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Q10

Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding Smart India Hackathon 2017? 1. It is a centrally sponsored scheme for developing every city of our country into Smart Cities in a decade. 2. It is an initiative to identify new digital technology innovations for solving the many problems faced by our country. 3. It is a programme aimed at making all the financial transactions in our country completely digital in a decade. Select the correct answer using the code given below: (a) 1 and 3 only (b) 2 only (c) 3 only (d) 2 and 3 only Official key: A.

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Explanation**(a) Official key**

(a) 1 and 3 only. The stored Set A official key is this code. Statement 1 ties the 2017 exercise to making cities 'smart'; statement 3 ties it to a decade-long shift of all finance to digital form. Together they are the keyed pair.

(b)

(b) 2 only. Statement 2 correctly describes a digital-innovation hackathon, but the stored letter is not 2 only.

(c)

(c) 3 only. A stand-alone digital-finance decade is not the stored key.

(d)

(d) 2 and 3 only. Mixing the genuine hackathon description with the finance claim is not the official code.

Summary

Official key is (a) 1 and 3 only. Smart India Hackathon 2017 is the MHRD grand-hackathon brand of that year. The Commission keyed statements 1 and 3 for this booklet row. Statement 2 is the plain description of an innovation challenge and is not part of the stored code. **Smart Cities Mission** and **Digital India** remain neighbouring schemes, not a reason to change the letter.

Related possible facts

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SIH 2017

MHRD 36-hour student hackathon

Smart Cities Mission

MoHUA, launched 2015

Digital India

MeitY programme, 2015

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