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**Ques: Which authority organised the “Niveshak Shivir” in Amritsar on 1st November 2025, and what was its objective?**

- A) Reserve Bank of India
- B) Securities and Exchange Board of India
- C) Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority
- D) Ministry of Finance
- E) National Stock Exchange

**Answer: Option C – Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA)**

**Explanation:**

The Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA) under the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, in collaboration with SEBI, organised the “Niveshak Shivir” in Amritsar on 1st November 2025.

Its objective was to address issues related to unclaimed dividends, shares, and to provide a grievance redressal platform for investors.

The event helped resolve 223 investor complaints and aimed to strengthen an investor-centric financial ecosystem across India.





**Ques: Which international institution has provided a USD 50 million loan to City Union Bank (CUB) to support MSMEs in adopting energy-efficient solutions?**

- A) Asian Development Bank
- B) International Monetary Fund
- C) World Bank
- D) International Finance Corporation
- E) New Development Bank

**Answer: Option D – International Finance Corporation (IFC)**

**Explanation:**

The International Finance Corporation (IFC), a member of the World Bank Group, has provided a USD 50 million loan to City Union Bank (CUB) for a period of 3 years.

The loan aims to support MSMEs in adopting energy-efficient and cost-effective technologies, contributing to India's Net Zero 2070 target.

**About City Union Bank:**

**Established: 1904**

Headquarters: Kumbakonam, Tamil Nadu

MD & CEO: Dr. N. Kamakodi

Tagline: "Trust and Excellence since 1904"

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## RECENT LOANS AND AGREEMENTS :

- The Asian Development Bank (ADB) provided a USD 460 million loan along with a USD 40 million concessional loan from the Clean Technology Fund (CTF) for the Maharashtra Power Distribution Enhancement Program aimed at Agricultural Solarization.
- The International Finance Corporation (IFC), the private-sector lending arm of the World Bank Group, provided ₹875 crore to Signature Global via a private placement of non-convertible debentures (NCDs).
- The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a USD 190 million loan for the Indore Metro Rail Project in Madhya Pradesh.
- The International Finance Corporation (IFC) has invested USD 137 million (₹1,210 करोड़) to promote electric public transport in India. Out of this, USD 100 million (₹883 करोड़) will be invested in JBM Ecolife, while the remaining USD 37 million (₹327 करोड़) will go to GreenCell Mobility.
- India pledged a \$680 million special economic package for Mauritius, which includes \$25 million budgetary assistance for FY2025-26, along with grants and support for maritime security and defence preparedness.
- The World Bank has approved a \$212.64 million loan to support coastal communities in Tamil Nadu and Karnataka under the first phase of the Strengthening Coastal Resilience and the Economy (SHORE) Programme.
- ADB and the Government of India signed a \$126.42 million loan agreement to promote rural development through sustainable and climate-resilient tourism in the Tehri Lake region of Uttarakhand.
- The International Finance Corporation (IFC) has provided a loan of Rs. 498 करोड़ (USD 60 million) to the Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation (GVMC) for the development of the Madhurawada Sewerage System Project.





- The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has provided a loan of USD 125 million for the Assam Urban Sector Development Project (AUSDP) to transform urban infrastructure and strengthen climate resilience in Assam.



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**Ques: Who from Dharwad, Karnataka, has been chosen for the Rajyotsava Award 2025 for contributions to archaeology?**

- A) H.M. Pujar
- B) S.V. Hittalmani
- C) R.V. Nadagouda
- D) Prof. Ravindra Korisettar
- E) Somanna Dhanagonda

**Answer:** Option D – Prof. Ravindra Korisettar

**Explanation:**

Prof. Ravindra Korisettar, a renowned archaeologist from Dharwad, Karnataka, has been selected for the Rajyotsava Award 2025 for his exceptional contributions to archaeology, research, and education spanning several decades.

He is a UGC Emeritus Fellow in the Department of History and Archaeology at Karnatak University, Dharwad.

Other awardees from the Mumbai–Karnataka region include:

Writer H.M. Pujar

**Folk artists Sannaningappa Mushennagol and Somanna Dhanagonda**

Agriculture expert S.V. Hittalmani

Scientist R.V. Nadagouda



## Recent News Headlines Related to Awards & Winners :

- **“Top Agri-Food Pioneers” by the World Food Prize Foundation : Chef Sanjeev Kapoor**
- **2025 Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought : Andrzej Poczobut of Belarus and Mzia Amaghloebli of Georgia**
- **2025 British Academy Book Prize : Sunil Amrith for the book “The Burning Earth: An Environmental History of the Last 500 Years”.**
- **BRICS International Award 2025 : Abusupyan Kharkharov, former Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Dagestan**
- **Fortune Leadership Awards 2025 : Telecommunications Consultants India Limited (TCIL), a Miniratna Schedule ‘A’ PSU**
- **ICC Men’s player of the month for September 2025 : Abhishek Sharma (India)**  
सितंबर 2025 के लिए ICC पुरुष खिलाड़ी का सर्वश्रेष्ठ खिलाड़ी: अभिषेक शर्मा (भारत)
- **ICC Women’s player of the month for September 2025 : Smriti Mandhana (India)**
- **48th Mrs. Universe crown in 2025 : Sherry Singh**
- **Nobel Prize in Economic Sciences 2025 : Joel Mokyr, Philippe Aghion and Peter Howitt**
- **Kenton R. Miller Award at the IUCN World Conservation Congress : Dr. Sonali Ghosh, Field Director of Kaziranga National Park & Tiger Reserve (Assam)**
- **2025 Nobel Peace Prize : María Corina Machado, a Venezuelan politician and industrial engineer**
- **2025 Nobel Prize in Literature : Hungarian novelist László Krasznahorkai**





- The 2025 Nobel Prize in Chemistry : Susumu Kitagawa (Japan), Richard Robson (Australia), and Omar Mwannes Yaghi (Jordanian-American) for their development of Metal–Organic Frameworks (MOFs).



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**Ques: Which two countries signed agreements to develop new high-voltage cross-border power transmission lines, and what is the target completion year?**

- A) India and Bhutan
- B) India and Nepal
- C) India and Bangladesh
- D) India and Sri Lanka
- E) India and Myanmar

**Answer: Option B – India and Nepal**

**Explanation:**

India and Nepal signed Joint Venture and Shareholders' Agreements between POWERGRID (India) and Nepal Electricity Authority to develop two new 400 kV cross-border power transmission lines.

**The transmission lines are:**

1. Inaruwa (Nepal) – New Purnea (India) 400 kV
2. Lamki (Dodhara, Nepal) – Bareilly (India) 400 kV

**These projects are targeted to be completed by 2030.**

**This initiative aligns with India's plan to import 10,000 MW of power from Nepal over the next decade.**





**Ques: Which initiative under the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports has crossed over 2 crore registrations?**

- A) Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan
- B) Fit India Movement
- C) Mera Yuva Bharat (MY Bharat)
- D) Khelo India Youth Games
- E) National Service Scheme (NSS)

**Answer: Option C – Mera Yuva Bharat (MY Bharat)**

**Explanation:**

Mera Yuva Bharat (MY Bharat) is an autonomous youth engagement platform under the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports.

It was launched on 31 October 2023 on the occasion of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas.

The platform has recently crossed 2 crore registrations, empowering youth aged 15–29 years and involving adolescents aged 10–19 years to encourage early civic participation and leadership development.

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**Ques: Which Indian tennis player, a two-time Grand Slam champion, announced his retirement from professional tennis in 2025?**

- A) Leander Paes
- B) Yuki Bhambri
- C) Mahesh Bhupathi
- D) Somdev Devvarman
- E) Rohan Bopanna

**Answer: Option E – Rohan Bopanna**

**Explanation:**

Rohan Machanda Bopanna, one of India's most celebrated tennis players, announced his retirement from professional tennis in 2025.

He is a two-time Grand Slam champion and a three-time Olympian, with a career lasting over 20 years on the ATP Tour.

**Awards received:**

- Padma Shri (2024)
- Arjuna Award (2019)
- Ekalavya Award (2005)

**Grand Slam Titles:**

- 2017 French Open (Mixed Doubles) with Gabriela Dabrowski
- 2024 Australian Open (Men's Doubles) with Matthew Ebden

**In January 2024, he became World No. 1 in men's doubles, becoming the oldest player in history to achieve this ranking.**





**Ques: What was India's fiscal deficit as a percentage of the full-year target during the first half (H1) of FY26?**

- A) 29.4%
- B) 36.5%
- C) 43.7%
- D) 45.5%
- E) 49.0%

**Answer: Option B – 36.5%**

**Explanation:**

According to data released by the Controller General of Accounts (CGA), India's fiscal deficit in H1 FY26 (April–September 2025) amounted to ₹5.73 lakh crore.

This represents 36.5% of the full-year fiscal deficit target.

The fiscal performance was supported by:

Strong capital expenditure (51.8% of the annual target achieved)

**Steady revenue growth**

Thus, India remains on track to meet the FY26 fiscal deficit target of 4.4% of GDP.





## Recent News Headlines Related to MoU and agreement:

- Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) and Google have partnered to provide Reliance Jio wireless users free access to the Google AI Pro plan, including Gemini AI tools and 2 TB of cloud storage, for 18 months.
- Indian Army signed a Memorandum of Understanding with Delhi Technological University to enhance collaboration in research, innovation, and skill development across critical advanced technological domains.
- Ramco Systems signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the ePlane Company (Ubifly Technologies Pvt. Limited), IIT Madras incubated startup which aims to revolutionize urban mobility through its flagship product, e200X electric Vertical Takeoff and Landing (eVTOL) aircraft
- Anusandhan National Research Foundation, in collaboration with the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) and the Gates Foundation, launched the 'Mission for Advancement in High-Impact Areas (MAHA) Medical Technology (Med-Tech)'.
- BPCL and OIL have signed a non-binding agreement to develop a greenfield refinery and petrochemical complex near Ramayapatnam Port in Nellore district, Andhra Pradesh.
- BEML Limited & Italy-based Tesmec S.p.A signed MOU to o introduce advanced Surface Miner equipment for mining operations in India
- The Telecommunication Engineering Centre has signed a MOU with the IIT Hyderabad to collaborate on joint studies, research, and technical contributions in advanced telecom technologies and global standardization activities
- The Department of Land Resources in collaboration with LBSNAA's B N Yugandhar Centre for Rural Studies (BNYCRS), is holding a "Training cum Workshop on NAKSHA (NAtional geospatial Knowledge-based land Survey of urban Habitations)" for District Magistrates and Collectors in Mussoorie.



- The World Economic Forum (WEF), in partnership with the Government of India, launched AI Playbooks for Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) and the agriculture sector.



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**Ques: Which Indian city was awarded the title ‘Creative City of Gastronomy’ under the UNESCO Creative Cities Network in 2025?**

- A) Hyderabad
- B) Varanasi
- C) Jaipur
- D) Lucknow
- E) Chennai

**Answer:** Option D – Lucknow

**Explanation:**

Lucknow, the historic city of Nawabs in Uttar Pradesh, was awarded the title ‘Creative City of Gastronomy’ under the UNESCO Creative Cities Network (UCCN).

The announcement was made during the 43rd UNESCO General Conference held in Samarkand, Uzbekistan.

With this recognition, Lucknow became the second Indian city after Hyderabad to be listed in the global network of gastronomy cities.

In 2025, UNESCO added 58 new cities to the UCCN, bringing total membership to 408 cities from over 100+ countries.

**The UCCN now includes 9 Indian cities:**

- Jaipur
- Varanasi
- Chennai
- Hyderabad
- Mumbai
- Srinagar
- Gwalior
- Kozhikode
- Lucknow





**Ques: Which two Indian business schools recently received AACSB International accreditation, placing them among the top 6% of business schools worldwide?**

- A) Indian School of Business and IIM Ahmedabad
- B) Jindal Global Business School and Goa Institute of Management
- C) IIM Bangalore and XLRI Jamshedpur
- D) SP Jain Institute of Management and NMIMS Mumbai
- E) Symbiosis Institute of Business Management and MDI Gurgaon

**Answer: Option B – Jindal Global Business School and Goa Institute of Management**

**Explanation:**

Jindal Global Business School (JGBS) and the Goa Institute of Management (GIM) have been awarded AACSB International accreditation.

This achievement places them among the top 6% business schools globally.

AACSB International is a highly prestigious global body that accredits institutions that meet world-class standards in:

**Teaching Quality**

- Research Output and Impact
- Societal Contribution
- Student Learning and Development
- The accreditation is granted after a rigorous multi-year, peer-reviewed evaluation process, indicating excellence in management education.





## Recent News headlines related to Sports

- The Indian women's cricket team claimed its first-ever ICC Women's Cricket World Cup title in 2025 by defeating South Africa by 52 runs at DY Patil Stadium, Navi Mumbai.
- Indian Grandmaster D Gukesh and GM Divya Deshmukh won gold medals at the European Chess Club Cup 2025 held in Rhodes, Greece.
- Deepti Sharma became the first cricketer, male or female, to achieve the rare feat of scoring over 200 runs and taking more than 20 wickets in a single World Cup edition during the ICC Women's Cricket World Cup 2025.
- An Se-young from South Korea won the Women's Singles title at the 92nd edition of the Yonex French Open Badminton 2025.
- The Badminton World Federation World Junior Championships 2025 took place at the National Centre of Excellence in Guwahati, Assam.
- Team India defeated Team Argentina in the KogniVera International Polo Cup 2025 held at the Jaipur Polo Ground in New Delhi.
- Lando Norris claimed a stunning lights-to-flag victory at the Mexico City Grand Prix, handing the McLaren star the lead in the 2025 Formula 1 Drivers' Championship by a single point.
- The Morocco national football team won the FIFA U-20 World Cup 2025 by defeating Argentina 2-0 in the final held at Estadio Nacional Julio Martinez Pradanos in Santiago, Chile.
- India's U-17 women's football team, also known as Young Tigresses, qualified for the AFC U-17 Women's Asian Cup 2026 by defeating Uzbekistan in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan.
- Indian Junior Men's Hockey Team clinched the Silver Medal after losing to Australia in the final of the 13th Sultan of Johor Cup held at Taman Daya Hockey Stadium in Johor Bahru, Malaysia.





- The official logo and anthem of the FIDE World Cup 2025 were unveiled in Goa, India.
- Max Verstappen won the 2025 United States Grand Prix, his third victory in four races of the season.



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**Ques: When was the PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana launched and what is its main objective?**

- A) January 2023 – to promote green hydrogen use
- B) February 2024 – to provide free electricity to households
- C) March 2025 – to develop solar parks
- D) December 2023 – to reduce industrial power cost
- E) April 2024 – to provide subsidy for EV charging

**Answer: Option B – February 2024, to provide free electricity to households**

**Explanation:**

PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana was launched in February 2024 by Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

The scheme aims to provide up to 300 units of free electricity per month to households through the installation of rooftop solar systems.

**The government offers:**

- Up to 40% subsidy on installation costs
- Low-interest, collateral-free loans
- The scheme involves a planned investment of over ₹75,000 crore and is designed to benefit 1 crore households across India, promoting clean energy and reducing electricity bills.





**Ques: Which company secured contracts from the Ministry of Defence to upgrade India's anti-drone systems, and what is the contract value?**

- A) Zen Technologies Limited
- B) Bharat Electronics Limited
- C) Larsen & Toubro
- D) Tata Advanced Systems
- E) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited

**Answer: A) Zen Technologies Limited**

**Explanation:**

Zen Technologies Limited, based in Hyderabad, secured two contracts worth around ₹289 crore from the Ministry of Defence.

These contracts are for upgrading and modernizing India's anti-drone (C-UAS) systems.

The project is expected to be completed within one year.

The upgrade includes integrating AI-enabled radar systems, RF sensors, and electronic jamming modules to enhance detection and response capability against drone threats.

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**Ques: Which states were recognized as top-performing under the Atal Pension Yojana (APY) for FY 2024–25?**

- A) Maharashtra, Gujarat, and Rajasthan
- B) Jharkhand, Bihar, and Tripura
- C) Uttar Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, and Odisha
- D) Punjab, Haryana, and Assam
- E) Kerala, West Bengal, and Sikkim

**Answer: B) Jharkhand, Bihar, and Tripura**

**Explanation:**

Atal Pension Yojana (APY) is a pension scheme for workers in the unorganized sector, providing a guaranteed monthly pension between ₹1,000 to ₹5,000 after age 60.

It is administered by the Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA).

As of October 2025, APY has around 8.27 crore subscribers.

Jharkhand, Bihar, and Tripura were recognized as the top-performing states for FY 2024–25 based on subscription and outreach performance.

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**Ques: Which company was upgraded from Schedule 'B' to Schedule 'A' Central Public Sector Enterprise by the Government of India effective October 28, 2025?**

- A) NTPC Limited
- B) NTPC Green Energy Limited
- C) Power Grid Corporation of India
- D) NHPC Limited
- E) SJVN Limited

**Answer: B) NTPC Green Energy Limited**

**Explanation:**

NTPC Green Energy Limited was upgraded from Schedule 'B' to Schedule 'A' CPSE effective October 28, 2025.

The classification of CPSEs is done by the Department of Public Enterprises (DPE) under the Ministry of Finance.

CPSEs are categorized into Schedule A, B, C, and D based on performance metrics such as:

**Investment & capital employed**

- Net sales and profit
- Capacity expansion & technology
- National importance and strategic role
- MoU ratings and certifications

**The upgrade reflects NTPC Green Energy Limited's strong growth, strategic relevance, and increasing role in India's renewable energy transition.**



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**Explanation:**

- Former US President Donald Trump received South Korea's highest civilian honour, the Grand Order of Mugunghwa.
- He was also presented with a replica of a Silla-Dynasty gold crown.
- He is the first US President to receive this honour.
- The crown design is inspired by a 1,000-year-old royal crown found in Gyeongju, the ancient capital of the Silla Kingdom.

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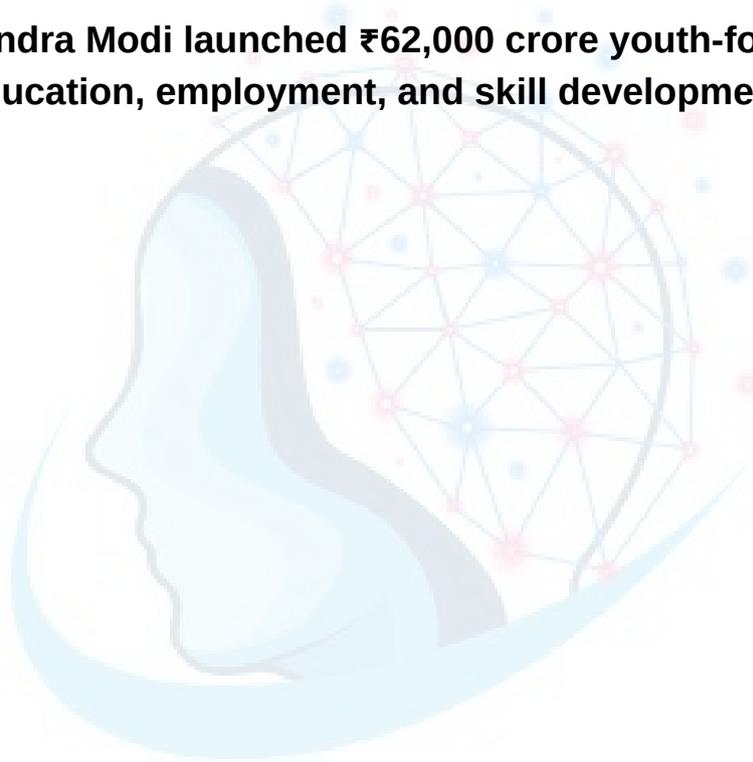
## Recent News Headlines Related to Schemes

- Odisha approved the Building of Management of Aviation Assets and Network (B-MAAN) scheme, an umbrella programme for aviation sector development, with an investment worth of Rs.14,182 Crores over five years (2025-2030).
- Union Electronics and IT Minister Sh. Ashwini Vaishnaw announced the approval of the first tranche of 7 projects under the Electronics Components Manufacturing Scheme (ECMS).
- The Central Government has launched the ₹600 crore “Kapas Kranti Mission” to promote high-yield, long-staple cotton cultivation using advanced agricultural techniques and technology.
- The Union Agriculture Ministry revised the norms of the Per Drop More Crop (PDMC) scheme to give states and UTs flexibility to plan micro-level water conservation projects beyond previous funding limits
- Under the Ayushman Bharat - Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB PM-JAY), over 9.19 crore hospital admissions worth ₹1.29 lakh crore have been facilitated since 2018, with dialysis being the most availed treatment.
- The ‘Shraddhanjali’ scheme, launched by Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma, aims to ensure the dignified return of mortal remains of Assamese residents who die outside the state.
- In 2025, the Government of India launched two major agricultural schemes: PM Dhan Dhaanya Krishi Yojana and Mission for Aatmanirbharta in Pulses.
- The Union Cabinet, chaired by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, approved a ₹1,500 crore Incentive Scheme to develop recycling capacity in the country for the separation and production of critical minerals from secondary sources.





- **PM-SETU (Pradhan Mantri Skilling and Employability Transformation through Upgraded ITIs) is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme with a total investment of ₹60,000 crore, aimed at transforming ITIs into advanced centres for skilling and employability aligned with industry needs.**
- **Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched ₹62,000 crore youth-focused schemes for Bihar, focusing on education, employment, and skill development.**



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**Ques: Who launched the first fully digitised National Marine Fisheries Census 2025?**

- A) Parshottam Rupala
- B) Rajeev Chandrasekhar
- C) George Kurian
- D) Jitendra Singh
- E) Dharmendra Pradhan

**Answer: Option C) George Kurian**

**Explanation:**

- Union Minister of State for Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying George Kurian officially launched the National Marine Fisheries Census (MFC) 2025 at ICAR-Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute (CMFRI), Kochi.
- The census is India's first fully digitised fisheries enumeration, featuring live data collection using VyAS Bharat and VyAS Sutra mobile applications.
- The 45-day nationwide enumeration (3 November – 18 December 2025) will cover over 1.2 million fisher households across 4,000 marine fishing villages in 9 coastal states and 4 union territories.

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**Ques: Former England cricketer Sir James Michael Anderson was awarded the Knighthood for which contribution?**

- A) Services to cricket
- B) Services to charity
- C) Services to education
- D) Services to sports medicine
- E) Services to youth development

**Answer: Option A) Services to cricket**

**Explanation:**

- Former England fast bowler Sir James Michael Anderson received the Knighthood Award for his outstanding services to cricket.
- The award was presented by Princess Anne during a ceremony held at Windsor Castle in Berkshire, United Kingdom.
- With this honour, Anderson joins the elite club of English cricket legends such as Sir Ian Botham, Sir Geoffrey Boycott, Sir Alastair Cook, and Sir Andrew Strauss.

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**Ques: Which initiative is Telecom Centres of Excellence India implementing in collaboration with partners across Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, and Andhra Pradesh to provide integrated digital and physical services in villages?**

- A) Digital India Mission
- B) Samriddh Gram Phygital Services Pilot
- C) e-Village Project
- D) BharatNet Connect
- E) Rural Digital Hubs

**Answer: Option B) Samriddh Gram Phygital Services Pilot**

**Explanation:**

- Telecom Centres of Excellence India has partnered with Digital Empowerment Foundation, I-Novate Infotech, and Corpus Enterprises to roll out the Samriddh Gram Phygital Services Pilot in selected villages of Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, and Andhra Pradesh.
- The pilot aims to establish a phygital (physical + digital) service delivery model using BharatNet infrastructure to enhance rural service access.
- Under this initiative, each village will have a Samriddhi Kendra for 2 years, serving as an integrated hub for education & skilling, agriculture, healthcare, e-governance, e-commerce, and financial inclusion services.





**Ques: When is the International Day to End Impunity for Crimes against Journalists observed in 2025, and what is its theme?**

- A) November 1
- B) November 2
- C) November 5
- D) November 10
- E) November 15

**Answer: Option B) November 2**

**Explanation:**

- The International Day to End Impunity for Crimes against Journalists is observed on 2nd November 2025.
- The 2025 theme is: “Chat GBV: Raising Awareness on AI-facilitated Gender-Based Violence against Women Journalists.”
- UNESCO held an International Congress in Paris to discuss journalist protection and accountability.

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## IMPORTANT ONE - LINER Current Affairs

- South Eastern Coalfields Limited in collaboration with the Department of Posts Chhattisgarh Postal Circle released a special India Post “Special Cover” commemorating Coal India’s Golden Jubilee (50 years) and SECL’s Ruby Jubilee (40 years) in Raipur, Chhattisgarh
- The Department of Social Justice & Empowerment (DoSJE) signed a Memorandum of Understanding with M/s Persolkelly India Pvt. Ltd. to improve employment opportunities for candidates from Scheduled Castes (SC) and Backward Classes (BC).
- Punjab’s Namitbir Singh Walia from Jalandhar achieved an International Master in Chess after securing the 4th position at the 3rd Annemasse International Masters Tournament, held in France, marking a major milestone as Punjab’s 2nd player to achieve this title.
- Toshiba Transmission & Distribution Systems (India) Private Limited delivered India’s first indigenously manufactured 220 kilovolts Mobile Gas Insulated Switchgear (m-GIS) System to Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (POWERGRID), under the Ministry of Power

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## Important days :

- 8 October : 93rd Indian Air Force Day 2025 (Theme for 2025: Indian Air Force – Infallible, Impervious and Precise)
- 8 October : International Dyslexia Awareness Day
- 8 October : World Habitat Day 2025 (theme ‘Urban Solutions to Crisis’)
- 10 October : World Mental Health Day (Theme 2025 Access to services – mental health in catastrophes and emergencies)
- 10 October : 23rd World Day Against the Death Penalty (Theme 2025 : The Death Penalty Protects No One: Abolish it Now)
- 10 October (2nd Friday of October) : World Egg Day 2025 (Theme 2025 : Mighty Egg – Packed with Natural Nutrition)
- 11 October (2nd Saturday of May and October) : World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD)
- 11 October : International Day of the Girl Child (Theme 2025 : The girl I am, the change I lead: Girls on the frontlines of crisis)
- 12 October : 30th World Arthritis Day (2025 Theme 2025 Achieve Your Dreams)
- 13 October : International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction 2025 (Theme 2025 Fund Resilience, Not Disasters)
- 13 October : International Day of Rural Women 2025 (Theme 2025 The Rise of Rural Women: Building Resilient Futures with Beijing+30)
- 14 October : World Standards Day 2025 (Theme 2025 - A Shared Vision for a Better World: Standards for Sustainable Development Goals(SDGs))
- 15 October : 18th Global Handwashing Day (GHD) (Theme 2025 Be a Handwashing Hero!)
- 15 October : World Students’ Day (theme for 2025 is “Empowering Students as Agents of Innovation and Change.”)
- 16 October : World Anaesthesia Day 2025 (Theme 2025 Anaesthesiology in Health Emergencies)
- 16 October : World Food Day 2025 (themed : “Sustainable Food Systems for a Healthy Planet”)





- 17 October : International Day of the Intangible Cultural Heritage 2025
- 17 October : International Day for the Eradication of Poverty 2025 (Theme 2025 Ending social and institutional maltreatment by ensuring respect and effective support for families)
- 17 October : 15th World Trauma Day 2025 (Theme 2025 Building a Safer Future with Trauma Care)
- 20 October : 4th World Statistics Day (2025 theme is “Driving Change with Quality Statistics and Data for Everyone,”)
- 21 October : World Iodine Deficiency Day 2025
- 21 October : Police Commemoration Day
- 22–30 October : Police Commemoration Week
- October : National Cybersecurity Awareness Month (NCSAM) (theme for India in 2025 is “Cyber Jagrit Bharat,”), (global theme for NCSAM 2025 is “Stay Safe Online,”)
- October : Dyslexia Awareness Month
- 23 October : World Snow Leopard Day (theme for 2025 is “Protecting the Mountain Guardian,”)
- 24 October : World Polio Day 2025 (Theme 2025 End Polio: Every Child, Every Vaccine, everywhere)
- 24 October : United Nations (UN) Day (theme “Education Shapes the Future.”)
- 27th October to 2nd November 2025 : Vigilance Awareness Week 2025 (theme “Vigilance: Our Shared Responsibility.”)
- 27 October : Infantry Day (theme “Saluting Op Sindoor.”)
- 29 October : World Stroke Day 2025 (Theme 2025 Every Minute Counts)
- 29th October : International Day of Care and Support 2025 (Theme - Care and Support for All – Addressing all rights-holders, including those providing and receiving care and support)
- 27th October to 2nd November : Vigilance Awareness Week (VAW) 2025 (theme 2025 “Vigilance: Our Shared Responsibility.”)
- 31st October : World Savings Day 2025 or World Thrift Day
- 1 November : World Vegan Day 2025

