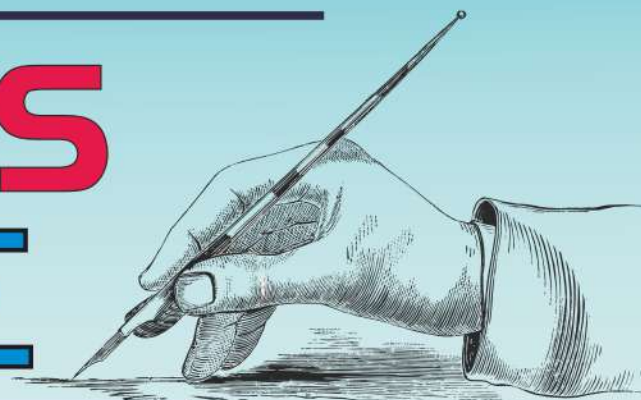


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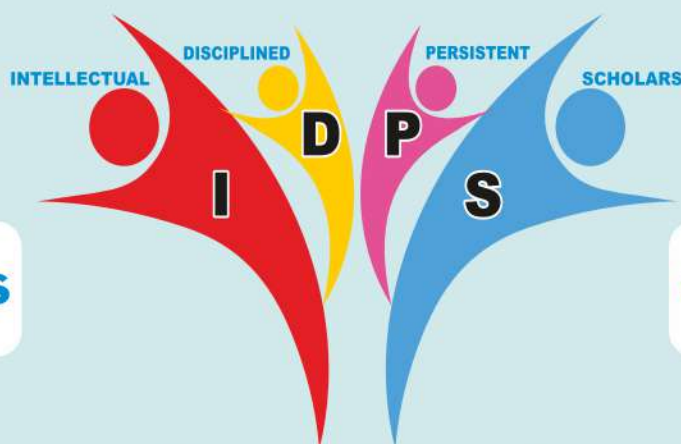


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# Subhas Chandra Bose



Subhas Chandra Bose, the gem of India who wore round glasses on his eyes, a military uniform on his body, and a tilted army cap on his head. Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose a true patriotic personality who fought for his motherland during the time of Independence. He was born on 23rd January 1897, in Odisha. His father was Jankinath Bose and his mother was Prabhavati. He belonged to an affluent family and his parents were quite inspired by English education. During school times, Bose was very inspired by the teachings of Swami Vivekananda and Ramkrishna. Adult Life: Subhas Bose attended Presidency College, Calcutta, with his five brothers in 1913, the historic and traditional college for Bengal's upper-caste Hindu guys back in those days. He chose philosophy as his major, and his readings included Kant, Hegel, Bergson, and other Western thinkers. His feeling of true patriotism came into action after an incident in his college where a British professor misbehaved with an Indian student and stated anti-India comments. When Bose stood up and raised his voice against this situation, he was expelled from the college.

He disliked the way the Britishers treated Indians. That is when he decided to fight for the Independence of India. He went to London to study for Indian Civil Services. In 1920 he realized that even after ICS, he would be working beneath British officials so he resigned and came back to India.

In 1921, he joined the Swaraj party and started several protests. He even went to jail several times but never backed off. He became the General Secretary of the Indian National Congress in 1927. In 1928, he presented himself as a "General Officer Commanding Congress Volunteer Corps" in the annual meeting of the Indian National Congress.

He supported Mahatma Gandhi and was inspired by him but did not support the philosophy of "Non-Violence". He believed that freedom is not given and people need to fight for it. He even organized a mass civil disobedience protest. In 1941 he ghosted from India in the disguise of a Pathan. He went to Germany and trained more than 3000 Indian prisoners for war after which people started calling him "Netaji" out of respect.

He flew to Japan after that and formed Azad Hind Fauj. He even formed an all-women regiment in the Indian National Army, which was called as "Rani Jhansi Regiment". Netaji's famous slogan was "**Tum Mujhe Khoon Do, Main Tumhe Aazadi Dunga**". Slowly with the support of several other countries, Azad Hind Fauj started to fight the British army making them weak. It is said that after these fights and attacks the Britishers started to plan the freedom of India. Netaji is just not a name but an institution.

# Seven Wonders of India

**Taj Mahal** No such list could begin without the mention of India's most magnificent monument. The Taj Mahal is one of the crowning architectural achievements of the Mughal empire built by emperor Shah Jahan, that took 16 years and around 20,000 workers to complete! An ode to eternal love and grandeur, the ivory-marble mausoleum located in Uttar Pradesh's Agra, is a proud part of the 'New Seven Wonders of the World'



**Red Fort** A UNESCO World Heritage Site, Red Fort is located in the very heart of the beautiful capital of India. The country's glorious past is reflected well through this monumental architecture made of red sandstone. Also built by Mughal emperor Shah Jahan in 1648, this is where the Prime Minister of India hoists the national flag every year of Independence Day in New Delhi.



**Golden Temple** Originally called Sri Harmandir Sahib or Darbar Sahib, the Golden Temple of Amritsar in Punjab is the dazzling shrine of India with its two-storeyed structure plated with 24-karat gold – think gilded domes, doors, and even walls! Surrounded by the holy Amrit Sarovar, a reservoir that is believed to be filled with healing water, it is the most sacred gurudwara for the Sikhs. The Guru Granth Sahib, the main sacred scripture of Sikhism, is seated inside the sanctum, while the place is also home to the 'world's biggest community kitchen'.



**Ajanta-Ellora Caves** Deemed a UNESCO World Heritage Site, the set of caves in Maharashtra dates back to the 2nd to 11th century AD. Ajanta-Ellora Caves stand tall as the greatest of rock-cut architectural wonders. Find their ancient walls adorned with fascinating scripture paintings and rock-cut inscriptions, with about 30 Buddhist caves of Ajanta and 34 of Ellora, which have in them Buddhist, Jain, and Hindu roots.



**The Statue of Unity** The tallest statue in the world looks surreal against the backdrop of the stunning Vindhyachal and Satpura hills in Gujarat's Kevadia. Dedicated to Indian statesman and Independence activist Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, this magnanimous statue rises as high as 182 metres (597 feet). The monument also offers a number of experiences from a stay in sprawling rooms at the location to jungle safaris to a trip to the Sardar Sarovar Dam on the Narmada riverbed.



**Konark Sun Temple** The breathtaking Sun Temple in Odisha's Konark is dedicated to the Hindu Sun God, Surya and attributed to King Narasimhadeva I of the Eastern Ganga dynasty. The ruins of the complex have the appearance of a chariot, which is about 100 feet high, featuring wheels, horses, lions, musicians, dancers, and erotic groups, intricately carved in stone. The temple is even featured on the INR10 note of the Indian currency!



**Hampi** Hampi is undoubtedly Karnataka's most important asset. The humble but proud UNESCO-listed site carries Tungabhadra in its heart and the glory of the last empire in India in its memory. The magnificent ruins dot an unearthly landscape filled with heaps of giant boulders, an undulating terrain, lush palm groves, banana plantations, and paddy fields.



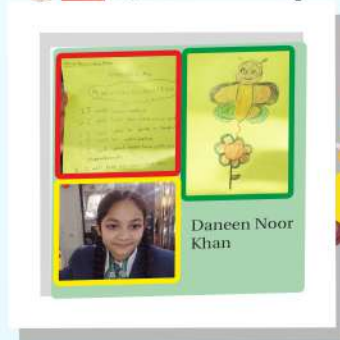
What keeps life fascinating is the constant creativity of the soul.

**THE MAGIC SWORD**

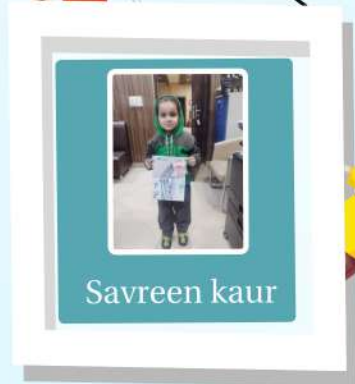
Once upon a time, there was a place named sword land. The place was famous because of the "win or lose", Camp. The camp had many fun games, but the most crowded game was the pull the sword from the stone game, popularly known as the Sward Game. In this game, if a person could pull the sword from the stone, wins one million dollars. The people didn't know that game was made for a reason there was a princess name Briana who went missing in 1982. The king's soldiers tried to find her every where in the town, but they couldn't find her. One of the soldiers reported to the king that he had come to know that the princess had been cursed by witch, and her soul was in someone else's body. The person who could lift the sword from the stone in the "Ruwezori cave" the princess's soul enters the person's body. Many years passed, but they couldn't find the person princess's soul. One day a group of people came to that camp and tried all the games. They tried to lift the sword from the stone but couldn't do that, except for one girl named Auro. She managed to pull the sword own her first try the soliders was shocked inside the prize room. The soliders asked auro to collect her price from the prize room. Later, soliders took Auro to the king's place the solidier introduce auro to the king and narrated the entire story about the girl with the priness's soul. The king feels happy as he feels her daughter presence in Auro the king ordered his soliders to take auro to the priness's room and requested that Auro lives in that room. The next morning soliders took auro to another where Monk resided, he identified Auro and, with his blessings, he changed Auro into Briana by this way, the king got her daughter, and the entire kingdom got their priness



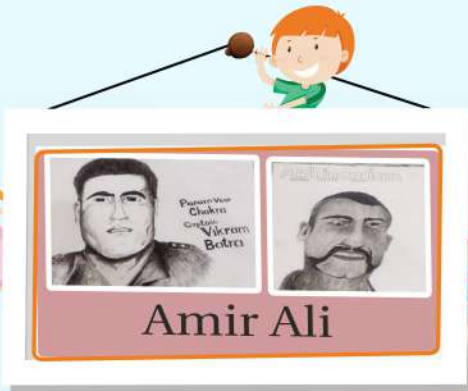
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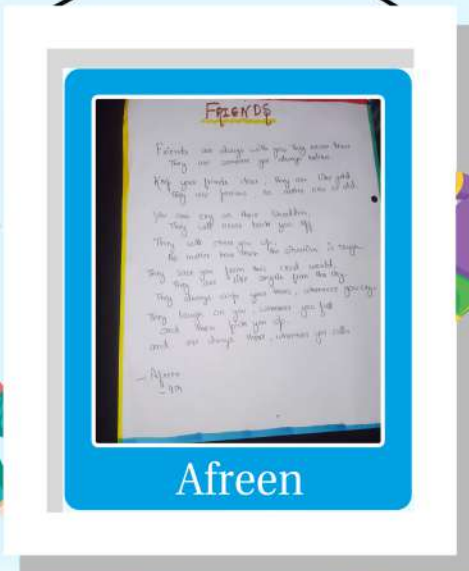
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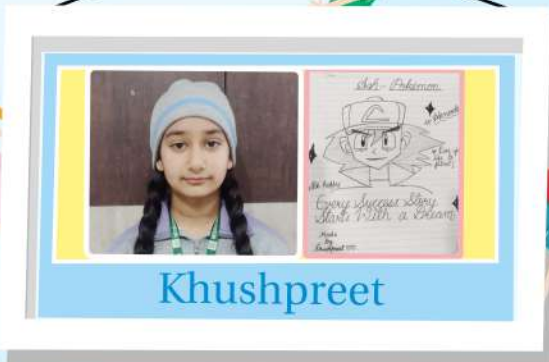
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**NEHA'S ALARM CLOCK**

Narrator: "Ring! Ring! Ring! Off goes the alarm clock at six in the morning. Neha makes a face and covers her ears with a pillow as she snuggles under the warm blanket. But she knows she has to get up. She mutters to herself.  
 NEHA: "This alarm clock always rings at six and pulls me out of bed. It is unfair. Oh, how I would love to sleep a little longer in the morning! I wish this clock would forget its job sometimes."  
 Narrator: "Sometimes one falls." Neha Smiles.  
 Neha: "Oh! My clock has fallen. How happy I am! Tomorrow I can get up late."  
 Narrator: Next morning there is no alarm, so Neha sleeps and sleeps. The small chirping birds, which still come to the window every morning, find Neha still sleeping.  
 Birds: "Wake up, dear! Wake up fast!  
 Narrator: "Neha gets up with a start.  
 Neha: "Oh, no! If it's not the alarm clock, it's these birds—why don't they leave me alone?"  
 Narrator: Even this wish of Neha's comes true. The next morning there is not only no alarm clock; there are no birds either. But there is someone else who does not want her to miss the school bus. Can you guess who it is? The big, bright sun! He fills Neha's room with a warm smile.  
 Neha: "Oh, my eyes! Now it's the sun waking me up! Why can't he let me be?"  
 Narrator: Even this wish of Neha's comes true. The next morning, the sun will be behind the clouds. So, Neha waits till she hears her mother's voice.  
 Mother: "Wake up, sleepy head." You will miss the bus.  
 Neha: Oh no! Why does my mother have to wake me up?  
 Narrator: "There is no escape now. Neha, get ready. Can you imagine what happens the next day? Neha wakes up with a start. Her watch says it is six o'clock. She calls out to her mother.  
 Neha: Maa, who woke me up today?  
 Narrator: "Mother smiles."  
 Mother: Who else? You, of course!  
 Neha: "Now, tell me, why do you eat your lunch every day at one in the afternoon?"  
 Neha: "I feel hungry."  
 Mother: "Why do you sleep at nine every night?"  
 Neha: Because I feel sleepy. Mother: There is a clock inside you that tells you when to eat, when to sleep, and when to wake up.  
 Oh! Oh! Oh! I feel better now. I don't want to miss the bus.  
 RELAX! Today is Sunday!  
 Oh! Oh! Oh!

Namapreet Kour  
Class: 4th E

# A MOMENTARY VIEW OF ACTIVITIES

## FUN FILLED FIESTA

### PUPPET SHOW, MAGIC SHOW & FUN GAMES



*Children love to have fond memories of their school.*

*Playing with their friends in the playground, getting ecstatic with the magic show and puppet show– these are the fun experiences they reminisce about.*

*Giving them fond memories for keepsake and make their little hearts shine through with excitement and happiness, a fun filled fiesta was organized for Grade I- V*



# A MOMENTARY VIEW OF ACTIVITIES

## TRIVIA TIME FOR JUNIORS AND CHAMPS

### FROM GRADE IV TO VIII



In order to engage with young minds, develop an enhanced learning experience. IDPS organised a Quiz Competition- a fun and effective way to ensure that kids actively participate to attain maximum knowledge. Beyond the obvious academic advantages of exposing a child to new ideas and abilities at a young age, quizzes fundamentally alter how education is provided. It was a fun filled and learning experience for the students.



# A MOMENTARY VIEW OF ACTIVITIES

## STORY TELLING

### FOR THE TEACHERS OF IDPS GARTEN



*Storytelling involves developing an inner vision of a series of events, and then communicating this inner vision to listeners. In this Workshop, teachers of IDPS GARTEN are coached regarding the use of words, tone of voice, gestures, facial expressions, and other key factors for effective communication - it is always kept in mind that the teachers will be coaching their students in similar ways. A value of working with stories for education is that stories can present information in manageable -- and vivid, colourful, and memorable - packages.*



# MEMORY POWER



The moment babies are born, their brains start registering information from their surroundings. A baby learns a language used by their family and even develops the power to learn more languages. As we age, our memory power reduces. Forgetfulness is quite common among aged people. It also happens to young minds due to prolonged stress and tension. Increasing memory power is possible by following certain proven techniques.

Our brain has an amazing capacity of remembering things. A healthy brain can do miracles that are beyond our perception. We often weaken or lose this power due to certain circumstances. Here is how to increase memory power and concentration using the following tips.

## 1. Learning to Focus

The first step is to control your monkey mind and learn to focus. We often see that our thoughts jump from one point to the other and it's not in our control. Paying attention to something is the first step to boosting memory power.

To develop focus, you need to keep away all distractions from your study room. Make it a place where you can concentrate and focus peacefully. Neurology experts explain how to increase memory power in students by learning to focus first.

## 2. Meditation

A proven technique to improve your concentration and memory is by practicing meditation. One such technique is mindfulness practice through which you will become aware of what is happening in and around you. You will learn how to ignore them and concentrate on something. This meditation technique teaches you to slow down the train of thoughts and calm your mind. It teaches

how to increase your memory power by controlling your monkey mind. When you start practicing this technique, you will find how restless your mind is. You will learn to settle your mind down. It will help you to calm down, de-stress, and let the negativity flow out of your system.

## 3. Learn Something New

Another proven way of developing your mind to remember things is by learning something new. Our brain chemistry shows the making of new brain cells and connections when it registers something new. Remember that your achievements are good memories that help you to stay happy.

It can be anything. You can develop a new hobby related to art, learn a new language, play an instrument, etc. This activity will rewire your brain and help you remember things more. Research suggests speaking more than one language can boost your memory and ward off memory problems in people.

## 4. Repeat and Recall

When you learn something new, try to repeat it. Consider this example. You have studied a new scientific law. It is explained well in the book. Make notes in your language in a concise format. Draw the figures and practice the mathematical explanation given. You will remember it for a longer period.

Repeating and retrieving things you have studied in different ways will increase your brain's retention power and shows how to boost memory.

## 5. Good Food Habits

There are good foods that offer excellent nutrition to boost your memory. It has been found that children eating such foods display better memory functions. There are different types of diets designed to contain foods to improve memory.

The Mediterranean Diet is designed to control high blood pressure. This type of diet contains plant-based food containing green, colorful, and leafy vegetables. Eating whole grains and legumes adds good protein and fat to the diet. Our brain needs a high amount of fat to function and grow new brain cells. Fatty fish and olive oil are ideal for brain development. Hence, good food is linked to good memory.

## 6. Avoid These Foods

Munching on fast foods such as potato chips, wafers, burgers, etc can cause damage to your brain. Your thinking power reduces considerably when your brain is invaded by the unhealthy fat present in these types of junk food. Avoid cheese, salt, fried foods, excess red meat, sugar, and any kind of processed food. Eat freshly cooked food every day.

## Conclusion

These memory power increase tips will help you retain new information better and recall them whenever you want. Follow these techniques and don't forget to do physical exercise. It helps our brain to remain happy. Stay hydrated all the time and eat good food.

Playing with friends in the evening and taking breaks will help find out how to improve memory and concentration. Rest well and do not stress. Learn when to stop and take a break and relax at regular intervals.

# LEMONGRASS

**1. Relieving anxiety** Many people find sipping hot tea to be relaxing, but lemongrass tea may offer further anxiety-reducing properties.

According to the Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, smelling lemongrass may help people with anxiety. Although some people already inhale lemongrass essential oil to relieve stress and anxiety, researchers still need more evidence to be able to confirm this benefit.

**2. Lowering cholesterol** According to an article Trusted Source in the Journal of Advanced Pharmaceutical Technology & Research, consuming lemongrass extracts appears to lower cholesterol in animals.

The study notes that the reaction is dose-dependent. This means that larger quantities of lemongrass might lower cholesterol further.

**3. Preventing infection** According to the Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, study results suggest that lemongrass may have some infection-preventing capabilities.

For example, the herb seems to reduce the incidence of thrush, a fungal infection that commonly affects people with weakened immune systems, such as those with HIV.

**4. Boosting oral health** In many countries where the lemongrass plant is native to the area, people will take the lemongrass stalks and chew on them as a way to improve dental health and keep the mouth feeling clean.

The Food Chemistry journal published a study confirming these findings. The authors looked at 12 herbs and found that lemongrass herbal extracts were one of the most potent inhibitors of bacterial growth in lab samples. They used bacteria that can cause cavities in the mouth, including *Streptococcus sanguinis*.

**5. Relieving pain** According to one study Trusted Source, lemongrass may be able to block pain. This means that drinking lemongrass tea could potentially help to prevent a person from sensing pain.

**6. Boosting red blood cell levels** The results of a 2015 study suggest that drinking lemongrass tea infusions daily for 30 days can increase hemoglobin concentration, packed cell volume, and red blood cell count in the body.

The researchers took blood tests from 105 human subjects at the start, and then at 10 and 30 days into the study. They concluded that drinking lemongrass tea boosts the formation of red blood cells.

While they did not identify precisely how lemongrass does this, they did suggest that the tea's antioxidant properties could play a role.

**7. Relieving bloating** Drinking lemongrass tea can have diuretic effects, which means that it stimulates the kidneys to release more urine than usual.

According to a small-scale study in the Journal of Renal Nutrition, drinking lemongrass tea increases urine output more than other beverages.

This diuretic effect on the body can be beneficial in cases where water retention leads to bloating. This is a common symptom of premenstrual syndrome (PMS).



# OPENING CEREMONY OF BADMINTON

*INTERSCHOOL BADMINTON TOURNAMENT under the patronage of Jammu Sahodaya Schools Complex. It is rightly quoted by Nelson Mandela – It always seems impossible until it is done and winner is the one who never gives up! With immense delight and jubilation, a warm welcome to the convivial gathering of distinguished guests and luminaries for the Opening Ceremony. On behalf of IDPS Family, our sincere gratitude to our revered Chief Guest Mr. Sarmad Hafeez (IAS), Secretary Youth Services and Sports J&K who spared his valuable time and blessed us with his presence today. We are privileged to solicit the benign presence of our Guest of Honour – Ms. Nuzhat Gul, Secretary J&K Sports Council. We extended a warm welcome to the members of Jammu Sahodaya group – Mr. KC Singh Mehta – Academic Director IDPS Akhnoor & Mentor – Sahodaya. Mr. Deep Khare – Principal Jodhamal Public School and Ms. Shuchi Gupta – Principal Air Force School Jammu. We are grateful to have their benevolent presence for the event. This endeavour would not have been possible without the support of our worthy Management and a warm welcome to the Management of IDPS. A genial welcome to all the mentors and the participants of 21 schools across the Jammu region who are here to make this event vibrant and vivid.*





# CLOSING CEREMONY OF BADMINTON

**PRIZE DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY - INTER SCHOOL BADMINTON TOURNAMENT** held under the patronage of Jammu Sahodaya Schools Complex. Interschool Badminton championship took off with a loud roar as school participants stepped on the court to prove their mettle. With immense delight and jubilation, we announce the RESULTS of the Competition -  
**BOYS TEAM** First Position - APS Kaluchak Second Position - APS Nagrota Third Position - IDPS Jammu  
**GIRLS TEAM** : First Position - APS Kaluchak Second Position- DOON International Third Position - St. Peter's high school  
**PLAYER OF THE TOURNAMENT( BOY) - HARSH SHARMA (APS KALUCHAK)**  
**PLAYER OF THE TOURNAMENT( GIRL) - SUHAANI SHARMA ( APS KALUCHAK)**



# AMAZING FACTS

## NIAGARA FALLS



Niagara Falls never freezes

## RIVER NILE



The longest river in the world

## BELIZE FLAG



The national flag with the most colors in it is Belize

## EGYPT



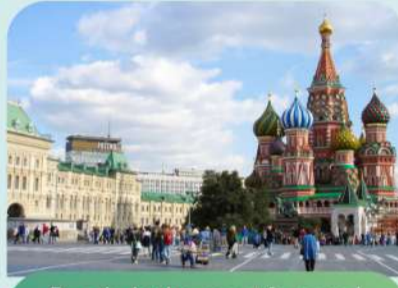
Egypt is classified as the oldest country in the world

## DIGITAL CURRENCY



92% of the world's currency is digital

## RUSSIA



Russia is the most forested country in the world, with 815 million hectares.

# FABLED FIRST



## Razia Sultana

Razia Sultana was the first woman sultanate of India, and ruled the court of Delhi from the end of 1236 to 1240. The only ever woman to do so, she defied all odds to occupy the throne, including overcoming conflicts over her gender her slave ancestry. During her ancestry she proved her mettle as a just and capable ruler, and was renowned for her subversive actions, which varied from sporting men's attire to printing coins in her own name and image.

**Quote** ”

*"Inspiration does exist, but it must find you working."*

—Pablo Picasso



## INVENTION BY TEENAGERS

The young father who created a pacifier with built-in thermometer.

Native Chicagoan Anthony Halmon is only a freshman at Cornell University, but he's already made a name for himself. In 2013, the young father came up with the idea to create a pacifier that doubles as a thermometer. It's called the Thermofier. His creation is described as an improvement on existing models already on store shelves. The idea came from his concern for his young daughter and not always being able to easily discern when the baby wasn't feeling well. His invention earned him a visit to the White House and a meeting with President Obama. Halmon, who is interested in studying sociology and government, is from Chicago's Englewood area. He described it as a "tough, rough" place with "a lot of violence and gangs." Growing up, he said, he was accosted regularly by various gang members due to the reputation of one of his relatives. The year that his father died (his sophomore year in high school) was also the year he learned he was to be a father. The teen made it his goal to better his life for the sake of his daughter, who is now 3 years old.

# WORD MEANING

endeavour

**Word:** endeavour  
**Meaning:** try hard to do or achieve something.

**Sentence:** he is endeavouring to help the Third World"

# SCRABBLE

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# Quiz

1. What was Meta Platforms Inc formerly known as?
2. Which English city is known as the Steel City?
3. Which former British colony was given back to China in 1997?
4. The logo for luxury car maker Porsche features which animal?
5. Which element is said to keep bones strong?
6. What does CIA stand for?

1. FACEBOOK
2. SHEFFIELD
3. HONG KONG
4. HORSE
5. CALCIUM
6. CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

# COLOURING PICTURE



# CURRENT AFFAIRS

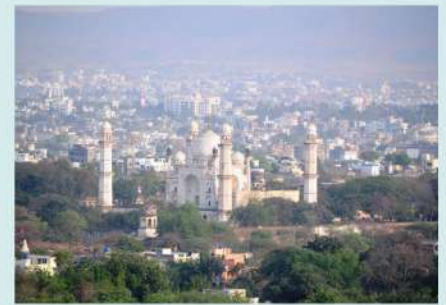
1. Visakhapatnam will be the new Andhra Pradesh capital: CM Jagan Reddy. Visakhapatnam, a port and industrial city brimming with cosmopolitan culture has been in the news ever since Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister YS Jagan Mohan Reddy's government announced that it would be the new capital of the state, indicating plans to develop Amaravati – on the banks of the Krishna river – as the capital city have been scrapped. The announcement of Visakhapatnam, a new capital for Andhra comes nine years after the state of Telangana was carved out of its territory and given Hyderabad as its capital.



2. FIFA awards 2022: Lionel Messi wins 'Best FIFA player of 2022'. Argentina's Lionel Messi has bagged the Best FIFA men's player prize for 2022. Messi outclassed his Paris Saint Germain (PSG) teammate Kylian Mbappe and Real Madrid captain Karim Benzema to lift the famous trophy at Salle Pleyel in Paris. In the FIFA Awards vote, Messi had 52 points, Mbappé 44, and Benzema 34. It is the second time that Messi has won the honour inaugurated by FIFA in 2016. Messi was named the winner of the Best FIFA Men's Player award for his outstanding performances in men's football from the period of 8 August 2021 to 18 December 2022. Equalling Cristiano Ronaldo and Robert Lewandowski's massive feat at the FIFA awards.



3. Union Government Approved Renaming of Aurangabad & Osmanabad in Maharashtra. Chief Minister Eknath Shinde confirmed that Aurangabad city will be renamed Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar, and Osmanabad city will be called Dharashiv. After a year the proposal to rename Aurangabad and Osmanabad has been approved by the Ministry of Home Affairs. The Ministry stated that it has no objection to renaming cities. The initial proposal was made in a cabinet meeting during the Maha Vikas Aghadi government in June 2022 before Uddhav Thackeray resigned as the then-chief minister. After claiming that the decision by the Uddhav government was illegal, On July 16, 2022, a Government Resolution was passed by the two-member cabinet, comprising Eknath Shinde and his deputy Devendra Fadnavis, for changing the names, and a proposal was then forwarded to the Centre.



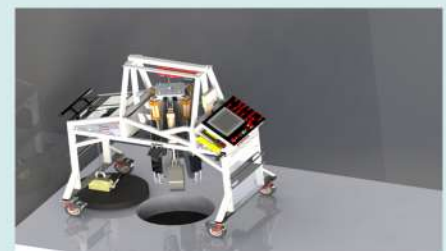
4. Karnataka plans country's first marina at Byndoor. The Karnataka Government will build the country's first Marina or a boat basin offering dockage, at Byndoor in Udupi district to promote coastal tourism in Karnataka. The government will also seek permission from the Centre for the relaxation of coastal regulation zone (CRZ) to take up beach tourism in coastal areas and pilgrim tourism. The government will collect the history of the greatest dynasties such as Ganga, Kadamba, Rashtrakoota, Chalukya, and Hoysala from the Department of Archaeology and develop the history of tourism in the state. This will not only help the development of tourism but also help people understand the rich history of the state.



5. Computer scientist Hari Balakrishnan wins 2023 Marconi Prize. Computer scientist Hari Balakrishnan has been awarded the 2023 Marconi Prize. Dr. Balakrishnan has been cited "for fundamental contributions to wired and wireless networking, mobile sensing, and distributed systems". The Marconi Prize is a top honour for computer scientists and is awarded by the U.S.-based Marconi Foundation. It is given to those "who have made a significant contribution to increasing digital inclusivity through advanced information and communications technology."



6. Kerala becomes first state to use robotic scavengers to clean manholes. The Kerala government has launched robotic scavenger, "Bandicoot", to clean sewages in the temple town of Guruvayur, becoming the first state in the country to use robotic technology to clean all its commissioned manholes. Water Resources Minister, Roshi Augustine, launched Bandicoot under the Guruvayur Sewerage Project in Thrissur district by the Kerala Water Authority (KWA), as part of the 100-day action plan of the state government. The robotic Tron Unit, which is the major component of Bandicoot, enters the manhole and removes sewage using robotic hands, similar to a man's limbs, the release, adding that the machine has waterproof, HD vision cameras and sensors that can detect harmful gases inside the manholes.



7. First nuclear plant of North India to be built in Haryana. The first nuclear power plant in North India would be built in Gorakhpur, Haryana, according to Union Minister Jitendra Singh. He claimed that one of the major accomplishments under Prime Minister Narendra Modi's leadership would be the installation of nuclear and atomic energy plants across the nation, which had previously been largely restricted to states in the south like Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh as well as western Maharashtra. According to Singh, the Center has unanimously approved the installation of 10 nuclear reactors in an effort to boost India's nuclear capability. The Department of Atomic Energy is also allowed to join forces with Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) to get funding for the opening of nuclear power plants.



8. Lithium reserves for the first time found in Jammu & Kashmir. In Jammu and Kashmir, 5.9 million tonnes of lithium reserves have been discovered for the first time in India, according to the Mines Ministry's announcement on Thursday (February, 9). According to the Ministry of Mines, the Geological Survey of India has for the first time discovered 5.9 million tonnes of lithium inferred resources (G3) in the Salal-Haimana area of the Reasi district of Jammu and Kashmir. It further stated that state governments received 51 mineral parcels, including lithium and gold. Non-ferrous metal lithium is one of the essential elements of EV batteries.



# DETERMINATION



The project started well, but when it was only a few months underway a tragic accident on the site took the life of John Roebling. Washington was injured and left with a certain amount of brain damage, which resulted in him not being able to walk or talk or even move. "We told them so." "Crazy men and their crazy dreams." "It's foolish to chase wild visions." Everyone had a negative comment to make and felt that the project should be scrapped since the Roeblings were the only ones who knew how the bridge could be built. In spite of his handicap Washington was never discouraged and still had a burning desire to complete the bridge and his mind was still as sharp as ever. He tried to inspire and pass on his enthusiasm to some of his friends, but they were too daunted by the task. As he lay on his bed in his hospital room, with the sunlight streaming through the Windows, a gentle breeze blew the flimsy white curtains apart and he was able to see the sky and the tops of the trees outside for just a moment. It seemed that there was a message for him not to give up. Suddenly an idea hit him. All he could do was move one finger and he decided to make the best use of it. By moving this, he slowly developed a code of communication with his wife. He touched his wife's arm with that finger, indicating to her that he wanted her to call the engineers again. Then he used the same method of tapping her arm to tell the engineers what to do. It seemed foolish but the project was under way again. For 13 years Washington tapped out his instructions with his finger on his wife's arm, until the bridge was finally completed. Today the spectacular Brooklyn Bridge stands in all its glory as a tribute to the triumph of one man's indomitable spirit and his determination not to be defeated by circumstances. It is also a tribute to the engineers and their team work, and to their faith in a man who was considered mad by half the world. It stands too as a tangible monument to the love and devotion of his wife who for 13 long years patiently decoded the messages of her husband and told the engineers what to do. Perhaps this is one of the best examples of a never-say-die attitude that overcomes a terrible physical handicap and achieves an impossible goal. Often when we face obstacles in our day-to-day life, our hurdles seem very small in comparison to what many others have to face. The Brooklyn Bridge shows us that dreams that seem impossible can be realized with determination and persistence, no matter what the odds are.

**Even the most distant dream can be realized with determination and persistence.**

## AWARDS AND HONOURS



A proud moment for IDPS as IDPIAN - Manikarnika Singh participated in National Dance Sports Championship 2022-23 held at Spiritual Growth Centre, Katra, Reasi, J&K. She got accoladed with Gold medal Around 130 participants from all over India participated in the Championship. She performed kathak (Solo Indian Classical dance style)



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FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

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Chief Media Editor

Many of us grow up not knowing what we want to do with our lives. It can take years to figure it out and some even flunk in that as well. Many of us change jobs, careers, move to a different location, country and even different relationships, searching for their purpose and destination. To achieve success in finding your way, soul-searching is a necessity. You need to ask yourself "what do I want in life?" "Think about your strengths, your weaknesses and most importantly your passions. It may take a day, a week, a month or even longer, but when you answer your question, your destination becomes clear. Your direction will not fall in your lap, so don't waste another moment, create an inner compass and find it yourself. When we talk about choosing the right path, we need to first understand that one of the greatest gift of modern society is to determine your own path. Before we can start analyzing the various path, we need to firstly know ourselves and recognize the values that we have as an individual. In my personal opinion the right path leaves you with no regrets and no doubts, eventually leading you to a purpose in your life.  
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