



# **CURRENT AFFAIRS**

**News of 13th & 14th May**

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**By Sujeet Sir**





# FIGHT CORONA

COVID-19 SPREADS THROUGH TRANSMISSION

## › Wash your hands several times with soap

Keep washing your hands for a minimum of 20 seconds all through the day.

## › Wear a mask before stepping out of the house

Make sure that there is no gap between your face and the mask. If the mask gets dirty, replace it immediately.

## › Practice social distancing

Avoid going to public places and if you have to, then keep a minimum distance of one metre from the other person.







12<sup>th</sup> ✓  
MAX AGE ⊗

**CLAT-2020**  
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# Question No: 1

निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा\से कथन सत्य नहीं हैं?

✓ 1. WHA में सदस्य इसमें शामिल होने वाले देशों के Health Ministers होते हैं।

2. WHA की वर्ष 2020 की बैठक का आयोजन लंदन में होगी

A.1

B.2

C.Both

D.None

Ans ➡ B

# Question No: 2

भारत में बचपन बचाओ आंदोलन किसने शुरू किया था?

A. नाशिरा शर्मा

B. कैलाश सत्यार्थी

C. सोनम वांगचुक

D. भरत नागर

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2018

Ans → कैलाश सत्यार्थी

# Question No: 3

(एशिया का नोबेल कौन से पुरस्कार) को कहा जाता है?

A. भारत रत्न पुरस्कार

☒ B. रैमन मैग्सेसे पुरस्कार

C. द्रोणाचार्य पुरस्कार

D. None

→ फिलीपीन

Ans  (B)

# Question No: 4

निम्नलिखित में सत्य कथन कौन सा है?

1. Nehru Memorial Museum & Library (NMML) भारत के दिल्ली शहर में स्थित है।

2. यह एक Autonomous Body है


स्वायत्त

A.1

B.2

C. None

D. Both

Ans  Both





# Question No: 5

2019 का रेमन मैग्सेसे अवॉर्ड किस भारतीय पत्रकार को दिया गया है?

- A. रवीश कुमार
- B. पुण्य प्रसून बाजपेई
- C. रोहित सरदाना
- D. तवलीन कौर

~~NDTV~~  
New delhi TV

Ans → A

# Question No: 6

निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा\से कथन सत्य नहीं हैं?

1. 'बैंड बैंक' के अंतर्गत आर्थिक संकट के समय घाटे में चल रहे बैंकों द्वारा अपनी देयताओं को एक नए बैंक को स्थानांतरित किया जाता है।
2. वर्तमान में सुनील मेहता को 'प्रोजेक्ट सशक्त' (Project Sashakt) के अध्यक्ष बनाया गया है।

~~A.1~~

B.2

C.Both

D.None

Ans → D



# Question No: 7

2020 WHA सम्मेलन की अध्यक्षता कौन सा देश कर रहा है?

A. चीन

B. भारत

C. अमेरिका

D. ब्राजील

Ans → भारत

# Question No: 8

चीनी गृहयुद्ध के बाद Kuomintang Party के नेताओं ने कहाँ शरण ली थी?

A. ताइवान

B. चीन

C. तिब्बत

D. नेपाल

1949  
Communist Party  
Taiwan  
China  
India

Ans → ताइवान



# Question No: 9

सशक्त पैनल किस क्षेत्र से संबंधित है?

☒ A. Banking Reform

☐ B. Vaccination

☐ C. Education

☐ D. None

Ans ➞ Banking reform

# Question No: 10


अटल पेंशन योजना को किस वर्ष लांच किया गया?

A.2014

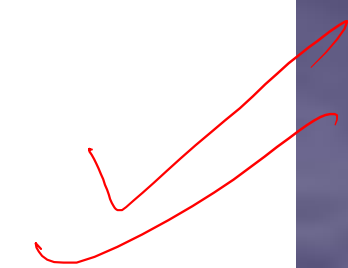
B.2015

C.2018

D.2016

Ans  2015





Essentially this is to  
spurt growth and to  
build a very self reliant  
India and that is why  
this whole initiative is  
called Atmanirbhar  
Bharat Abhiyan

**NIRMALA  
SITHARAMAN**

Union Finance Minister

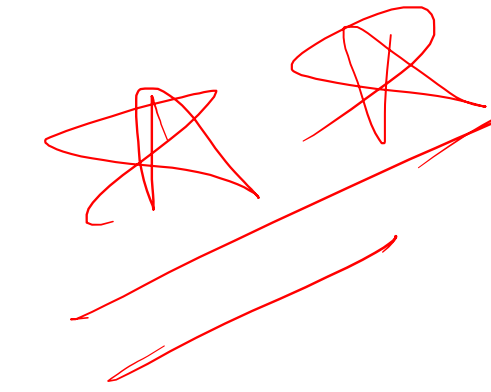


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**Govt to change rules  
to disallow global  
tenders for govt  
procurements upto  
Rs 200 crore**

**NIRMALA  
SITHARAMAN**  
Union Finance Minister





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**Due date of all income-tax  
return for FY 2019-20 will  
be extended from 31<sup>st</sup> July,  
2020 & 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2020  
to 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2020**

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# Existing and Revised Definition of MSMEs



Existing MSME Classification			
Criteria : Investment in Plant & Machinery or Equipment			
Classification	Micro	Small	Medium
Mfg. Enterprises	Investment < Rs. 25 lac	Investment < Rs. 5 cr.	Investment < Rs. 10 cr.
Services Enterprise	Investment < Rs. 10 lac	Investment < Rs. 2 cr.	Investment < Rs. 5 cr.
Revised MSME Classification			
Composite Criteria : Investment And Annual Turnover			
Classification	Micro	Small	Medium
Manufacturing & Services	Investment < Rs. 1 cr. and Turnover < Rs. 5 cr.	Investment < Rs. 10 cr. and Turnover < Rs. 50 cr.	Investment < Rs. 20 cr. and Turnover < Rs. 100 cr.

Comp. Size

TAX ✓

Labour law ✓



Security

# BOOST FOR MSMEs

- Collateral free automatic loans to be provided to MSMEs worth Rs 3 Lakh Crore.
- These have a 4-year tenor and will be valid up to October 31, 2020.
- Rs 20,000 crores subordinate debt for stressed MSME.
- Two lakh MSME's are likely to benefit from it

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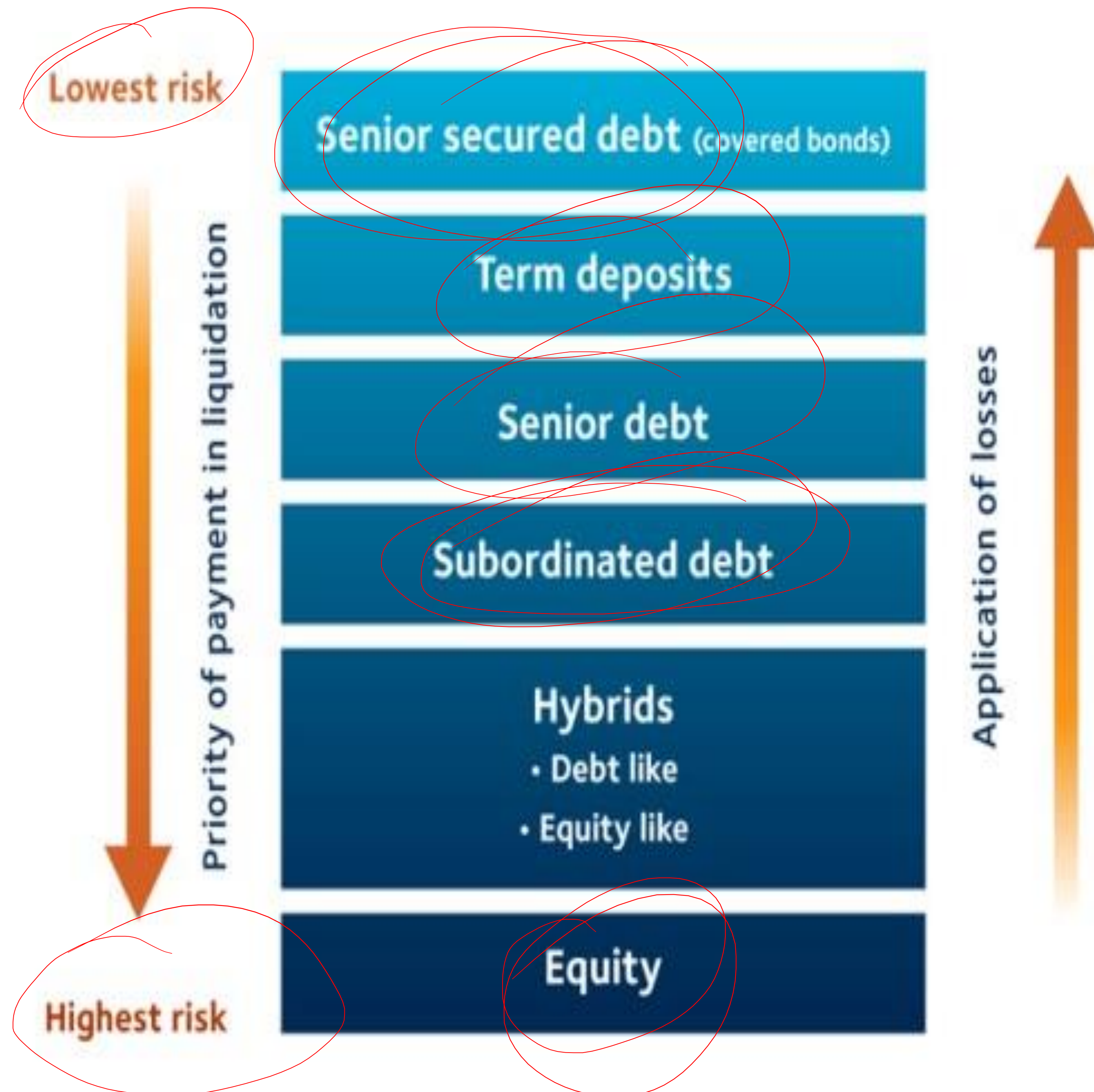
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## Subordinate Debt

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In case of liquidation of a company, rankings are provided to various debts for the purpose of repayment, wherein the kind of debt which is ranked after all the senior debt and other corporate Debts and loans is known as subordinated debt.



- 3621
- ISGAIN
- (विजली विक्रो कपनिया)
- **Discoms** today are facing unprecedented cash flow problems. In all states, they are in serious crisis. In order to help them, liquidity infusion of **Rs 90,000** crore will be done.



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# Pompeo meets Netanyahu to discuss West Bank annexation

The visit comes amid fresh violence in the Palestine territory

**ASSOCIATED PRESS**  
JERUSALEM

U.S. Secretary of State Mike Pompeo met on Wednesday with Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu to discuss Israel's plans to annex parts of the West Bank, as Israeli troops shot and killed a Palestinian teen in a clash with stone-throwers in the occupied territory.

Mr. Pompeo's brief visit came at a tense time, as Israeli troops searched for the killers of a soldier killed a



Mike Pompeo. •AFP

day earlier by a rock dropped from a rooftop during an army raid of a West Bank village.

Standing alongside Mr. Pompeo, Mr. Netanyahu said

the six-hour visit is a "testament to the strength of our alliance." The two said their talks would focus on shared concerns about Iran, the battle against the coronavirus and Israel's incoming government.

Mr. Netanyahu and his new coalition partner, Blue and White party leader Benny Gantz, postponed the swearing-in of their government until Thursday to accommodate Mr. Pompeo's visit.

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# Palestinian kills Israeli soldier in West Bank

It comes a day before Pompeo's visit

AGENCE FRANCE-PRESSE  
JERUSALEM

The Israeli Army suffered its first fatality this year on Tuesday when a Palestinian stone thrower killed a soldier in the occupied West Bank, a day before U.S.-Israeli talks on annexation.

The Army said the 21-year-old soldier was hit in the head "during operational activity" in the village of Yaabad near the northern city of Jenin.

Palestinian security sources said that clashes erupted when Israeli forces raided the village.

The unrest came a day before U.S. Secretary of State Mike Pompeo is due in Jerusalem for discussions with Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and incoming Defence Minister Benny Gantz. The meeting, a day

before a new Israeli government is due to be sworn in, will focus partly on President Donald Trump's controversial West Asia peace plan.

## Annexation plans

The plan, categorically rejected by the Palestinians, gives Israel the green light to annex Jewish settlements and strategic areas of the West Bank.

For much of the international community, such a move by Israel would amount to a grave violation of international law and crush hopes of a two-state solution to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.

Under the terms of the new coalition agreements, West Bank annexation plans can be brought to Parliament or Cabinet from July 1.

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हर एलीन



- **West Bank** (about one and a half times the size of **Goa**) is a **landlocked territory** in **West Asia**. It also contains a **significant section of the western dead sea**.
- It was captured by **Jordan** after the **Arab-Israeli War (1948)** but **Israel** snatched it back during the **Six-Day War of 1967** and has occupied it ever since.
- At present, there are around **130 formal Israeli settlements** along with **26 lakh Palestinians** at **West Bank**.

# Global Stand over West Bank Settlements

- **Majority of the countries' consider West Bank settlements illegal and an occupied territory.**
- **The United Nations General Assembly, the UN Security Council, and the International Court of Justice have declared that the West Bank settlements are violative of the **Fourth Geneva Convention**.**



- Under the **Fourth Geneva Convention (1949)**, an occupying power “shall not deport or transfer parts of its own civilian population into the territory it occupies”.

# Archaeological Survey of India gets new chief

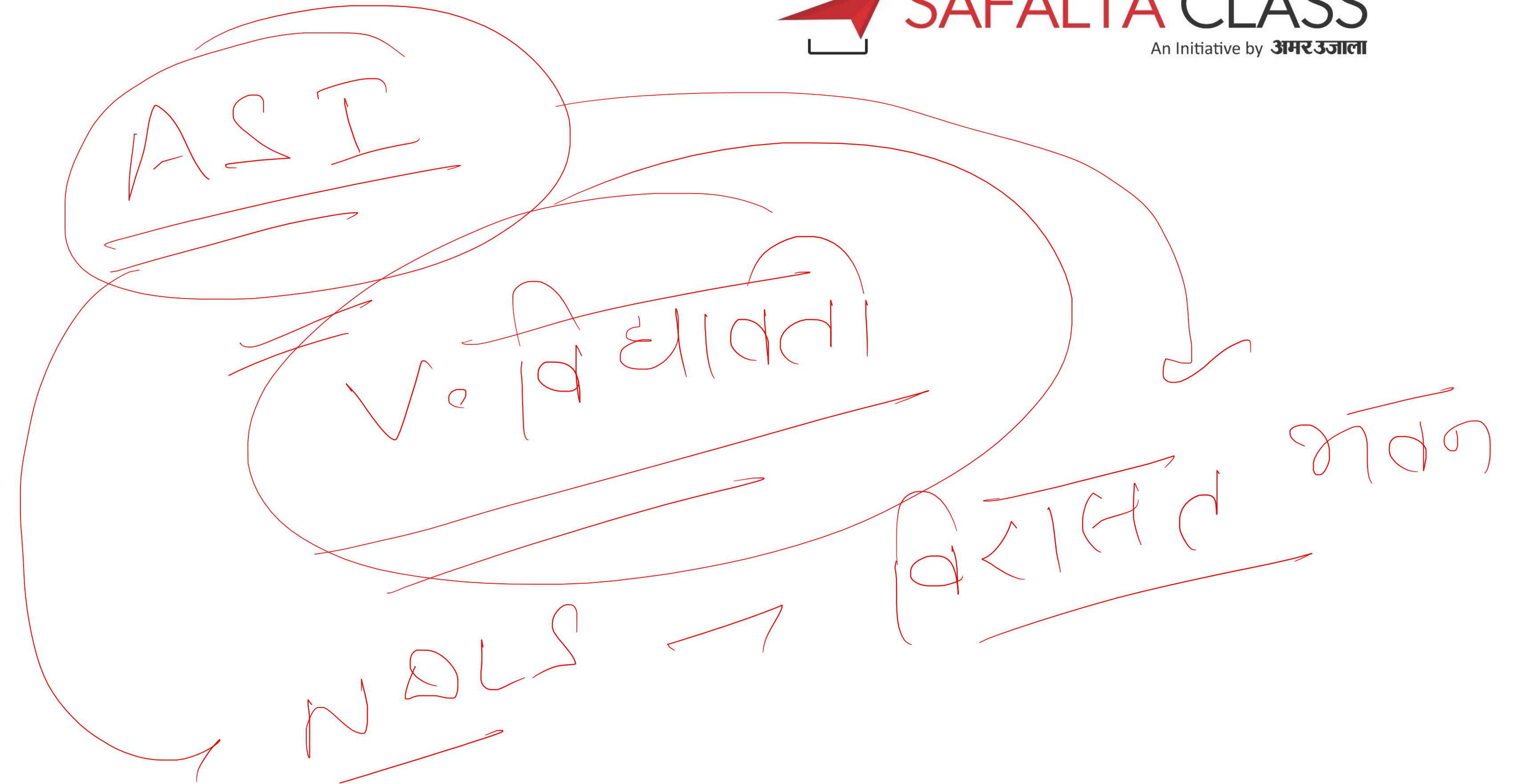
**SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT**  
NEW DELHI

The Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) got a new Director General with the appointment of IAS officer V. Vidyavathi on Tuesday.

Ms. Vidyavathi is a 1991 batch Karnataka cadre officer, according to the order of the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet on Tuesday.

She will be serving in the rank of Additional Secretary to the Government of India.

As on Wednesday, she was yet to take charge of the post, according to ASI officials.





# Army proposes 3-year stint for civilians

Proposal aims to reduce financial burden on the force and free funds for its modernisation

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT  
NEW DELHI

In a first of its kind proposal, the Army plans to take civilians on a three-year "Tour of Duty" (ToD) or short service" on a trial basis to serve as officers and in other ranks initially for a limited number of vacancies which will be expanded later.

This is expected to result in significant reduction in the expenditure on pay and pensions and free up funds for the Army's modernisation.

"The proposal is under consideration. If approved, it will be voluntary and there will be no dilution of criteria in selection," an Army source said.

## Cost factor

The overall purpose of the ToD concept is 'internship/



**Call of duty:** As per the proposal, civilians will be inducted to serve as both officers and in other ranks. \*MILLER AHMAD

cemen Contributory Health Scheme for ToD officers and other ranks.

Analysing the cost of training incurred on each person compared with the limited employment of the

proposed severance packages, leave encasement and other costs is nearly ₹5.12 crore and ₹6.83 crore on a Short Service Commission (SSC) officer if he or she is released from service after 10

fits. "Similar costs for those released after a three-year ToD is just ₹80-85 lakh," it says.

Similarly, estimates for a jawan with 17 years of service as compared to a ToD recruit with three years' service shows that the prospective lifetime savings of just one jawan is ₹11.5 crore. "Thus, savings for only 1,000 jawans could be ₹11,000 crore, which could be used for the much-needed modernisation of the Army," the proposal says.

## Many advantages

Highlighting the advantages of this scheme, the sources said this scheme is for those who did not want a full career in the Army but still wanted to put on the uniform.

Individuals who opted for

this would attract individuals from the best colleges, including the Indian Institutes of Technology.

The proposal states that as per an initial survey, corporates favour individuals aged 26 or 27 who have been trained by the military.

The proposal suggests several incentives such as tax-free income for three years and a lumpsum at the end of three years of about ₹5-6 lakh for officers and ₹2-3 lakh for others.

The Army's pay and pension bill has been increasingly steeply over the years, accounting for 60% of its budget allocation. In the last five years, though the growth in the defence budget has been 68%, and for defence salaries 75%, defence pensions have increased by a staggering 146%.

Contract

Cost =



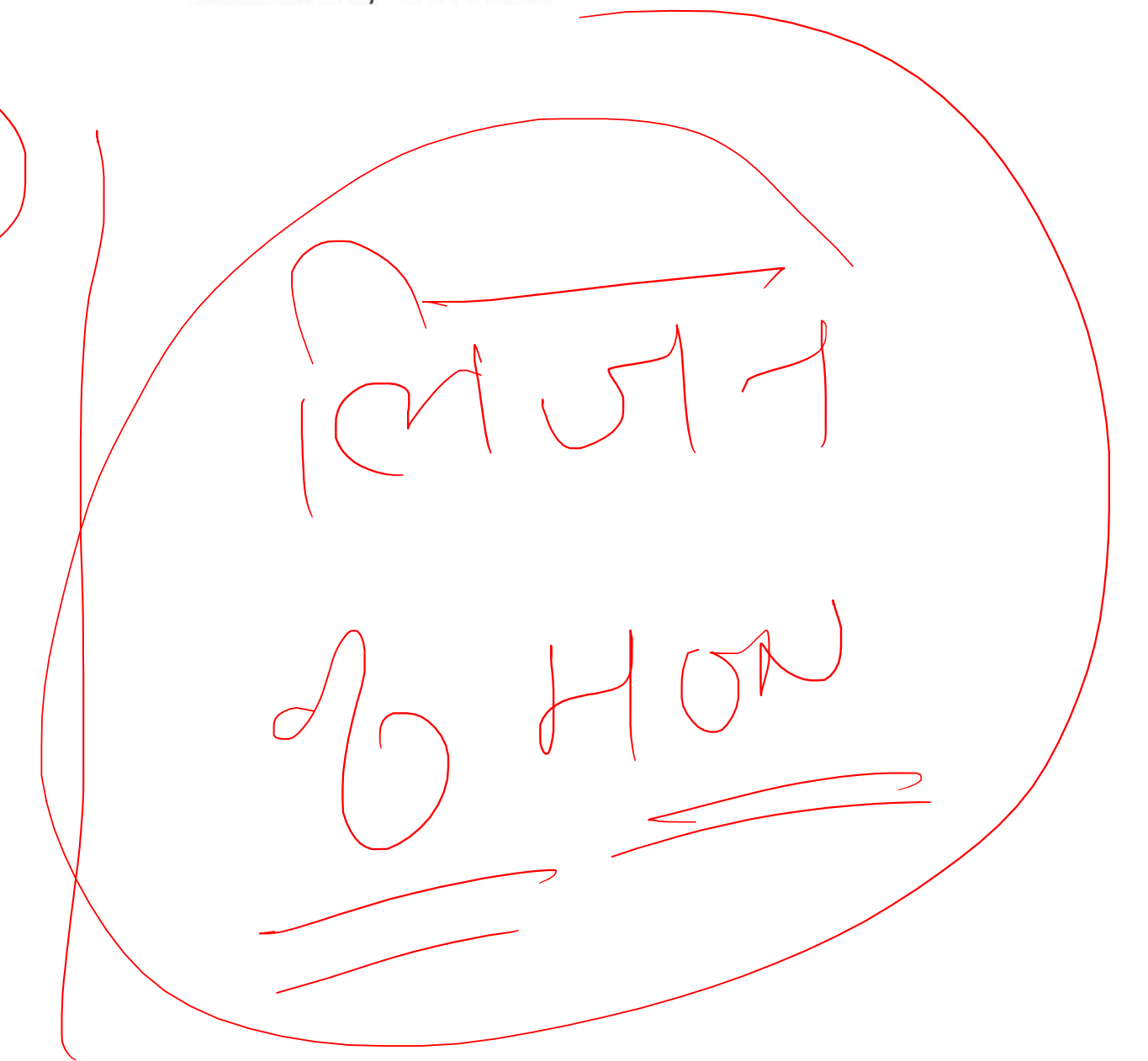


# List of major International Awards conferred upon Prime Minister Narendra Modi



## 1- Order of the Holy Apostle Andrew the First (2019)

- **Russia's Highest Civilian Award**
- **PM Modi 17<sup>th</sup> person who got this award.**
- **The Order was established in 1698 by Tsar Peter the Great, in honour of Saint Andrew,**





## **2. Zayed Medal(2019)**

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**The Order of Zayed is the United Arab Emirates' highest civil decoration.**

### 3. Philip Kotler Presidential Award(2019)

**Philip Kotler is a world renowned Professor of Marketing at Northwestern University, Kellogg School of Management.**



#### 4. **Seoul Peace Prize(2018)**

- **PM Modi is the fourteenth recipient of this award.**
- **The Seoul Peace Prize was established in 1990 as a biennial recognition with monetary award to commemorate the success of the 24th Summer Olympic Games held in Seoul, Korea(1988)**

## 5. Rule of Nishan Izzuddeen(2019)

- Highest civilian honour of Maldives

## 6. Champions of the Earth(2018)

- UN's highest environmental honour.
- International Solar Alliance and pledge to eliminate single use plastic in India by 2022.



**7. Grand Collar of the State of Palestine(2018)**

**8. Amir Amanullah Khan Award(2016)**

- **Afghanistan's top civilian honour**

**9. The King Abdulaziz Sash(2016)**

- **Saudi Arabia's highest civilian honour.**

ARAMCO

# Question No: 1

रेमन मैगसेसे पुरस्कार 2018 में किसे प्राप्त हुआ था?

- A. भारत वाटवानी
- B. सोनम वांगचुक
- C. Both
- D. None

Ans ➡ Both



# Question No: 2

सरकार ने अटल पेंशन योजना का लाभ पाने वाले व्यक्तियों की उम्र(age) सीमा क्या निर्धारित की है?

A. 18-45 वर्ष

B. 18-35 वर्ष

☒ C. 18-40 वर्ष

D. 18-60 वर्ष

Ans ☒ (C)

# Question No: 3

वर्तमान में भारत के प्रधानमंत्री के निवास स्थल का क्या नाम है?

- A. लोक भवन मार्ग
- B. तीन मूर्ति चौक मार्ग
- C. लोक कल्याण मार्ग
- D. None

7RCR

Residence

Ans → लोक कल्याण मार्ग (OLD NAME: 7RCR)



# Question No: 4

WHA का पूर्ण रूप क्या होगा?

A. World Health Association

✓ B. World Health Assembly

C. World Healthy Agency

D. None

Handwritten notes in red ink: "WHO" is circled, and "WHO Governing Body" is written below it.

Ans ➡ World health assembly

# Question No: 5

Indian Bank's Association (IBA) का मुख्यालय कहा स्थित है?

A.Delhi

☒ B.Mumbai

C.Chennai

D.Pune

Ans ➞ Mumbai



# Question No: 6

राष्ट्रीय प्रौद्योगिकी दिवस (National Technology Day) हर वर्ष मनाया जाता है?

- ✓ (a) 11 मई
- (b) 10 मई
- (c) 08 मई
- (d) 12 मई

Ans → 11 मई

# Question No: 7

“बोलना ही है” पुस्तक के लेखक कौन है?

A. शशि थरूर

B. जयराम रमेश

✓ C. रवीश कुमार

D. राहुल पंडित

Ans ☒ C



## Question No: 8

मई 2020 में दिल्ली में कोविड 19 स्थिति से सम्बंधित आयुष संजीवनी एप जिसे आयुष मंत्रालय तथा इलेक्ट्रॉनिक एवं सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी मंत्रालय के द्वारा इसे विकसित किया गया। इसका शुभारंभ किसने किया?

- A. प्रकाश जावड़ेकर
- B. जे पी नड्डा
- C. विजय गोयल
- D. डॉ हर्षवर्धन


Ans → डॉ हर्षवर्धन

# Question No: 9

द सरस कलेक्शन डैशबोर्ड की शुरुआत किस मंत्रालय द्वारा की गई है?

- A. ग्रामीण विकास मंत्रालय
- B. शहरी विकास मंत्रालय
- C. मानवाधिकार मंत्रालय
- D. गृहमंत्रालय

ग्रामीण विकास

Ans  (A)



# Question No: 10

गवर्नमेंट ई-मार्केटिंग प्लेस (GeM) की शुरुआत किस मंत्रालय के तहत हुई?

A. इलेक्ट्रॉनिक और सूचना प्रसारण मंत्रालय

B. ग्रामीण विकास मंत्रालय

C. मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय

✓ D. वाणिज्य और उद्योग मंत्रालय

Ans  (D)



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## CURRENT AFFAIRS

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14th May 2020 | 8:30 am to 9:15 am

By **Sujeet Sir**



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## Practice Session Subject - English

CLAT

14th May 2020 | 10:00 am to 10:30 am

By **Santosh Sir**



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## Previous Years Questions Practice

Subject - Hindi (Paper-1 & 2 Both Stream)

CTET/UPPET/REET  
HTET/UTET

14th May 2020 | 11:00 am to 11:45 am

By **Manish Sir**





**Basic Calculation**  
Practice Session

**BANK PO | CLERK**

14th May 2020 | 12:00 pm to 12:30 pm

**By Bhagwati Sir**



**Vocabulary (Part-6)**  
Subject - English

**English Vocabulary  
Session**

14th May 2020 | 1:00 pm to 1:30 pm

**By Santosh Sir**



**Practice Session**  
Subject - History

**NDA | NAVY  
AFCAT | AIRFORCE "X" GROUP**

14th May 2020 | 2:00 pm to 2:30 pm

**By Sujeet Sir**

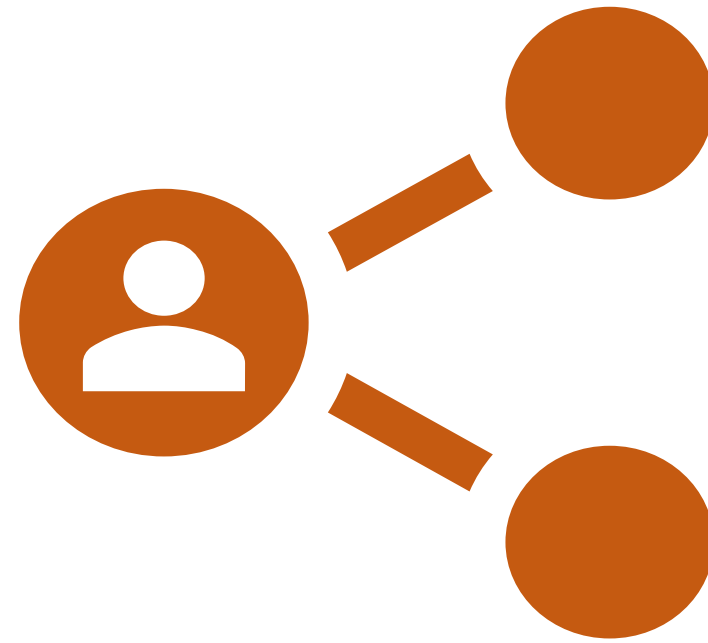


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