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#### **Andhra Pradesh State Regional News**

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Disha App

In News: Disha' who supported the young woman.

- Disha app has become a favorite for women in distress
- Disha is a women's safety app developed by the Andhra Pradesh government.

#### **Key Points:**

 It is a free app that can be downloaded from the Google Play Store and the Apple App Store.

The app has a number of features:

- 1. SOS button
- 2. Shake Feature
- 3. Track my travel
- 4. Nearby police Stations
- 5. Useful Contacts

# **RBI state-wise Statistics Report**

In News: Massive increase in state gross product.

- With the measures taken by AP government, activities in all sectors like agriculture, manufacturing, real estate etc. are increasing rapidly in the state.
- The data released by the RBI.

#### **Key Points:**

- In the last four years, the state's gross product has increased by Rs.3,74,369 crores.
- Also, the per capita income of the country has increased by 65,487 rupees in the last four years.
- It is said that the value of agricultural sector activities in the state is increasing significantly from the financial year 2019-20.

# AP Rural Road Connectivity Project

**In News**: AP rural road connectivity project going on full speed.

- The government has undertaken the AP Rural Road Connectivity Project with the loan assistance of Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank for the repair of damaged rural roads in West Godavari and Srikakulam districts with the help of a loan from Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank
- The total value of the project is Rs.5,026 crore, while AIIB is providing Rs.3,418 crore as loan.
- AP Rural Road Project works are going on in the joint two Godavari districts for 5 days.









#### Asian Infrastructure **Investment Bank**



#### **Key Points:**

- The Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) is a multilateral development bank with a mission to improve social and economic outcomes in Asia.
- Founded in 2016, the AIIB has 106 member countries. including 42 in Asia, 26 in Europe, 21 in Africa, 8 in Oceania, 8 in South America, and 1 in North America.
- The AIIB provides loans, equity investments, and technical assistance for infrastructure projects in developing countries.

The bank's investments are focused on four priority areas:

- 1. Energy
- 2. Transport
- 3. Water and sanitation
- 4. Telecommunications
- The AIIB also prioritizes projects that support sustainable development and climate change mitigation and adaptation.

#### Andhra Students speak at the UN Education Forum In New York.



In News: 10-member Andhra Students' Team Speaks at UN Education Forum in New York

For the first time ever, a team of 10 students from Government schools in Andhra Pradesh is visiting the United State of America where they will speak on the reforms brought out by the AP government in the education sector.

#### **Key Points:**

The underprivileged children have gotten the golden opportunity to be part of the historic and action packed SDG (Sustainable Development Goal) summit at the United Nations headquarters in New York City.

#### Sustainable Development Goals

#### **Key Points on SDG:**

- The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are a collection of 17 interlinked global goals designed to create a better world for all by 2030.
- Adopted by all United Nations Member States in 2015, the SDGs are a call to action to address the world's biggest challenges, including poverty, inequality, climate change, environmental degradation, peace, and justice.



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## SUSTAINABLE **DEVELOPMENT**

#### 17 GOALS TO TRANSFORM OUR WORLD





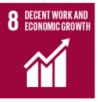


































#### APFDC bags Capexil top export award

In News: APFDC bags Capexil top export award for 2021-22

- The AP Forest Development Corporation Limited (APFDC) has bagged the Capexil top export award instituted by the Government of India.
- This could only be possible as AP stood top in ease of doing business for the last four years,"
- AP had recorded a 15.31% growth rate in exports in 2021-22, compared to the previous fiscal year

#### The Capexil Awards

#### **Key Points:**

- The Capexil Top Export Awards are instituted by the Chemicals and Allied Products Export Promotion Council (CAPEXIL), an export promotion council under the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India.
- The awards are conferred to recognize and honor the outstanding performance of Indian exporters of chemicals and allied products.

The awards are given in two categories:

Highest Export Award: This award is given to the exporter who achieves the highest export turnover in the chemicals and allied products sector during the year.

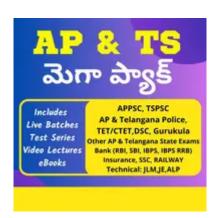


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Top Export Award: This award is given to the exporter who achieves the highest export turnover in each of the sub-sectors of the chemicals and allied products industry.



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