

Swachh Bharat The Clean India Movement

The linkage between poverty, livelihood, and the environment is always multifaceted and often complex. The degradation of the environment has been plunging millions of people into poverty. The last century witnessed rapid progress in the application of science and technology, which resulted in improvement in livelihood, reduction in poverty, enhanced life expectancy and huge growth in consumption which in turn created pressure on the environment. Thus, the planet's capacity to sustain is eroding with degrading agricultural land, shrinking forests, diminishing supply of clean water and other related issues. Apart from food and water, clean and affordable access to energy is one key issue to a decent livelihood. The tradeoffs that policymakers are facing nowadays are rapid reduction in poverty and improving livelihood without harming the environment. These draw our focus to address environmental issues that matter to the livelihood of the poor which are critical for poverty reduction. Strengthening the link between poverty, livelihood, and the environment can promote sustainable development outcomes. The book is a collection of articles on comprehensive research, case studies, empirical and theoretical papers on these issues. The chapters of the book attempted to analyze the links and identify approaches that can promote positive outcomes. The contributors here tried to highlight a number of key challenges that need to be addressed in the process of policy formulation and government investment programmes. It may serve as an important resource for academics, researchers, professionals, students and policy-makers.

The aim of the Mission Swachh Bharat should be to spread cleanliness everywhere and encompass everything - roads, railway tracks, bus stations, railway stations, parks, beaches, shorelines, river banks, reservoirs, lakes, schools colleges, universities and all other public places. 100% Swachh Bharat can be achieved only by the strong will of the government combined with people's participation and their strong desire to keep their country perfectly clean at all times throughout the year

Gateway to Computer Studies Class 07

Tourism is one of the largest contributors to the Indian economy. Unfortunately, the growth and development of tourism in India are negatively affected by poor public sanitation practices and lack of effective waste management policies. To address this impediment to tourism, the Indian government has initiated the 'Swachh Bharat' (Clean India) campaign with support from public and private sectors. Similar programs were pursued earlier by several other countries successfully. Current case documents the political and cultural challenges faced by the local authorities in implementing Clean India campaign in urban and rural areas in India. Several success stories were also presented.

Strategic Challenges and Cultural Impediments

Digital Edition

How Sustainable Are Sanitation Outcomes in Clean Village Prize Winners?

Four Pillars of India's Behavioural Transformation

Swachh Bharat Mission (Clean India Mission). A Case Study

Modi's Clean India Mission

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Public health issues of sanitation are major concerns faced by emerging economies, particularly the bottom of the pyramid populace in these countries. Thousands of deaths take place each year due to contaminated water sources in countries like India. Recognizing the importance of sanitation, the Indian government has been focusing on sanitation programs for approximately 60 years, though with limited success. One such program is Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) (Clean India Mission) implemented by non-governmental organizations with the help of the government, to accomplish complete sanitation by creating a defecation-free India. A young manager, Ms. Reena Sau, must use her awareness of social marketing practices to create a sanitation market by changing behavior towards open defecation. Students can be placed in a managerial role to discuss the social marketing process and suggest solutions. Students are required to present the social marketing strategies with appropriate suggestions for information, education and communication with the target group. The theory of social norms and the health belief model may help participants discuss the theoretical underpinnings of a behavior change.

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Dilemmas in Marketing Approaches for Sanitation at the Bottom of the Pyramid

Olympiad Champs English Class 7 with Past Olympiad Questions 2nd Edition

Waste of a Nation

POVERTY, LIVELIHOOD AND ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

Current Affairs Refresher 2020

Abandoned Toilets, Stunted Development and the Costs of Caste

This book presents a comprehensive collection of various in situ and ex-situ soil remediation regimes that employ natural or genetically modified

microbes, plants, and animals for the biodegradation of toxic compounds or hazardous waste into simpler non-toxic products. These techniques are demonstrated to be functionally effective in connection with physical, chemical, and biological strategies. Soil and water contamination through heavy metals, hydrocarbons and radioactive wastes is of global concern, as these factors have cumulative effects on the environment and human health through food-chain contamination. The book discusses the utilization of algae, plants, plant-associated bacteria, fungi (endophytic or rhizospheric) and certain lower animals for the sustainable bioremediation of organic and inorganic pollutants. In addition, it explores a number of more recent techniques like biochar and biofilms for carbon sequestration, soil conditioning and remediation, and water remediation. It highlights a number of recent advances in nanobioremediation, an emerging technology based on biosynthetic nanoparticles. Lastly, it presents illustrative case studies and highlights the successful treatment of polluted soils by means of these strategies.

Sustainability relates with Economics, Society, and Environment. However, one common fact that links them all is the generation of waste. This chapter is divided into two: The first part analyses the current generation of waste as well as its treatment. The second intends to establish policies for the future treatment of waste or, better yet, for ceasing the generation of waste. This first part begins by raising some capital questions: What is waste? Which are the components of waste? Where is waste generated? and How is waste treated? The second part will deal with: Why is waste produced? and What is society doing to correct this problem? 2. 2 First part: Current generation and treatment of waste 2. 2. 1 What is waste? The dictionary defines 'waste' as something useless, unwanted, or defective and the word 'by-product' as something produced in an industrial or biological process in addition to the principal product. From the point of view of sustainability, the word 'waste' does not have that meaning as, though it may be unwanted, it is not something useless and is certainly not defective. Even if in a manufacturing process a product or part of it does not conform to the manufacturer's quality specs, it does not thereby become waste, but is, rather scrap material that is usually brought back to its original state and then processed again.

The thoroughly Revised & Updated 2nd Edition of "Olympiad Champs English Class 7 with Past Olympiad Questions" is a complete preparatory book not only for Olympiad but also for Class 7 English. The book is prepared on content based on National Curriculum Framework prescribed by NCERT. This new edition has been empowered with Past Questions from various Olympiad Exams like IEO, IOEL, GTSE, etc. in both the exercises of every chapter. Further the book Provides engaging content with the help of Teasers, Do You Know, Amazing Facts & Illustrations, which enriches the reading experience for the children. The questions are divided into two levels Level 1 and Level 2. The first level, Level 1, is the beginner's level which comprises of questions like fillers, analogy and odd one out. The second level is the advanced level. Level 2 comprises of questions based on techniques like matching, chronological sequencing, picture, passage and feature based, statement correct/ incorrect, integer based, puzzle, grid based, crossword, Venn diagram, table/ chart based and much more. Solutions and explanations are provided for all questions at the end of each chapter.

This book provides an in-depth analysis of and discussion about the relationship between green tourism, economic growth and globalization. It explores numerous topics relating to tourism including transport efficiency, foreign direct investment, clean energy, climate change dynamics and advances in sustainable tourism management. The book begins with discussion of sustainable tourism and economic growth, particularly focusing on management strategies. It then presents the relationship between energy use and tourism, looking at green energy and energy shock. It then discusses transport efficiency, tourism efficiency and financial growth in both developed and developing countries. This book is of interest to researchers, policymakers, and postgraduate students in the areas of energy, environmental and tourism economics.

Swachh Bharat - How far it is?

Swachh Bharat

By Jagranjosh

Gateway to Computer Studies Class 07

Hindu Nationalism and the Rise of Ethnic Democracy

Research Handbook on Law, Environment and the Global South

Document from the year 2019 in the subject Social Work, language: English, abstract: Swachh Bharat Mission i.e. Clean India Mission, a national level initiative started by the Government of India in 2014 is a major step towards the protection of environment. Already India achieve 99.9% open defecation free status. If Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) is implemented properly with all its stakeholders and public taking their respective responsibilities, there is no doubt that India will become a clean country. A brief about this program, objectives, schemes, statics, implementation of Swachh Bharat Mission by Govt. in "X" sub-division, the areas in which SBM should focus to improve and related health concerns and its role in environmental protection has been discussed in this paper. "X" a sub-division of Assam where implementation of SBM schemes are considered for field work for this paper; directly not mentioning the name of that sub-division.

District Governor PMJF Lion VIJAY BUDHIRAJA published the Lions Directory of District 321A1 for 2016-17 as a print edition in December 2016. This Digital Edition is a replica of the printed book and enables portability of the same information and read in the Mobile Phones or eReaders. Keep Serving Be Happy is the slogan of the Governor for this year.

The title of the Book is "National Service Scheme Opportunities in Community Development". The Book contains 8 Chapters; each chapter is useful for the youth relevant content is covered.

The University Gant Commission is also recommended to introduce this type of syllabus in all universities in all over the countries in the world. I covered all university syllabus in the countries, those who are offered this type of course. In addition, I have been working as an NSS program co-ordinator for 10 years in V.S. University and received the best program co-ordinator, the best

program officer awards from Govt. of Andhra Pradesh. He received 02 time National NSS Awards from the Honorable President of India. Now I am working as State NSS Officer, Department of Higher Education, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur Dt., Andhra Pradesh. Author Description : Dr. K Ramesh Reddy is Asst. Professor. Dept. Computer Science, V.S. University Nellore. He studied M.Sc, MCA, and Ph.D. from S.V. University Tirupati. He has more than 15 years of teaching experience at UG and PG levels. He guided 7 Ph.D. scholars where 02 is awarded, 03 is submitted and 02 are still working under his guidance. His research interests are Cryptography, Networking, and Datamining. He is the author of a book, edited book, over 36 research papers that are published in reputed journals. He presented more than 26 research papers in various national/international conferences and seminars. In addition, he has been working as an NSS program co-ordinator for 8 years in V.S. University and received the best program co-ordinator, the best program officer awards from Govt. of Andhra Pradesh. He received 02 time National NSS Awards from the Honorable President of India. Now I am working as State NSS Officer, Department of Higher Education, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur Dt., Andhra Pradesh.

On Swachh Bharat Abhiyan (Clean India Mission).

Performance of Development Programmes in India-Issues and Challenges

Proceedings of 3rd Annual International Youth Forum on SDG's & Human Rights

Olympiad Champs English Class 7 with Past Olympiad Questions 3rd Edition

Road to a Better Future

Where India Goes

Method in the Madness

In India, you can still find the kabaadiwala, the rag-and-bone man. He wanders from house to house buying old newspapers, broken utensils, plastic bottles—anything for which he can get a little cash. This custom persists and recreates itself alongside the new economies and ecologies of consumer capitalism. Waste of a Nation offers an anthropological and historical account of India's complex relationship with garbage. Countries around the world struggle to achieve sustainable futures. Assa Doron and Robin Jeffrey argue that in India the removal of waste and efforts to reuse it also lay waste to the lives of human beings. At the bottom of the pyramid, people who work with waste are injured and stigmatized as they deal with sewage, toxic chemicals, and rotting garbage. Terrifying events, such as atmospheric pollution and childhood stunting, that touch even the wealthy and powerful may lead to substantial changes in practices and attitudes toward sanitation. And innovative technology along with more effective local government may bring about limited improvements. But if a clean new India is to emerge as a model for other parts of the world, a "binding morality" that reaches beyond the current environmental crisis will be required. Empathy for marginalized underclasses—Dalits, poor Muslims, landless migrants—who live, almost invisibly, amid waste produced predominantly for the comfort of the better-off will be the critical element in India's relationship with waste. Solutions will arise at the intersection of the traditional and the cutting edge, policy and practice, science and spirituality.

This contributed volume provides new approaches, fresh ideas, valuable insights, and latest research in leadership—from strategic business (model) innovation to system design and humanity—and is a knowledge source and inspirational guide for scientists and practitioners alike. A key theme is the provision of an integrated perspective on leadership in strategy and communication which allow (senior) leaders, managing directors, project managers, and individuals to (1) better link strategic business innovation and leadership and (2) shift to the new human self-leadership paradigm and in particular leadership advances that consider ideas from multiple disciplines and transgenerational views. That includes a new understanding about knowledge, learning and change and how leaders re-discover and develop their human abilities, which include intuition/strength, balance and clarity, projection-reflection, and wisdom. This volume also makes an important contribution to the evolving academic domain by providing the latest insights on trauma research, DNA healing, system (re)design, and growth & abundance mindset in the advanced co-creation age.

On 15 August 2014, in his maiden Independence Day address to the country, Narendra Modi became the first Prime Minister of India to take on the national shame of open defecation. Launched a few weeks later, on Gandhi Jayanti, the Swachh Bharat Mission has come a long way over the past five years. India is now close to declaring itself an Open Defecation Free nation on 2 October 2019, the 150th birth anniversary of the Father of the Nation. The Swachh Bharat Revolution looks at all that went into making this remarkable transformation happen, and how a nation of over a billion people led the largest people's movement in the world to make the impossible possible. This is a compendium of essays -- with names such as Arun Jaitley, Amitabh Kant, Ratan Tata, Sadhguru, Amitabh Bachchan, Akshay Kumar, Tavleen Singh, Bill Gates and many more, along with a message from Prime Minister Modi himself -- that celebrates a historic national achievement.

This book addresses several aspects of the Human Rights law and sustainable development analysed in the existing literature. The editor has tried to demonstrate that the core assumption of sustainable development regimes - that sustainable development maximizes certain social benefits over social costs by providing a necessary inducement for the work in public and distribution of goals to 2030 - has several important implications for the society.

The Swachh Bharat Revolution

Clean and green India is Healthy India

Indian medicine and telemedicine (for allied and paramedical professionals)

Shifting Perspective on Innovation, Leadership, and System Design

50 COOL Stories 300 HOT Issues: General Knowledge Analysed for IAS/ CSAT/ MBA/ GMAT/ Bank PO/ SSC 2nd Edition

A Guide To Descriptive Writing: Practice eBook (2nd Edition)

This book is ideal for allied, paramedical and nursing professional. Fundamentals of Telemedicine and Telehealth provides an overview on the use of information and communication technologies (ICTs) to solve health problems, especially for people living in remote and underserved areas. With the advent of new technologies and improvement of internet

connectivity, telehealth has become a new subject requiring a new understanding of IT devices and how to utilize them to fulfill health needs. The book discusses topics such as digitizing patient information, technology requirements, existing resources, planning for telehealth projects, and primary care and specialized applications. Additionally, it discusses the use of telemedicine for patient empowerment and telecare in remote locations. It also covers the different health policies and Indian health scenarios.

Waste management is considered the most complex issue in urban areas, and it is associated with a variety of complex socioeconomic and environmental issues. Rapid urbanization, change in lifestyles and rise in population has resulted in the generation of huge quantities of solid waste. The waste management system remains primitive and has failed to evolve with the demands of the rapidly changing situation. The quantity of waste generated is much higher than the quantity collected, transported and disposed of, leading to the piling up of uncollected waste in streets, public places and drains. The unsanitary methods adopted for the disposal of municipal solid wastes pose a serious health concern. The technologies that have been attempted in India run into rough terrain, failed to bring desired environmental and public health benefits. This book is comprised of articles highlighting the issues relating to problems in managing urban waste, sustainability in waste management practices and generating wealth from waste contributed by eminent scholars in this field.

Another innovative book by Disha Publication. After the grand success of "50 COOL Stories 3000 HOT Words," Disha now brings "50 COOL Stories 300 HOT Issues: General Knowledge Analysis for IAS/ CSAT/ MBA/ GMAT/ Bank PO/ SSC," a book written for those who want to learn, understand and analyse the TOP ISSUES that changed the world in recent years. The book deals with the latest Social, Economic, Political, Scientific, Cultural, National and International issues that every youngster should be well aware of. The stories have been handpicked and touch the different spheres of our life. Each story is followed by "HOT Issues to Ponder," in the form of questions. These questions list the various issues on which the students need to create their opinion on. These questions will also be part of various descriptive tests, Essay tests, Group Discussions and Personal Interviews held for the various competitive exams. As the world is getting more and more competitive, General Knowledge/ Awareness has become one of the most sought after things. General Awareness is becoming an integral part of the written test of a lot of competitive examinations. Be it UPSC, IAS, SSC, MBA, Railways or Banking. In the later stages, descriptive tests, group discussions and personal interviews, it becomes all the more important. A candidate with good General Knowledge/ Awareness can easily leave that last impression on the interviewer(s) mind. The book offers multiple benefits to the readers. • Improves General Awareness • Improves Reading/ Comprehension Skills • Teaches Contextual Usage • Improves Vocabulary • Inputs for Essay Writing • Inputs for GD/ PI • Improves Socio-economic Awareness • Updates on Current Trend & Issues • Hands on facts on current issues • Generating Opinion • Improves Analytical Skills In this book, we have made an attempt to not only educate and make you aware about the current affairs, but also motivate you in forming opinions and understanding how your own thoughts can be put into words. We have conducted a lot of research for all the topics, and presented them to you in a very opinionated manner with relevant facts to build analytical and comprehension skills. Each article is written to involve the readers by giving them an interesting read. This will inspire you to read more, thereby boosting your reading skills. The book can be easily completed in 50 Hours. The book provides a radical approach of combining an extremely readable book with deep understanding of contemporary happenings and opinion creation on related issues in one package. Actually, each topic will take you on a small and interesting journey in the world of its subject, so pack your bags and join us!

A. When we make simple English sentences, we usually follow the Subject-Verb-Object pattern. Steps: 1. We put the subject and the adjectives such as 'fat', 'thin' etc. or any words describing the subject at the beginning of the sentence. 2. Then we put the verb and some adverbs such as 'often', 'usually' etc. after the subject. 3. Put the object of the verb, the adjectives or other words describing the object and the adverbs describing the verb at the end of the sentence.

Introduction to Sustainability

URBAN SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

A COMPLETE BOOK OF GRAMMAR

Garbage and Growth in India

Insights from My Career as an Insider Outsider Insider

1. Current Affairs Refresher 2020 is a important events from January 2020 to August 2020. 2. Hot Shots: covers all the latest events occurred in the country 3. Current Affairs: provides the latest information about the National and International happenings, Economy, Banking, Science & Technology, Space etc 4. More than 500 Current Shooters are given for quick coverage of the events 5. Who's Who is given to provide the basic knowledge about the countries, states and appointed officials, 6. Highly useful for IBPS & SBI (PO, Clerk), NDA, CDS, SSC (CGL, 10+2, MTS), Railways, Delhi Police Constable, OPSE, BPSE, other State Level exams. Its been 8 months and this year has been on a wild roller coaster ride. Year 2020 has witnessed some of the major historic events - including California Forest Fire, Assam Floods, introduction of New Education Policy, Retirement of sports persons and demise of many great personalities. These events have affected our daily lives and have become even more important for the students as Current Affairs and awareness is a big part of their school curriculum and various competitive examinations. "Current Affairs Refresher 2020" is a new edition that is designed to give complete coverage of all important events from January 2020 to August 2020 in a concise manner. Inside the Pages you will find Hot Shot: which covers all the latest hot topics that are making buzz, Current Affairs: that provides the latest information about the National and International happenings, Economy, Banking, Science & Technology, Space etc. This magazine also includes more than 500 current shooters and lastly Who's Who, which tells about Country name, Capital, Currency, Official Languages and many more who have been currently appointed. It is highly useful for IBPS & SBI (PO, Clerk), NDA, CDS, SSC (CGL, 10+2, MTS), Railways, Delhi Police Constable, OPSE, BPSE, other State Level exams. TABLE OF CONTENT Hot shot, Current Affairs, 500+ Shooters, Who's Who. The main objective of this Seminar proceedings book is to analyse the performance of the present development programmes, the issues and challenges and also reflect and think about whether and to what extent the benefits of these programmes have percolated to the weaker sections of our society- indeed, have they reached those they

were meant to reach ?

This comprehensive Research Handbook offers an innovative analysis of environmental law in the global South and contributes to an important reassessment of some of its major underlying concepts. The Research Handbook discusses areas rarely prioritized in environmental law, such as land rights, and underlines how these intersect with issues including poverty, livelihoods and the use of natural resources, challenging familiar narratives around development and sustainability in this context and providing new insights into environmental justice.

Parameswaran Iyer, former Secretary to the Government of India, is best known for leading the implementation of the Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) - Prime Minister Narendra Modi's flagship programme, which became the world's largest sanitation revolution. But Iyer is not your typical bureaucrat. With a far-from-usual career combining two distinguished tenures in the government and an eventful stint outside it, he likes to describe himself as an uncommon 'Insider-Outsider-Insider'. In Method in the Madness, he reflects on the unique path he chose - from cracking the IAS to becoming a globe-trotting World Bank technocrat, to playing the role of a coach to his professional tennis-playing children, to finally returning to India and implementing the SBM. Written with humour and wisdom, this is an inspiring read full of key management insights, practical career advice, and valuable life lessons that will resonate with readers across age groups and professions.

Issues and Challenges of Sustainability

THE MEGA YEARBOOK 2019 - Current Affairs & General Knowledge for Competitive Exams - 4th Edition

Lions 321A1 District Directory

Svaccha Bhārata samṛddha Bhārata

National Service Scheme Opportunities in Community Development

(Free Sample) Guide for Jammu & Kashmir SSB (District-Divisional-UT Cadre Posts) Exam 2020

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Validity: 1 Years

Swachh Bharat Mission (Clean India Mission). A Case Study

In the Indian federal structure, rural sanitation is a state government responsibility. However, since this sector has been identified as a development priority, the Government of India provides the bulk of investment through a Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS). The Central Rural Sanitation Program was launched as the first CSS in 1986. This program has subsequently been restructured as the Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC) in 1999, Nirmal Bharat Abhiyan (NBA) in 2012 and, most recently, as the Swachh Bharat Mission--Gramin (SBMG) or Clean India Mission--Rural in December 2014. This learning note presents findings of an sanitation assessment in India.

Current Affairs November 2021 eBook is created by keeping the demands of recent patterns of various competitive exams in major view. It is brought to you by Jagranjosh.com. The topics for cover story and entire news section are selected on the basis of an analysis of general awareness sections in all important exams including IAS, PCS, BANK, SSC, Insurance and others. The time duration of topics covered in the magazine includes all exam oriented current affairs of November 2021. It presents the comprehensive coverage of current affairs events which are chosen on the basis of the requirements of all important exams. It covers all exam oriented current affairs of November 2021 with all required facts and analysis. The analysis of all the events related to National, International, Economy, Science & Technology, Environment & Ecology is done in a way that fulfils the demand of all the important exams including IAS. The language used in the magazine is lucid and easy-to-understand language. The eBook is expected to be handy for most of forthcoming exams like, Civil Services Examination, Various Insurance AO Exams, PCS exams, MAT and others.

Findings of a Large-Scale Rapid Assessment in India

Current Affairs November 2021 eBook

Swachh Bharath (Clean India) Campaign and the Indian Tourism Industry

PIB Summary 2018 Exams Exclusive

Biotechnological Strategies for Effective Remediation of Polluted Soils

A Multiple-arm, Cluster-randomized Impact Evaluation of the Clean India (Swachh Bharat) Mission Program in Rural Punjab, India

"Although ethnic and sectarian tensions have always been a feature of modern Indian history, the country was founded and governed in its first decades by a nationalist political movement – associated with the Indian National Congress – that stressed the non-sectarian nature of Indian citizenship. Hindu nationalism, a contrary political force, was born in the 1920s but didn't take off politically until the 1990s. It finally secured national power in 2014 when a populist leader, Narendra Modi – a former governor of the province of Gujarat – leveraged a reputation for successful economic reform and popular resentment toward the country's Muslim minority to lead his Hindu nationalist party, the BJP, to national victory. In this book, Christophe Jaffrelot recounts how the Hindu nationalist movement under the leadership of Modi's BJP has deeply transformed the country. Jaffrelot's main argument is that the reign of Modi and his BJP has ushered India into a new type of regime – what he calls ethnic democracy. Modi's rule relies undeniably on popular consent. (In last month's Indian federal elections, Modi consolidated his 2014 win with a decisive electoral victory.) But under the BJP India has largely jettisoned the country's previous commitment to the preservation of the rights of religious and ethnic minorities. This book is based both on the author's long years of research in India and on recent extensive interviews conducted across the country with civil servants, government supporters, opponents of the BJP, and members of religious minorities. Because of the tense atmosphere of intimidation throughout the country, many of Jaffrelot's interlocutors refused to speak on the record; he has given them pseudonyms in this book. The book recounts how proponents of secularism and pluralism, including academics and NGO workers, have been brought to heel; how Christians and Muslims have been increasingly marginalized in national and regional elections; and how the Hindu nationalist government has fostered the development of a shadow "cultural police force" – with formal and informal ties to the state – that censors public speech and intimidates political opponents. The book begins with an overview political history of modern India, explaining how the modern Indian state arose out of the heritage of British colonialism and then out of the Indian Congress-led national liberation movement. The bulk of the book takes up the rise and the rule of Hindu nationalism – Hindutva – and that of the strongman Modi, whose canny brand of populism has proven to be a game changer"--

Quarterly Current Affairs Vol. 3 – July to September 2018 for Competitive Exams is a unique handy magbook as it gives the complete update of the 3rd Quarter months of 2018. The book provides 200+ New MCQs based on the current developments in the 3 months. The book talks of all the recent developments in the field of Polity, Economics, Science & Technology, Sports, Art & Culture etc. This book would prove to be an asset for all students aspiring for the different competitive exams. The book highlights the gist of the 3rd Quarter of 2018 through Game Changers, Causes & Effects, Quote & Unquote, etc.

More than half the people who defecate in the open live in India. Around the world, people live healthier lives than in centuries past, in part because latrines keep faecal germs away from growing babies. India is an exception. Most Indians do not use toilets or latrines, and so infants in India are more likely to die than in neighbouring poorer countries. Children in India are more likely to be stunted than children in sub-Saharan Africa. Where India Goes demonstrates that open defecation in India is not the result of poverty but a direct consequence of the caste system, untouchability and ritual purity. Coffey and Spears tell an unsanitized story of an unsanitary subject, with characters spanning the worlds of mothers and babies living in villages to local government implementers, senior government policymakers and international development professionals. They write of increased funding and ever more unused latrines. Where India Goes is an important and timely book that calls for the annihilation of caste and attendant prejudices, and a fundamental shift in policy perspectives to effect a crucial, much overdue change.

The sole purpose of this book "All shades of Green" is to sensitize and inform people about the threats that our planet is facing in the recent times and provide solutions that can be implemented by individuals or organizations. Many interesting real life case studies have also been discussed to show the prompt remedies that can be adopted in cleansing the environment and for the

betterment of our community. With climate-related risks on the rise and impacts being felt around the globe, there is a pressing need to take action. The book, as a whole, aims to create a shift from linear to circular economy and encourages readers to adopt a sustainable and environment friendly lifestyle. Author of the book Aarav Seth is a 17 year old environment enthusiast, this book is a “not for profit” initiative and available free of charge on Google Play Books.

Quarterly Current Affairs Vol 3 - July to September 2018 for Competitive Exams

December 2018 Exams Exclusive

All Shades of Green

Modi's India

Strategies in Sustainable Tourism, Economic Growth and Clean Energy

New Leadership in Strategy and Communication

In an Indian household, the cleaning up of the house is the first step towards the celebration of an approaching festival. Not only it is hygienic but the symbolic significance of the festival is enhanced many times by this act of cleaning. It symbolizes purity of mind and clarity of thoughts before one goes to pray and celebrate an event of importance. These acts lead us to the attainment of the ultimate elation, where the body is in the pink of health and the mind is in the depths of joy. Such insight and farsightedness in thought and actions have been the hallmark of the Indian history. These actions are nothing but the manifestations of our rich cultural heritage. A festival is a symbol of a prosperous society and a rich culture; it signifies growth and development. Therefore, any development, any growth is no less than a festival and the primary step to a celebration, which starts with cleanliness. For India, ÔSwachh Bharat AbhiyanÕ is nothing but the first step towards celebrating development and prosperity. Certainly this book will facilitate the fulfillment of Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.