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#### **INTERNATIONAL** 1) NASA's Experiment MOXIE

- MOXIE by NASA is demonstrating its ability to consistently carry out the work of a tiny tree on the red and dusty surface of Mars.

- The MIT-led Mars Oxygen In-Situ Resource Utilization Experiment, or MOXIE, has been producing oxygen from the Red Planet's carbon-dioxide-rich atmosphere.

# NATIONAL

## 1) Ministry of Education launches Shikshak Parv

Shikshak Parv was launched by Union Ministers Annapurna Devi and Rajkumar Ranjan Singh to honour teachers and advance the new National Education Policy.
Under NEP 2020, teachers will have to work on the future action plan as per the notion of an integrated and interdisciplinary approach.

## 2) Bengaluru Space Expo 2022

The 7th Edition of Bengaluru Space Expo 2022, is organized in association with the Indian Science and Research Organization, Indian National Space Promotion and Authorisation Centre (IN-SPACE), and NewSpace India Limited.
The theme of the conference is "Nurturing the NewSpace in India" and it will provide an ideal platform for Indian and international space agencies and companies in this sector.

## 3) Pradhan Mantri TB Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan

- President Draupadi Murmu will launch the Pradhan Mantri TB Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan virtually on 9th September 2022.

- The Pradhan Mantri TB Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan aims to eliminate tuberculosis from India by 2025. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has given a distinctive call to end TB in India giving years ahead of the Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) of 2030.

## 4) UNESCO Global Network of Learning Cities

- Warangal and two cities from Kerala have joined the UNESCO Global Network of Learning Cities in recognition of their outstanding efforts to make lifelong



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learning a reality for all at the local level.

- Warangal in Telangana, Thrissur and Nilambur are among the 77 cities from 44 countries which have joined this network of the world body.

## STATE NEWS

## 1) "Pudhumai Penn Scheme" for girls

- Tamil Nadu Chief Minister M.K. Stalin has launched the Moovalur Ramamirtham Ammaiyar Higher Education Assurance scheme titled 'Pudhumai Penn' in the presence of Delhi Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal.

- Pudhumai Penn scheme, girl students, who studied from Class V to Class XII in state government schools would be paid monthly assistance of Rs 1,000 till they complete their graduation or diploma.

## **BUSINESS AND ECONOMY**

## 1) HDFC ERGO plans to completely migrate to the Google cloud by 2024

- HDFC ERGO General Insurance has roped in Google Cloud to build an online platform for selling insurance. HDFC ERGO plans to completely migrate to the cloud by 2024.

- This online platform for selling insurance, offering tailored digital experiences to customers, responding to regulatory changes faster, and identifying insurance risks using data analytics and machine learning

## **APPOINTMENTS AND RESIGNATIONS**

#### 1) Sanjay Kumar Verma

- Senior diplomat Sanjay Kumar Verma has been appointed as India's next high commissioner to Canada.

- He succeeds Acting High Commissioner Anshuman Gaur. Verma is a 1988 batch officer of the Indian Foreign Service.

## 2) Suella Braverman

- Liz Truss, the new British prime minister, named Suella Braverman, a lawyer of Indian descent, as the country's new home secretary.

- Priti Patel, will be replaced in the position by Suella Braverman.

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## 3) Peiter Elbers

- Peiter Elbers assumed the charge of Indigo's chief executive officer. he was announced as the replacement for outgoing CEO Ronojoy Dutta.

# **IMPORTANT DAYS**

## 1) International Literacy Day

- International Literacy Day (ILD) is celebrated on 8 September every year all across the globe to make people aware of the meaning and importance of literacy for individuals and societies.

- In 2022, International Literacy Day will be celebrated worldwide under the theme, "Transforming Literacy Learning Spaces".

## **OBITUARY**

#### 1) TV Sankaranarayan

- TV Sankaranarayan, Renowned Carnatic musician, has passed away. He was the torchbearer for the Madurai Mani Iyer style of Carnatic music. He had shared several stages with Madurai Mani Iyer.

- He won the Madras Music Academy's Sangeeta Kalanidhi Award in 2003 and was honoured with the Padma Bhushan in 2003.