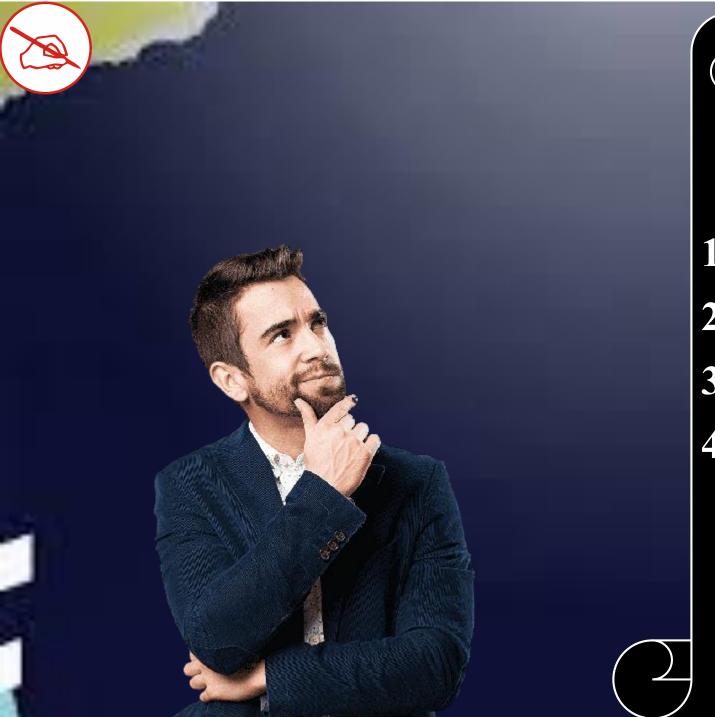


UPCOMING ONLINE BATCHES









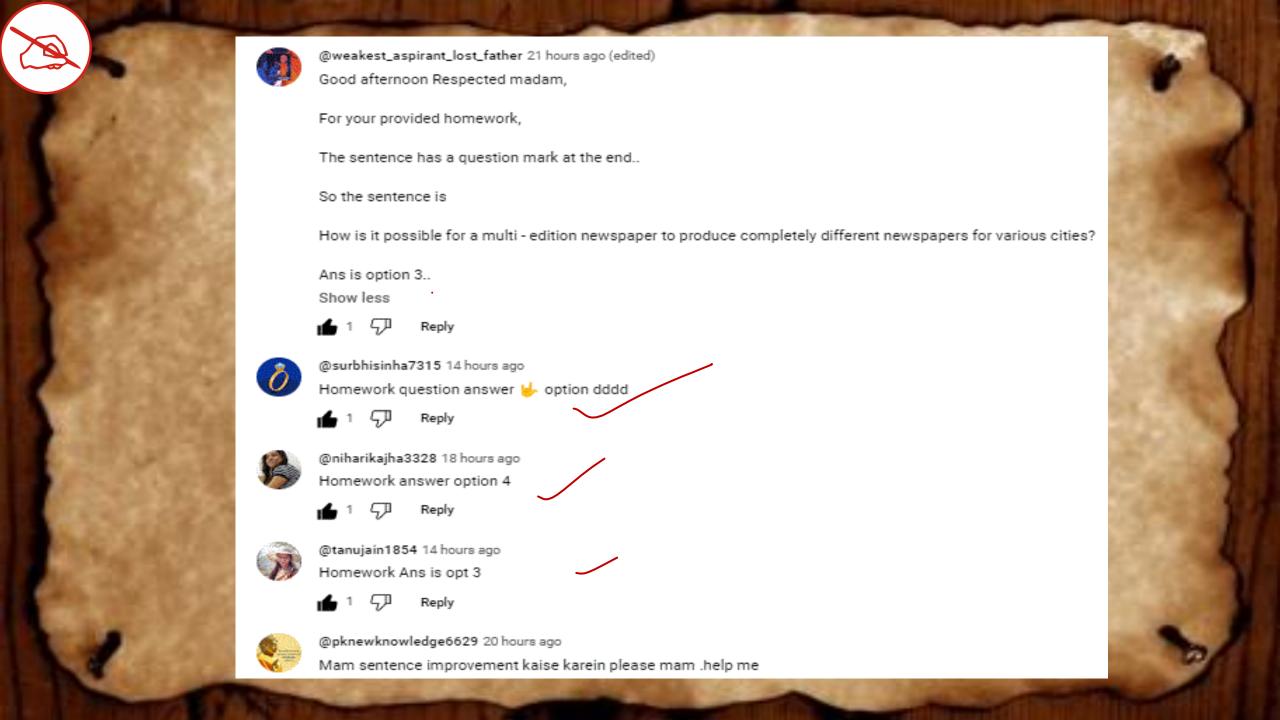


SUMMARY

- 1. Thought of the day
- 2. Today's word
- 3. Questions with passage
- 4. Homework









TODAY'S WORD



DISTORT

To change the shape, appearance, or sound of something so that it is strange or not clear | to twist or change facts, ideas, etc. so that they are no longer correct or true



How it is possible for a multi-edition newspaper to produce completely different newspapers for various cities?

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HOMEWORK

It is possible for

II. Does it possible to

III. How is it possible for

- 1. Only I is correct
- 2. Only II is correct
- 3. Only III is correct
- 4. Both I and III are correct
- 5. No Correction Required

Sul + Verb (Sub)



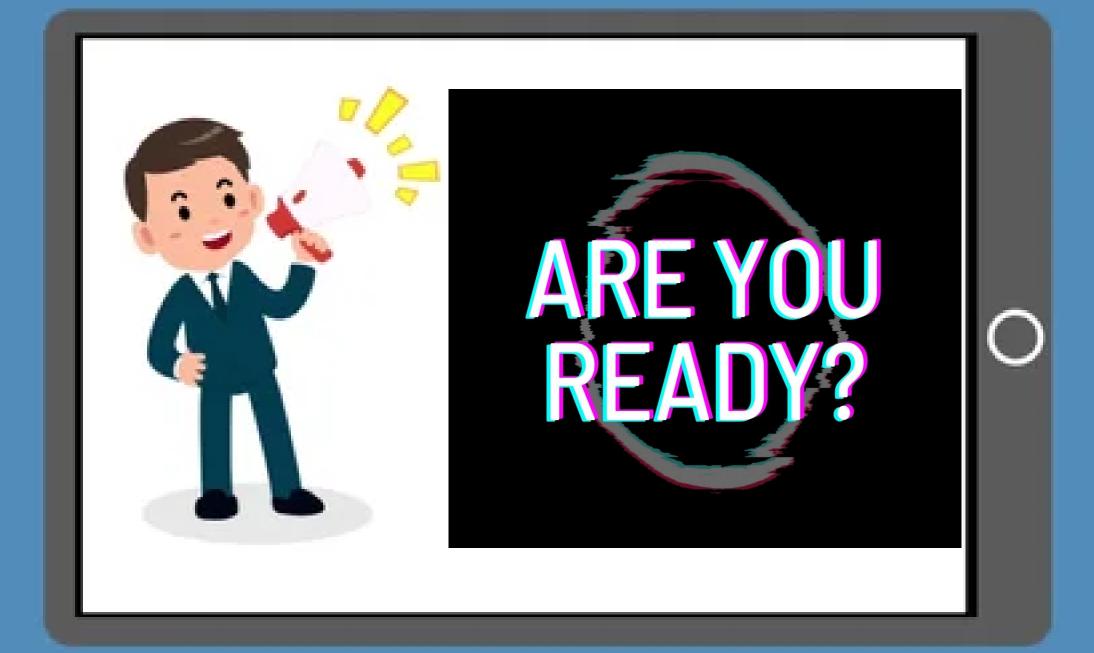


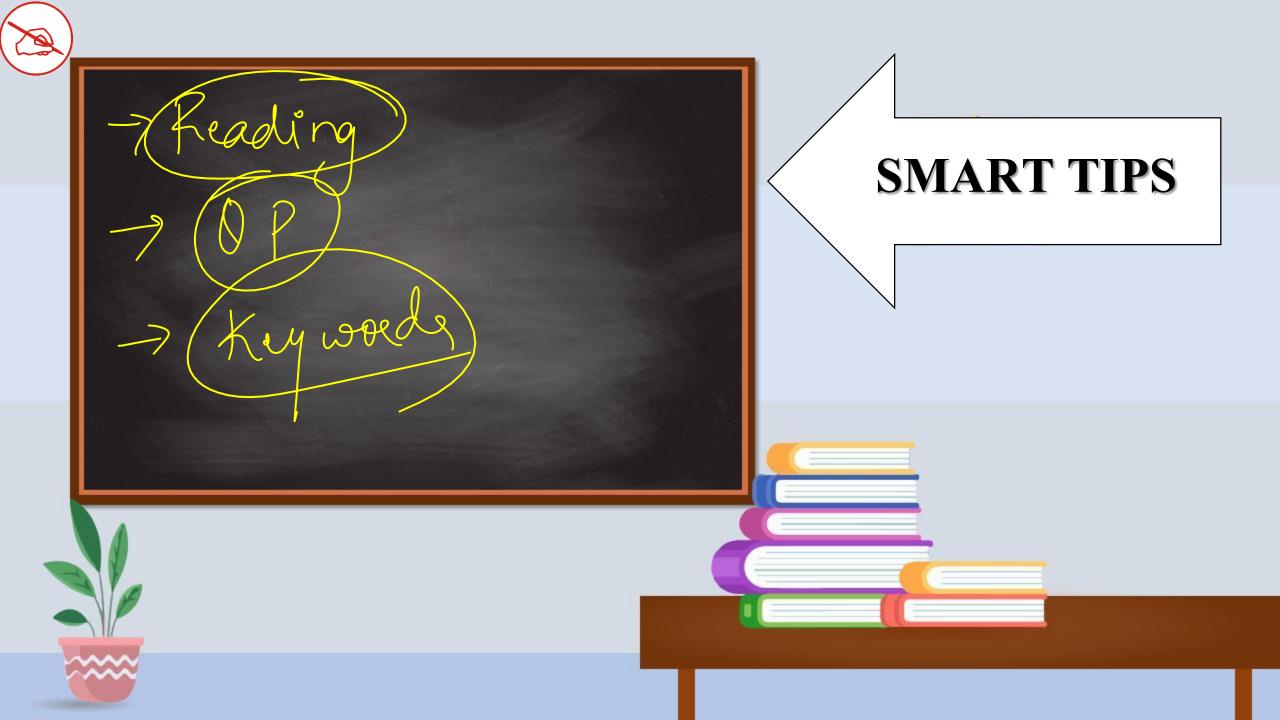
QUESTIONS BASED ON RC

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The biggest, the most colourful, the most contentious and perhaps the most expensive general election are finally over. During this period, governance had clearly taken a back seat as all decisions, except the routine ones, had come to a stand-still. Now that the electioneering is done and dusted, hopefully for another five years, the new government will focus on the urgent needs of governance to put India's slowing economy back on a fast growth track.

I am writing this article before the results are out but given the exit pols, it seems that the ruling party is coming back to power for another five years. And they have been preparing for it and had been sounding out different stakeholders both official and unofficial on "big ideas for decisive action as part of their 100 Days plan as the new government. By chance, I engaged with some stakeholders on this question and was asked for my thoughts.



We discussed many ideas that have the potential to create value and new jobs, such as taking the decision to systematically build a mineral map for India over next couple of years as a way to unlock one of the most under leveraged national assets the mineral wealth of the country and grow the mining industry in a sustainable manner.

What is meant by the phrase done and dusted??

A. The project, which has completed,

B. The work which was done as a failure.

C. The undergoing project work.

D. Contentious work

Only (A) Both (A) and (B)

Only (B) Both (C) and (D)

Only (C)

Solution: Option A



What of the following is/are the synonym of the word 'Engaged'?

- A. Committed
- B. Hooked
- C. Available
- D. Inoperable
- E. Both (a) and (b)

Solution Option E



Simple definition of On Line Shopping or Shopping on the Web is enabling you to buy and sell through your computer on-line using Web or Internet environment. One reason people like without a salesperson because you can browse inside the shop for number of hours at your leisure time without a salesperson peering over the shoulder and making unwanted recommendations. As a customer, we may find this approach convenient and less time consuming, but how does this affect the economy as a whole? Is it safe to pay credit card online? Is buying and selling products over the internet considered as a risky business for merchants? Is the Web going to replace old-fashioned stores? Is virtual shopping really better than the real thing? Cyberspace is a vast territory where computers meet and exchange information. In this 21st century, cyberspace has already to your computer will look you into wealth of goods and services.



In your home, modern box attached to your computer will look you into wealth of goods and services. Not only does it allow you to talk to your friends on the other side of the world, but also allows you to watch a movie, buy airline tickets, pay bills and even get cash. People in developed countries like US. and Canada have already started using On Line Shopping as a routine mode of their purchasing goods and services. Internet shoppers still believe that there is no secure and convenient way of paying on the Internet. Consumers are concerned with two main security fears. They are worried that their credit card information is jeopardizing while travelling over the net. They also express concern over data privacy whereby the vendors and blanking institutions can tamper with the data and easily record their purchasing habits. These fears over privacy and security have kept E- Commerce from taking off.



What does the passage imply by the word "Virtual shopping"? RRB PO MAINS 2018

- A. Shopping widely
- **B.** Shopping Spree
- C. Literal shopping
- D. Net shopping
- E. A wider perspective of E-com

Answer: D





Which of the following statement is/are TRUE?

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A. Cyberspace has opened an immense wealth of services but has affected the economy too.

B. Data privacy is no longer a thing of the past.

C. People in developing countries use online shopping as a routine mode. develope

Only B and C

A, B and C

None of these

Answer: A



Choose the word that is SAME in meaning to the word given in the passage: BROWSE

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A. Look Through

K B. Enjoy

Examine leisurely

D. Nibble

E. Spend

Answer: C





There are good reasons why the 'Heart of Asia conference, part of a 14-nation process begun in 2011 to facilitate the development and security of Afghanistan, is so named. The obvious one is geographical, as Afghanistan lies at the junction of Central, South and East Asia, and also of the ancient trading routes from China and India to Europe. Today it is also a focal point for the region's biggest challenge of terrorism, some of the far-reaching battles against al Qaeda, Islamic State, etc. will be decided on the battlegrounds of Afghanistan. For India, putting terror centre stage at the Heart of Asia declaration in Amritsar was thus timely and necessary. In tandem, Afghan President Ashraf Ghani and Prime Minister Narendra Modi focused their concerns on crosborder terrorism emanating from Pakistan, something even Pakistan's traditional allies at the conference, including China, Saudi Arabia, the UAE and Turkey, found difficult to counter. The case Mr. Ghani made was clear:



progress and development in Afghanistan are meaningless and unsustainable without peace, and peace is contingent on Pakistan ending support to terror groups such the Haqqani network and Lashkar-e-Taiba. He dared Pakistan to use its proposed development grant to Afghanistan to fight terror on its own soil.

However, if every window for engagement with Pakistan is closed for India and Afghanistan, the two countries must closely consider what their next step will be . A lack of engagement may, in the short term, yield some pressure on Pakistan's leadership to act, as it did briefly after the Pathankot attack. But in the long run it may deplete the two counties of their limited leverage as Pakistan's neighbors. It may, for all the affirmations of mutual ties, also sauce in driving more obstacles to trade between India and Afghanistan .



In the past year, the cornering of Pakistan by is South Asian neighbor's has only yielded deeper ties for Islamabad with Beijng and Moscow, pushed Kabul closer to Central Asia, and moved New Delhi towards multilateral groupings to the east and south. As a result, the measures India and Afghanistan have envisaged in order to avoid Pakistan, such as land trade from the Chabahar port and a dedicated air corridor between Delhi and Kabul, may prove to be insufficient by the time they are put in place, even as Afghanistan is connected more closely via a line from China's Yiwu and Tehran. The Heart of Asia process thus remains critical to forging cooperation to realise Afghanistan's potential to be a vibrant Asian "hub"



What is the theme of this passage?

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- A. The Heart of Asia against Pakistan
- B. Afghanistan amidst cross-border terrorism
- C. The prevalent issue of Terrorism by Pakistan
- D. India and Afghanistan against their neighbor
- E. India befriends Afghanistan

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Answer: B



According to the author, is lack of engagement with Pakistan a good option in the long run?

A. No, because the measures India and Afghanistan have taken may prove to be insufficient by the time they are put in place.

B. No, because this may lead to more trade difficulties among all countries of middle and south east Asia.

C. Yes, because that is the only sure shot solution to get over with terrorism.

D. Yes, as Pakistan is not willing to stop supporting terror groups and by secluding it with international ties, cross-border terrorism will come to a halt

E. No, because China and Central Asia have other plans to deal with the situation.

Answer A (Last Para it has mentioned)



What according to the author was the initial agenda for the "Heart of Asia" conference?

A. To strategically invade the intruders of peace and to rage war against terrorism.

B. To make Afghanistan from the Asian "Hub" to the trading central between East Asia and Europe.

C. To bring out Afghanistan's potential as Asian "Hub" and to facilitate development and security in Afghanistan.

D. To plan the strategy of utilizing it's potential as the focal point of terrorism and attack Pakistan.

E. All of the above

Answer: C





Which major issue was discussed by the President of Afghanistan and the Prime Minister of India?

HOMEWORK

A. Cross-border terrorism emanating from Pakistan

B. Strengthening ties between India and Afghanistan

C. Putting pressure on Pakistan for all its wrong deeds

D. Measures to avoid another attack like the Pathankot attack

E. Heart of Asia Treaty



