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## **21 December 2023 West Bengal News**

Tripura Sepahijala Zoo set to get a pair of Royal Bengal Tigers from Siliguri Zoo	<ul> <li>In an exchange programme with a zoo in Siliguri, the Tripura Zoo will get a pair of Royal Bengal Tiger and they will give away a pair of lions.</li> <li>The exchange programme has been approved by the Central Zoo Authority of India and will prove to be a boon for both zoos.</li> <li>Under the exchange programme, Siliguri Zoo will send a pair of a lion, a pair of leopards, a hill myna, an Indian peacock, a gold peasant a and silver pheasant.</li> <li>Whereas the North Bengal Zoo will receive a pair of blackbuck and leopard cats along with a lion couple.</li> </ul>
47 industrial units to come up in Malda district	<ul> <li>Malda district is going to get 47 new industrial units with investments worth more than Rs 1,100 crore.</li> <li>These projects will create job opportunities for over 6,000 people.</li> <li>Key points</li> <li>Among these 47 industries, ethanol and poly textile units are the two mega projects, while Cement, wall putty, carpet, jute mill, steel and plastic production units are among others. Further, 142 new industrial units have also been set up in Malda during the 2022-23 financial year.</li> <li>These units include jute mills, rice mills, atta mills, starch, steel, and plastic production set up at an investment of Rs 641 crore 17 lakh generating 4,224</li> </ul>
CM meets PM modi for PMAY funds	Context The Chief Minister meets Prime Minister Modi regarding the release of Funds for (Pradhan Mantri) Awas Yojna for the state.  About PMAY  Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY) falls under the Government's mission - Housing for All by 2022 for urban housing being implemented by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA).  It makes home loans affordable for the urban poor by providing a subsidy on the Interest Rate of a home loan during repayment by way of EMI (Equated Monthly Installments).



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Programme 'Ek Lakh Gita Path'	Context
	<ul> <li>Prime Minister Narendra Modi is likely to attend an event in Kolkata in which one lakh people will recite verses from the Bhagavad Gita</li> <li>The event is organized by the Lokkho Konthe Gitapatha Committeean association of Sanatan Sanskriti Sansad, Matilal Bharat Tirtha Seba Mission Ashram, and Akhil Bharatiya Sanskrit Porisad</li> <li>It will see one lakh simultaneous chants of Bhagavad Gita verses under the programme 'Ek Lakh Gita Path' at Kolkata's Brigade Parade ground.</li> </ul>
Mayurjharna Elephant Reserve	<ul> <li>Location: Portion of Midnapore, Bankura, and Purulia districts of West Bengal. On the west, it is contiguous with the Singhbhum Elephant Reserve (Jharkhand). On the south, it is contiguous with the Mayurbhanj Elephant Reserve (Odisha).</li> <li>It is an elephant reserve in Eastern India.</li> <li>The area of this elephant reserve is 414.06 km2</li> <li>The reserve was declared on 24 October 2002 by the Government of West Bengal.</li> </ul>

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