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## RAJASTHAN



### 177 villages of Jaipur selected under 'Adi Karmayogi Abhiyan'



#### Why in News?

- Recently, Jaipur district administration selected 177 villages of 10 blocks of the district under the 'Adi Karmayogi Abhiyan' run by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.



The infographic features the Government of India logo, the 150th anniversary of the Jan Jatiya Samraajya, and the Adi Karmayogi logo. It highlights the 'Under the Dharti Aaba Janbhagidari Abhiyan' and the 'ADI KARMAYOGI ABHIYAN RESPONSIVE GOVERNANCE PROGRAMME'. A yellow banner states 'Building a Viksit Bharat through a Cadre of 2 Million Committed Change Leaders'. Below this, it lists '11 CRORE TRIBALS', '1 LAKH TRIBAL VILLAGES', and '30 STATES/UTS | 550 DISTRICTS | 3000 BLOCKS'. On the right, a photograph shows a man in a white kurta and vest speaking into a microphone to a group of people, many of whom are wearing pink turbans.



#### Key Points:

- This campaign is a national initiative to ensure accountable governance and last-mile service delivery in tribal areas.
- Under the campaign, 20-20 persons are being selected as Adi Karmayogi, Adi Sahyogi and Adi Sathi in one lakh tribal-dominated villages across the country.
- Objective:** To create a network of 20 lakh change-bringing leaders in 30 states/union territories, 550 districts and 1 lakh villages.

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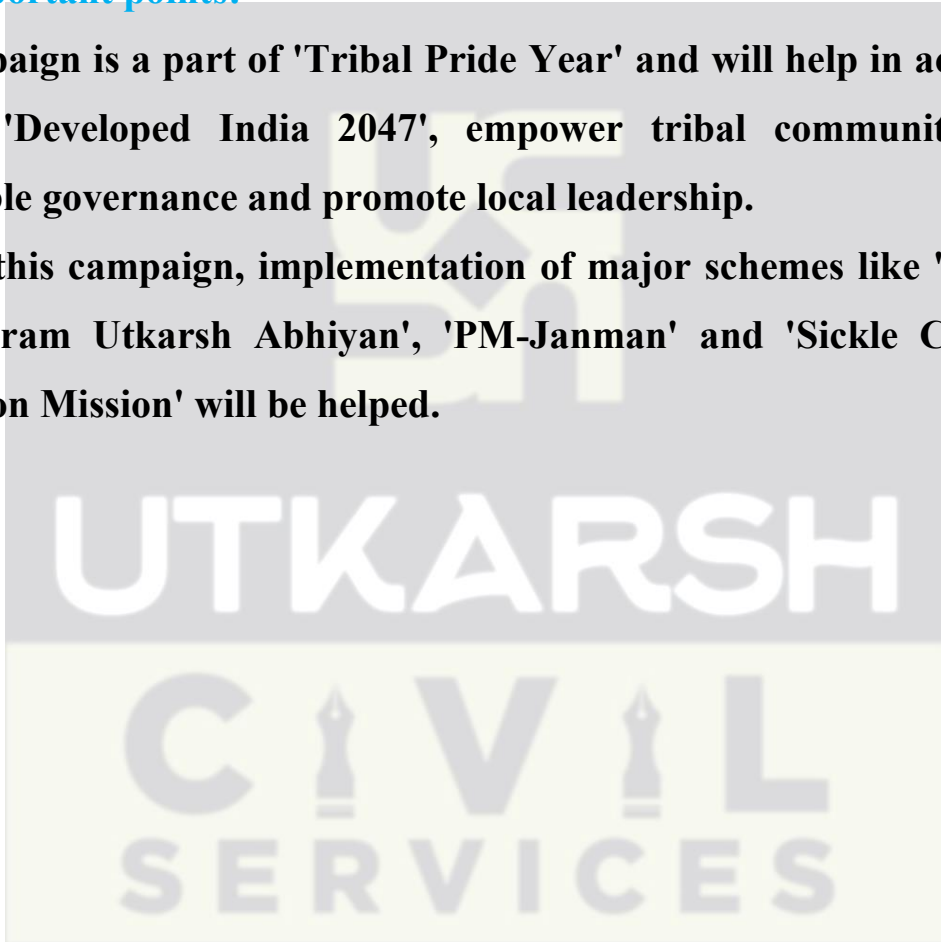
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- **Adi Seva Kendra:** Such centers will be set up in all tribal villages. Officials and community members will give 1–2 hours of ‘Adi Seva Samay’ every fortnight. During this, local problems will be resolved and youth will be guided and they will also cooperate in governance.

## Other important points:

- This campaign is a part of 'Tribal Pride Year' and will help in achieving the goals of 'Developed India 2047', empower tribal communities, ensure accountable governance and promote local leadership.
- Through this campaign, implementation of major schemes like 'Dharti Aba Janjati Gram Utkarsh Abhiyan', 'PM-Janman' and 'Sickle Cell Anemia Eradication Mission' will be helped.



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## Rajasthan Masala Conclave – 2025



### Why in News?

- A one-day 'Rajasthan Masala Conclave-2025' was organized on 8 September 2025 at Birla Auditorium, Jaipur.



### Key Points:

- **Organizing Department:** Agricultural Marketing Department.
- The Chief Minister virtually inaugurated the incubation centers of Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti Anganwa, Jodhpur and Krishi Upaj Mandi Yard Sohela, Tonk.
- The food park of Sonwa, Tonk was also virtually inaugurated.
- According to the data of the year 2025, Rajasthan ranks first in the country in cumin production, second in fenugreek and fennel production and third in coriander and celery production.

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- 'Common Incubation Centers' are being developed by the Central Government to promote the spice industry. Eight incubation centers are also being set up in Rajasthan under this scheme. These incubation centers will provide facilities for testing, sorting, grading, warehousing, cold storage and processing of agricultural produce for ODOP produce, so that they can sell their processed products in the market at a reasonable price.
- Food parks are being set up at 39 places in different districts of the state to provide processing related facilities to the processors at one place.

## Other important points:

- **Launch of Raj-Spice App:** 'Raj-Spice' is an app developed by the Rajasthan Agricultural Marketing Board to connect the spice producing farmers, traders, processors, exporters and other spice stakeholders of the state on a single platform.
- **Global Rajasthan Agritech Meet:** The state government will organize 'Global Rajasthan Agritech Meet' in the beginning of the year 2026 to promote agricultural processing and modern technology in Rajasthan and to encourage investors.

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## Dr. Himanshu Bhatia - Hindi Seva Award 2025



### Why in News?

- Dr. Himanshu Bhatia of Bikaner was announced to be given 'Hindi Seva Award-2025' by the Department of Language and Library.



### Key Points:

- The selection committee constituted by the state government decided to award Dr. Himanshu Bhatia for his book Cerebral Palsy Medical Aspect and Divyang Vyatha, Katha and Law written on medical science and health (including Indian system of medicine).
- Dr. Himanshu Bhatia is currently working as a sub-legal advisor in the District Collector's Office, Bikaner.



## NEWS IN SHORTS ⚡

S. No.	News
1.	<p><b>Drishti Didi: Every Village - Every Home</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Recently, the 'Drishti Didi Every Village - Every Home' campaign was launched under an agreement between Rajivika and Lenskart Foundation.</li><li>Objective: To provide accessible and affordable eye care services to rural areas.</li></ul>
2.	<p><b>Formation of Legal Services Authority in eight new districts</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Recently, the state government, after consultation with the Rajasthan High Court, approved the formation of Legal Services Authority in the newly formed eight districts in the state.</li></ul>
3.	<p><b>Three players of Rajasthan selected for Under-18 Asia Rugby Competition</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Three players of Rajasthan; Muskan Piplod, Vijayshree and Sushila Khoth were selected for the Under-18 Asia Rugby Championship.</li><li>Rugby Asia Cup-2025 will be held on 13 and 14 September 2025 in Hohhot, China.</li></ul>
4.	<p><b>Theatre artist Jitendra Sharma</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Jaipur's theatre artist Jitendra Sharma won the title of 'Mr. India-2025'.</li></ul>
5.	<p><b>Army Commanders Cup</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Recently, in the final of the 'Army Commanders Cup' played in Jaipur, the Cognivera Stallions team won the title by defeating the Thunderbolt Polo team by 8 goals against 2.5 goals.</li></ul>





### 'DialogueNEXT' Conference, 2025: Global Food Security



#### Why in News?

- 'DialogueNEXT' Conference is being organized on global food security from 8 to 9 September 2025.



#### Key Points:

- **Organized at:** Convention Center, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi.
- **Objective:** To discover and accelerate important innovations to secure the world's food future.
- **Organizer:** World Food Prize Foundation.

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- **Collaboration:** International Maize and Wheat Improvement Center (CIMMYT), Borlaug Institute for South Asia (BISA) and Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR).
- **Theme for Year 2025:** Theme of DialogueNEXT: "Reach out to the farmers"
- **Key Sessions:** Important issues such as farmer-centred innovation, small-scale crop production, South-South cooperation, nutrition and food systems, value chains and next generation agricultural breakthroughs will be discussed.
- DialogueNEXT in India is the second part of a three-part global series reviving the legacy of Dr. Norman Borlaug, the father of the Green Revolution and Nobel Peace Prize winner.
- This dialogue will provide momentum towards the Norman E. Borlaug International Dialogue to be held in Des Moines, Iowa from 21 to 23 October 2025.

## Other Important Points:

**World Food Safety Day, 2025: 7 June**

- **Theme:** "Food Safety: Science in Action"
- **Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI):**
  - **Establishment:** An autonomous statutory body established under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 (FSS Act, 2006).
  - **Under:** Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.
  - **Headquarters:** New Delhi (eight regional offices).
  - **Functions:** Make food regulations, license food businesses, promote food fortification and organic foods, enforce food safety laws, monitor food quality, conduct risk assessments and provide training and awareness programs.
- **Food security provisions in the Indian Constitution:** Article 21 (right to food), Article 39(a) and article 47 (obliges the state to ensure adequate livelihood, nutrition and standard of living.)
- **Global Food Security Index (GFSI), 2025:** it is based on the World Food Summit of the year 1996.

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Focused on three major pillars:



Top countries in Global Food Security Index:

Rank	Country	Global Food Security Index (GFSI)
1st	Finland	83.7
2nd	Ireland	81.7
3rd	Norway	80.5

- **‘State of Food security and Nutrition in the World’ (SOFI) Report 2025:** It is released by the United Nations.
- **Created by five United Nations agencies:** Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), International Fund for Agricultural Development (FAD), United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF), World Food Programme (WFP), and World Health Organization (WHO).
- **By 2024, India is expected to have the highest rate of wasting among children under five globally.**



## INTERNATIONAL



### Bilateral Investment Treaty between India and Israel



#### Why in News?

- Israel's Finance Minister Bezael Smotrich is on a three-day visit to India from September 8 to 10, 2025.



#### Key Points:

##### Bilateral Investment Agreement:

- Union Finance and Corporate Affairs Minister Nirmala Sitharaman and Israel's Finance Minister Bezael Smotrich signed the agreement.
- The agreement is expected to boost trade and mutual investment by promoting investment, ensuring greater certainty and protection for investors and an independent dispute resolution mechanism through arbitration.
- The agreement will increase bilateral investment between the two countries, which currently totals US\$ 800 million.

## Other Important Points:

- **India receives foreign direct investment from Israel:** India has received foreign direct investment (FDI) of \$337.7 million from Israel during April 2000 to June 2024.
- **Bilateral trade between India and Israel:** It is estimated around \$4 billion per year.

## Israel:



- Israel launched airstrikes and drone attacks on Iranian nuclear and military sites under "Operation Rising Lion", including in Tehran, the Natanz uranium enrichment facility, a nuclear research centre, two military bases in Tabriz and an underground missile storage site in Kermanshah.
- In retaliation, Iran attacked Israel with ballistic missiles under "Operation True Promise 3", causing explosions in Jerusalem and Tel Aviv.



## Japan Prime Minister's resignation



### Why in News?

- Former Japanese Prime Minister Shigeru Ishiba resigned on September 7, 2025, after serving in office for less than a year.
- His resignation followed a massive setback in the elections for the ruling Liberal Democratic Party (LDP), from whose leadership also he resigned.



### Key Points:

### Other Important Points:

### Japan:

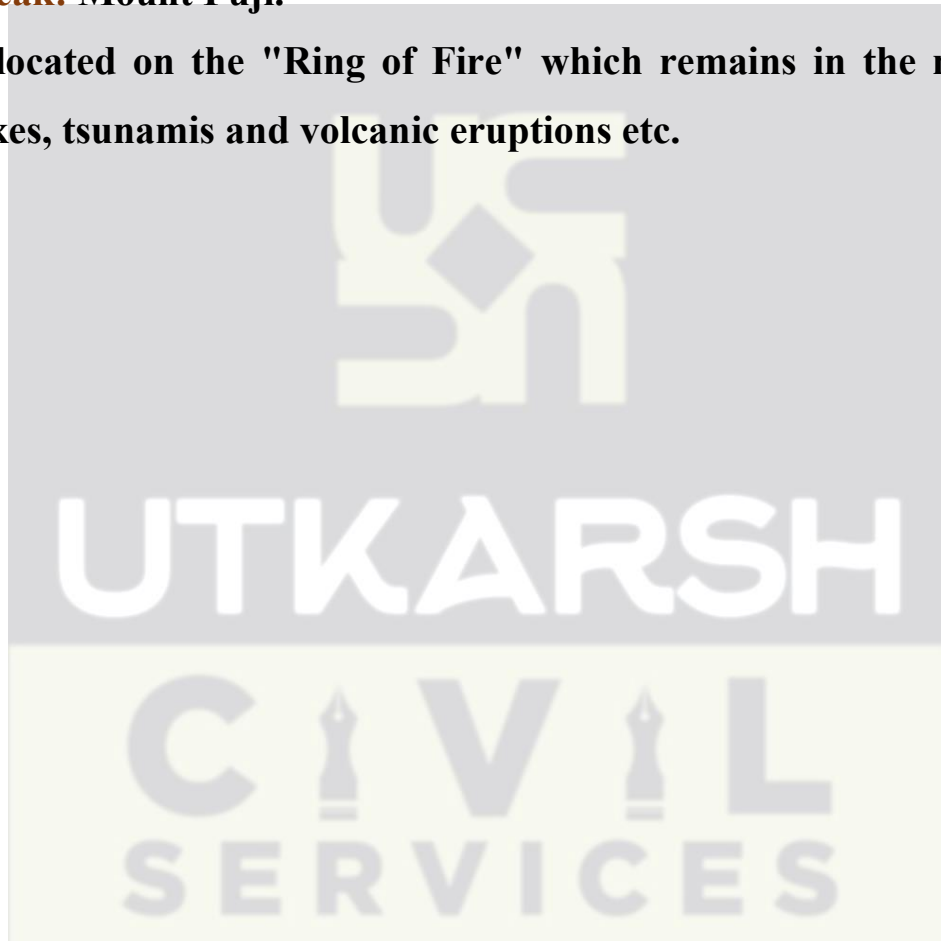


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- **Capital:** Tokyo, one of the most populous and modern cities in the world.
- **Islands:** Japan has four main islands - Honshu (the largest), Hokkaido, Kyushu and Shikoku and other smaller islands: Ryukyu, Izu, Bonin and the Volcano Islands.
- **Highest peak:** Mount Fuji.
- Japan is located on the "Ring of Fire" which remains in the news due to earthquakes, tsunamis and volcanic eruptions etc.



## Gen-Z revolution in Nepal



### Why in News?

- On September 9, 2025, Nepal's Prime Minister KP Sharma Oli resigned from his post due to Nepal's Generation-Z (Gen-Z) revolution.



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## Key Points:

- Recently, Nepal banned 26 unregistered social media sites including Facebook, WhatsApp, Instagram.
- **Reason:** While hearing a case of contempt of court, the Supreme Court of Nepal ordered the government to ensure that no social media platform operates in Nepal without formal registration.

## Reasons for Generation-Z (Gen-Z) movement:

1. **Nepotism:** Nepotism, corruption, inflation, unemployment etc.
  - Philippines, Indonesia's 'Nepo Baby' campaign started trending on social media in Nepal too.
  - When the government imposed a ban, Gen-Z considered it a curb on freedom of expression.
2. **3 major scams in 4 years:** Giri Bandhu land swap scam, 2021, Oriental Cooperative scam, 2023 and Cooperative scam, 2024 etc.
3. **Political instability:** Sher Bahadur Deuba became Prime Minister in July, 2021, Prachanda in December, 2022 and KP Sharma Oli in July, 2024.
4. **Unemployment-economic inequality:** The unemployment rate increased from 10.39 percent in 2019 to 10.71 percent in 2025 and the inflation rate increased from 4.6 percent in 2019 to 5.2 percent in 2025.
5. **Global pressure:** Due to the influence of China and America on Nepal, the youth feel that Nepal is being used as a pawn.
6. **Increasing distance from India:** The Oli government showed the Lipulekh Pass in the map of Nepal, hence when the relations between India and Nepal became tense, Nepal faced economic pressure.



## Other important points:

### Nepal:

- On December 4, 2024, four major MoUs were signed between India and Nepal, including long-term electricity, trade, community development and satellite launch.

### Border Issues in India-Nepal Relations:

- In the total 1,800 kilometer long Indo-Nepal border, the Kalapani, Lipulekh, Limpiyadhura (in Uttarakhand) and Susta (in Bihar) areas remain unresolved between the two countries.
- According to the Treaty of Sugauli signed between the British East India Company and Nepal in 1816, all the area east of the Kali River was given to Nepal.

### The division according to age is as follows:

Generation	Birth Years	Age Group / Description
Baby Boomers	Born between 1946 and 1964	Between 61 and 79 years old
Generation X	Born between 1965 and 1979/80	Between 45 and 60 years old
Gen Y / Millennials	Born between 1981 and 1994/96	Between 29 and 44 years old (Gen Y.1 = 29–33 years, Gen Y.2 = 33–44 years)
Gen Z	Born between 1997 and 2012	Between 13 and 28 years old (Born in the era of internet, smartphones, and social media)
Generation A / Alpha	Born between 2012 and 2024	Between 0 and 13 years old
Generation B / Beta	Starting from children born in 2025, continuing until 2039	Will make up 16% of the global population; many will live into the 22nd century

## ENVIRONMENT & ECOLOGY

### Achievements of Special Campaign 4.0 and preparation for 5.0

#### Why in News?

- Recently, Government of India has announced to launch Special Campaign 5.0 from 2nd to 31st October 2025 with focus on disposal of e-waste generated, site management and enhancing workplace experience of field offices as per E-Waste Management Rules 2022 of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.



AI Bins, CIL



Waste to Art, CMPDI



Waste to Art, BCCL

#### Key Points:

##### Special Campaign 4.0:

- Special Campaign 4.0, conducted from 2nd October, 2024 to 31st August, 2025 has set a high benchmark for continued commitment towards cleanliness, waste management and environmental responsibility.

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- As per the report of Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG), Ministry of Coal ranked first in the category of emptying and cleaning and fourth in revenue earned during Special Drive 4.0 among all Ministries/Departments.

## Innovative Initiative (Special Drive 4.0)

- **AI Bin:** In the innovative initiative, Coal India Limited (CIL) has installed AI Bin for effective waste segregation and plastic bottle disposal.
- **Golden Deer and Fawn Sculpture:** In the field of art from waste, CMPDIL has created “Golden Deer and Fawn” sculpture from waste materials.
- **Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Statue:** Bharat Coking Coal Limited (BCCL) has created a 7-foot statue of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose from scrap in Dhanbad.
- Under efficient management, BCCL has converted an unused area into a table tennis court.

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## 🕒 SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY 🕒

### Ofek-19 Satellite



#### Why in News?

- Recently, Israel launched its latest spy satellite into space from Palmachim Airbase.



#### Key Points:

- **Satellite manufactured by:** State-run Israel Aerospace Industries.
- Ofek-19 is a highly advanced SAR (Synthetic Aperture Radar) surveillance satellite.
- **Function:** SAR technology sends radar signals and reads their sound to produce very clear and detailed images.
- **Purpose:** Surveillance on Iran, Syria and Hezbollah: This satellite is specially designed to continuously monitor threats like Iran's nuclear program, Syrian army activities and Lebanon-based terrorist organization Hezbollah.

#### Features:

1. It can continuously monitor in every condition like clouds, fog, rain and darkness.
2. **24x7 All-weather Surveillance:** Compared to conventional satellites, SAR technology can image the ground through radar waves.
3. **High-resolution imaging:** This satellite can monitor ground objects, military infrastructure, vehicle movement and construction activities with extreme precision.



## Jupiter Supercomputer



### Why in News?

- Supercomputer Jupiter is Europe's first exascale supercomputer.



### Key Points:

- **Host Institution:** Jupiter is located at the Jülich Supercomputing Center (JSC) in Germany.
- **Importance:** It is Europe's first exascale supercomputer. That is, it can perform more than a quintillion or  $10^{18}$  calculations per second, which puts it at par with the world's most powerful supercomputers.
- **Ranking:** In June 2025, Jupiter was ranked as the fastest supercomputer in Europe and the fourth fastest supercomputer worldwide.
- Jupiter runs on Totally renewable energy.

## National Supercomputing Mission (NSM) of India

- **Objective:** Launched in 2015, NSM aims to create a supercomputing infrastructure with over 70 high performance computing facilities across the country.

### Key Projects:

- **PARAM Series:** India's series of indigenous supercomputers, notable examples of which include PARAM 8000 (India's first, 1991), PARAM Siddhi-AI, and PARAM Rudra.
- **Airavat:** An AI supercomputer installed at C-DAC, Pune, which will be ranked 75th in the world in 2023.
- **PARAM Praveg:** Installed at Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru under NSM.
- **National Knowledge Network (NKN):** The supercomputing grid is connected via NKN, providing high-speed network for academic and research institutions.



## ECONOMIC SCENARIO



### India's Unemployment Rate



#### Why in News?

- Citing the World Economic Forum's 'Future of Jobs Report 2025', the Union Minister of Labour and Employment and Youth Affairs and Sports has clarified that India's



unemployment rate is 2 percent, which is the lowest among the G-20 countries.



#### Key Points:

- On September 8, 2025, a Memorandum of Understanding was signed between the Ministry of Labour and Employment and 'Mentor Together' and 'Quikr' on the National Career Service (NCS) portal to enhance the employability and employment opportunities for youth, in New Delhi.
- In the last one year, the ministry has signed MoUs with ten major organizations including Amazon and Swiggy.
- A package of five major schemes with a total budget of Rs 2 lakh crore was announced to provide employment, skill development and opportunities to 4.1 crore youth.
- Under this package, Pradhan Mantri Vikassheel Bharat Rojgar Yojana (PM-VBRY) has also been launched, its aim is to encourage the creation of more than 3.5 crore jobs in two years.

## Other Important Points:

### Employment Situation in India:

- **Self-employment:** Increased from 52.2% to 58.4%.
- **Casual labour:** Decreased from 24.9% to 19.8%.
- **LFPR:** Labour force participation rate has increased from 49.8% (2017-18) to 60.1% (2023-24).
- **WPR:** Worker-Population Ratio has increased from 46.8% to 58.2%.
- **Youth unemployment rate:** It has decreased from 17.8% (2017-18) to 10.2% (2023-24).

### Employment challenges in India due to Technologies:

1. **Skill shortage:** AI, cybersecurity and data science fields require expertise, leading to a gap between job requirements and available talent.
2. **Uneven technology distribution:** Rural areas lag behind urban areas in terms of distribution and adoption of new technologies, leading to inequalities in employment opportunities and economic growth.
3. **Job displacement:** According to the International Labour Organization (ILO), repetitive tasks in sectors such as manufacturing and services are being automated, potentially leading to job displacement.
4. **Informal sector challenges:** Informal sector workers, who make up a significant part of India's economy, may find it difficult to transit to technology-driven jobs due to lack of access to training and education (90% of jobs are informal in India.).
5. **Gig economy:** Lack of income and social protection for platform workers is this sector.
6. **Dependence on traditional agriculture:** Agriculture still employs a large portion of the workforce, around 46.6 per cent.



## SPORTS

### World Archery Youth Championships, 2025

#### Why in News?

- Recently, India won a total of 8 medals in the World Archery Youth Championships, 2025 held in Canada.



#### Key Points:

- Organiser:** World Archery (WA), Lausanne, Switzerland.
- Event:** Winnipeg, Canada (Biennial).
- Edition:** 19th (Biennial event).
- Participating Countries:** A total of 570 top youth archers from 63 countries were competed in it.

#### Medal Table:

Rank	Country	Gold Medals	Silver Medals	Bronze Medals	Total Medals
1st	South Korea	7	6	4	17
2nd	India	4	2	2	8
3rd	USA	4	2	0	6

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- **India's Performance:** 8 medals (4 gold, 2 silver and 2 bronze).

Event	Archer(s)	Medal
Compound Under-21 Women Individual	Chikitha Taniparthi	Gold
Compound Under-21 Men Team	Kushal Dalal, Apor Mihir Nitin, Ganesh Mani Ratham	Gold
Recurve Under-18 Women Individual	Sharvari Somanath Shende	Gold
Compound Under-18 Men Team	Mohit Dagar, Yogesh Joshi, Devansh Singh	Gold

## Other Important Points:

- **20th World Archery Youth Championships, 2027:** To be held in Antalya, Turkey.

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## ✂ NEWS IN SHORTS ⚡

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1.	<p><b>International Space Conference, 2025</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ <b>Inauguration:</b> 8 September 2025</li> <li>■ <b>Theme of the Inaugural Session:</b> "Using space for global progress: innovation, policy and development".</li> <li>■ <b>Organiser:</b> Confederation of Indian Industry (CII).</li> <li>■ <b>Vision:</b> Lunar mission by 2040, Indian space station by 2035 and Chandrayaan-5 lunar mission</li> <li>■ Currently more than 300 startups are active in areas like launch vehicles, satellites and ground systems.</li> </ul>

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## 'Towards Abhuday' book

- Rajasthan Governor Haribhau Bagde presented a copy of the book 'Abhyudaya Ki Or' to the President and the Prime Minister on the occasion of completion of one year of his tenure.
- Governor Shri Haribhau Bagde has dedicated his one year tenure to the people of communities tribal and poor villagers.
- "Abhyudaya Ki Aur" means, work for the welfare of all, progress of all, equal upliftment of all.



3.

## World Physiotherapy Day, 2025: 8 September



- **Declared:** By the World Physiotherapy Organization in the year 1996.
- **Reason:** Celebrated in the memory of the establishment of World Physiotherapy in the year 1951.
- **Theme of the year 2025:** "Healthy Ageing".



4.

## Personalized Adaptive Learning (PAL): Software Andhra Pradesh



- On September 8, 2025, researchers including Nobel Prize-winning economist Michael Kremer, in an independent study of Andhra Pradesh's personalized adaptive learning (PAL) model, have found that students using PAL adapted mathematical concepts are able to increase their level of personal learning with the help of this software.
- Studies showed that students from class 7 to 9 who received the PAL program over two academic years (about 17 months) learned at almost twice the speed of students who did not use the software.

5.

## World Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy Day, 2025: 7 September



- **Observed on:** The Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, observes World Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy Day on 7 September every year.
- **Theme for the year 2025:** "Family: The Centre of Care."
- **Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy (DMD):** A rare and progressive disease that causes gradual weakening of muscles and affects mobility, breathing and heart function.
- Timely intervention, awareness, education and social inclusion are essential to improve the quality of life of people affected by this condition.