



Riveting Ganga Snan Mela: Fusion of Religion, Commerce & Entertainment

Description

Thousands of people are camping by the Ganga River to take a special bath on November 15th. This event, called Ganga Snan, is important in Hindu culture. It has been happening for a long time. People come from different places like Meerut, Muzaffarnagar, Bijnor, Amroha, Hapur, Bulandshahar to celebrate. The Garhmukteshwar Mela is the biggest fair. People enjoy activities like wrestling, sports, and even shopping for animals. The Mela is also a good place for business. For example, some people sell sports items there to make extra money. The Ganga Snan is so popular that leaders from the freedom movement used to visit. Even the Election Commission had to change the election date because many people were busy with the snan. The district administrations of some cities are making sure everything runs smoothly. It's a special event where religion, commerce, culture, and entertainment come together.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Mela** /'meɪ.lə/ (noun): A fair or festival especially in India where various activities like shopping and games are organized.
2. **Snan** /snaɪ/ (noun): A ritual bath especially in sacred rivers significant in Hindu practices.
3. **Commerce** /'kɒm.ɜ:s/ (noun): The activity of buying and selling especially on a large scale.
4. **Administration** /əd,mɪn.ɪ'streɪ.ʃən/ (noun): The management and organization of tasks operations and regulations within a government or institution.
5. **Culture** /'kʌl.tʃər/ (noun): The ideas customs and social behavior of a particular people or society.
6. **Celebrate** /'seɪ.ə,breɪt/ (verb): To observe a day or event with ceremonies of respect festivity or rejoicing.

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. What is the name of the event where people camp by the Ganga River to take a special bath on November 15th?

- Option: Diwali
- Option: Ganga Fair
- Option: Kumbh Mela



Option: Ganga Snan

2. Which of the following activities are enjoyed by people during the Garhmukteshwar Mela?

Option: Horse Racing

Option: Wrestling

Option: Skydiving

Option: Chess Tournament

3. What is one city mentioned where people come from to celebrate the Ganga Snan?

Option: Chandigarh

Option: Jaipur

Option: Meerut

Option: Lucknow

4. What is the special fair associated with the Ganga Snan event?

Option: Amusement Park Fair

Option: Garhmukteshwar Mela

Option: Crafts Fair

Option: Food Festival

5. Which of the following is NOT mentioned as an activity enjoyed during the Ganga Snan event?

Option: Sports

Option: Shopping for animals

Option: Music Concerts

Option: Wrestling

6. What was one reason the Election Commission had to change the election date?

Option: Inclement Weather

Option: Busy with Ganga Snan

Option: Technical Issues

Option: Security Concerns

True-False

7. The Ganga Snan event happens on December 15th every year.

8. Leaders from the freedom movement used to visit the Ganga Snan event.



9. The Ganga Snan event is primarily focused on business activities.
10. The Ganga Snan event is only attended by local residents.
11. The Ganga Snan event involves cultural celebrations.
12. The Ganga Snan event has been happening for a short period of time.

Gap-Fill

13. The district administrations of some cities are making sure everything runs smoothly during the Ganga Snan event. It's a special event where religion, commerce, culture, and _____ come together.
14. People sell sports items at the Garhmukteshwar Mela to make extra _____.
15. The Ganga Snan is important in _____ culture.
16. The Garhmukteshwar Mela is known for activities like wrestling, sports, and shopping for _____.
17. The Election Commission had to change the election date because many people were busy with the _____.
18. People come from different places like Meerut, Muzaffarnagar, Bijnor, Amroha, Hapur, Bulandshahar to celebrate the _____.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Ganga Snan 2. Wrestling 3. Meerut 4. Garhmukteshwar Mela 5. Music Concerts 6. Busy with Ganga Snan

True-False: 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. False 11. True 12. False

Gap-Fill: 13. entertainment 14. money 15. Hindu 16. animals 17. snan 18. Ganga Snan



Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Who is typically responsible for the overall management of a company?
Option: Accountant
Option: Secretary
Option: Executive
Option: Designer
2. Which field focuses on the development and application of scientific knowledge for practical purposes?
Option: Technology
Option: History
Option: Philosophy
Option: Mathematics
3. In storytelling who is the individual or entity that drives the plot forward?
Option: Audience
Option: Character
Option: Narrator
Option: Setting
4. What term refers to the creation of a plan or convention for the construction of an object system or measurable human interaction?
Option: Function
Option: Design
Option: Chaos
Option: Destruction
5. What is a response to a stimulus?
Option: Reaction
Option: Proaction
Option: Inaction
Option: Transaction
6. Which term refers to the exchange of goods and services especially on a large scale?
Option: Communication
Option: Commerce
Option: Compensation
Option: Compliance



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7. What is the emotion experienced when something unexpected happens?
- Option: Angry
 - Option: Sad
 - Option: Happy
 - Option: Surprised
8. Which term describes someone who is keen or enthusiastic about something?
- Option: Lazy
 - Option: Eager
 - Option: Cautious
 - Option: Reluctant
9. What are new pieces of information or enhancements to existing content or services called?
- Option: Updates
 - Option: Downgrades
 - Option: Stagnations
 - Option: Freezes
10. What are the most important parts or aspects of something?
- Option: Lowlights
 - Option: Highlights
 - Option: Shadows
 - Option: Outlines

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. _____ intelligence focuses on machines that are programmed to think like humans.
12. People _____ special occasions like birthdays and anniversaries.
13. The car _____ plant works around the clock to meet demand.
14. The latest software update is _____ for download.
15. The company hired an _____ assistant to help with daily tasks.
16. Each country has its own unique customs and _____.
17. The news of the merger elicited a mixed _____ from investors.



18. The mall installed cameras for increased security and _____.
19. The speaker gave a brief _____ before starting the lecture.
20. Please check the app regularly for the latest _____ and bug fixes.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The team member was highly committed to the project and worked tirelessly to achieve success.
22. The educational app encouraged students to engage actively with the content through quizzes and games.
23. Constructive feedback is essential for growth and improvement in any field.
24. The anticipation of the upcoming vacation filled the family with joy and enthusiasm.
25. The movie's sequel is set to be released next year continuing the story from where it left off.
26. The detective decided to further investigate the mysterious disappearance.
27. The annual cultural festival drew thousands of visitors with music dance and food.
28. The detective was called to the crime scene where a wealthy businessman was found dead.
29. The latest model of the smartphone is now in stock and ready for purchase.
30. The project manager outlined a detailed plan to ensure the successful completion of the task.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Executive 2. Technology 3. Character 4. Design 5. Reaction 6. Commerce 7. Surprised 8. Eager 9. Updates 10. Highlights

Gap-Fill: 11. Artificial 12. celebrate 13. production 14. available 15. administration 16. culture 17. reaction 18. surveillance 19. introduction 20. updates

Matching sentence: 1. dedicated 2. interactive 3. criticism 4. excitement 5. sequel 6. probe 7. mela 8. murdered 9. available 10. plan

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