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Q1: Assertion: The 14th Amendment to the US Constitution guarantees birthright citizenship to all individuals born on US soil, regardless of their parents' citizenship status.

Reason: The 14th Amendment was specifically introduced to rectify the Dred Scott decision, which denied citizenship to slaves and their descendants.

Mark your answer as per the codes provided below:

- A:** Both Assertion and Reason are correct, and the Reason is the correct explanation for the Assertion.
- B:** Both Assertion and Reason are correct, but the Reason is not the correct explanation for the Assertion.
- C:** The Assertion is correct, but the Reason is incorrect.
- D:** The Assertion is incorrect, but the Reason is correct.

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Q2: Which of the following statements about birthright citizenship in India is correct?

1. Birthright citizenship was initially supported by leaders like B R Ambedkar and Sardar Patel.
2. Article 5 of the Indian Constitution directly enshrines birthright citizenship.
3. The Citizenship Act, 1955, was first amended in 1986 to grant citizenship to all children born in India, irrespective of their parents' status.
4. The 2003 amendment to the Citizenship Act stated that a child would not become a citizen if one parent was an illegal immigrant at the time of the child's birth.

Choose the correct answer using the codes below:

- A:** 1 and 4 only

B: 1, 2, and 4 only

C: 1, 3, and 4 only

D: 2 and 3 only

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Q3: Which of the following statements about Guillain-Barré Syndrome (GBS) is correct?

- 1. GBS is an autoimmune disorder that primarily affects the central nervous system.**
- 2. The syndrome is characterized by symptoms such as weakness, tingling, numbness, and can progress to paralysis.**
- 3. The exact cause of GBS is fully understood, and it is primarily triggered by viral infections.**
- 4. Treatment for GBS typically involves plasmapheresis, which helps reduce the immune system's attack on the body's nerves.**

Choose the correct answer using the codes below:

A: 1 and 2 only

B: 2 and 4 only

C: 1, 3, and 4 only

D: 2, 3, and 4 only

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Q4: Which of the following statements about the role of Governors as Chancellors of State universities in India is correct?

- 1. The position of Governor as Chancellor was inherited from British colonial rule to maintain control over universities.**
- 2. Governors, acting as Chancellors, often consult with state governments before making decisions regarding universities.**
- 3. The dual role of Governors creates tensions, especially in opposition-led states, as they can make decisions independently of the state government.**
- 4. The 1983-88 Sarkaria Commission recommended that Governors should have the sole authority to appoint Vice-Chancellors.**

Choose the correct answer using the codes below:

A: 1 and 3 only

B: 2 and 4 only

C: 1, 3, and 4 only

D: 1 and 2 only

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Q5: Assertion (A): Under Trump 2.0, the U.S. will focus on strengthening defense and security cooperation in the Indo-Pacific to counter China's influence.

Reason (R): Trump's first term emphasized hard power dynamics and defense cooperation, with strategic shifts like renaming the Pacific Command to the U.S. Indo-Pacific Command and revitalizing the Quad.

Choose the correct answer using the codes below:

A: Both assertion and reason are correct, and the reason correctly explains the assertion.

B: Both assertion and reason are correct, but the reason does not explain the assertion.

C: The assertion is correct, but the reason is incorrect.

D: The assertion is incorrect, but the reason is correct.

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