

## MUST-DO QUESTIONS!! VERY IMPORTANT



### BOOKS & AUTHORS

For every exam of 2019! (XAT, TISSNET, CMAT, SSC,



SBI, BANKS)





Anupam Kher is playing the role of former PM of India in the film 'The accidental Prime Minister'. The film is based on a book whose author is?

A. Narsingh Kumar

B. Sanjaya Baru

C. Ravi Kishore

D.Amit Devacharya

#### PTN:

The book is a memoir by Indian policy analyst Sanjaya Baru, who was Prime Minister Manmohan Singh's media advisor from May 2004 to August 2008.

Who among the following is the author of the book 'Matoshree'?

- A. Sushma Swaraj
- B. Menaka Gandhi
- C. Sumitra Mahajan
- D. Arundhati Roy

#### **Points to Know (PTN):**

Prime Minister Narendra Modi released a book 'Matoshree', based on life of Maratha Queen Ahilyabai Holkar, authored by the Lok Sabha Speaker Sumitra Mahajan.

A Century Is Not Enough is the autobiography of which of the following cricketer?

- A. Sachin Tendulkar
- B. Rahul Dravid
- C. Sourav Ganguly
- D. VVS Laxman

#### PTN:

A Century is Not Enough: My Roller-coaster Ride to Success is an English experience-based book written by former Indian cricketer and captain Sourav Ganguly.

The author of the book "The coalition years" is:

- A. Pranab Mukharjee
- B. Atal Bihari Vajpayee
- C. L.K.Advani
- D. Ram Nath Kovind

#### PTN:

'The Coalition Years' begins in 1996 and explores the highs and lows that characterized sixteen years of one of the most tumultuous periods in the nation's political history.

'THE WORLD BENEATH HIS FEET' is the Biography of which Indian player?

A. Saina Nehwal

B. Nawab Pataudi

C. Pulela Gopichand

D. Sachin Tendulkar

#### PTN:

This is the story of a badminton star Pullela Gopi Chand, who won the All England Championships 2001.

Written by: Sanjay Sharma/Shachi Sharma
Presently Gopichand is the Chief National Coach for the Indian Badminton team.

'I do what I do' is authored by?

A. Raghuram Rajan

B. Gita Gopinath

C. Arvind Subramanyam

D. Kapil Sibbal

#### PTN:

The book is a collection of talks, lectures and papers by R. Rajan, some of which have been in the public domain for a while.

The book written by Microsoft's chief Satya Nadella is:

A. The confidence code

B. Break the herd

C. Hit Refresh

D. Live the best

#### PTN:

Microsoft's CEO tells the inside story of the company's transformation, while tracing his own journey from childhood in India to leading Microsoft.

'Imperfect' is the autobiography of:

A. Mary Kom

B. Ravi Sashtri

C. Kapil Dev

D. Sanjay Manjrekar

#### PTN:

In Imperfect, Sanjay Manjrekar brings his analytic powers to look back at his own career as a cricketer and his personal life.

Who is the author of 'The Ministry of Utmost Happiness'?

- A. Anita Desai
- B. Arundhati Roy
- C. Jhumpha Lahri
- D. Anita Nair

#### PTN:

It is the second novel by Arundhati Roy, published in 2017, twenty years after her debut, The God of Small Things.

Who is the author of 'Mrs. Funnybones'?

A. Nita Ambani

B. Shilpa Shetty

C. Juhi Chawla

D. Twinkle Khanna

#### PTN:

This book is collection of the modern comical life style of Indian women in a hilarious way.

'The Race of my Life' is the autobiography of:

A. Rajeev Balakrishna

B. Rachitra Mistri

C. Milkha Singh

D. P.T. Usha

#### PTN:

It is the autobiography of Milkha Singh, coauthored with daughter Sonia Sanwalka.

The film Bhaag Milkha Bhaag is based on it.

'Unbreakable' is the autobiography of:

A. Sushil Kumar

B. Ravichandran Ashwin

C. Abhinav Bindra

D. Mary Kom

#### PTN:

Written by: Dina Serto and Mary Kom
The book is about Mary's hard work, the refusal to give up attitudeand thrill, the joy of winning,

The autobiography of former Delhi CM, Shiela Dixit is:

A. My Delhi, My lifeline

B. Citizen Delhi: My Times, My Life

C. Delhi: The city of dream

D. Delhi unbound: My life

#### PTN:

She gives the readers get a glimpse of her life's journey from a girl who loved cycling to the one who governed Delhi!

Who is the author of the book 'Cryptocurrencies for beginners'?

A. Ramchandra Guha

B. Amit Bharadwaj

C. Nandan Nilekani

D. Binny Bansal

#### PTN:

This book explains the most critical aspects about Cryptocurrencies.

The Man Booker Prize winner book by Anna Burns is:

- A. Milkman
- B. No Bones
- C. Incredibly original
- D. The English patient

#### PTN:

'Milkman,' by Anna Burns, won 2018 Man Booker Prize.

Anna Burns won the 2018 Man Booker Prize for her third novel.

She is the first writer from Northern Ireland to win the Booker.

Who is the author of the book 'Exam Warriors'?

A. Narendra Modi

B. APJ Abdul Kalam

C. Jawahar Lal Nehru

D. Atal Bihari Vajpayee

#### PTN:

Exam Warriors by Narendra Modi is an inspiring book for the youth containing 25 mantras to ace the exams!

Jain Muni Shri Tarun Sagar passed away in 2018, the name of his book is:

- A. Kadve Pravachan
- B. Kadvi Vaani
- C. Kadve Vachan
- D. Moksha ka marg

#### PTN:

He took Jain Sanyas at the age of 13.

First muni to address the nation from Red Fort at the age of 33.

Honoured as 'National Saint-Rashtra Sant' at the age of 35.

'Unstoppable: My life so far' is the autobiography of which Tennis player?

A. Serena Williams

B. Venus Williams

C. Naomi Osaka

D. Maria Sharapova

#### PTN:

The book is a honest, fearless, darkly funny autobiography of global tennis star Maria Sharapova.

'Moving On...Moving Forward: A Year In Office' is authored by:

A. Ram Nath Kovind

B. Arun Jaitley

C.Amit Shah

D. Venkaiah Naidu

#### PTN:

The Prime Minister, Narendra Modi released the book "Moving On, Moving Forward – A Year in Office" to mark one year in office of Vice President Venkaiah Naidu.

'Gandhi 1914-1948: The Years That Changed the World' is authored by:

- A. Govind Kumar
- B. Ram Chandra Guha
- C. Gurucharan Das
- D. Amit Bhattacharya

#### PTN:

The book opens with Gandhi's return to India in 1915 after decades abroad, and ending with his tragic assassination in 1949, Gandhi

'Straight Talks' is the book written by:

- A. Arpan Kumar Das
- B. Abhishek Manu Singhvi
- C. Anita Desai
- D. Viral Acharya

#### PTN:

This book is a collection of articles penned by eminent jurist Dr. Abhishek Manu Singhvi on a variety of issues facing the nation.

The Golden Man Booker Prize is won by Michael Ondaatje for the book:

- A. Milkman
- B. The English Patient
- C. The war of world
- D. Fire and fury

#### PTN:

"The English Patient," the wartime love story by Michael Ondaatje.

Which Indian film actress has written the book 'The Diary of a Domestic Diva'?

- A. Preity Zinta
- B. Madhuri Dixit
- C. Shilpa Shetty
- D. Rani Mukherjee

#### PTN:

In The Diary of a Domestic Diva, Shilpa brings 90 of her most special recipes.

The book aims to share quick and hassle-free methods of cooking healthy, nutritious and delicious meals,.

'The Paradoxical Prime Minister' is the book written by:

- A. Rahul Gandhi
- B. M. Karunanidhi
- C. Sashi Tharoor
- D. Sanjaya Baru

#### PTN:

The book is about the PM Narendra Modi. It was released on 26 October, 2018 by Manmohan Singh, P. Chidambaram, Arun Shourie and Pavan Varma.

Brijendra Rehi launched a book on former Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee, choose the correct name of the book?

- A. Atal Ji Ne Kaha
- B. Atal Ji Ki Baatein
- C. Atal Ji: Aaj Bhi Hamare Sath
- D. Atal Ji Kahte the

#### PTN:

Brijendra Rehi is noted Doordarshan producer and senior journalist. The book was launched by PM Narendra Modi.

Khaled Hosseini, a famous Afghan-born American writer has recently launched his new book named:

- A. Sea Prayer
- B. Lost Stars
- C. A dark storm
- D. The untold Afganistan

#### PTN:

It's a short work of fiction that captures the heartbreak of the Syrian refugee crisis.

'No Spin' is the autobiography of which famous bowler?

A. Shane Watson

B. Mutthaiyah Murlidharan

C. Anil Kumble

D. Shane Warne

#### PTN:

The book covers the life of Shane Warne from the beginning of a glittering career in 1992 till his retirement.

Veteran lyricist Gulzar has made a debut in English novel writing with the book named:

- A. Two
- B. Three
- C. Four
- D. Five

#### PTN:

The book examines the status of refugees after Partition and brings the trauma of partition painfully alive.

Find the wrong combination:

- A. What Happened Hillary Clinton
- B. Fire and Fury Michael Wolff
- C. A World of Three Zeroes Md. Yunus
- D. An unsuitable boy Vikram Sood

#### PTN:

An unsuitable book autobiographical book written by Indian film director Karan Johar.

Vikram Sood (Former R&AW Chief) wrote a book recently named 'The Unending Game: Insights into Espionage'

Give the names of the writer of the books:

- 1. 281 and Beyond
- 2. Making of Legend: Narendra Damodar Das Modi
- 3. In a Free State

Your assignment question!

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