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HOW TO USE

Revise first, then attempt the section-wise MCQs without looking back. Choose one answer for each question. Check the separate answer key and revisit the facts you missed.

ASSAM FIRST / 01

Students & welfare

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

EDUCATION

Nijut Moina

- Applications for the **2026-27** student-support cycle opened in August.
- Eligible girl students: HS Rs **800**; UG Rs **1,250**; PG/B.Ed Rs **2,500** per month.
- Assistance is normally paid for **10** months; supports continued education and discourages child marriage.

EDUCATION

Nijut Babu

- Assam financial assistance for eligible male students from economically weaker families.
- Eligible first-year students: UG Rs **1,000**; PG Rs **2,000** per month, for up to **10** months.
- Remember the pair: Nijut Moina - girls; Nijut Babu - boys.

GRADUATES

Jibon Prerana

- On **30** August, resumption of access to funds was announced for **1** September.
- Assistance for eligible fresh graduates: Rs **2,500** per month for **12** months.
- Purpose: support the transition from education to employment.

WELFARE

Orunodoi resumes

- Disbursement of Assam's flagship household-support scheme resumed in August after the election-period pause.
- The scheme provides financial support through women in eligible households.
- DBT means Direct Benefit Transfer.

GOVERNANCE

Shiksha Setu Axom

- Assam's digital school-monitoring initiative was presented at the **39**th National Good Governance Webinar on **25** August.
- Uses digital attendance and school data to improve education administration.
- Associated recognition: Prime Minister's Award for Excellence in Public Administration, **2024.**

NIJUT MOINA / MONTHLY

Rs 800
Higher secondary

Rs 1,250
Undergraduate

Rs 2,500
PG / B.Ed

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ASSAM FIRST / 02

Connectivity & governance

Names, places and main points for quick revision.



Connectivity is a recurring Assam exam theme

HIGHWAYS

Guwahati-Tezpur NH-15

- CCEA approval: **6** August; four-lane access-controlled corridor from Baihata Chariali to Tezpur.
- Length: **135.871 km**; project cost: Rs **8,970.20 crore**.
- Includes an Emergency Landing Facility on the Tezpur bypass.

ADMINISTRATION

Eight new co-districts

- Assam approved eight additional co-districts in August.
- Kamalpur, Barhampur, Ranganadi, Sissiborgaon, Chabua-Lahowal, Khumtai, Katigorah and Borkhola.
- Purpose: bring routine administration and public services closer to residents.

BARAK VALLEY

Barak Valley Secretariat

- New name: Assam Secretariat, Barak Valley, Silchar.
- Location: Srikona, near Silchar, Cachar district.
- The facility is intended to handle work of **32** departments and reduce travel to Dispur.

URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Guwahati satellite city

- The August Cabinet decision cleared Rs **2,100 crore** for the first phase of land acquisition.
- Purpose: support planned urban expansion around Guwahati.
- The project was in the land-acquisition stage in August.

INVESTMENT

Taj Gateway at Jagiroad

- The Assam Cabinet approved an AIDC-IHCL land-lease arrangement for a Taj Gateway hotel at Jagiroad.
- Jagiroad is in Morigaon district and is also the location of Assam's major semiconductor project.
- AIDC: Assam Industrial Development Corporation.

ASSAM FIRST / 03

Nature & new ideas

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

CONSERVATION

Captive-bred vultures released

- Ten captive-bred vultures were released on **7** August at Tewaripal, Biswanath.
- Five slender-billed and five white-rumped vultures; bred at the Rani conservation centre.
- Conservation partners: Assam Forest Department and Bombay Natural History Society (BNHS).

VETERINARY SCIENCE

IVF-born Lakhimi calf

- Assam reported the birth of the first IVF-produced female calf of the indigenous Lakhimi breed.
- The achievement involved the College of Veterinary Science, Khanapara.
- IVF: In Vitro Fertilisation; Lakhimi is an indigenous cattle breed of Assam.

INNOVATION

E-Eye: IIT Guwahati

- Announced on **6** August: a portable optical device to detect water toxicants.
- Laboratory tests detected arsenic, lead, iron, chromium, fluoride and E. coli.
- Approximate prototype cost: Rs **3,500**; testing cost: Rs **2** per sample.

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

LODESTAR

- India-Netherlands collaboration on low-cost, multi-hazard early-warning services.
- Guwahati is an Indian study location; IIT Guwahati is a project partner.
- Combines environmental observations and modelling to improve community disaster preparedness.

CHILD WELFARE

Child Protection Policy

- The Cabinet approved the Assam State Child Protection Policy, **2026.**
- Focus: children's safety, dignity and well-being, and stronger child-protection systems.
- Related laws: Juvenile Justice Act, **2015** and POCSO framework.

E-EYE / QUICK RECALL

IIT Guwahati
Institution

Rs 3,500
Approximate prototype cost

Rs 2
Testing cost per sample

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ASSAM FIRST / 04

Assam in the spotlight

Names, places and main points for quick revision.



Ashmita Chaliha: Korea Masters women's singles champion

BOXING

Lovlina Borgohain

- Won silver in women's **75** kg boxing at the Glasgow Commonwealth Games **2026.**
- The Assam boxer dedicated her medal to the state's flood-affected people.

BADMINTON

Ashmita Chaliha

- Won the Korea Masters **2026** women's singles title, her maiden BWF World Tour title.
- Defeated China's Han Qian Xi; Korea Masters is a Super **300** badminton tournament.

CINEMA

Rima Das: Not a Hero

- Not a Hero won Best Indie Film at the Indian Film Festival of Melbourne **2026.**
- Director: Rima Das; Melbourne is in Australia.

PEOPLE

Didom Daimari

- Udalguri conservationist invited to the President's Independence Day At Home reception.
- Associated with Aaranyak and community-based conservation around Bhairabkunda.

CULTURE

Bhupen Hazarika: songs

- English translations of **346** songs were released at Assam Bhawan, Kolkata, in August.
- The project formed part of the legendary singer-composer's birth-centenary commemorations.

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REGIONAL ROUND-UP

Across the Northeast

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

ARUNACHAL PRADESH

Glaw Lake: first for Arunachal

- Designated India's **101**st Ramsar site and Arunachal Pradesh's first.
- Located inside Kamlang Tiger Reserve, Lohit district.
- The lake is culturally significant to the Mishmi community.

NAGALAND

Chief Minister's Yarn Bank

- Nagaland launched the scheme on **7** August, National Handloom Day.
- Central facility: Toluvi, Dimapur; provides natural yarn to eligible weavers.
- State subsidy: **15%**; Chief Minister: Neiphiu Rio.

DIGITAL GOVERNANCE

e-Bhavishya

- Arunachal Pradesh rolled out a paperless pension-sanction and tracking system.
- Developed with NIC support for the Department of Audit and Pension.
- Purpose: timely pension processing and real-time case monitoring.

MEGHALAYA

Meghalaya: PMFME recognition

- Meghalaya State Rural Livelihoods Society received the runner-up award in the Small State Category.
- Awarded at the PMFME Conclave, New Delhi, on **25** August.
- PMFME concerns micro food-processing enterprises.

CONSERVATION

Clouded Leopard Action Plan

- India's first national conservation action plan was highlighted on International Clouded Leopard Day, **4** August.
- The plan had been released in July; covers **14** priority landscapes across the Northeast.
- Focus: habitat corridors, research and community participation.

TRIPURA

Ker Puja

- Traditional Tripura festival; observed on **4** August in the **2026** national festival calendar.
- Remember the state-festival pair: Tripura - Ker Puja.

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INDIA / WELFARE

Schemes to remember

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

BIOENERGY

GOBARdhan-NCBS

- Cabinet approved the National Circular Bioenergy Scheme on **6** August.
- Outlay: Rs **23,731 crore**; administrative ministry: Petroleum and Natural Gas.
- Supports compressed biogas from organic waste and associated organic manure.

ENERGY

Samudra Manthan

- Offshore oil-and-gas exploration initiative; approval was announced on **1** August following the **31** July decision.
- Outlay: Rs **84,084 crore**, through FY **2030-31.**
- Ministry: Petroleum and Natural Gas.

FARMERS

PM-KISAN

- Continuation through FY **2030-31** was highlighted in August.
- Income support: Rs **6,000** per year to eligible landholding farmer families.
- Paid through DBT in three equal instalments of Rs **2,000.**

BANKING ACCESS

Jan Dhan: 12 years

- Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana completed **12 years** on **28** August **2026.**
- Launched on **28** August **2014**; Ministry of Finance.
- Purpose: financial inclusion and access to banking services.

LABOUR

e-Shram: five years

- Portal launched on **26** August **2021**; completed five years in **2026.**
- Ministry of Labour and Employment; national database of unorganised workers.
- Registered workers receive a **12**-digit Universal Account Number (UAN).

ANNIVERSARIES / 2026

12 years
Jan Dhan: 2014-2026

5 years
e-Shram: 2021-2026

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INDIA / DIGITAL PLATFORMS

Portals & public services

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

SHIPPING

e-Samudra

- Sarbananda Sonowal launched the platform on **8** August in Mumbai.
- Brings maritime services online and promotes paperless processing.
- Ministry: Ports, Shipping and Waterways.

WOMEN & TECHNOLOGY

Yashoda AI

- National Commission for Women initiative for women's AI and digital literacy.
- The August outreach took place at Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar, Punjab.
- Focus includes cyber safety, privacy and responsible use of digital technology.

RURAL LIBRARIES

Gramin Gyan Setu

- Amit Shah launched the mobile application in Gandhinagar on **12** August.
- Connects rural libraries and improves access to learning resources.
- Launch coincided with National Librarians' Day.

INFRASTRUCTURE DATA

PAIMANA

- Project Assessment, Infrastructure Monitoring and Analytics for Nation-building.
- MoSPI platform for monitoring major infrastructure projects; highlighted in August.
- Covers central-sector projects costing Rs **150 crore** and above.

ASSAM ACHIEVEMENT

Assam: PMFME award

- Assam State Rural Livelihoods Mission received the Top Performing State Award in the Medium State Category.
- Presented at the PMFME Conclave, New Delhi, on **25** August.
- Recognition concerned work with micro food-processing enterprises.

MATCH THE PLATFORM

e-Samudra
Maritime services

Yashoda AI
Women and digital skills

PAIMANA
Infrastructure monitoring

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SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

Science in five headlines

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

ISRO

Third National Space Day

- Observed on **23** August; the **2026** national programme was held in Ahmedabad.
- Commemorates Chandrayaan-**3**'s successful lunar landing on **23** August **2023.**
- **2026** theme: Towards Viksit Bharat: Innovating, Collaborating and Aspiring to Global Space Leadership.

SPACE / BACKGROUND

Bharatiya Antariksh Station

- BAS: India's planned space station.
- First module targeted for **2028**; full five-module station targeted for **2035.**
- These are planned milestones, not completed launches.

RURAL INNOVATION

RSVC-AMRIT

- NABARD and the Office of the Principal Scientific Adviser launched the initiative on **15** August.
- Promotes rural innovation and transfer of useful technologies.
- RSVC: RuTAGe Smart Village Centre.

SEMICONDUCTORS

Vihaan chip

- Aheesa Digital Innovations, Chennai, announced the indigenous broadband-networking chip.
- Uses the indigenous VEGA microprocessor; supported under the Design Linked Incentive scheme.
- August milestone: first silicon success; commercial production was still planned.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

AIKosh

- National platform for AI-ready datasets and models under the IndiaAI Mission.
- An August workshop in New Delhi focused on data sharing and responsible AI use.
- Associated ministry: Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY).

BAS / PLANNED MILESTONES

2028
First module target

2035
Full station target

ECONOMY / QUICK FACTS

Economy: key numbers & names

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

MONETARY POLICY

RBI: August policy

- MPC decision on **5** August: policy repo rate unchanged at **5.25%**; neutral stance.
- SDF: **5.00%**; MSF and Bank Rate: **5.50%.**
- MPC: Monetary Policy Committee.

DIGITAL PAYMENTS

PhonePe UPI 123Pay

- On **31** August, PhonePe announced UPI services for supported feature phones.
- UPI **123**PAY enables payments without an internet connection.
- UPI: Unified Payments Interface; developed by NPCI.

CAPITAL MARKETS

IT Resilience Index

- SEBI issued the framework for Market Infrastructure Institutions in August.
- Assesses the robustness and resilience of critical IT systems.
- Relevant institutions: stock exchanges, clearing corporations and depositories.

FOOD PROCESSING

PMFME: remember the purpose

- Pradhan Mantri Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises.
- Ministry of Food Processing Industries; supports small food-processing businesses.
- ODOP: One District One Product, a key approach under the scheme.

TEXTILES

National Handloom Day

- **12**th edition observed on **7** August **2026**; national celebration at Rashtrapati Bhavan Cultural Centre.
- First observed in **2015**; recognises the handloom sector and its weavers.
- The date commemorates the Swadeshi movement launched on **7** August **1905.**

RBI / AUGUST 2026

5.25%
Policy repo rate

Neutral
Monetary policy stance

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DEFENCE / INDIA

Exercises & naval milestones

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

AIR EXERCISE

Pitch Black 2026

- Multinational air exercise hosted by Australia; **20** July-**7** August.
- Key bases: Darwin and Tindal, Northern Territory.
- Indian Air Force participated with Rafale aircraft.

AIR EXERCISE

Udara Shakti 2026

- Bilateral air exercise between India and Malaysia.
- IAF contingent deployed to Subang, Malaysia, after Pitch Black.
- Partner: Royal Malaysian Air Force.

ARMY EXERCISE

MAITREE: 15th edition

- Joint exercise of the Indian Army and Royal Thai Army.
- Held from **18-31** August at Vibhavadi Rangsit Camp, Surat Thani, Thailand.
- Remember: MAITREE - Thailand.

NAVY

INS Nipun

- Commissioned into the Indian Navy on **31** August in Mumbai.
- Second Nistar-class Diving Support Vessel.
- Built by Hindustan Shipyard Limited, Visakhapatnam.

SHIPBUILDING

Mangrol delivered

- Cochin Shipyard delivered Mangrol on **21** August.
- Third Anti-Submarine Warfare Shallow Water Craft in its eight-ship series.
- Named after Mangrol, a coastal town in Gujarat; delivery is distinct from commissioning.

CYBERSECURITY

Terrier Cyber Quest 3.0

- Territorial Army initiative in partnership with CyberPeace.
- Tracks: Bug Hunting, AI Kavach and Creators Challenge.
- Focus: cybersecurity, innovation and national digital resilience.

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PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Awards & appointments

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

SCIENCE AWARD

Deepak Dhar: Dirac Medal

- Among the four recipients of the ICTP Dirac Medal **2026.**
- Field: theoretical physics and statistical mechanics.
- ICTP is based in Trieste, Italy.

SPACE SCIENCE

Annapurni Subramaniam

- Received the COSPAR Vikram Sarabhai Medal **2026.**
- Director of the Indian Institute of Astrophysics, Bengaluru.
- The medal is associated with COSPAR and ISRO.

NATIONAL HONOUR

Ajit Doval

- National Security Adviser received the Lokmanya Tilak National Award **2026.**
- Amit Shah presented the award in Pune on **1** August.

APPOINTMENT

Varsha Ashok Aglawe

- Became the first woman Director General of the Geological Survey of India.
- GSI headquarters: Kolkata; administrative ministry: Mines.

APPOINTMENT

Alka Nangia Arora

- Took charge as Controller General of Defence Accounts on **1** August.
- An officer of the Indian Defence Accounts Service (IDAS).

POLICE HONOUR

Puducherry Police

- Received the President's Colours on **9** August.
- Presented by Union Home Minister Amit Shah; recognises the force's service and dedication.

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SPORTS / COMMONWEALTH GAMES

Glasgow 2026: medal watch

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

MEDAL TABLE

India: fourth overall

- Host: Glasgow, Scotland; Games held from **23** July to **2** August.
- India finished fourth with **39** medals: **13** gold, **17** silver and **9** bronze.
- Australia topped the medal table.

WEIGHTLIFTING

Mirabai Chanu

- Gold in women's **48** kg weightlifting.
- Remember the name-sport pair: Mirabai Chanu - weightlifting.

JUDO

Asmita Dey

- Gold in women's **48** kg judo at Glasgow **2026.**
- Do not confuse Asmita Dey, the judoka, with Assam badminton player Ashmita Chaliha.

ATHLETICS

Gulveer Singh

- Silver in men's **10,000** m and bronze in men's **5,000** m.
- Both medals came in long-distance track events.

PARA SPORT

Para-athletics gold

- Soman Rana: men's F5**7** shot put.
- Sharmila Dhankar: women's F5**7** shot put.
- Dilip Gavit: men's T4**7 100** m.

JAVELIN THROW

Neeraj Chopra

- Silver in men's javelin throw at Glasgow **2026.**
- Yashvir Singh won bronze in the same event.

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SPORTS / AUGUST RESULTS

Champions & podium finishes

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

CHESS

Praggnanandhaa

- Won the Grand Chess Tour **2026.**
- Defeated Fabiano Caruana in the final in Saint Louis, USA.

BADMINTON

Tanvi Sharma

- Won the Taipei Open women's singles title on **2** August.
- Her maiden BWF World Tour title; defeated Vietnam's Nguyen Thuy Linh.

BADMINTON

Treesa Jolly-Gayatri Gopichand

- Won women's doubles bronze at the BWF World Championships in New Delhi.
- India's previous women's doubles medal at the event was won by Jwala Gutta-Ashwini Ponnappa in **2011.**

FOOTBALL

Durand Cup 2026

- East Bengal defeated Mohun Bagan Super Giant **4-1** in the final.
- East Bengal's **17**th title; final held at Salt Lake Stadium, Kolkata.
- Edition: **135**th.

WRESTLING

Kajal Dhochak

- Won a second consecutive U2**0** World Wrestling title.
- Women's **76** kg gold; defeated China's Jingru Sun in the final.

ATHLETICS

Ashish Yadav

- Won men's javelin silver at the World Athletics U2**0** Championships.
- The **2026** championships were held in Oregon, USA.

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WORLD & STATES

Places, summits & culture

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

ENVIRONMENT SUMMIT

UNCCD COP17

- Held in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, from **17-28** August.
- Theme: Restoring Land. Restoring Hope.
- UNCCD: United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification.

COUNTRY NAME

Nauru to Naoero

- The Pacific island country adopted the name Republic of Naoero.
- The change to its indigenous name was in the August international news.
- Remember the old-new name pair: Nauru - Naoero.

STATE NAME

Kerala to Keralam

- Parliament passed the Bill to alter the state's name from Kerala to Keralam.
- Keralam is the state's name in Malayalam.
- Capital: Thiruvananthapuram.

CULTURAL COOPERATION

BRICS culture meeting

- Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh, hosted the BRICS Culture Ministers' Meeting on **8** August.
- Held under India's BRICS chairship in **2026.**
- The Culture Working Group met ahead of the ministerial meeting.

SUMMIT

SCO summit: Bishkek

- **26**th Council of Heads of State meeting: **31** August-**1** September.
- Venue: Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic.
- SCO: Shanghai Cooperation Organisation.

FESTIVAL

Aadi Perukku

- Tamil Nadu river festival observed on the **18**th day of the Tamil month Aadi.
- Celebrations held along the Cauvery and other water bodies.
- Associated with water, agriculture and prosperity.

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BOOKS / INDIA

Books & national highlights

Names, places and main points for quick revision.

BOOK & AUTHOR

Triumph of the Indian Republic

- Autobiography of former President Ram Nath Kovind.
- Full title: Triumph of the Indian Republic: My Life, My Struggles.
- Released by the Prime Minister in New Delhi on **12** August.
- Ram Nath Kovind served as India's **14**th President.

BOOK & AUTHOR

Kaho Kalidas!

- Author: Yugal Joshi.
- Launched on **25** August at IGNCA, New Delhi, by Culture Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat.

WELFARE PUBLICATION

SNEHA e-book

- Stories of Nurturing, Engagement, Happiness and Active Ageing.
- Launched by Social Justice and Empowerment Minister Virendra Kumar on **14** August.
- Subject: senior citizens' welfare and active ageing.

POLICE & SECURITY

Mahila Commando Conversion Course

- NSG launched its first MCCC at the Training Academy, Manesar, Haryana.
- For women personnel from State Police Forces and CAPFs.
- Training includes weapons, hostage rescue and counter-terrorism skills.

INFRASTRUCTURE

Alluri Sitarama Raju Airport

- International airport inaugurated on **1** August at Bhogapuram, Andhra Pradesh.
- Located in Vizianagaram district; developed under the PPP model.

HEALTH

Organ-donation recognition

- Tamil Nadu received the Best State award for organ donation at the **16**th Indian Organ Donation Day event.
- The national event was held on **3** August in New Delhi.
- NOTTO: National Organ and Tissue Transplant Organization.

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REVISION / DATES

August calendar

A small calendar of high-yield observances.

4 Aug	**International Clouded Leopard Day**	Northeast forest conservation.
6 Aug	**Hiroshima Day**	Atomic bombing of Hiroshima: 6 August 1945.
7 Aug	**National Handloom Day**	2026: 12th edition; recalls the Swadeshi movement.
9 Aug	**Nagasaki Day / Quit India anniversary**	Nagasaki bombing: 1945. Quit India movement: 1942.
9 Aug	**World's Indigenous Peoples Day**	2026 theme: Honouring Indigenous Midwives: Safeguarding Life and Well-being.
10 Aug	**World Lion Day / World Biofuel Day**	Lion conservation; renewable fuels from biomass.
12 Aug	**World Elephant Day**	Conservation of elephants, habitats and corridors.
12 Aug	**International Youth Day**	2026 theme: Different Contexts, Common Aspirations.
12 Aug	**National Librarians' Day**	Birth anniversary of S. R. Ranganathan.
15 Aug	**Independence Day**	2026: 80th Independence Day; 79 years since Independence.
19 Aug	**World Humanitarian Day**	Honours humanitarian workers and people affected by crises.
20 Aug	**Sadbhavana Diwas**	Rajiv Gandhi's birth anniversary; national integration and communal harmony.
23 Aug	**National Space Day**	Chandrayaan-3 landing anniversary; third observance in 2026.
26 Aug	**e-Shram anniversary**	Launched in 2021; five years in 2026.
28 Aug	**Jan Dhan anniversary**	Launched in 2014; twelve years in 2026.
29 Aug	**National Sports Day**	Birth anniversary of hockey legend Major Dhyan Chand.

Recall the date, observance and associated person or event together.

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REVISION / FULL FORMS

The abbreviation bank

Cover the answer. Recall it. Check it.

DBT
Direct Benefit Transfer

IVF
In Vitro Fertilisation

BNHS
Bombay Natural History Society

AIDC
Assam Industrial Development Corporation

ASRLM
Assam State Rural Livelihoods Mission

NIC
National Informatics Centre

PMFME
Pradhan Mantri Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises

ODOP
One District One Product

PMJDY
Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana

UAN
Universal Account Number

UPI
Unified Payments Interface

NPCI
National Payments Corporation of India

MPC
Monetary Policy Committee

SDF
Standing Deposit Facility

MSF
Marginal Standing Facility

SEBI
Securities and Exchange Board of India

BAS
Bharatiya Antariksh Station

ISRO
Indian Space Research Organisation

NABARD
National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development

MeitY
Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology

CGDA
Controller General of Defence Accounts

GSI
Geological Survey of India

SCO
Shanghai Cooperation Organisation

UNCCD
United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification

BWF
Badminton World Federation

IAF
Indian Air Force

Learn the complete expansion with its abbreviation.

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TEST YOURSELF / SECTION-WISE PRACTICE

Test Yourself

Questions 1-10 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

ASSAM FIRST / 01

1. Nijut Moina primarily provides educational assistance to whom?

A) Farm labourers
B) Police personnel
C) Retired teachers
D) Girl students

2. What is the revised monthly Nijut Moina assistance for eligible HS students in 2026-27?

A) Rs 1,000
B) Rs 2,000
C) Rs 1,500
D) Rs 800

3. Eligible undergraduate girl students receive how much per month under Nijut Moina?

A) Rs 3,000
B) Rs 1,250
C) Rs 2,000
D) Rs 800

4. What is the monthly Nijut Moina assistance for eligible PG/B.Ed students?

A) Rs 800
B) Rs 1,250
C) Rs 2,500
D) Rs 4,000

5. Which Assam scheme provides educational assistance to eligible male students from economically weaker families?

A) Nijut Moina
B) Mission Basundhara
C) Amrit Brikshya Andolan
D) Nijut Babu

6. What is the monthly Nijut Babu incentive for eligible first-year UG students?

A) Rs 2,500
B) Rs 800
C) Rs 1,250
D) Rs 1,000

7. What is the monthly Nijut Babu incentive for eligible first-year PG students?

A) Rs 800
B) Rs 1,000
C) Rs 2,000
D) Rs 3,000

8. What is the monthly financial assistance under Jibon Prerana?

A) Rs 750
B) Rs 1,100
C) Rs 5,000
D) Rs 2,500

9. Jibon Prerana provides monthly assistance for what duration?

A) 3 months
B) 12 months
C) 24 months
D) 6 months

10. Which Assam household-support scheme resumed disbursement in August 2026?

A) Kanyashree
B) Ladli Behna
C) Orunodoi
D) Bana Kaih

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Questions 11-20 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

11. Shiksha Setu Axom is associated with which sector?

A) Banking insurance
B) School education
C) Railway signalling
D) Forest tourism

ASSAM FIRST / 02

12. The approved Baihata Chariali-Tezpur four-lane corridor is part of which National Highway?

A) NH-15
B) NH-27
C) NH-44
D) NH-37

13. The NH-15 corridor approved in August connects Baihata Chariali with which town?

A) Tezpur
B) Dhubri
C) Silchar
D) Haflong

14. Where is the Emergency Landing Facility planned on the approved NH-15 corridor?

A) Haflong station
B) Dhubri bridge
C) Silchar bypass
D) Tezpur bypass

15. How many additional co-districts did Assam approve in August 2026?

A) Twelve
B) Four
C) Eight
D) Six

16. Khumtai co-district belongs to which parent district?

A) Cachar
B) Golaghat
C) Kamrup
D) Dhubri

17. The Assam Secretariat for Barak Valley is located near which town?

A) Sivasagar
B) Tezpur
C) Silchar
D) Nalbari

18. Srikona, the location of the Barak Valley Secretariat, is in which district?

A) Dhemaji
B) Cachar
C) Barpeta
D) Dibrugarh

19. Which city is associated with Assam's Rs 2,100-crore first-phase satellite-city land-acquisition approval?

A) Silchar
B) Jorhat
C) Guwahati
D) Dibrugarh

20. Where was the Taj Gateway hotel project approved in Assam in August?

A) Diphu
B) Duliajan
C) Jagiroad
D) Bongaigaon

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Questions 21-30 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

ASSAM FIRST / 03

21. The August release of ten captive-bred vultures took place in which Assam district?

A) Nalbari
B) Dhubri
C) Cachar
D) Biswanath

22. The vultures released in Biswanath were bred at which Assam centre?

A) Deepor Beel
B) Rani
C) Panidihing
D) Pobitora

23. Which indigenous Assam cattle breed was associated with the August IVF female-calf milestone?

A) Lakhimi
B) Gir
C) Tharparkar
D) Sahiwal

24. IVF stands for what?

A) Internal Viral Filtration
B) Integrated Veterinary Farming
C) In Vitro Fertilisation
D) Indian Vaccine Facility

25. Which institution developed the E-Eye water-testing device?

A) IIT Roorkee
B) IIT Bombay
C) IIT Guwahati
D) IIT Kanpur

26. E-Eye was developed primarily for which purpose?

A) Tracking satellites
B) Detection of toxicants in water
C) Predicting cyclones
D) Measuring earthquakes

27. LODESTAR, involving IIT Guwahati, focuses on what?

A) Railway ticketing
B) Multi-hazard early warning
C) Cattle breeding
D) Satellite navigation

28. India collaborates with which country in LODESTAR?

A) Japan
B) Nepal
C) Netherlands
D) Brazil

29. The Assam State Child Protection Policy, 2026 primarily concerns the welfare of whom?

A) Children
B) Senior citizens
C) Ex-servicemen
D) Overseas workers

ASSAM FIRST / 04

30. Lovlina Borgohain won which medal at the Glasgow Commonwealth Games 2026?

A) Bronze
B) Gold
C) No medal
D) Silver

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Questions 31-40 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

31. Lovlina's Glasgow 2026 medal came in which sport?

A) Judo
B) Boxing
C) Weightlifting
D) Wrestling

32. Ashmita Chaliha won her maiden BWF World Tour title at which tournament?

A) All England Open
B) Korea Masters
C) Indonesia Open
D) Denmark Open

33. Ashmita Chaliha is associated with which sport?

A) Tennis
B) Badminton
C) Squash
D) Table tennis

34. Who directed Not a Hero, the IFFM 2026 Best Indie Film winner?

A) Jahnu Barua
B) Rima Das
C) Reema Kagti
D) Utpal Borpujari

35. Not a Hero won the Best Indie Film award at a festival in which city?

A) Venice
B) Melbourne
C) Cannes
D) Berlin

36. Didom Daimari, invited to the President's Independence Day reception, is known for which work?

A) Conservation
B) Classical dance
C) Chess
D) Space research

37. Didom Daimari belongs to which Assam district?

A) Hojai
B) Karbi Anglong
C) Dhubri
D) Udalguri

38. The August publication of 346 translated songs celebrated which Assamese cultural icon?

A) Bhupen Hazarika
B) Jyoti Prasad Agarwala
C) Bishnu Prasad Rabha
D) Lakshminath Bezbaroa

REGIONAL ROUND-UP

39. Which lake became Arunachal Pradesh's first Ramsar site in August 2026?

A) Loktak Lake
B) Chilika Lake
C) Glaw Lake
D) Deepor Beel

40. Glaw Lake lies inside which tiger reserve?

A) Pakke
B) Manas
C) Namdapha
D) Kamlang

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Questions 41-50 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

41. What was Glaw Lake's position in India's Ramsar-site count when designated?

A) 95th
B) 101st
C) 85th
D) 110th

42. Which state launched the Chief Minister's Yarn Bank Scheme on 7 August 2026?

A) Nagaland
B) Assam
C) Manipur
D) Tripura

43. The Nagaland Yarn Bank primarily supports whom?

A) Weavers
B) Taxi drivers
C) Miners
D) Fishermen

44. Arunachal Pradesh's e-Bhavishya platform is used for what?

A) School admission
B) Pension processing
C) Forest permits
D) Crop insurance

45. Which state's rural livelihoods society received the PMFME 2026 runner-up award in the Small State Category?

A) Nagaland
B) Assam
C) Meghalaya
D) Sikkim

46. India's Clouded Leopard Conservation Action Plan identifies how many priority landscapes?

A) 22
B) 30
C) 14
D) 6

47. International Clouded Leopard Day is observed on which date?

A) 29 August
B) 4 August
C) 12 August
D) 22 September

INDIA / WELFARE

48. The GOBARdhan National Circular Bioenergy Scheme promotes which fuel?

A) Coal gas only
B) Aviation kerosene
C) Uranium fuel
D) Compressed biogas

49. Which ministry administers the National Circular Bioenergy Scheme approved in August 2026?

A) Steel
B) Railways
C) Petroleum and Natural Gas
D) Civil Aviation

50. Samudra Manthan is concerned with which activity?

A) Offshore oil-and-gas exploration
B) Inland fisheries
C) River interlinking
D) Deep-sea tourism

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Questions 51-60 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

51. Which ministry is associated with Samudra Manthan?

A) Defence
B) Petroleum and Natural Gas
C) Education
D) Culture

52. What is the annual assistance to an eligible farmer family under PM-KISAN?

A) Rs 3,000
B) Rs 6,000
C) Rs 12,000
D) Rs 10,000

53. PM-KISAN assistance is normally paid in how many equal annual instalments?

A) Three
B) Two
C) Six
D) Four

54. PM Jan Dhan Yojana was launched in which year?

A) 2020
B) 2016
C) 2014
D) 2010

55. PM Jan Dhan Yojana primarily promotes what?

A) Forest restoration
B) Sports training
C) Urban housing
D) Financial inclusion

56. The e-Shram portal primarily registers which group?

A) Foreign tourists
B) Only bank managers
C) Unorganised workers
D) Only defence officers

57. How many digits are there in the e-Shram UAN?

A) 16
B) 10
C) 12
D) 14

INDIA / DIGITAL PLATFORMS

58. e-Samudra is associated with which sector?

A) School examinations
B) Hospital insurance
C) Agricultural markets
D) Maritime services

59. Who launched e-Samudra in August 2026?

A) Amit Shah
B) Dharmendra Pradhan
C) Sarbananda Sonowal
D) Chirag Paswan

60. Which organisation implements Yashoda AI for women's digital empowerment?

A) National Human Rights Commission
B) NITI Aayog
C) Election Commission
D) National Commission for Women

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Questions 61-70 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

61. The August Yashoda AI outreach at Lovely Professional University took place in which city?

A) Jalandhar
B) Guwahati
C) Jaipur
D) Bhopal

62. Gramin Gyan Setu connects which institutions?

A) Airports
B) Rural libraries
C) Police stations
D) District hospitals

63. Gramin Gyan Setu was launched in which Gujarat city?

A) Rajkot
B) Gandhinagar
C) Vadodara
D) Surat

64. PAIMANA is an infrastructure-monitoring platform of which ministry?

A) Culture
B) Statistics and Programme Implementation
C) External Affairs
D) Tourism

65. PAIMANA monitors central-sector projects costing at least how much?

A) Rs 25 crore
B) Rs 1,000 crore
C) Rs 150 crore
D) Rs 5 crore

66. Assam's August PMFME Top Performing State Award was in which category?

A) Union Territory Category
B) Metropolitan City Category
C) Small State Category
D) Medium State Category

67. Which Assam mission received the PMFME recognition?

A) Assam State Disaster Management Authority
B) Mission Basundhara
C) Samagra Shiksha Assam
D) Assam State Rural Livelihoods Mission

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

68. National Space Day marks the successful landing of which mission?

A) Chandrayaan-3
B) Aditya-L1
C) Mangalyaan
D) Chandrayaan-1

69. Which city hosted the 2026 National Space Day programme?

A) Ahmedabad
B) Chennai
C) Bengaluru
D) Hyderabad

70. BAS stands for what in India's space programme?

A) Brahmaputra Astronomical Survey
B) Bharatiya Antariksh Station
C) Bharat Aviation Service
D) Bharatiya Atomic Satellite

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Questions 71-81 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

71. The first BAS module is targeted for which year?

A) 2047
B) 2035
C) 2028
D) 2026

72. RSVC-AMRIT is associated with which development bank?

A) NABARD
B) Asian Development Bank
C) SIDBI
D) EXIM Bank

73. RSVC-AMRIT primarily supports technology-led development in which areas?

A) Rural areas
B) Only stock exchanges
C) Only airports
D) Only naval bases

74. Vihaan, announced by Aheesa Digital Innovations, is associated with which technology?

A) Solar telescope
B) Weather balloon
C) Broadband networking chip
D) Cancer vaccine

75. Vihaan uses which indigenous microprocessor?

A) Aryabhata
B) PARAM
C) Gaganyaan
D) VEGA

76. AIKosh provides shared access to what?

A) Only weather radars
B) AI datasets and models
C) Only land deeds
D) Only railway timetables

77. AIKosh belongs to which national initiative?

A) Jal Jeevan Mission
B) Digital Sky
C) Project Tiger
D) IndiaAI Mission

ECONOMY / QUICK FACTS

78. What was the policy repo rate after RBI's August 2026 MPC decision?

A) 6.50%
B) 7.00%
C) 5.25%
D) 4.00%

79. What stance did the MPC retain in August 2026?

A) Emergency tightening
B) No policy stance
C) Neutral
D) Accommodative

80. UPI 123PAY primarily extends UPI access to which devices?

A) Only gaming consoles
B) Only smart televisions
C) Feature phones
D) Only ATMs

81. Which company announced its feature-phone UPI 123Pay service on 31 August 2026?

A) Mastercard
B) PayPal
C) PhonePe
D) Visa

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Questions 82-92 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

82. Which regulator introduced the IT Resilience Index for Market Infrastructure Institutions?

A) SEBI
B) FSSAI
C) IRDAI
D) TRAI

83. The IT Resilience Index concerns which systems?

A) Village road length
B) River water quality
C) State school rankings
D) Critical IT systems of market institutions

84. Which ministry implements PMFME?

A) Heavy Industries
B) Defence
C) External Affairs
D) Food Processing Industries

85. ODOP stands for what?

A) One District One Product
B) One Department One Portal
C) One Division One Pension
D) One District One Police

86. National Handloom Day is observed on which date?

A) 23 August
B) 15 August
C) 29 August
D) 7 August

87. National Handloom Day commemorates the launch of which movement?

A) Quit India movement
B) Non-Cooperation movement
C) Civil Disobedience movement
D) Swadeshi movement

DEFENCE / INDIA

88. Which country hosted Exercise Pitch Black 2026?

A) South Africa
B) Japan
C) France
D) Australia

89. Pitch Black is primarily an exercise of which service?

A) Armies only
B) Air forces
C) Coast guards
D) Submarine forces only

90. India conducts Exercise Udara Shakti with which country?

A) Thailand
B) Mongolia
C) Malaysia
D) Nepal

91. The 2026 Udara Shakti deployment took place at which Malaysian location?

A) Subang
B) Ipoh
C) Penang
D) Kuching

92. Exercise MAITREE is conducted between India and which country?

A) Sri Lanka
B) Indonesia
C) Thailand
D) Bangladesh

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Questions 93-103 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

93. Which country hosted the 15th MAITREE exercise in August 2026?

A) Malaysia
B) Thailand
C) Vietnam
D) India

94. INS Nipun is which type of naval vessel?

A) Aircraft carrier
B) Diving Support Vessel
C) Nuclear submarine
D) Missile destroyer

95. Which shipyard built INS Nipun?

A) Hindustan Shipyard Limited
B) Goa Shipyard Limited
C) Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers
D) Cochin Shipyard Limited

96. Which shipyard delivered Mangrol in August 2026?

A) Cochin Shipyard Limited
B) Goa Shipyard Limited
C) Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders
D) Hindustan Shipyard Limited

97. Mangrol is designed mainly for which role?

A) Anti-submarine warfare in shallow waters
B) Aircraft operations
C) Deep-sea oil drilling
D) Polar research

98. Terrier Cyber Quest 3.0 is associated with which force?

A) Assam Rifles
B) Territorial Army
C) Railway Protection Force
D) Coast Guard

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

99. Which Indian physicist was among the 2026 ICTP Dirac Medal recipients?

A) S. Somanath
B) Deepak Dhar
C) A. S. Kiran Kumar
D) M. S. Swaminathan

100. The ICTP Dirac Medal recognises achievement in which broad field?

A) Agriculture
B) Physics
C) Architecture
D) Literature

101. Who received the COSPAR Vikram Sarabhai Medal 2026?

A) Annapurni Subramaniam
B) Ritu Karidhal
C) Tessy Thomas
D) Gagandeep Kang

102. Annapurni Subramaniam heads which institution?

A) Indian Institute of Astrophysics
B) National Physical Laboratory
C) National Institute of Oceanography
D) Indian Statistical Institute

103. Who received the Lokmanya Tilak National Award 2026?

A) Deepak Dhar
B) Ajit Doval
C) Rajnath Singh
D) Sanjay Malhotra

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Questions 104-113 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

104. Who became the first woman Director General of the Geological Survey of India?

A) Varsha Ashok Aglawe
B) Vijaya Rahatkar
C) Annapurni Subramaniam
D) Alka Nangia Arora

105. Where is the Geological Survey of India headquartered?

A) New Delhi
B) Kolkata
C) Chennai
D) Mumbai

106. Alka Nangia Arora took charge in August as head of which organisation?

A) Election Commission
B) Defence Accounts
C) Geological Survey of India
D) National Commission for Women

107. Which police force received the President's Colours in August 2026?

A) Sikkim Police
B) Goa Police
C) Puducherry Police
D) Meghalaya Police

SPORTS / COMMONWEALTH GAMES

108. Which city hosted the Commonwealth Games 2026?

A) Glasgow
B) Birmingham
C) Melbourne
D) Gold Coast

109. How many medals did India win at Glasgow 2026?

A) 39
B) 101
C) 66
D) 61

110. How many gold medals did India win at Glasgow 2026?

A) 22
B) 17
C) 9
D) 13

111. What was India's overall rank in the Glasgow 2026 medal table?

A) Fifth
B) Second
C) Third
D) Fourth

112. Mirabai Chanu's Glasgow 2026 gold came in which sport?

A) Athletics
B) Judo
C) Boxing
D) Weightlifting

113. Asmita Dey won Glasgow 2026 gold in which sport?

A) Wrestling
B) Badminton
C) Shooting
D) Judo

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Questions 114-123 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

114. Gulveer Singh won Glasgow 2026 silver in which event?

A) 10,000 m
B) 400 m
C) Long jump
D) Marathon

115. Dilip Gavit won Glasgow 2026 gold in which para-athletics event?

A) T54 marathon
B) F57 shot put
C) F64 discus throw
D) T47 100 m

116. Neeraj Chopra won which medal at the Commonwealth Games 2026?

A) Silver
B) Bronze
C) No medal
D) Gold

SPORTS / AUGUST RESULTS

117. Who won the Grand Chess Tour 2026?

A) Arjun Erigaisi
B) Viswanathan Anand
C) D. Gukesh
D) R. Praggnanandhaa

118. Whom did Praggnanandhaa defeat in the Grand Chess Tour final?

A) Fabiano Caruana
B) Magnus Carlsen
C) Wesley So
D) Hikaru Nakamura

119. Who won the Taipei Open 2026 women's singles title?

A) Malvika Bansod
B) P. V. Sindhu
C) Tanvi Sharma
D) Ashmita Chaliha

120. Treesa Jolly and Gayatri Gopichand won which medal at the BWF World Championships 2026?

A) Silver
B) Gold
C) No medal
D) Bronze

121. Which city hosted the BWF World Championships 2026?

A) Pune
B) New Delhi
C) Hyderabad
D) Kochi

122. Which club won the Durand Cup 2026?

A) East Bengal FC
B) Bengaluru FC
C) NorthEast United FC
D) Mohun Bagan Super Giant

123. The Durand Cup 2026 final was played in which city?

A) Guwahati
B) Imphal
C) Shillong
D) Kolkata

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Questions 124-133 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

124. Kajal Dhochak won U20 world gold in which sport?

A) Wrestling
B) Weightlifting
C) Boxing
D) Judo

125. Ashish Yadav won World Athletics U20 silver in which event?

A) Discus throw
B) High jump
C) Javelin throw
D) Shot put

WORLD & STATES

126. Which city hosted UNCCD COP17 in August 2026?

A) Ulaanbaatar
B) Bishkek
C) Belem
D) Baku

127. UNCCD primarily addresses which problem?

A) Nuclear proliferation
B) Aviation safety
C) Desertification and land degradation
D) Ocean shipping fees

128. The Republic of Naoero was previously known by which name?

A) Tuvalu
B) Palau
C) Nauru
D) Kiribati

129. The August Bill passed by Parliament proposed which new name for Kerala?

A) Cochin
B) Travancore
C) Keralam
D) Malabar

130. Which Indian city hosted the August 2026 BRICS Culture Ministers' Meeting?

A) Bhopal
B) Kolkata
C) Jaipur
D) Chennai

131. Which country held the BRICS chairship in 2026?

A) South Africa
B) Brazil
C) Russia
D) India

132. Which city hosted the 2026 SCO Heads of State summit?

A) Tashkent
B) Dushanbe
C) Astana
D) Bishkek

133. Bishkek is the capital of which country?

A) Kazakhstan
B) Uzbekistan
C) Tajikistan
D) Kyrgyzstan

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Questions 134-143 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

134. Aadi Perukku is mainly associated with which state?

A) Tamil Nadu
B) Punjab
C) Odisha
D) Assam

135. Aadi Perukku celebrations are closely associated with which river?

A) Narmada
B) Brahmaputra
C) Cauvery
D) Mahanadi

BOOKS / INDIA

136. Triumph of the Indian Republic: My Life, My Struggles is whose autobiography?

A) A. P. J. Abdul Kalam
B) K. R. Narayanan
C) Ram Nath Kovind
D) Pranab Mukherjee

137. Ram Nath Kovind served as which President of India?

A) 11th
B) 13th
C) 14th
D) 12th

138. Who wrote Kaho Kalidas!?

A) Vikram Seth
B) Yugal Joshi
C) Amitav Ghosh
D) Ram Nath Kovind

139. The SNEHA e-book concerns the welfare of which group?

A) Only school athletes
B) Senior citizens
C) Only seafarers
D) Only farmers

140. Where did NSG launch its first Mahila Commando Conversion Course?

A) Manesar
B) Hyderabad
C) Bhopal
D) Dergaon

141. The first NSG MCCC trains which personnel?

A) Foreign tourists
B) Women from State Police and CAPFs
C) Only naval divers
D) School cadets only

142. Alluri Sitarama Raju International Airport is located in which state?

A) Tamil Nadu
B) Karnataka
C) Andhra Pradesh
D) Telangana

143. Alluri Sitarama Raju International Airport was inaugurated at which place?

A) Bhogapuram
B) Kadapa
C) Kurnool
D) Tirupati

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Questions 144-150 | Choose one correct option. Answers begin on page 35.

144. Which state received the Best State organ-donation award at the August 2026 national event?

A) Punjab
B) Tamil Nadu
C) Assam
D) Odisha

145. NOTTO is associated with which field?

A) Nuclear energy
B) Organ and tissue transplantation
C) Space exploration
D) Railway safety

IMPORTANT DAYS & CULTURE

146. International Youth Day is observed on which date?

A) 12 August
B) 29 August
C) 19 August
D) 7 August

147. National Sports Day marks the birth anniversary of whom?

A) Balbir Singh Sr.
B) K. D. Jadhav
C) Milkha Singh
D) Major Dhyan Chand

148. National Space Day is observed on which date?

A) 15 August
B) 28 August
C) 26 August
D) 23 August

149. Ker Puja is a traditional festival of which Northeast state?

A) Sikkim
B) Assam
C) Mizoram
D) Tripura

150. India celebrated which Independence Day in 2026?

A) 80th
B) 78th
C) 79th
D) 81st

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Answer key

Questions 1-40 | Correct option and answer for quick revision.

001	D	Girl students	021	D	Biswanath
002	D	Rs 800	022	B	Rani
003	B	Rs 1,250	023	A	Lakhimi
004	C	Rs 2,500	024	C	In Vitro Fertilisation
005	D	Nijut Babu	025	C	IIT Guwahati
006	D	Rs 1,000	026	B	Detection of toxicants in water
007	C	Rs 2,000	027	B	Multi-hazard early warning
008	D	Rs 2,500	028	C	Netherlands
009	B	12 months	029	A	Children
010	C	Orunodoi	030	D	Silver
011	B	School education	031	B	Boxing
012	A	NH-15	032	B	Korea Masters
013	A	Tezpur	033	B	Badminton
014	D	Tezpur bypass	034	B	Rima Das
015	C	Eight	035	B	Melbourne
016	B	Golaghat	036	A	Conservation
017	C	Silchar	037	D	Udalguri
018	B	Cachar	038	A	Bhupen Hazarika
019	C	Guwahati	039	C	Glaw Lake
020	C	Jagiroad	040	D	Kamlang

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Answer key

Questions 41-80 | Correct option and answer for quick revision.

041	B	101st	061	A	Jalandhar
042	A	Nagaland	062	B	Rural libraries
043	A	Weavers	063	B	Gandhinagar
044	B	Pension processing	064	B	Statistics and Programme Implementation
045	C	Meghalaya	065	C	Rs 150 crore
046	C	14	066	D	Medium State Category
047	B	4 August	067	D	Assam State Rural Livelihoods Mission
048	D	Compressed biogas	068	A	Chandrayaan-3
049	C	Petroleum and Natural Gas	069	A	Ahmedabad
050	A	Offshore oil-and-gas exploration	070	B	Bharatiya Antariksh Station
051	B	Petroleum and Natural Gas	071	C	2028
052	B	Rs 6,000	072	A	NABARD
053	A	Three	073	A	Rural areas
054	C	2014	074	C	Broadband networking chip
055	D	Financial inclusion	075	D	VEGA
056	C	Unorganised workers	076	B	AI datasets and models
057	C	12	077	D	IndiaAI Mission
058	D	Maritime services	078	C	5.25%
059	C	Sarbananda Sonowal	079	C	Neutral
060	D	National Commission for Women	080	C	Feature phones

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Answer key

Questions 81-120 | Correct option and answer for quick revision.

081	C	PhonePe	101	A	Annapurni Subramaniam
082	A	SEBI	102	A	Indian Institute of Astrophysics
083	D	Critical IT systems of market institutions	103	B	Ajit Doval
084	D	Food Processing Industries	104	A	Varsha Ashok Aglawe
085	A	One District One Product	105	B	Kolkata
086	D	7 August	106	B	Defence Accounts
087	D	Swadeshi movement	107	C	Puducherry Police
088	D	Australia	108	A	Glasgow
089	B	Air forces	109	A	39
090	C	Malaysia	110	D	13
091	A	Subang	111	D	Fourth
092	C	Thailand	112	D	Weightlifting
093	B	Thailand	113	D	Judo
094	B	Diving Support Vessel	114	A	10,000 m
095	A	Hindustan Shipyard Limited	115	D	T47 100 m
096	A	Cochin Shipyard Limited	116	A	Silver
097	A	Anti-submarine warfare in shallow waters	117	D	R. Praggnanandhaa
098	B	Territorial Army	118	A	Fabiano Caruana
099	B	Deepak Dhar	119	C	Tanvi Sharma
100	B	Physics	120	D	Bronze

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Answer key

Questions 121-150 | Correct option and answer for quick revision.

121	B	New Delhi
122	A	East Bengal FC
123	D	Kolkata
124	A	Wrestling
125	C	Javelin throw
126	A	Ulaanbaatar
127	C	Desertification and land degradation
128	C	Nauru
129	C	Keralam
130	A	Bhopal
131	D	India
132	D	Bishkek
133	D	Kyrgyzstan
134	A	Tamil Nadu
135	C	Cauvery
136	C	Ram Nath Kovind
137	C	14th
138	B	Yugal Joshi
139	B	Senior citizens
140	A	Manesar
141	B	Women from State Police and CAPFs
142	C	Andhra Pradesh
143	A	Bhogapuram
144	B	Tamil Nadu
145	B	Organ and tissue transplantation
146	A	12 August
147	D	Major Dhyan Chand
148	D	23 August
149	D	Tripura
150	A	80th

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