



Daily Article (Bharath's Reading list) - Answers and Explanations : 27.03.2023

Article link : <http://bit.ly/40uLNhg> **(How Is India Viewed in China?)**

1. According to the article, which of the following is inconsistent with how the Chinese public view India?

- A. While India is a favourite with the West, it does not fully trust the West
- B. As India has a larger population and is not as good as China in economic terms and in other aspects, China can easily manage the challenge posed by India
- C. India is backward and underdeveloped due to its caste system and poor healthcare
- D. India's Prime Minister Modi can help it maintain a balance among major countries in the world.

Explanation: C

Option C is incorrect based on the line: "Overall, my impression is that most Chinese people are unfamiliar with Indian society – but they are curious. For example, ordinary Chinese are curious about the Indian caste system and its healthcare system."

2. The article states all the following reasons why Chinese think of Modi as laoxian-like except:

- A. His ability to maintain friendly relations with major countries worldwide
- B. His physical appearance and dress
- C. His policies being more different to India's previous ones
- D. His non-controversial image worldwide

Explanation: D

The article does not say Modi has a non-controversial image.

3. The author believes China must strengthen ties to India over Pakistan as:

- A. China's trade with India far exceeds its trade with Pakistan
- B. Pakistan cannot be used to restrain India due to the growing gap between the countries
- C. The facts over the past decade have proved that China and India have more room for beneficial cooperation
- D. All the above

Explanation:

Correct option **D**

All given reasons are stated in the article.

