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Good Governance Day



- Good governance is observed annually December 25.
- The day aims to let the citizens, the students, who are the future of the country know about the government's responsibilities and duties that it needs to fulfill.
- The day is also celebrated to commemorate the birth anniversary of India's former Prime Minister, Atal Bihari Vajpayee.

Bangla Sangeet Mela

Context

- Bangla Sangeet Mela will be held in the districts from 2024.
- The aim is to showcase the talent of more and more next-generation musicians from different parts of the state.

Tribal development projects the Alipurduar district

Context

- The State Tribal Development Department has allocated an additional Rs 10 crore for various development projects in six blocks of Alipurduar district inhabited by tribals.
- The six blocks of the districts will witness the construction of two new Sarna tribal community halls in the Madarihat Birpara and Kalchini blocks.
- Additionally, the renovation of the Bir Birsamunda Bus Terminus in Birpara City will be in progress with allocated funds.

Dalit Bandhu Welfare and Development **Board**

Context

- The state government has set up the **Dalit Bandhu** Welfare and Development Board for the welfare of the underprivileged community.
- The 11-member board will help the state government bring the Dalit community, divided into separate groups under one umbrella and reach out to them with welfare schemes in a better manner.





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	Key points
	 The term of office for the chairperson, vice-chairperson and all other non-official members is five years from the date of notification or until further order, whichever is earlier, and shall automatically expire on completion of five years According to the 2011 Census, India has around 166 million Dalits, and Bengal accounts for 10.8 percent. The Dalit community in Bengal is divided into different groups like Matua, Rajbanshi, Bagdi and Bauri.
Jalpaiguri Rajbari Dighi Park	 Jalpaiguri Rajbari Dighi Park is set to introduce new battery-powered toy cars for the entertainment of young visitors. The ongoing efforts to enhance the park include the recent installation of an open stage and solar panels to provide electricity This will attract more visitors, especially children.

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