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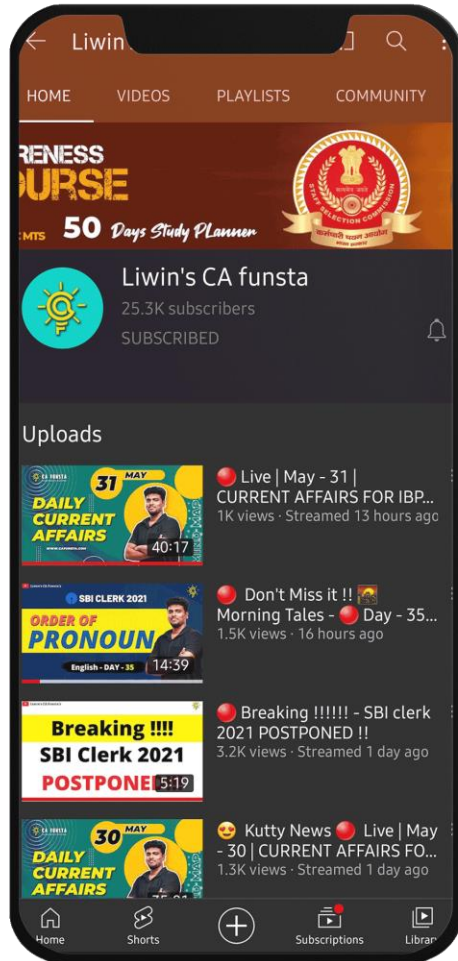


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Important Days



➤ **World Metrology Day is celebrated on?**

- A) May 21
- B) May 18
- C) May 10
- D) May 20
- E) May 15

Answer
D) May 20



Important Days



Explanation

- **World Metrology Day** is celebrated every year on **20 May**.
- On this occasion, scientific communities come together to pay homage to a meeting that happened on this day in **1875** to establish a standard measurement system for all nations.
- At present, the World Metrology Day project is realised jointly by the **International Organisation of Legal Metrology and the International Bureau of Weights Measurements**.
- It features a coalition of seventeen nations that came together for establishing the framework for **global collaboration for scientific measurement**.

Theme

- **“Metrology in the Digital Era”**



Important Days

➤ **International Day of Biological Diversity (IDB) was declared on which year?**

- A) 2000
- B) 1990
- C) 2003
- D) 2005
- E) 1995

Answer
A) 2000



Important Days



Explanation

- **May 22** is proclaimed as **IDB** by the United Nations with aims to spread understanding and awareness about issues of biodiversity in the world.
- Declared on **December 2000** by **UNGA**.

Theme

- "**Building a shared future for all life**".



SPORTS



➤ Archery WC Gwangju: Indian men's compound team bagged gold against player from which country?

- A) Japan
- B) UK
- C) France
- D) Germany
- E) Italy

Answer
C) France



Explanation

- The **Indian men's compound team bagged gold** after outscoring **France** at the **Archery World Cup 2022** stage 2 in **Gwangju**.
- The compound men's team final saw India's **Abhishek Verma, Rajat Chauhan, and Aman Saini** defeating the French trio of **Quentin Baraer, Jean Philippe Boulch, and Adrien Gontier** by 232-230 for the gold medal.



SPORTS



Titbits

France

- Capital : **Paris**
- Currency : **Euro (EUR), CFP Franc (XPF)**
- President : **Emmanuel Macron**
- Prime Minister : **Elisabeth Borne**
- Language : **French**



APPOINTMENTS



➤ Infosys reappointed Salil Parekh as CEO and MD for how many years?

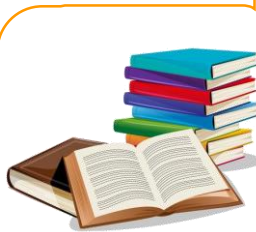
- A) 2
- B) 4
- C) 7
- D) 5
- E) 10

Answer

D) 5



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APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- IT giant **Infosys** has announced that **Salil Parekh** has been reappointed as **Chief Executive Officer (CEO)** and **Managing Director (MD)** by the Board of Directors.
- His new term will be effective from **July 1, 2022 to March 31, 2027**.
- The reappointment is subject to approval by **shareholders**.
- Parekh, has been the CEO and MD of Infosys since **Jan 2018**.



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

Infosys

- Founded : **02/07/1981**
- HQ : **Bangalore**
- Chairman : **Nandan Nilekani**
- MD & CEO : **Salil Parekh**



APPOINTMENTS



➤ Han Duck-soo appointed as Prime Minister for which of the following country?



- A) Myanmar
- B) South Korea
- C) Japan
- D) Indonesia
- E) Singapore



Answer
B) South Korea



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- South Korean President **Yoon Suk-yeol** appointed **Han Duck-soo** as the prime minister of his government.
- He served as senior presidential secretary for economic affairs under former liberal President **Kim Dae-jung**, finance and prime ministers under former liberal President **Roh Moo-hyun**, and ambassador to the United States under former conservative President **Lee Myung-bak**.



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

South Korea

- Capital : **Seoul**
- Currency : **Korean Republic won (KRW)**
- President : **Yoon Suk-yeol**
- Prime Minister : **Han Duck-soo**
- Language : **Korean (Pyojuneo)**



APPOINTMENTS



➤ IFS Vivek Kumar appointed as Private Secretary to who among the following?

- A) Agriculture Minister
- B) Finance Minister
- C) External Affairs Minister
- D) Home Minister
- E) Prime Minister



Answer
E) Prime Minister



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- **IFS Vivek Kumar** was appointed as **Private Secretary (PS)** to Prime Minister **Narendra Modi**.
- The **Appointments Committee of the Cabinets** approved the proposal for the appointment of Vivek Kumar as PM Modi's PS.
- A 2004 batch Indian Foreign Service (IFS) officer, Vivek Kumar is currently **the director** of the Prime Minister's Office (PMO).



APPOINTMENTS



➤ Anthony Albanese will be next prime minister for which of the following country?



- A) Australia
- B) Canada
- C) Brazil
- D) Peru
- E) Iraq



Answer
A) Australia



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- Australia's Prime Minister-elect **Anthony Albanese** is a politician molded by his humble start to life as the only child of a single mother who raised him on a pension in gritty inner-Sydney suburbia.
- He Succeeds **Scott Morrison**.



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

Australia

- Capital : **Canberra**
- Currency : **Australian Dollar**
- Monarch : **Elizabeth II**
- Prime Minister : **Anthony Albanese**
- Language : **English**



➤ IREDA sanctioned how many crore loans for renewable energy projects in Maharashtra?

- A) Rs 14,545
- B) Rs 14,544
- C) Rs 15,445
- D) Rs 14,445
- E) Rs 14,454



Answer
C) Rs 14,445



Explanation

- Government-owned renewable energy project finance company **IREDA** has sanctioned **loans worth Rs 14,445 crore and disbursed** Rs 10,018 crore for various green energy projects in **Maharashtra**.
- **IREDA (Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Limited)** in association with the **Mahratta Chamber of Commerce Industries and Agriculture (MCCAI)** conducted a workshop on '**Greening India through renewables**' on May 20, 2022 in Pune, Maharashtra.



Titbits

IREDA (Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Limited)

- Founded : **11/03/1987**
- HQ : **New Delhi**
- CMD : **Pradip Kumar Das**
- Under : **Ministry of New and Renewable Energy**

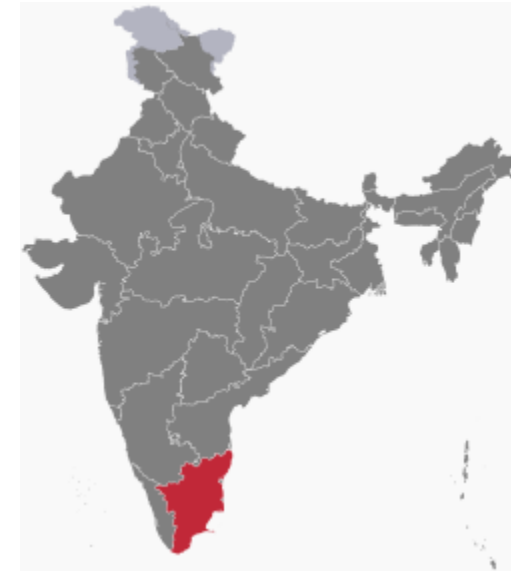


NATIONAL AFFAIRS



➤ **Union Minister inaugurated exhibition on International day of Biological Diversity in which of the following state?**

- A) Andra Pradesh
- B) Tamil Nadu
- C) Kerala
- D) Karnataka
- E) Telengana



Answer
B) Tamil Nadu



Explanation

- Union Minister for Environment, Forest and Climate change **Bhupender Yadav** inaugurated Biological Diversity Exhibition at **Chennai Kalaivanar Arangam** during the **International Day of Biological Diversity (IDB)** celebrations.
- Yadav also announced the Indian biodiversity award and winners of the **national level competition** organised by the **National Biodiversity Authority (NBA)** on May 5, and launched the fourth cycle of biodiversity **Samrakshan internship Programme**, and released a special cover by the Indian Post on **IDB 2022**.



Titbits

Tamil Nadu

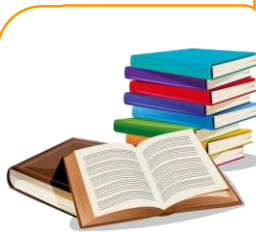
- Capital: **Chennai**
- CM: **MK Stalin**
- Governor: **RN Ravi**
- Language : **Tamil**
- National Park : **Annamalai (Indira Gandhi) National Park**
- Wildlife Sanctuary : **Srivilliputhur Grizzled Squirrel WLS**
- Ramsar Site : **Point Calimere Wildlife & Bird Sanctuary**
- Tiger Reserve : **Kalakad- Mundanthurai**
- Power Station : **North Chennai Thermal Power Station, Kudankulam Nuclear Power Plant**
- Dams : **Pechiparai Dam** in **Kodayar River**
- RRB : **Tamil Nadu Grama Bank (India Bank)**



QUICK RECALL



1. World Metrology Day 2022
2. International Day of Biological Diversity (IDB)
3. Archery WC Gwangju: Indian men's compound team bags gold
4. Infosys reappoints Salil Parekh as CEO and MD for 5 years
5. South Korean President appoints Prime Minister



QUICK RECALL



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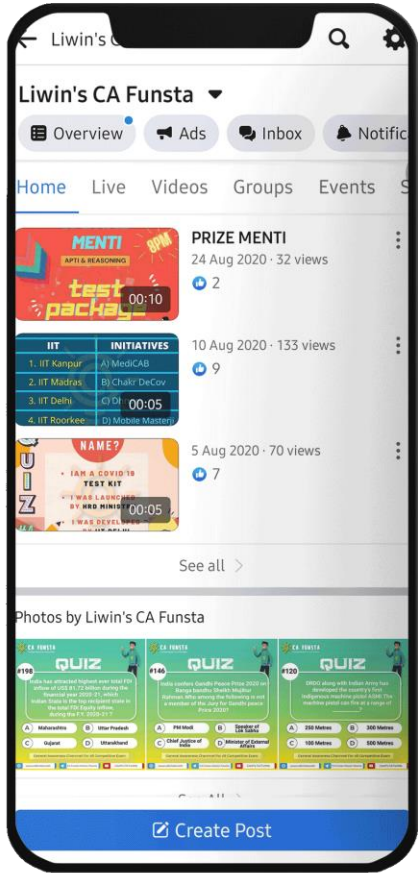
7. Australia's next prime minister came from humble beginnings

8. IREDA sanctions Rs 14,000 crore loans for renewable energy projects in Maharashtra

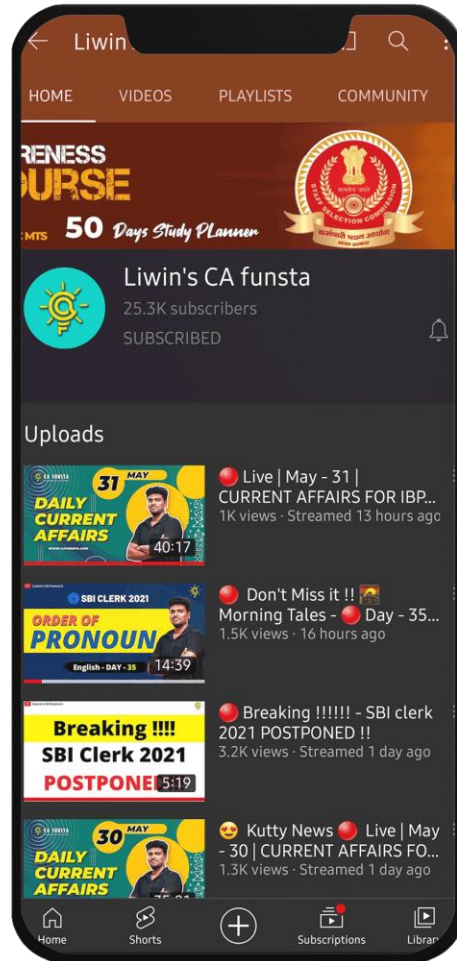
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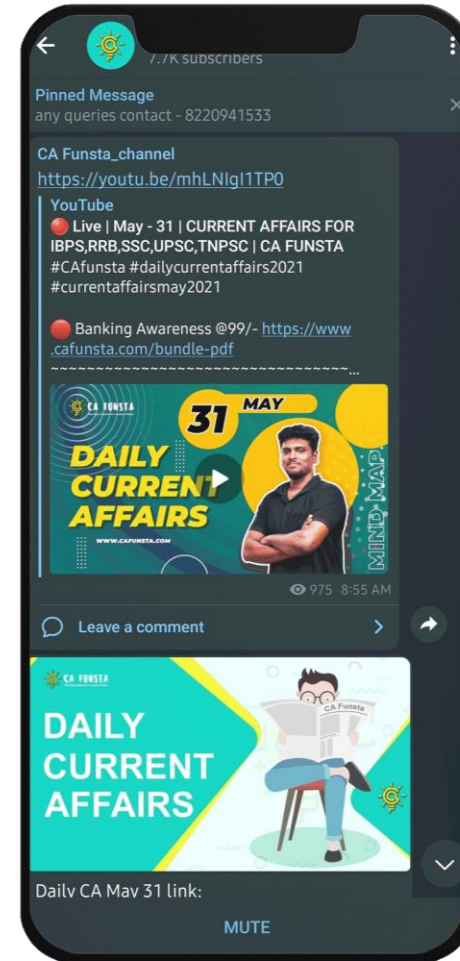
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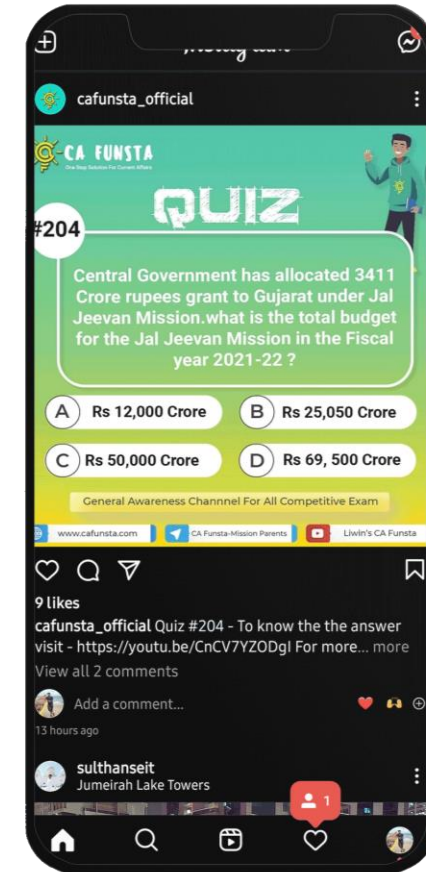
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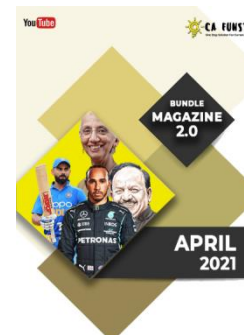
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