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STUDENT EDITION

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WEB EDITION

It's Ford and Ferrari V/s COVID-19

... and we have a winner. The coronavirus pandemic and its global impact makes this the worst time to launch a car

BAD NEWS:

The global auto industry of 2020 is witnessing an unprecedented, near-instantaneous drop in demand as potential customers steer clear of car lots

1 The much-anticipated new Land Rover Defender was supposed to be launched this year. The first media test drives planned for April were predictably cancelled.

2 We were supposed to see the new Ford Bronco on April 2, but its debut has been delayed.

3 Aston Martin's DBX, another latecomer to the luxury SUV game, is the first-of-its kind from the 107-year-old brand. Media drives were planned for May. Those have been postponed and production at all the company's manufacturing sites halted.

AND SPORTS CARS LOSE THE RACE

Porsche had big plans to roll out the 640-horsepower, muscle-y 911 Turbo S version of its franchise machine with group media drives. But the plants in Leipzig have been silent since March 21.

ELECTRIC VEHICLES IN FOR A SHOCK

The all-electric flatbed Cybertruck that almost broke the internet when it debuted last year is one hanging in the balance. Production is tentatively slated to begin in 2021, and Tesla is already taking deposits, but all this could change. Though initially unwilling, Elon Musk eventually shut down his California factories last month



WORLD HEALTH DAY

Keep Lungs Healthy



This World Health Day, let's focus on keeping our lungs in good condition. The novel coronavirus attacks lungs and thickens the mucus, which makes it difficult to breathe. In such times, it's imperative to focus on lung health, especially for those prone to asthma, bronchitis, and other respiratory diseases.

Have a health tip to share? Mail us on timesnie175@gmail.com

LUKE COUTINHO, HOLISTIC LIFESTYLE COACH, HAS 4 EASY TIPS TO KEEP LUNGS HEALTHY:

- Boil fenugreek seeds in water for 5 minutes and have 1-2 cups daily. It breaks down mucus, which is the best way to keep lungs free of cold, cough and other ailments.
- Go for Pranayama; deep breathing helps us in the same way by breaking down the mucus and expelling it from the body. Exercising also makes us breathe heavily and helps in breaking down mucus.
- Boil some water and add a pinch of salt to it. Let it cool to lukewarm level and gargle with it.
- Take steam: If you have a steamer at home, use that, or just boil water in a big bowl and cover your head with a towel and take steam from it. The hot air from the water helps in expelling extra mucus and keeps lungs in great order.

APPSOLUTELY TWO APPS TO MAKE MATHS PRACTICE FUN



These Maths apps could help you acquire the required skills easily while having fun with numbers:

1. PRODIGY GAME

Meant for students of grades 1-8, Prodigy Game is available for free on iOS, Android and web platforms. The app offers built-in diagnostic test which generates real-time reports on students' progress!

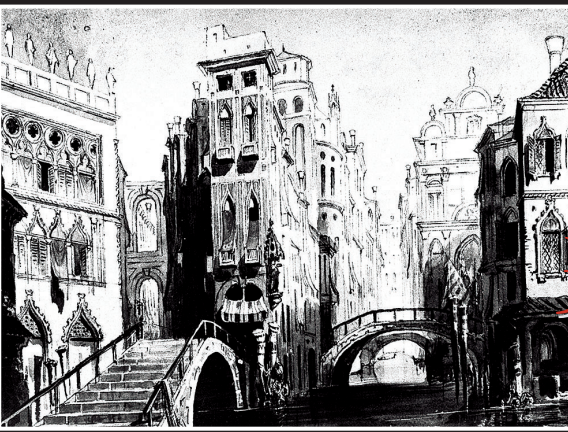
2. PHOTOMATH

Available for free on both Android and iOS platforms, Photomath allows you to snap a picture of the math problem and get its step-by-step solution! From basic arithmetic to fractions to trigonometry to linear and quadratic equations, it can help you with a lot of Math problems quite easily.

How To Become A Good Orator? We got you covered! Come back here tomorrow for more apps on how to perfect your speech

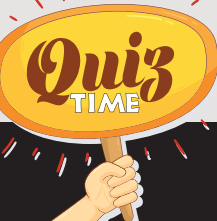
Some WORK and ALL 'PLAY'

By SURYAKUMARI DENNISON, Teacher, Aavishkar Academy, Bengaluru



Answer each of these questions on Shakespeare's The Merchant of Venice—Act I, by choosing correctly from the four options...

- "Nor is the wide world ignorant of her worth." Who is 'her'?
A. Jessica B. Portia C. Nerissa D. Leah
- Which animal does the Neopolitan prince constantly talk about?
A. Dog B. Lion C. Horse D. Cat
- To which fruit does Antonio compare Shylock?
A. Apple B. Lemon C. Orange D. Pear
- "I remember him worthy of thy praise." Who is 'thy'?
A. Antonio B. Bassanio C. Gratiano D. Lorenzo
- Which of these four places is not mentioned in Act I?
A. Tripoli B. Mexico C. Aleppo D. Indies
- In how many months does Antonio expect the return of his ships?
A. Eight B. Six C. Four D. Two



ANSWERS: 1.B. Portia 2.C. Horse 3.A. Apple 4.B. Bassanio 5.C. Aleppo 6.D. Two

Parenting in the time of corona: CM Kejriwal

Over half-an-hour talk, chief minister and the deputy CM of Delhi answered a variety of queries. Here are quotes to remember

TAKEAWAYS

1 This is an extraordinary situation, and it is difficult for parents to make their children understand the restrictions. There are numerous questions in the minds of the children. The parents have to make children understand how coronavirus spreads, the need for social distancing and how we can break the chain.

2 Parents can constructively engage the children. We need to change this difficult time into an opportunity.

3 When you will help people around you, when you will pay the people who work for you even if they are on



leave at present, it will have a good impact on your children.

4 Children can teach their parents how to meditate. In fact, meditation can help beat the stress and anxiety of lockdown.

WHAT'S BREWING?

The DALGONA COFFEE of course

Dalgona Coffee, a whipped coffee drink named for a type of Korean candy, is the latest food trend to take over Instagram and Twitter. The trend was first popularised in South Korea, spreading across the world. Korean YouTuber J'adore currently has the most popular video of the "quarantine coffee challenge" to date with 8.2 million views.



HAVE YOU TRIED IT YET? It takes only five minutes, calls only for three ingredients:

- Instant coffee
- Sugar
- Hot water
- A hand mixer (or a whisk or a spoon, but see notes below)
- Milk

Whip out equal amounts of instant coffee, sugar, and hot water until it becomes creamy. Add this mixture to cold milk!

Is there a recipe that you would want to be viral?

Our student turns interviewer

Asish Singh, class XI, St Augustine's Day School, Barrackpore interviews Dr Kaushik Dutta on the COVID 19 situation



1 Is this lockdown helping us?

Social distancing is seeming to be a success. Only time can tell the overall success.

2 Are doctors well equipped with protective gear?

Supply of PPEs is not sufficient. It is very crucial but it is lacking. Doctors need to be protected because there is a high chance of them catching the virus.

3 Until how long would this lockdown continue?

That depends upon the government. There are studies which recommend the lockdown be extended by another 21 days or 49 days to stop the spread of the coronavirus.

4 How serious is the situation?

The number of tests being done daily is not sufficient. States such as Maharashtra, Kerala and Telangana are doing good while others aren't.

5 Should we wear masks all the time?

Do wear them while going out, it's very important. Maintain 1 metre to 1.5 metre distance from everyone. [Read the full interview on www.toistudent.com](http://www.toistudent.com)

COVID-19 WARRIORS



Collage by KG students of HolyIndia Foundation School, North Paravur

YOUR WORD

BOREDOM: THE NEW REALITY

Let's start by answering the question "What is Boredom?" It is a mental state during which an individual feels restless or worn out because they are unoccupied at the moment. To comprehend boredom, it is essential to know when the term 'boredom' originated. It is a relatively new concept. The term was coined in the year 1852. In fact, it was only during the period of industrialisation that this issue commenced. - LIKHITH L GOWDA, class X, DPS North, Bengaluru

Read the entire note on the concept of boredom and what you can do about it (especially during this lockdown) on www.toistudent.com

LOCKDOWN FOODIE...

'Lockdown' has brought an opportunity for us to judiciously utilise the unlimited time and explore our 'mini labs.' My 'Mini Lab' is the kitchen where I experiment delicacies. Being a foodie I love to play with different taste buds. When people wear masks to keep the virus off, I need to wear one to avoid stuffing myself with delicious food. I have surfed, explored and learnt many new dishes. RACHEL FERNANDEZ, Head Girl, Delhi Public School, Kollam, Kerala

BE POSITIVE!

Let us all remember this - the time that we are getting with our loved ones is something you cannot get back. We should also take into consideration that there are healthcare workers, government employees, doctors, police force and the army who are out there putting their lives at stake on behalf of the nation. We should show our respect and gratitude to them. So don't think of the lockdown as a bad thing but think of it as a positive outcome. ELIJAH VARGHESE, class VII, Royale Concorde International School - Kalyanagar, Bengaluru

MUSIC IS FOR SOUL AND LOCKDOWNS

I learnt how to spend my time in a correct way during quarantine. Music is one of the best ways to spend time. Listening to music will always find a way to soothe your soul. Instead of listening to news constantly we can change our minds by listening to music. And of course cooking. I'm terrible at cooking, so I started to take lessons from my mom. It's super cool to spend some time with my parents. My lockdown funda - start working on yourself. Set a target that is achievable and start working on it. ROMA RAMCOUMAR, class XI, Bethel Matric Hr Sec School, Chennai