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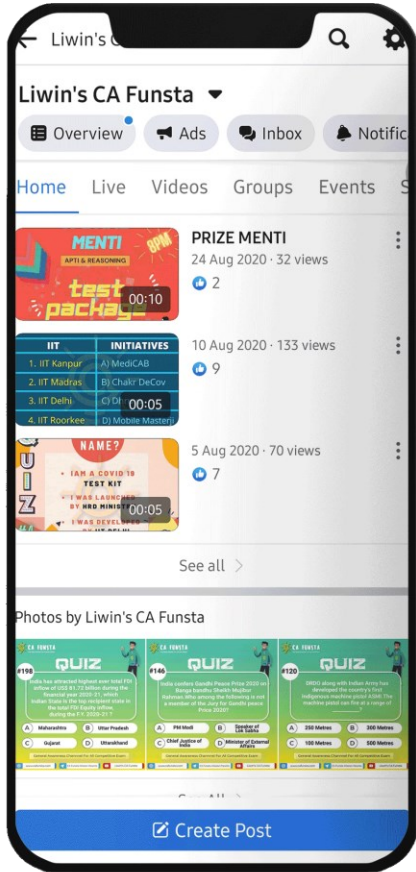


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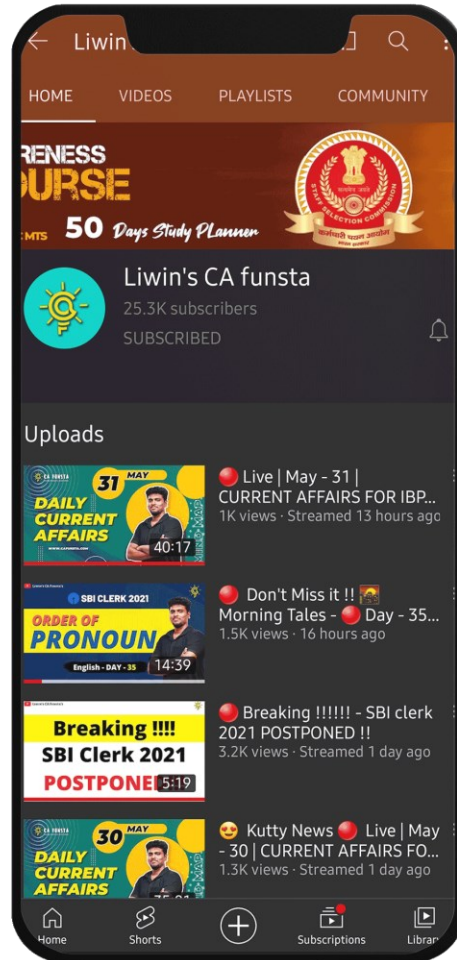
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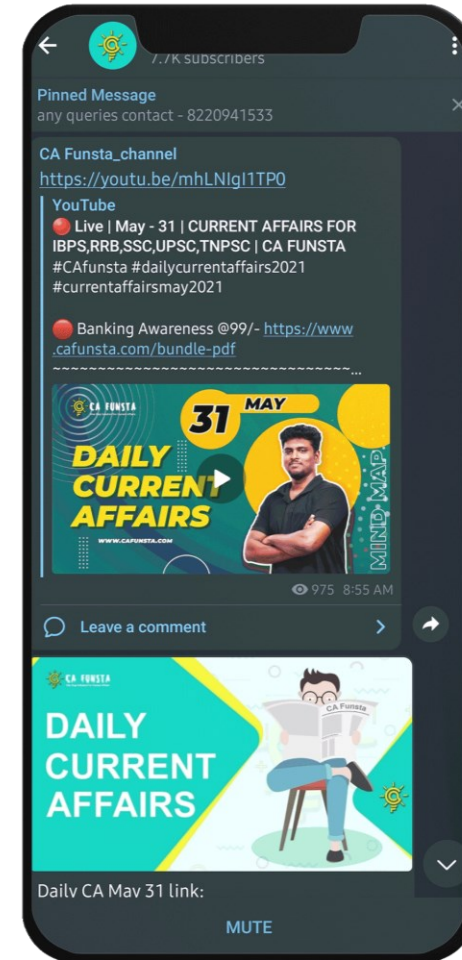
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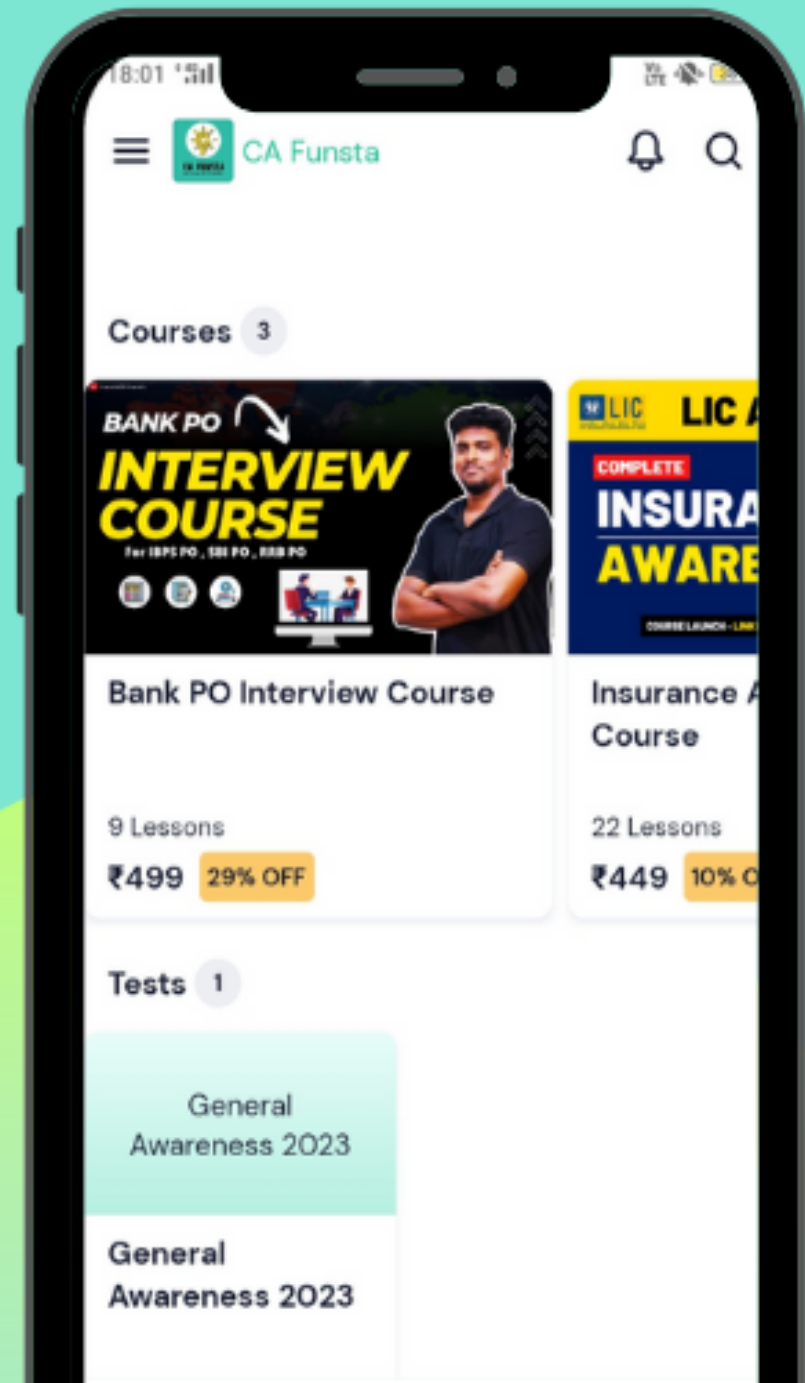
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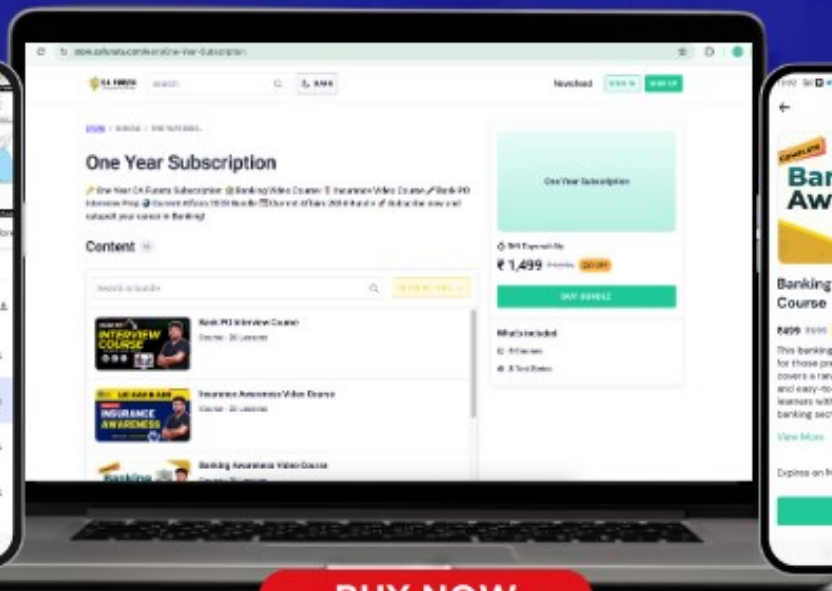
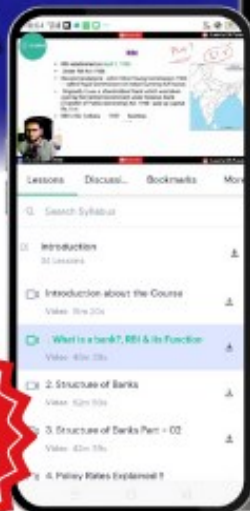
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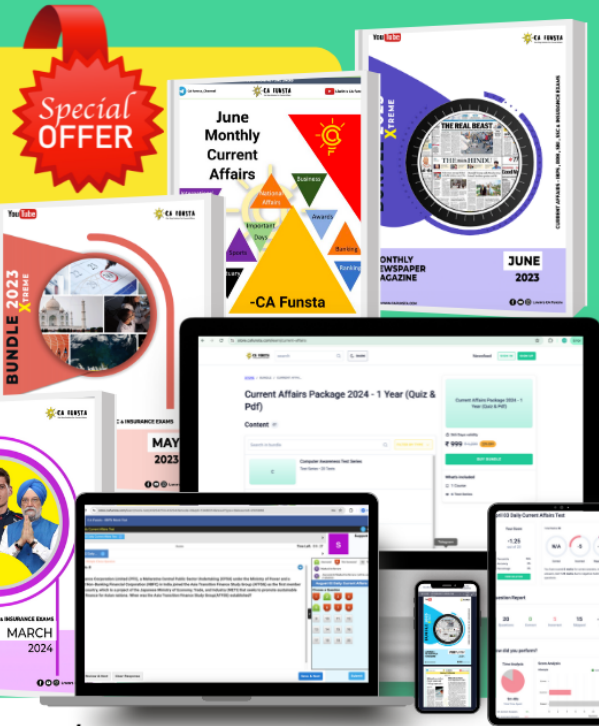
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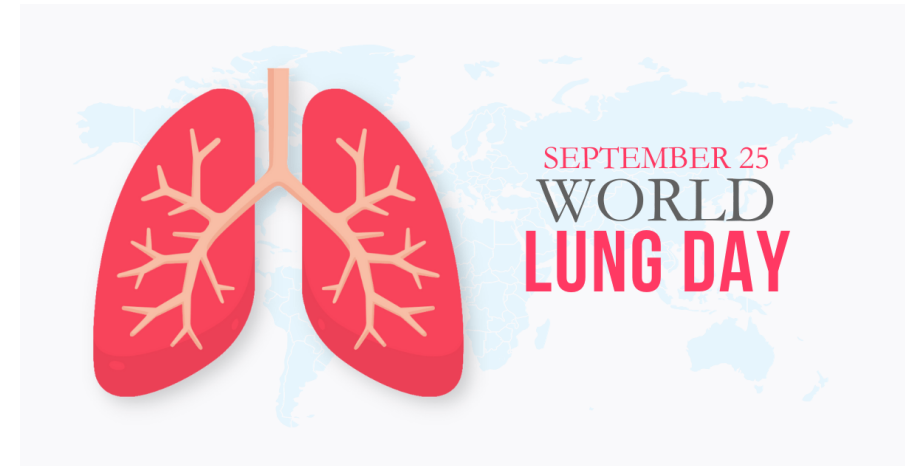
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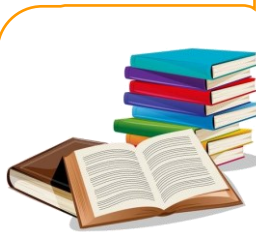
► What is the theme of World Lung Day 2026?

- A) Healthy Lungs for Everyone
- B) Breathe Clean, Live Healthy
- C) A Lifetime of Lung Health
- D) Protect Your Lungs
- E) Clean Air for Healthy Lungs



Answer

C) A Lifetime of Lung Health.

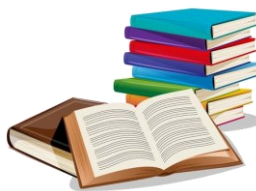


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Event and Location:

- **Event: World Lung Day 2026** was observed to raise awareness about lung health, respiratory diseases, prevention, research and access to respiratory care, with the theme “A **Lifetime of Lung Health**”.

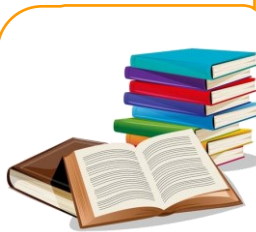


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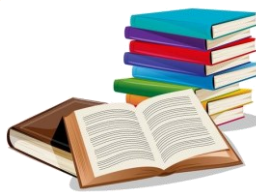
Event and Location:

- **Location: World Lung Day** is a global respiratory-health awareness campaign promoted by the **Forum of International Respiratory Societies** and partner organisations worldwide.
- **Date: World Lung Day** is observed annually on September **25**, with the **2026** observance held on September **25, 2026**.



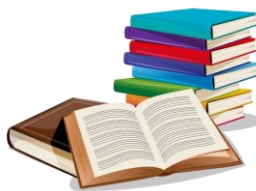
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** The **2026** campaign promotes a life-course approach to respiratory health by focusing on healthy lung development, lung growth, preservation of lung health and maintenance of healthy lungs throughout life.



Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The observance aims to increase awareness about respiratory diseases, encourage prevention and research, improve access to respiratory care and address risk factors such as air pollution, smoking and disparities in healthcare access.

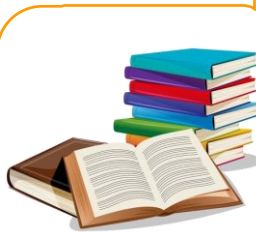


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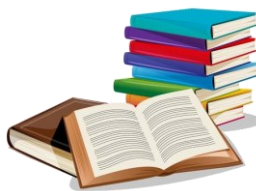
Important Terms Explained:

- **Forum of International Respiratory Societies (FIRS):**
An international collaboration of respiratory organisations that promotes **World Lung Day** and advocates measures to improve lung health worldwide.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Life-Course Approach:** An approach recognising that lung health is influenced by factors throughout life, beginning with early development and childhood growth and continuing through adulthood and old age.

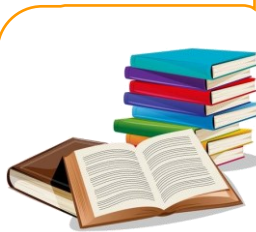


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Important Terms Explained:

- **Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD):** A chronic respiratory condition involving persistent airflow limitation that can impair normal breathing and lung function.

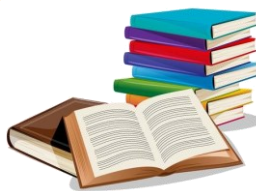


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Important Terms Explained:

- **Healthy Lungs for Life:** A broader lung-health campaign associated with **FIRS** and the **European Lung Foundation** covering areas such as physical activity, clean air, smoking cessation, vaccination, healthy eating and climate action.

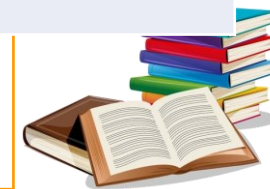


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Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Observance	World Lung Day 2026.
Date	September 25, 2026.
Theme	"A Lifetime of Lung Health".
Campaign leadership	Forum of International Respiratory Societies and partner organisations.
Main approach	Promotion of lung health throughout the entire life course.
Four focus areas	Lung development, lung growth, preserving lung health and promoting lifelong lung health.
Major risk factors	Air pollution, smoking and disparities in access to healthcare.
Major respiratory diseases highlighted	Asthma, COPD, lung cancer, pneumonia and tuberculosis.



➤ Which Indian pair won the gold medal in the 10m air pistol mixed team event on Day 6 of the Asian Games 2026?

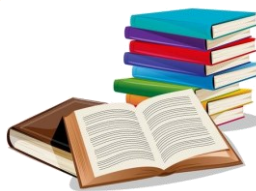
- A) Diya Chitale and Manush Shah
- B) Kamaljeet and Suruchi
- C) Aishwary Pratap Singh Tomar and Niraj Kumar
- D) Gulveer Singh and Manpreet Kaur
- E) Anahat Singh and Tanvi Sharma

Answer
B) Kamaljeet and Suruchi.



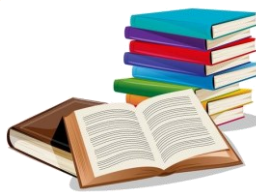
Event and Location:

- **Event:** India won six medals on Day **6** of the **Asian Games 2026**, comprising one gold, two silver and three bronze medals, taking its overall medal tally to **23**.
- **Location:** The **Asian Games 2026** are being held in Aichi-Nagoya, Japan.



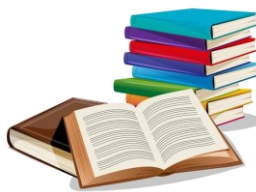
Event and Location:

- **Date:** India's Day 6 results were recorded on September **25, 2026**.



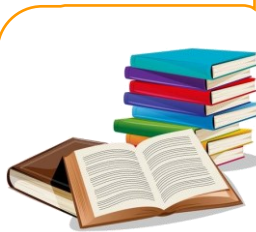
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Indian athletes competed across shooting, athletics, table tennis, hockey, kabaddi, squash, badminton, swimming, boxing, weightlifting, fencing, canoeing, kayaking and esports, with six medals secured during Day 6.



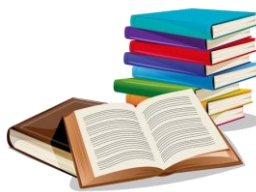
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** India aimed to improve its overall medal tally through individual and team events, with Day 6 producing medals in shooting, athletics and table tennis while several Indian teams and athletes also advanced to later stages of their competitions.



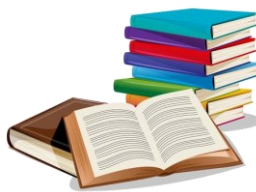
Important Terms Explained:

- **10m Air Pistol Mixed Team:** A shooting event featuring a male and female shooter competing together as a team using air pistols at a distance of **10** metres.



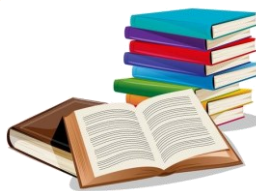
Important Terms Explained:

- **50m Rifle 3 Positions:** A shooting discipline in which competitors shoot from kneeling, prone and standing positions at a target placed **50** metres away.



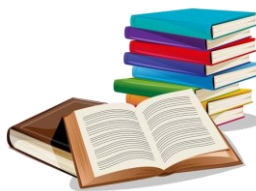
Important Terms Explained:

- Women's **Pole Vault**: An athletics event in which competitors use a flexible pole to clear a horizontal bar, with **Baranica Elangovan** clearing **4.15** metres to win bronze.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Mixed Doubles Table Tennis:** A table tennis event in which each team consists of one male and one female player, with **Diya Chitale and Manush Shah** winning bronze for India.



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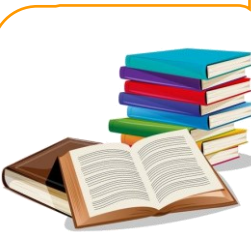
Parameter	Details
Day 6 medal haul	India won six medals, comprising one gold, two silver and three bronze medals.
Overall medal tally	India reached 23 medals, comprising two gold, nine silver and 12 bronze medals.
Gold medal	Kamaljeet and Suruchi won the 10m air pistol mixed team event with 484.6 points.
Shooting silver	Aishwary Pratap Singh Tomar, Niraj Kumar and Rudrankksh Patil won silver in the men's 50m rifle 3 positions team event.
Athletics silver	Gulveer Singh won silver in the men's 10,000m with a time of 28:29.38.
Athletics bronze medals	Manpreet Kaur won women's shot put bronze, while Baranica Elangovan won women's pole vault bronze.
Table tennis bronze	Diya Chitale and Manush Shah secured bronze in mixed doubles table tennis.
Historic achievement	Baranica Elangovan became the first Indian athlete to win an Asian Games medal in women's pole vault.



➤ Which company signed a title sponsorship deal worth up to Rs 150 crore with the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) for international matches organised by the board through March 2028?

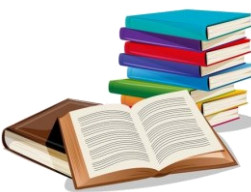
- A) IDFC First Bank
- B) SBI Life
- C) Muthoot FinCorp
- D) Apollo Tyres
- E) Asian Paints

Answer
C) Muthoot FinCorp.



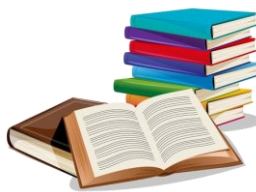
Event and Location:

- **Event:** **BCCI** signed a title sponsorship agreement worth up to Rs **150 crore** with Muthoot FinCorp for international cricket matches organised under the board's aegis through March **2028**.
- **Location:** The sponsorship covers international cricket matches organised by **BCCI** in India.



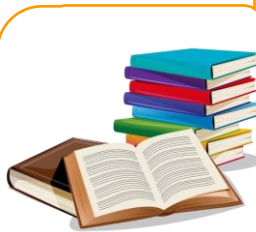
Event and Location:

- **Date:** The sponsorship development was reported on September **25, 2026**.



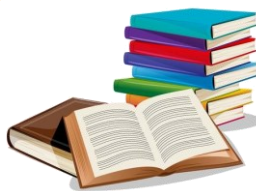
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Muthoot FinCorp will serve as the title sponsor for **BCCI**-organised international matches through March **2028**, with a reported payout of up to Rs **4.3 crore** per match.



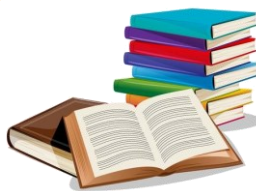
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The agreement provides **BCCI** with a new title sponsorship arrangement following the conclusion of **IDFC First Bank's** previous sponsorship cycle in August **2026** and expands Muthoot FinCorp's brand association with Indian cricket.



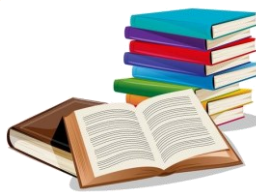
Important Terms Explained:

- **Title Sponsorship:** A commercial arrangement in which a brand receives prominent naming and promotional rights associated with a sporting event or series in return for sponsorship payments.



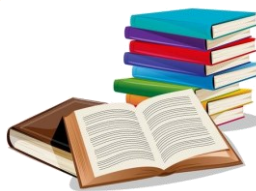
Important Terms Explained:

- **Non-Banking Financial Corporation (NBFC):** A financial company that provides specified financial services without operating as a conventional bank with a full banking licence.



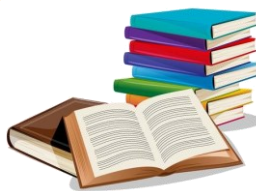
Important Terms Explained:

- **Per-Match Payout:** The sponsorship amount payable for each match covered by an agreement, reported at up to Rs **4.3 crore** per match under the Muthoot FinCorp deal.



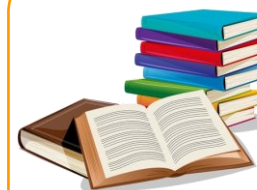
Important Terms Explained:

- **Associate Partner:** A sponsorship category providing a brand with specified promotional and association rights that are distinct from the primary title sponsorship rights.



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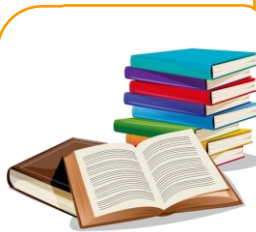
Parameter	Details
Title sponsor	Muthoot FinCorp.
Sponsoring organisation	Board of Control for Cricket in India.
Deal value	Up to Rs 150 crore.
Per-match payout	Up to Rs 4.3 crore per match.
Sponsorship period	The agreement runs through March 2028.
BCCI base rate	The reported base rate was Rs 4.85 crore per match.
Previous title sponsor	IDFC First Bank, whose sponsorship cycle ended in August 2026.
Associate partners	Campa, SBI Life and ChatGPT were signed as associate partners for two seasons through March 2028.



➤ What score did Suruchi Inder Singh and Kamaljeet achieve to set a new Asian record and win the 10m air pistol mixed team gold at the Asian Games 2026?

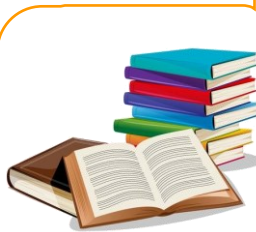
- A) 478.0 points
- B) 481.3 points
- C) 484.6 points
- D) 487.0 points
- E) 587.0 points

Answer
C) 484.6 points.



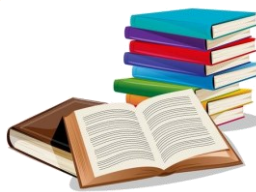
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Indian shooters **Suruchi Inder Singh and Kamaljeet** won the **10m** air pistol mixed team gold medal with an Asian record score of **484.6** points, defeating **South Korea and Iran**.
- **Location:** The event was held at the Aichi-**Nagoya Asian Games 2026** in Japan.



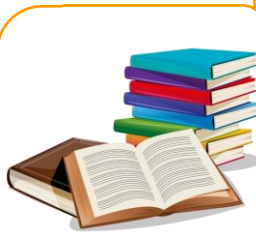
Event and Location:

- **Date: Suruchi and Kamaljeet** won the gold medal on September **25, 2026**.



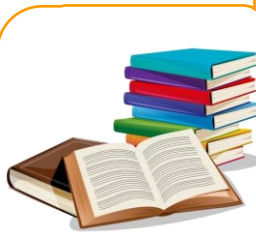
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates: Suruchi and Kamaljeet** represented India in the **10m** air pistol mixed team competition, topped qualification with **587** points and then secured the gold medal with **484.6** points in the final.



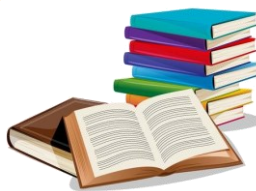
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The Indian pair aimed to secure the mixed team shooting title after missing the individual finals, and their victory delivered India's first shooting gold and second overall gold medal of the **Asian Games 2026**.



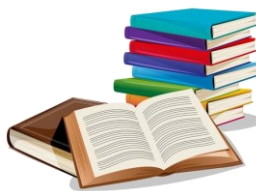
Important Terms Explained:

- **10m Air Pistol Mixed Team:** A shooting competition in which a male and female shooter compete together as a team using air pistols at targets positioned **10** metres away.



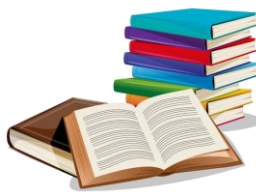
Important Terms Explained:

- **Asian Record:** The highest officially recognised performance achieved within an Asian competition or record category, with **Suruchi and Kamaljeet** recording **484.6** points in the final.



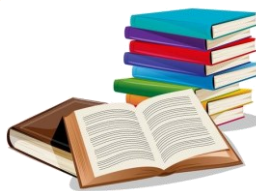
Important Terms Explained:

- **Inner 10:** The central and highest-precision portion of the **10**-point scoring area on a shooting target, used as an additional indicator of shooting accuracy.



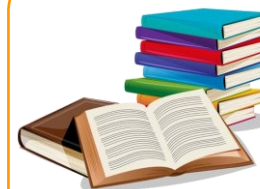
Important Terms Explained:

- **Qualification Round:** The preliminary stage used to determine which competitors or teams advance to the final, with the Indian pair leading qualification with **587** points and **29** inner **10s**.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Gold medallists	Suruchi Inder Singh and Kamaljeet of India.
Event	10m air pistol mixed team.
Gold-medal score	India scored 484.6 points in the final.
Asian record	The Indian pair's 484.6 points surpassed the previous stated record of 481.3 points.
Silver medal	South Korea finished second with 478.0 points.
Bronze medal	Iran finished third with 415.8 points.
Qualification performance	India topped qualification with 587 points and 29 inner 10s.
India's medal tally	The shooting gold took India to 19 medals at that stage, comprising two gold, eight silver and nine bronze medals.

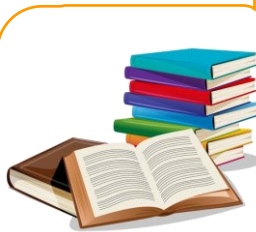


➤ Which Indian athlete won bronze in the women's 10,000m at the Asian Games 2026 and ended India's 16-year medal drought in the event?

- A) Vithya Ramraj
- B) M.R. Poovamma
- C) Seema Kumari
- D) Preeja Sreedharan
- E) Kavita Raut

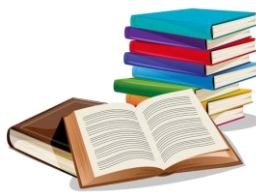
Answer

C) Seema Kumari.



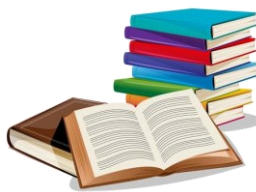
Event and Location:

- **Event:** India won two athletics medals at the **Asian Games 2026**, with the mixed **4x400m** relay team securing silver and **Seema Kumari** winning bronze in the women's **10,000m**.
- **Location:** The events were held at the **Asian Games 2026** in Aichi-Nagoya, Japan.



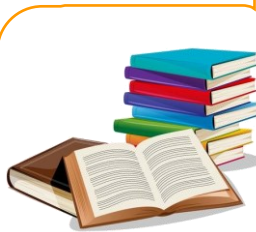
Event and Location:

- **Date:** India secured both athletics medals on September **24, 2026**.



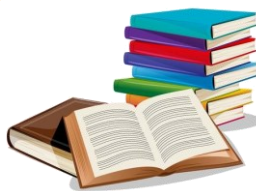
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** India's mixed **4x400m** relay team of Manu TS, M.R. Poovamma, Vishal TK and **Vithya Ramraj** finished second in **3:14.46**, while **Seema Kumari** finished third in the women's **10,000m** with a time of **32:50.05**.



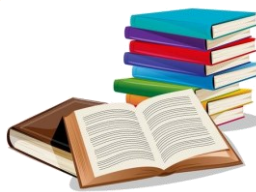
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The performances helped India add two athletics medals, defend its **Asian Games** silver in the mixed **4x400m** relay and end a **16-year** medal drought in the women's **10,000m** event.



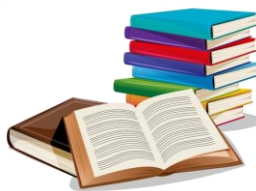
Important Terms Explained:

- Mixed **4x400m** Relay: An athletics relay event in which a team comprising male and female athletes collectively runs four legs of **400** metres each.



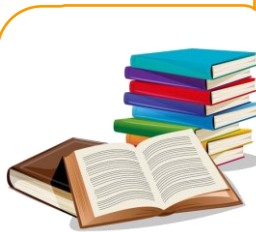
Important Terms Explained:

- **Games Record:** The best performance officially recorded in a particular event during the history of the Games, with Bahrain clocking **3:12.87** in the mixed **4x400m** relay.



Important Terms Explained:

- Women's **10,000m**: A long-distance track event covering **10,000** metres, equivalent to **25** laps of a standard **400**-metre outdoor track.
- **Relay Leg**: The portion of a relay race completed by an individual team member before the next runner continues the race.



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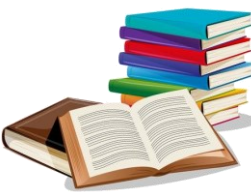
Parameter	Details
Athletics medals	India secured two medals in athletics on September 24, 2026.
Mixed relay medal	India won silver in the mixed 4x400m relay with a time of 3:14.46.
Indian relay team	Manu TS, M.R. Poovamma, Vishal TK and Vithya Ramraj represented India.
Relay gold medallist	Bahrain won gold with a Games record of 3:12.87.
10,000m bronze	Seema Kumari won bronze in the women's 10,000m with a time of 32:50.05.
10,000m gold medallist	Bahrain's Winfred Yavi won gold in 32:39.18.
Historic significance	Seema's bronze ended India's 16-year medal drought in the women's 10,000m at the Asian Games.
Previous Indian medallists	Preeja Sreedharan won gold and Kavita Raut won silver in the women's 10,000m at the 2010 Asian Games.



➤ **Veteran actor Mushtaq Khan, who passed away at the age of 75, was primarily associated with which film industry?**

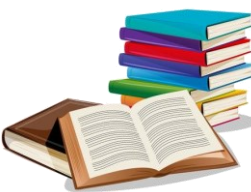
- A) Bengali cinema
- B) Tamil cinema
- C) Hindi cinema
- D) Marathi cinema
- E) Telugu cinema

Answer
C) Hindi cinema.



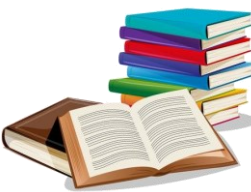
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Veteran actor **Mushtaq Khan**, known for supporting and character roles in more than **500** films over a career spanning around five decades, passed away at the age of **75** after battling cancer.
- **Location:** **Mushtaq Khan** passed away at **Nanavati Hospital in Mumbai**.



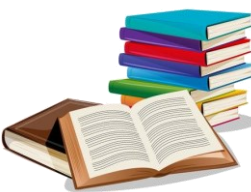
Event and Location:

- **Date:** His death was reported on September **25, 2026**.



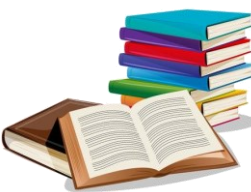
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Mushtaq Khan built a long career as a supporting and character actor in Hindi cinema, appearing in films including Aashiqui, Sadak, Gadar, **Welcome and Gadar 2**.
- **Objectives:** His body of work reflected the contribution of supporting and character actors to Hindi cinema through hundreds of performances across approximately five decades.



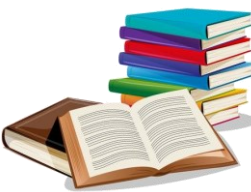
Important Terms Explained:

- **Character Actor:** An actor who primarily portrays distinctive supporting characters rather than playing the principal lead role in a film.



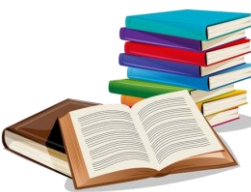
Important Terms Explained:

- **Supporting Role:** A performance that contributes significantly to the storyline and complements the principal characters without serving as the main lead.



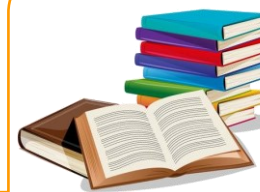
Important Terms Explained:

- **Hindi Cinema:** The Hindi-language film industry in which **Mushtaq Khan** worked extensively during his career of around five decades.



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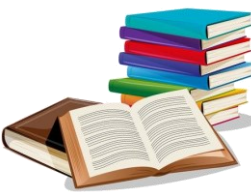
Parameter	Details
Person	Mushtaq Khan.
Profession	Actor known mainly for supporting and character roles.
Age at death	75 years.
Place of death	Nanavati Hospital, Mumbai.
Cause of death	Cancer.
Career span	Around five decades in Hindi cinema.
Film appearances	He acted in more than 500 films.
Notable films	Aashiqui, Dil Hai Ki Manta Nahin, Sadak, Gadar, Welcome and Gadar 2.



► What is India's rank in the Travel & Tourism Development Index (TTDI) 2026 released by the World Economic Forum?

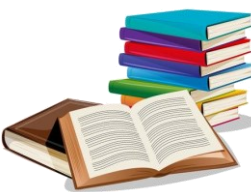
- A) 29th
- B) 31st
- C) 35th
- D) 39th
- E) 41st

Answer
B) 31st.



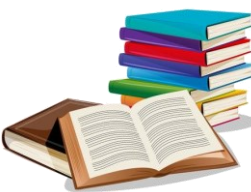
Event and Location:

- **Event:** India ranked **31st** in the **World Economic Forum's Travel & Tourism Development Index 2026**, while Japan secured the top position among **110** economies.
- **Location:** The index covers **110** economies worldwide, with India representing **South Asia** in the global assessment.



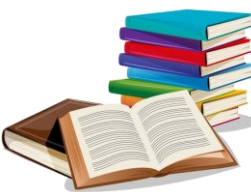
Event and Location:

- **Date:** The **TTDI 2026** findings were reported on September **25, 2026**.



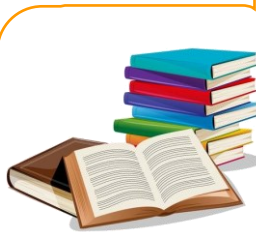
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** The World Economic Forum, in partnership with **Zurich Insurance Group**, assesses economies on the conditions and policies that enable sustainable and resilient development of the travel and tourism sector.



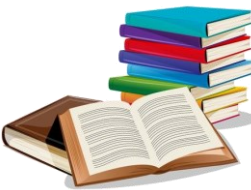
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The index aims to benchmark tourism-enabling conditions across economies by evaluating factors such as infrastructure, connectivity, safety, health, natural and cultural resources, **ICT** readiness, openness, sustainability and resilience rather than merely measuring tourist arrivals or tourism revenue.



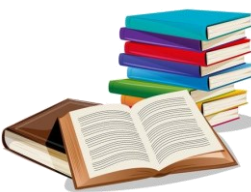
Ranking Table:

Rank	Economy / Remarks
1	Economy: Japan Remarks: Improved by two positions compared with the 2024 edition.
2	Economy: United States Remarks: Ranked second globally.
3	Economy: Spain Remarks: Ranked third globally.
4	Economy: Australia Remarks: Ranked fourth globally.
5	Economy: France Remarks: Ranked fifth globally.
6	Economy: Germany Remarks: Ranked sixth globally.
7	Economy: United Kingdom Remarks: Ranked seventh globally.
8	Economy: China Remarks: Ranked eighth and was the only non-advanced economy among the top 10.
9	Economy: Switzerland Remarks: Ranked ninth globally.
10	Economy: Italy Remarks: Ranked tenth globally.



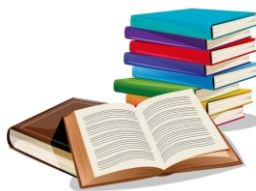
Important Terms Explained:

- **World Economic Forum (WEF):** The organisation that produces the **TTDI** as a benchmarking tool for assessing conditions and policies supporting sustainable and resilient travel and tourism development.



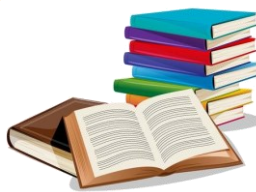
Important Terms Explained:

- **Travel & Tourism Competitiveness Index (TTCI):** The earlier **WEF** tourism benchmarking framework that was succeeded by the **TTDI** framework introduced in **2022**.



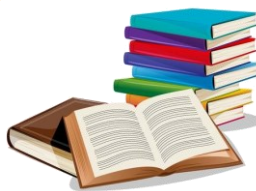
Important Terms Explained:

- **Natural Resources:** Tourism-related natural assets such as landscapes, protected areas and biodiversity that contribute to an economy's attractiveness and tourism potential.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Cultural Resources:** Cultural assets such as heritage sites and other cultural attractions that contribute to tourism development and destination appeal.



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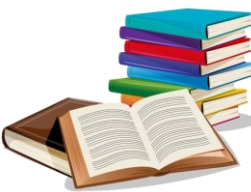
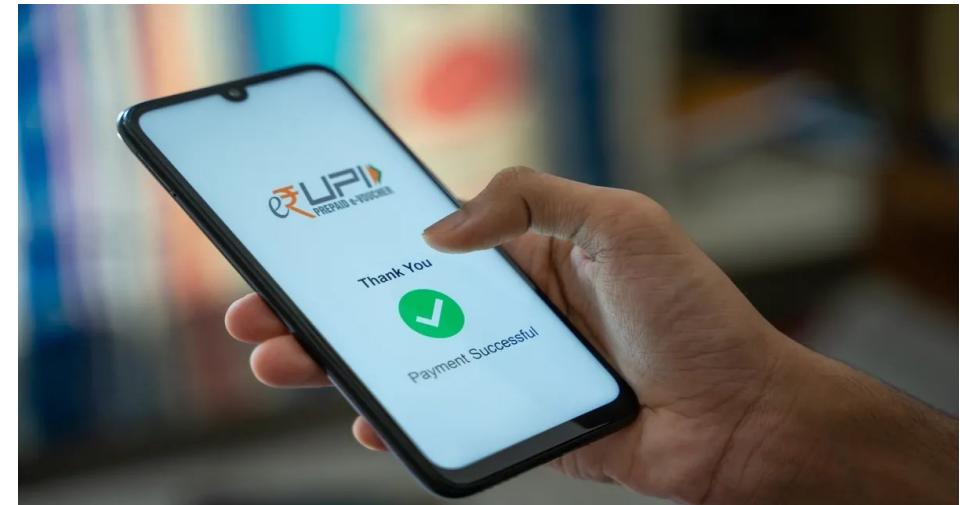
Parameter	Details
Index	Travel & Tourism Development Index 2026.
India's rank	India ranked 31st among 110 economies.
Top-ranked economy	Japan secured first position, followed by the United States and Spain.
India's previous position	India ranked 39th among 119 economies in the 2024 edition with an index value of 4.25.
Index partnership	WEF produces the index in partnership with Zurich Insurance Group.
Assessment framework	The 2026 edition evaluates economies across 17 pillars covering tourism-development conditions.
Global improvement	Nearly 92% of the 110 economies improved their TTDI scores from 2024 to 2026, while the average score increased by 2.1%.
India's resource strengths	Based on TTDI 2024 findings cited by NITI Aayog, India ranked 6th for Natural Resources and 9th for Cultural Resources.



- What MDR rate will apply to eligible person-to-merchant (P2M) UPI transactions above ₹2,000 from October 15, 2026?

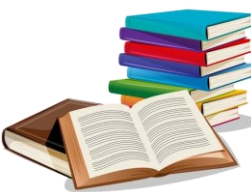
- A) 0.2%
- B) 0.3%
- C) 0.4%
- D) 0.5%
- E) 0.6%

Answer
C) 0.4%.



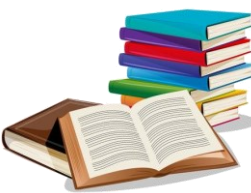
Event and Location:

- **Event:** A merchant discount rate will apply to specified P2M **UPI** transactions above **₹2,000**, while customers and eligible small vendors will continue to remain exempt from the charge.
- **Location:** The **UPI MDR** framework applies to eligible merchant transactions in India.



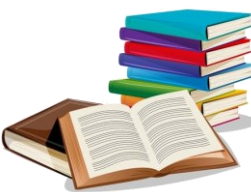
Event and Location:

- **Date:** The **MDR** provisions are set to take effect from October **15, 2026**.



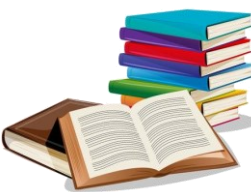
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** Eligible P2M merchants will be charged an **MDR** of **0.4%** on **UPI** transactions above **₹2,000**, subject to a maximum charge of **₹300** for transactions of **₹75,000** or above, while customers will not directly pay the **MDR**.



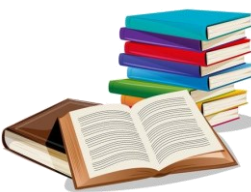
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The framework differentiates between larger P2M merchants and eligible small vendors while keeping customer payments, person-to-person transfers and specified **UPI** AutoPay transactions free from the prescribed **MDR**.



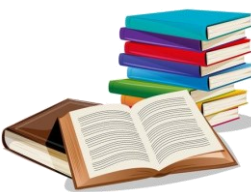
Important Terms Explained:

- **Merchant Discount Rate (MDR):** A fee charged to a merchant for processing a digital payment, with the applicable **UPI P2M** rate stated as **0.4%** for eligible transactions above **₹2,000**.



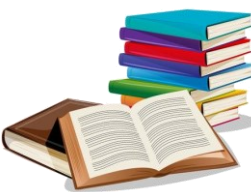
Important Terms Explained:

- Person-to-Merchant (P2M): A **UPI** payment category involving payments from individuals to merchants, under which eligible merchants may attract the prescribed **MDR**.



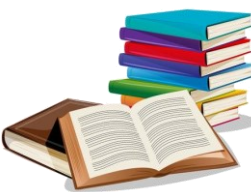
Important Terms Explained:

- Person-to-Person-Merchant (P2PM): A category covering eligible small or micro merchants receiving up to **₹1 lakh** per month through **UPI** QR payments, who remain exempt from the stated **MDR**.



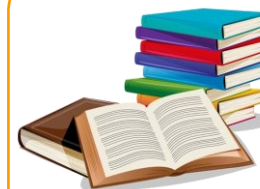
Important Terms Explained:

- **UPI AutoPay:** A **UPI** facility for recurring payments such as subscriptions, systematic investment plans and utility bills, which will not attract the prescribed **MDR** under the stated framework.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Effective date	The stated UPI MDR framework will apply from October 15, 2026.
Applicable transactions	Eligible P2M UPI transactions exceeding ₹2,000.
MDR rate	The applicable rate is 0.4% of the transaction value.
Maximum MDR	The charge is capped at ₹300 for transactions of ₹75,000 or above.
Customer charge	Customers will not directly pay any MDR.
Small-vendor exemption	P2PM merchants receiving up to ₹1 lakh per month through UPI remain exempt.
Other exemptions	Person-to-person transfers and specified UPI AutoPay transactions will not attract the prescribed MDR.
Designated categories	Certain merchant categories may attract a flat ₹5 MDR per transaction above ₹2,000.



➤ What is the main demand behind the United Forum of Bank Unions (UFBU) three-day nationwide bank strike scheduled from September 28 to 30, 2026?

- A) Increase in retirement age
- B) Five-day banking week
- C) Privatisation of public sector banks
- D) Reduction in working hours
- E) Merger of Regional Rural Banks

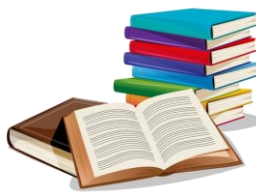
Answer

B) Five-day banking week.



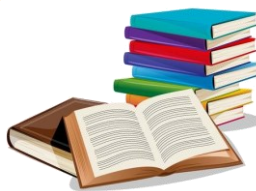
Event and Location:

- **Event: UFBU** has called a three-day nationwide bank strike from September **28 to 30, 2026**, primarily demanding implementation of a five-day banking week with all Saturdays declared holidays.



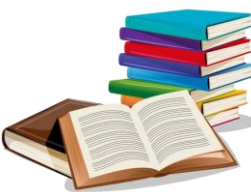
Event and Location:

- **Location:** The proposed strike is nationwide and is expected to particularly affect physical branch operations of participating public sector banks.
- **Date:** The three-day strike is scheduled from September **28 to 30, 2026**, while an indefinite strike has been announced from October **26, 2026**, if the demands remain unresolved.



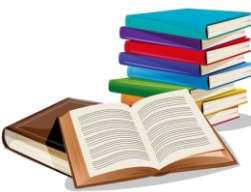
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** UFBU has called the strike following unsuccessful conciliation proceedings involving the **Ministry of Labour, Department of Financial Services, Indian Banks'** Association and bank unions, with demands covering a five-day banking week, performance-linked incentives, staffing, pensions and employee welfare.



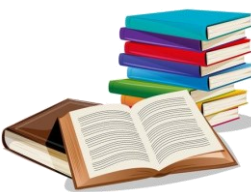
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The unions seek declaration of all Saturdays as bank holidays, resolution of disputes concerning performance-linked incentives and settlement of pending demands related to recruitment, pension benefits, gratuity, medical insurance and employee welfare.



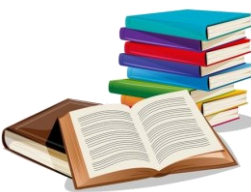
Important Terms Explained:

- **Five-Day Banking Week:** A proposed working arrangement under which bank branches would operate from **Monday to Friday** and all Saturdays would become holidays, instead of only the second and fourth Saturdays being holidays.



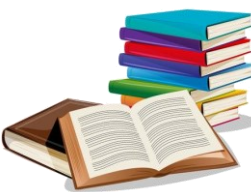
Important Terms Explained:

- **Indian Banks' Association (IBA):** An association representing banks and banking institutions that participates in industry-level discussions and wage settlements with bank employees' and officers' unions.



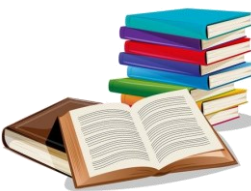
Important Terms Explained:

- Performance-**Linked Incentive (PLI)**: An incentive mechanism introduced as part of the **2020** wage settlement that links incentive payments to the performance of individual banks.



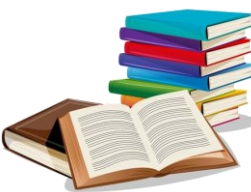
Important Terms Explained:

- **Department of Financial Services (DFS):** A department involved in policy and administrative matters concerning banking, financial institutions, insurance and related financial-sector issues.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Conciliation Proceedings:** A dispute-resolution process in which the parties attempt to settle an industrial dispute through discussions and negotiations before further industrial action.



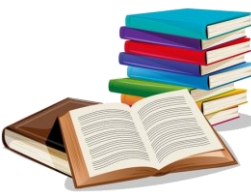
Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Strike organisation	UFBU, a collective platform of seven participating bank employees' and officers' unions.
Three-day strike	September 28 to 30, 2026.
Indefinite strike	Announced from October 26, 2026, if the unions' demands remain unresolved.
Main demand	Implementation of a five-day banking week by declaring all Saturdays as holidays.
September 27 arrangement	Public sector banks, including Regional Rural Banks, are to remain open on the Sunday preceding the strike.
Other major issues	PLI, staffing, pensions, gratuity, recruitment, Leave Bank and medical insurance for retired employees.
Likely affected services	Branch-based cash deposits, withdrawals, cheque transactions and other account-related services may face disruption.
Digital services	UPI, internet banking, mobile banking and ATMs are expected to continue functioning under regular circumstances.

► What was India's highest-ever annual Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) inflow recorded in FY 2025-26?

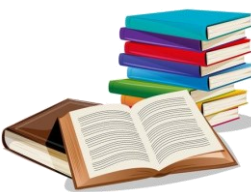
- A) USD 81.00 billion
- B) USD 84.30 billion
- C) USD 90.45 billion
- D) USD 94.53 billion
- E) USD 98.40 billion

Answer
D) USD 94.53 billion.



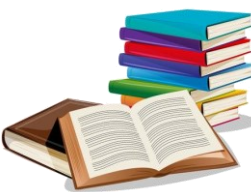
Event and Location:

- **Event:** India recorded its highest-ever annual **FDI** inflow of **USD 94.53 billion** in FY **2025-26**, while cumulative **FDI** from FY **2014-15** to FY **2025-26** reached **USD 843 billion**.
- **Location:** The **FDI** figures relate to India and were announced in connection with the completion of **12** years of the **Make in India** campaign.



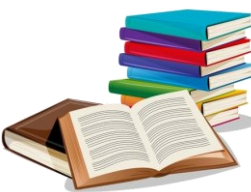
Event and Location:

- **Date:** Union Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal announced the figures on September 25, 2026.



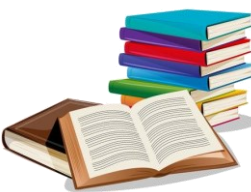
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** The government highlighted record **FDI** inflows and the performance of manufacturing-focused initiatives such as **Production Linked Incentive** schemes, **Make in India**, the **National Single Window System**, PM GatiShakti and the **National Industrial Corridor Development Programme**.



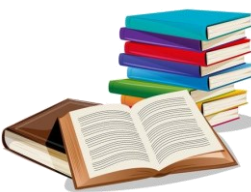
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** These initiatives aim to attract investment, strengthen domestic manufacturing, promote innovation, simplify business regulations, expand industrial infrastructure, increase exports and generate employment.



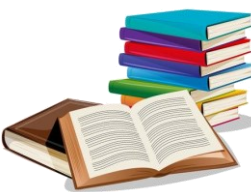
Important Terms Explained:

- **Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme:** A manufacturing-focused incentive framework designed to encourage investment and production across selected sectors, with the schemes recording Rs **2.40 lakh** crore in actual investment, Rs **23.8 lakh** crore in production and sales, and Rs **15.2 lakh** crore in exports.



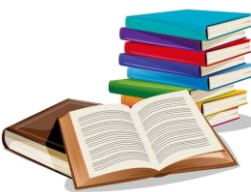
Important Terms Explained:

- **Make in India:** An initiative launched on September 25, 2014, to strengthen manufacturing, investment and innovation in India.



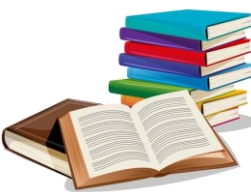
Important Terms Explained:

- **National Industrial Corridor Development Programme (NICDP):** A programme aimed at developing industrial corridors and new greenfield industrial smart cities with infrastructure to support industries and investments.



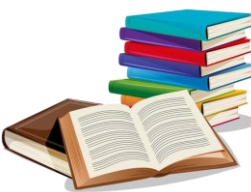
Important Terms Explained:

- **Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC):** A digital-commerce network through which more than **470 crore** orders were reported to have been placed.



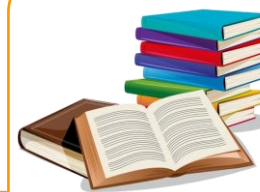
Important Terms Explained:

- **Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT):** The department under the **Ministry of Commerce and Industry** responsible for **FDI** policy in India.



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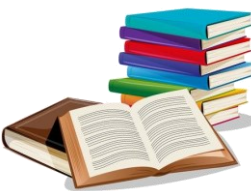
Parameter	Details
Annual FDI in FY26	India recorded USD 94.53 billion, its highest-ever annual FDI inflow.
Cumulative FDI	FDI from FY 2014-15 to FY 2025-26 totalled USD 843 billion.
Previous-year FDI	Gross FDI inflow in FY 2024-25 stood at USD 81.0 billion.
PLI investment	Actual investment under PLI schemes reached Rs 2.40 lakh crore.
PLI production and sales	Production and sales under PLI schemes reached Rs 23.8 lakh crore.
PLI exports	Exports under PLI schemes reached Rs 15.2 lakh crore.
PLI employment	More than 14.6 lakh direct and indirect employment opportunities were generated.
Make in India milestone	The campaign completed 12 years after being launched on September 25, 2014.



➤ Which Indian climate scientist received the Pavel S. Molchanov Climate Communications Prize as part of the American Geophysical Union's 2026 honours?

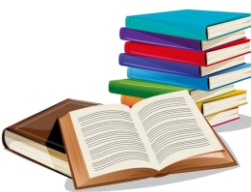
- A) Neelima Satyam
- B) Abdul Qadir
- C) Roxy Mathew Koll
- D) Faisal Hossain
- E) Devendra Lal

Answer
C) Roxy Mathew Koll.



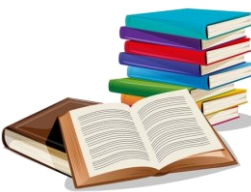
Event and Location:

- **Event:** Indian scientists **Roxy Mathew Koll** and **Neelima Satyam** were selected for **American Geophysical Union 2026** honours for their contributions to climate science, Earth sciences and disaster resilience.



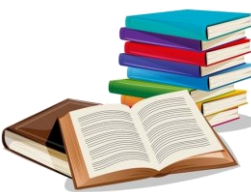
Event and Location:

- **Location:** **Roxy Mathew Koll** is associated with **IITM** Pune, while **Neelima Satyam** is a professor at **IIT** Indore, and the **AGU Annual Meeting** is scheduled to be held in **San Francisco**.
- **Date:** The honours were reported on September **25, 2026**, with the awards scheduled to be presented at the **AGU Annual Meeting in December 2026**.



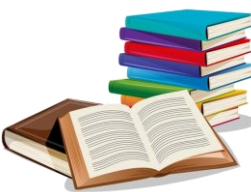
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** The **American Geophysical Union** selected **Roxy Mathew Koll** for the **Pavel S. Molchanov Climate Communications Prize** and **Neelima Satyam** for the **Devendra Lal Memorial Medal** as part of its **2026** awards.



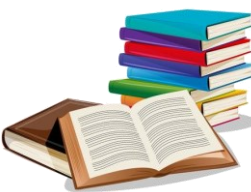
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The honours recognise significant contributions to climate communication, climate-change research, Earth and space sciences, geohazard mitigation and resilient infrastructure.



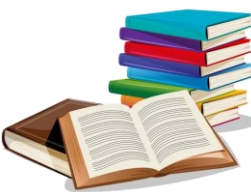
Important Terms Explained:

- **American Geophysical Union (AGU):** An international scientific organisation specialising in Earth and space sciences, including climate science, geophysics, atmospheric science, oceanography, natural hazards and planetary science.



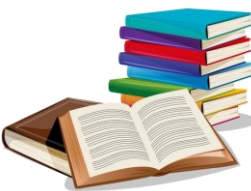
Important Terms Explained:

- **Devendra Lal Memorial Medal:** An **AGU** honour conferred on a young or mid-career scientist for exceptional contributions to Earth and/or space sciences.



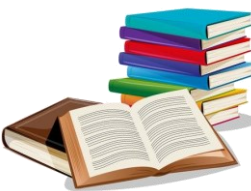
Important Terms Explained:

- **Marine Heat Waves:** Periods of unusually high ocean temperatures that persist for an extended duration and can affect marine ecosystems, weather patterns and coastal communities.



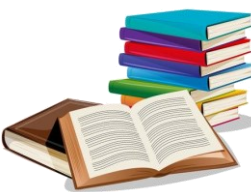
Important Terms Explained:

- **Geohazard Mitigation:** Measures used to assess, reduce and manage risks arising from geological hazards such as earthquakes, landslides, rockfalls and slope instability.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Resilient Infrastructure:** Infrastructure designed to withstand, adapt to and recover from hazards and disruptive events while maintaining essential functions.



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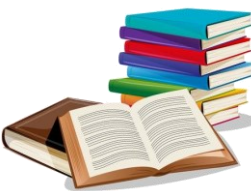
Parameter	Details
Main awardees	Roxy Mathew Koll and Neelima Satyam were among the AGU 2026 awardees.
Roxy Mathew Koll's institution	Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, Pune.
Roxy Mathew Koll's honour	Pavel S. Molchanov Climate Communications Prize.
Neelima Satyam's institution	IIT Indore.
Neelima Satyam's honour	Devendra Lal Memorial Medal.
Koll's award benefits	USD 25,000, an engraved plaque and an official citation.
Other India-origin scientists honoured	Abdul Qadir received the Science for Solutions Award, while Faisal Hossain received the Ambassador Award.
AGU 2026 awards	AGU announced 43 awards for 2026, scheduled to be presented at its Annual Meeting in San Francisco in December 2026.

➤ Which two Netherlands-based organisations signed Tripartite MoUs with Indian authorities for technical cooperation on the Kalpasar Project?

- A) Deltares and TU Delft
- B) Rijkswaterstaat and Deltares
- C) TU Delft and UNESCO-IHE
- D) Deltares and Wageningen University
- E) Rijkswaterstaat and TU Eindhoven

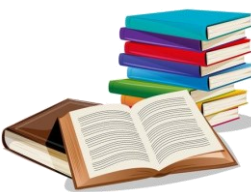
Answer

A) Deltares and TU Delft.



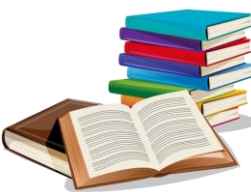
Event and Location:

- **Event:** India and the Netherlands signed two Tripartite MoUs involving the **Central Water Commission**, Gujarat's **Kalpasar Department**, Deltares and TU Delft to strengthen technical cooperation for the **Kalpasar Project**. Pasted markdown



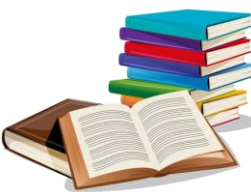
Event and Location:

- **Location:** The cooperation concerns the **Kalpasar Project** in the **Gulf of Khambhat**, Gujarat, while the related India-Netherlands water-management conference was held at **Bharat Mandapam**. Pasted markdown
- **Date:** The development was reported on September **25, 2026**.



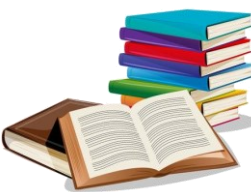
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** The MoUs provide for technical cooperation in planning, designing and implementing the **Kalpasar Project**, with expertise covering hydraulic and hydrological modelling, coastal and structural engineering, climate-resilient infrastructure, water management, salinity management, ecological factors, digital applications, capacity building and technology transfer.



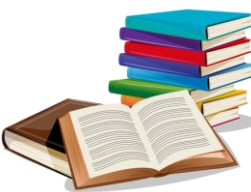
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The cooperation aims to strengthen the project's **Detailed Project Report** through Dutch expertise, support the creation of a major freshwater reservoir in the **Gulf of Khambhat** and improve freshwater availability, particularly for the Saurashtra region.



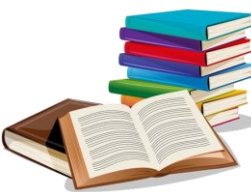
Important Terms Explained:

- **Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding (MoU):** An MoU involving three parties or groups of parties that records agreed areas of cooperation and their intended roles.



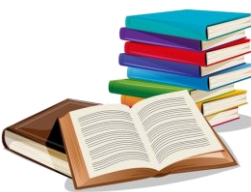
Important Terms Explained:

- **Hydraulic and Hydrological Modelling:** Technical modelling used to study water flow, river discharge, water levels, runoff and other water-system behaviour for planning and designing water infrastructure.



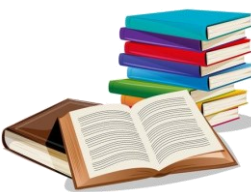
Important Terms Explained:

- **Climate-Resilient Infrastructure:** Infrastructure planned and designed to withstand or adapt to climate-related risks and changing environmental conditions.



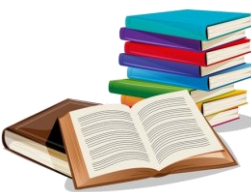
Important Terms Explained:

- **Salinity Management:** Measures used to monitor and control salt concentrations and seawater intrusion, particularly in coastal water-resource systems.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Detailed Project Report (DPR):** A comprehensive project-planning document containing technical designs, feasibility details, implementation requirements and other key project specifications.



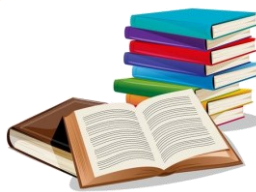
Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Event name	India-Netherlands technical cooperation for the Kalpasar Project through two Tripartite MoUs.
Project location	Gulf of Khambhat, Gujarat.
Indian participants	Central Water Commission and Kalpasar Department of the Government of Gujarat.
Dutch participants	Deltares and TU Delft.
Main technical areas	Hydraulic and hydrological modelling, coastal engineering, climate resilience, salinity management and water management.
Project objective	To create a major freshwater reservoir and increase freshwater availability, especially in the Saurashtra region.
Infrastructure features	Existing plans include a highway, rail corridor and 2,470 MW of hybrid renewable-energy generation on reclaimed land.
Cooperation background	The cooperation builds on a Letter of Intent for technical cooperation linked to Prime Minister Narendra Modi's Netherlands visit in May 2026.

► How many sectors are covered under Make in India 2.0?

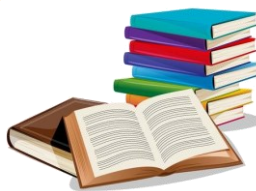
- A) 20
- B) 22
- C) 25
- D) 27
- E) 30

Answer
D) 27.



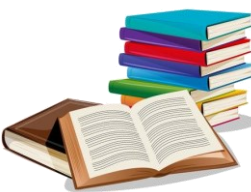
Event and Location:

- **Event: Make in India** completed **12** years, highlighting expansion in domestic manufacturing across electronics, automobiles, pharmaceuticals, steel, defence, railways, capital goods and strategic technologies alongside new manufacturing initiatives.
- **Location:** The initiative covers manufacturing and investment development across India.



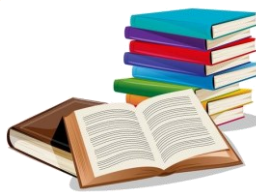
Event and Location:

- **Date: Make in India** completed **12** years on September **25, 2026**, after being launched on September **25, 2014**.



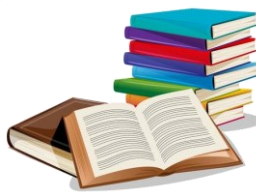
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** **Make in India** has expanded into **Make in India 2.0** covering **27** sectors, comprising **15** manufacturing and **12** service sectors, supported by investment facilitation, industrial infrastructure, production incentives and initiatives for semiconductors, rare-earth magnets and industrial parks.



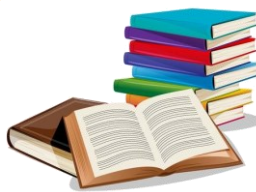
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The initiative aims to strengthen domestic manufacturing capacity, attract investment, encourage innovation, develop world-class infrastructure, deepen domestic value addition and build capabilities in components, machinery and strategic technologies.



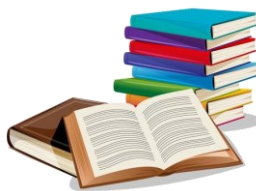
Important Terms Explained:

- **Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme:** A manufacturing incentive framework covering **14** sectors in which incentives are linked to incremental production and sales, with investments of **₹2.40 lakh** crore reported as of June **2026**.



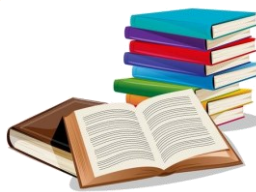
Important Terms Explained:

- **National Single Window System (NSWS):** An online platform that enables businesses to seek government approvals and clearances, with more than **5.69 lakh** businesses onboarded by September **2026**.



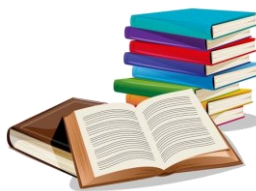
Important Terms Explained:

- **PM GatiShakti National Master Plan:** An infrastructure-planning framework launched in October **2021** that uses geospatial data, satellite imagery and **API**-based integration for coordinated infrastructure development.



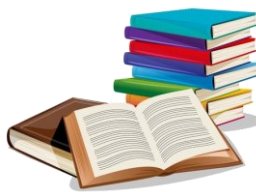
Important Terms Explained:

- **India Industrial Land Bank (IILB):** A **GIS**-based platform providing information on industrial land and parks, with **4,220** industrial parks covering around **6.98 lakh** hectares mapped by May **2026**.



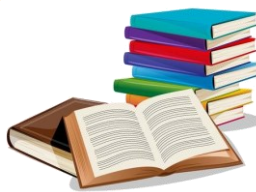
Important Terms Explained:

- **Semicon 2.0:** A **₹1,27,500 crore** initiative aimed at strengthening India's semiconductor ecosystem and supporting deeper domestic manufacturing capabilities.



Important Terms Explained:

- **BHAVYA:** A **₹33,660 crore** manufacturing initiative focused on developing **100** ready-to-invest industrial parks.



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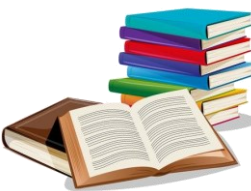
Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Launch date	Make in India was launched on September 25, 2014.
Make in India 2.0	The expanded framework covers 27 sectors, comprising 15 manufacturing and 12 service sectors.
Manufacturing growth	Manufacturing gross value added at constant prices recorded a CAGR of 10.88% between 2022-23 and 2025-26.
Defence production	Indigenous defence production increased from ₹46,429 crore in 2014-15 to ₹1.78 lakh crore in FY 2025-26.
Steel production	Crude steel production increased from 81.7 million tonnes in 2014-15 to 170.0 million tonnes in 2025-26.
Capital goods	Production across listed capital-goods and heavy-engineering subsectors increased from ₹2,87,233 crore in 2019-20 to ₹5,69,900 crore in 2024-25.
PLI achievements	By June 2026, PLI schemes had generated ₹2.40 lakh crore investment, over ₹22.66 lakh crore production and sales, over ₹15.20 lakh crore exports and more than 14 lakh jobs.
New initiatives	Major initiatives include Semicon 2.0, BHAVYA, BHAVYA Rasayan, the Sintered Rare Earth Permanent Magnets Scheme and the Mobile Phone Manufacturing Scheme.

- Which concept associated with Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya focuses on the upliftment and welfare of the last person in society?

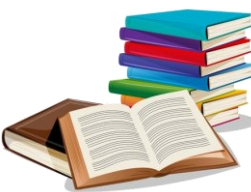
- A) Sarvodaya
- B) Antyodaya
- C) Swadeshi
- D) Satyagraha
- E) Gram Swaraj

Answer
B) Antyodaya.



Event and Location:

- **Event:** Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya's 110th birth anniversary was observed along with **Antyodaya Diwas**, highlighting his ideas of **Antyodaya and Integral Humanism**.
- **Location:** The observance takes place across India, while **Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya** was born in **Nagla Chandrabhan, Uttar Pradesh**.

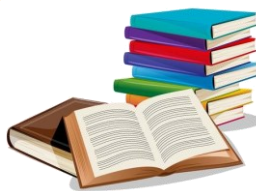


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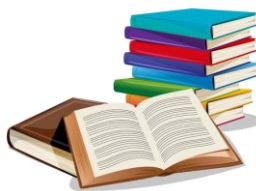
Event and Location:

- **Date:** His **110th** birth anniversary and **Antyodaya Diwas** were observed on September **25, 2026**.



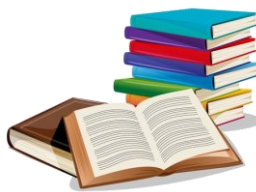
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** September **25** is observed as **Antyodaya Diwas** to commemorate **Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya**'s birth anniversary and highlight the principle of extending development and welfare to disadvantaged sections of society.



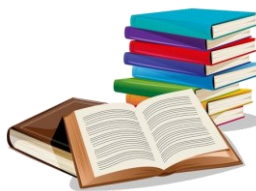
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The observance aims to promote the concept of uplifting the last person in society and highlight ideas related to inclusive development, livelihood opportunities, individual dignity and social welfare.



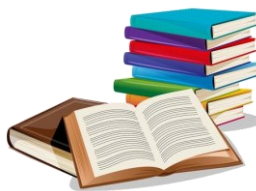
Important Terms Explained:

- **Antyodaya:** A concept referring to the upliftment of the last person in society, with emphasis on disadvantaged groups, inclusive development, reduction of deprivation and individual dignity.



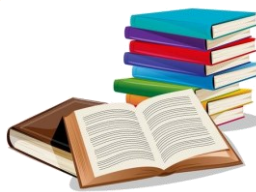
Important Terms Explained:

- **Integral Humanism:** Also known as **Ekatma Manav Darshan**, it is a philosophical paradigm associated with **Deendayal Upadhyaya** that considers human beings as an integrated whole and examines the relationship between the individual, society, nature and social organisation.



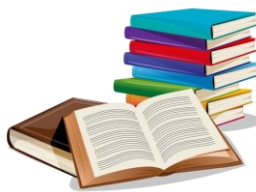
Important Terms Explained:

- **Antyodaya Diwas:** An annual observance on September **25** associated with **Deendayal Upadhyaya**'s birth anniversary and the concept of extending development and welfare to the last person in society.



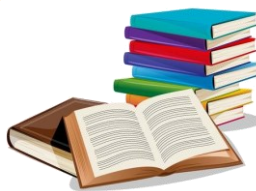
Important Terms Explained:

- **Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY):** A rural skill-development scheme under the **Ministry of Rural Development** aimed at developing employment-oriented skills among poor rural youth.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Deen Dayal Antyodaya Yojana (DAY):** A programme associated with improving livelihood opportunities for poor rural and urban populations through measures including skill development and self-employment.



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Tabular Summary:

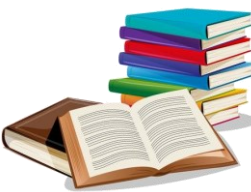
Parameter	Details
Birth anniversary	The 110th birth anniversary of Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya was observed in 2026.
Date of birth	He was born on September 25, 1916.
Place of birth	Nagla Chandrabhan, Uttar Pradesh.
Related observance	September 25 is observed as Antyodaya Diwas.
Key philosophies	Antyodaya and Integral Humanism are prominently associated with him.
Political association	He was associated with the RSS and became an organisational and ideological leader of the Bharatiya Jana Sangh.
Political position	He served as General Secretary of the Bharatiya Jana Sangh and became its President in 1967.
Death	He died on February 11, 1968, and was found near Mughalsarai railway station in Uttar Pradesh.



► Under which Article of the Constitution is the Chief Election Commissioner (CEC) protected from removal except in the same manner and on the same grounds as a Supreme Court judge?

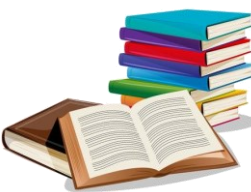
- A) Article 124(2)
- B) Article 324(5)
- C) Article 326
- D) Article 356
- E) Article 368

Answer
B) Article 324(5).



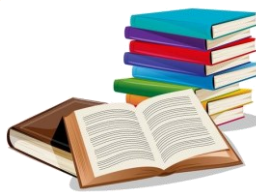
Event and Location:

- **Event: The Opposition** plans to move a fresh parliamentary motion seeking the removal of **CEC Gyanesh Kumar**, bringing the constitutional and parliamentary procedure for removal into focus.
- **Location:** The proposed motion concerns both Houses of the **Parliament of India**.



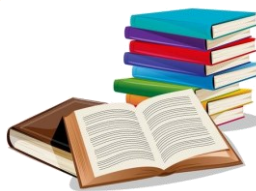
Event and Location:

- **Date:** The development was reported on September 25, 2026.



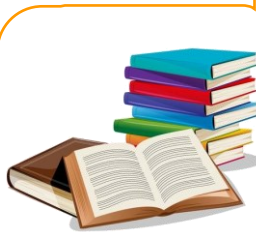
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** The proposed motion would have to follow the constitutional procedure applicable to removal of the **CEC**, including the required notice, admission, inquiry, approval by both Houses with the prescribed special majority and a subsequent removal order by the President.



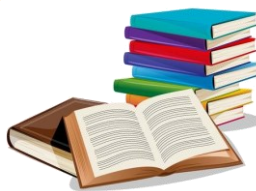
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The proposed parliamentary process seeks to examine allegations against the **CEC** under the constitutionally recognised grounds of proved misbehaviour or incapacity before any removal can take place.



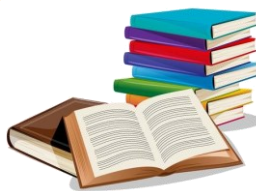
Important Terms Explained:

- **Election Commission of India (ECI):** A constitutional body deriving its status from Article **324** and comprising the **Chief Election Commissioner** and two **Election Commissioners**.



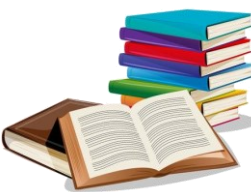
Important Terms Explained:

- Article **324(5)**: The constitutional provision stating that the **CEC** cannot be removed from office except in the same manner and on the same grounds as a judge of the **Supreme Court**.



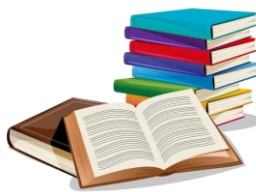
Important Terms Explained:

- **Proved Misbehaviour or Incapacity:** The grounds specified under Article **124(4)** for removal of a **Supreme Court** judge and consequently applicable to the removal of the **CEC**.



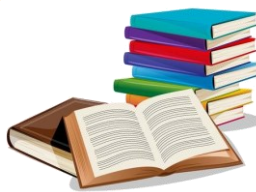
Important Terms Explained:

- **Special Intensive Revision (SIR):** A revision process concerning electoral rolls that was among the issues referred to in the reported complaints surrounding the proposed removal motion.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Special Majority:** For the removal process described, each House must approve the motion by a majority of its total membership and by at least two-thirds of the members present and voting.



Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Proposed action	The Opposition plans to move a fresh motion seeking the removal of CEC Gyanesh Kumar.
Constitutional provision	Article 324(5) provides protection regarding the removal of the CEC.
Grounds for removal	Proved misbehaviour or incapacity, corresponding to Article 124(4).
Notice requirement	At least 100 Lok Sabha members or 50 Rajya Sabha members must support the notice.
Parliamentary majority	Each House requires a majority of its total membership and at least two-thirds of members present and voting.
Final authority	The President orders removal after both Houses pass the required address.
Previous 2026 attempt	Removal notices were submitted in both Houses on March 12, 2026, and subsequently rejected by the respective presiding officers in April.
Historical position	No Chief Election Commissioner has been removed through this constitutional process.



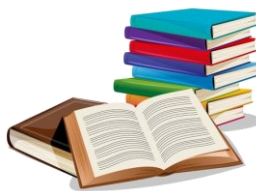
► Under the proposed Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Restrictions on Sales) Amendment Regulations, 2026, which products would be prohibited from using the word “paneer” in their name and labelling?

- A) Organic dairy products
- B) Lactose-free milk products
- C) Analogue in Dairy Context products
- D) Fortified dairy products
- E) Fermented milk products



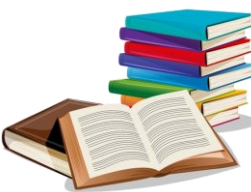
Answer

C) Analogue in Dairy Context products.



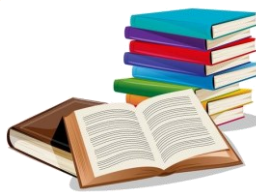
Event and Location:

- **Event:** **FSSAI** has proposed restricting products licensed or registered as “**Analogue in Dairy Context**” from using the word “paneer” in their name and labelling.
- **Location:** The proposed food-safety regulation applies across India.



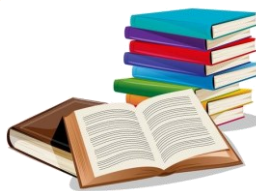
Event and Location:

- **Date:** The draft amendment was published on September **24, 2026**, with a **60**-day period invited for objections and suggestions from stakeholders.



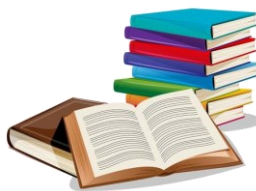
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Mandates:** The draft proposes that products categorised as dairy analogues and made using non-milk ingredients should not be manufactured or marketed using the name “paneer”, subject to completion of the regulatory consultation process.



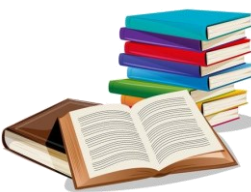
Mandates and Objectives:

- **Objectives:** The proposal aims to ensure accurate product nomenclature and labelling and prevent consumers from being misled about the nature, composition and ingredients of products marketed as paneer.



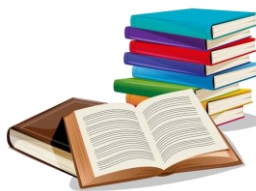
Important Terms Explained:

- **Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI):** India's statutory food regulator functioning under the **Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006**, with responsibilities including developing food standards, regulating food businesses and enforcing food-safety requirements.



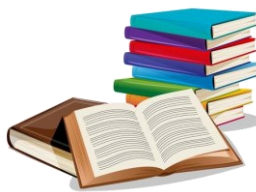
Important Terms Explained:

- **Dairy Analogue:** A product formulated to resemble or perform like a milk-based product in which one or more milk constituents are replaced with non-milk ingredients.



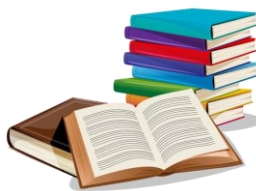
Important Terms Explained:

- **Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Restrictions on Sales) Regulations, 2011:** The regulatory framework that the proposed **2026** draft seeks to amend to introduce a more specific restriction concerning dairy analogue products marketed as paneer.



Important Terms Explained:

- **Draft Regulation:** A proposed regulatory provision released for stakeholder consultation before finalisation and implementation, meaning the September **2026** proposal itself is not yet a final prohibition.



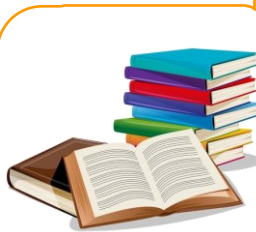
Tabular Summary:

Parameter	Details
Proposing authority	Food Safety and Standards Authority of India.
Draft regulation	Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Restrictions on Sales) Amendment Regulations, 2026.
Publication date	September 24, 2026.
Proposed restriction	Products categorised as “Analogue in Dairy Context” would be prohibited from using “paneer” in their name and labelling.
Consultation period	Stakeholders have been invited to submit objections and suggestions within 60 days.
Primary objective	To prevent consumers from being misled about the nature and composition of products sold as paneer.
Earlier intervention	FSSAI’s West Region issued a public notice concerning cheese analogues and food-safety compliance in April 2026.
Legal framework	FSSAI functions under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006.

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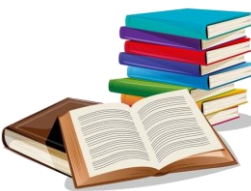
- **World Lung Day 2026 was observed globally on September 25 under the FIRS-led theme “A Lifetime of Lung Health” to promote respiratory health throughout every stage of life.**
- **India won six medals on Day 6 of the Asian Games 2026 in Aichi-Nagoya, including one gold, two silver and three bronze medals, raising its overall tally to 23 medals.**
- **BCCI signed Muthoot FinCorp as its title sponsor in a deal worth up to Rs 150 crore for international matches organised by the board through March 2028.**
- **Suruchi Inder Singh and Kamaljeet won India’s first shooting gold at the Asian Games 2026 by scoring an Asian record 484.6 points in the 10m air pistol mixed team final.**
- **India secured two athletics medals at the Asian Games 2026 on September 24, with its mixed 4x400m relay team winning silver and Seema Kumari claiming women’s 10,000m bronze.**
- **Veteran Hindi cinema actor Mushtaq Khan died at 75 after battling cancer, leaving behind a career of around five decades and more than 500 film appearances.**



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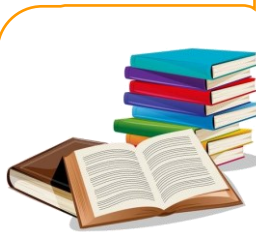
- India rose to 31st position in the WEF Travel & Tourism Development Index 2026, while Japan topped the assessment of 110 economies measuring conditions for sustainable and resilient tourism development.
- UFBU has called a nationwide bank strike from September 28 to 30, 2026, mainly seeking a five-day banking week, with an indefinite strike planned from October 26 if its demands remain unresolved.
- From October 15, 2026, eligible P2M UPI transactions above ₹2,000 will attract a 0.4% MDR payable by merchants, while customers and eligible small vendors will remain exempt.
- India recorded its highest-ever annual FDI inflow of USD 94.53 billion in FY 2025-26, with cumulative FDI since FY 2014-15 reaching USD 843 billion as Make in India completed 12 years.
- Roxy Mathew Koll and Neelima Satyam were named among AGU's 2026 awardees for contributions spanning climate communication, Earth sciences, geohazards and disaster resilience.



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- **India and the Netherlands strengthened cooperation on Gujarat's Kalpasar Project through two Tripartite MoUs aimed at bringing Dutch technical expertise into its planning, design and implementation.**
- **Make in India completed 12 years on September 25, 2026, with expanded manufacturing capacity and new initiatives such as PLI, Semicon 2.0 and BHAVYA supporting deeper domestic production and strategic technologies.**
- **Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya's 110th birth anniversary was observed on September 25, 2026, along with Antyodaya Diwas to highlight the principle of uplifting the last person in society.**
- **The Opposition plans to seek the removal of CEC Gyanesh Kumar through Parliament, a process requiring constitutional grounds, approval by both Houses with the prescribed special majority and a final presidential order.**
- **FSSAI has proposed barring dairy analogue products from using the name "paneer" to improve labelling accuracy and prevent consumers from being misled about product composition.**





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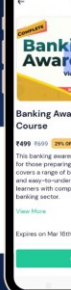
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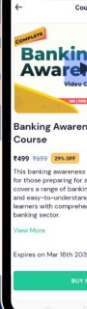


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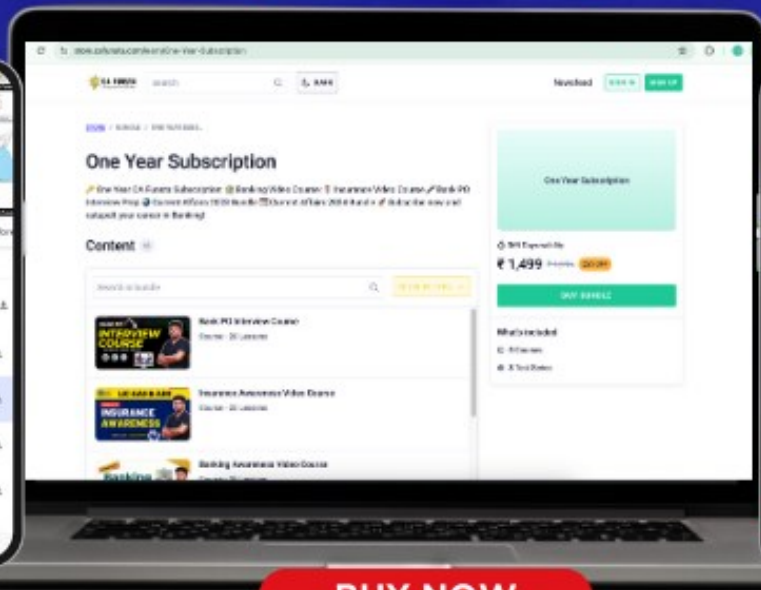
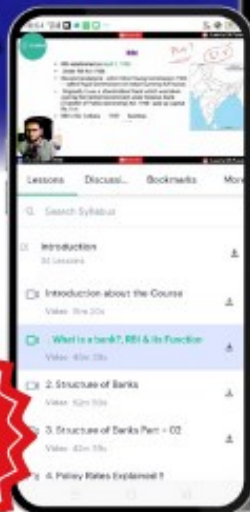
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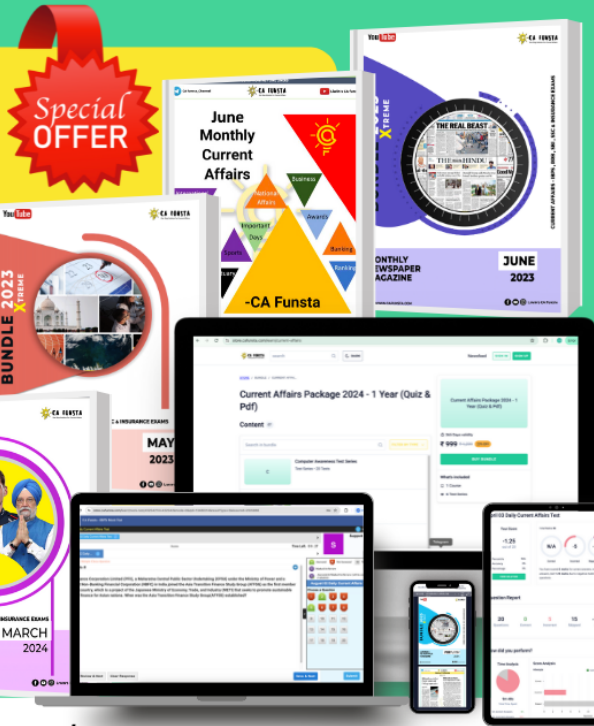


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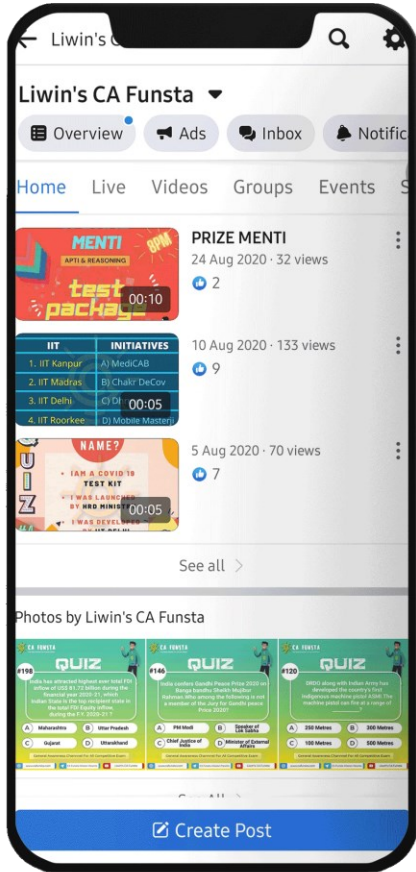
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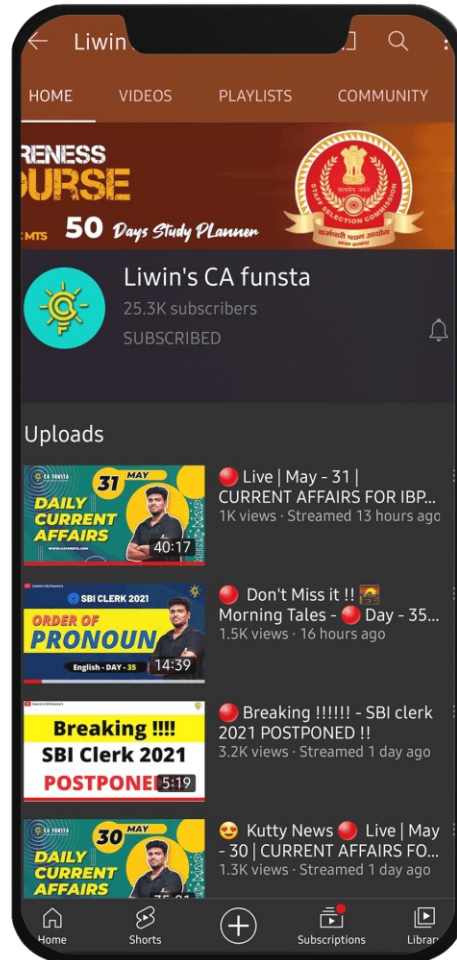


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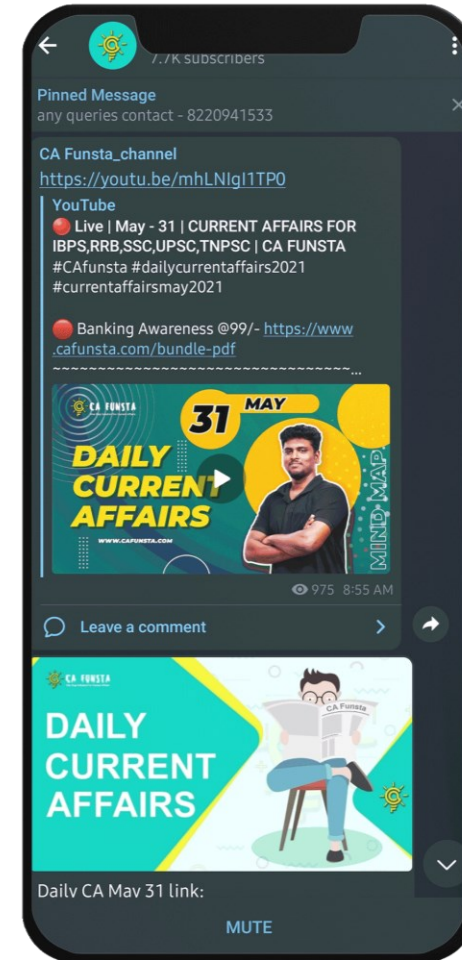
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