

Nandyal Banking Coaching Center - Daily News Dated 31 Dec 2025

1. Which hospital performed India's first-ever 3D Flex Aqueous Angiography with iStent? Ans: **Army Hospital (Research & Referral), Delhi**
2. What is the total cost of contracts signed by the Ministry of Defence (MoD) for Close Quarter Battle Carbines and Heavy Weight Torpedoes? Ans: **Rs 4,666 crore**
3. Which Abu Dhabi hospital became the first globally to administer the gene therapy ITVISMA for spinal muscular atrophy? Ans: **Sheikh Khalifa Medical City**
4. How many registrations were recorded for Pariksha Pe Charcha (PPC) 2026 as of December 30, 2025? Ans: **Over 3 crore**
5. The Delhi government partnered with which institution to launch an AI-based Unified Grievance Redressal System? Ans: **Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Kanpur**
6. What is the duration of the safeguard tariff imposed by India on specific steel products to curb imports? Ans: **Three years**
7. What was the primary reason for partial withdrawals under the National Pension System (NPS) in FY 2025? Ans: **Housing (purchase or construction)**
8. According to the Reserve Bank of India (RBI), what was the Gross Non-Performing Assets (GNPA) ratio of commercial banks as of September 30? Ans: **2.1 per cent**
9. Which New Zealand cricketer recently announced retirement from all forms of international cricket? Ans: **Doug Bracewell**
10. Which company became India's first Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) to produce EV motors without heavy rare earth elements? Ans: **Simple Energy**
11. Who manufactures the Advanced Light Helicopter Dhruv New Generation (ALH Dhruv-NG) flagged off by the Civil Aviation Minister? Ans: **Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL)**
12. What is the maximum financial support offered per startup under IDFC FIRST Bank's IGNITE Program? Ans: **Rs 30 lakhs**
13. Which new Indian Standard was released by the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) for Incense Sticks (Agarbatti)? Ans: **IS 19412:2025**
14. What is the name of the premium metal credit card launched by IDFC FIRST Bank for high-net-worth individuals? Ans: **Gaj: Credit Card**
15. Rediff.com India received a Third-Party Application Provider (TPAP) licence from which organisation? Ans: **National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI)**
16. Who has been assigned the additional charge of Director General of the National Investigation Agency (NIA)? Ans: **Rakesh Aggarwal**

17. Which city will host the 19th Urban Mobility India (UMI) Conference & Exhibition in 2026? Ans: **Bhubaneswar, Odisha**
18. Which city won the award for 'City with the Best Public Transport System' at the 18th UMI Conference? Ans: **Chennai**
19. Under the 'Mukhya Mantri Nishchay Swayam Sahayta Bhatta Yojana', how much monthly allowance will unemployed graduates in Bihar receive? Ans: **₹1,000**
20. The Defense Acquisition Council (DAC) approved capital acquisition proposals worth how much to strengthen the armed forces? Ans: **₹79,000 crore**
21. What is the range of the Pinaka Long Range Guided Rocket (LRGR) successfully tested by DRDO? Ans: **120 km**
22. India delivered six advanced ambulances equipped with modern medical technology to which country? Ans: **Afghanistan**
23. How much funding has the United States pledged to the United Nations for humanitarian support? Ans: **\$2 billion**
24. The government approved a project to protect which rare waterbird in the Ganga Basin? Ans: **Indian Skimmer**
25. Where will the AI Impact Summit be held in February of the coming year? Ans: **New Delhi**
26. How many new unicorns did India add in the year 2025? Ans: **5**
27. Who was the first female Prime Minister of Bangladesh that recently passed away? Ans: **Khaleda Zia**
28. The National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG) operates under which Union Ministry? Ans: **Ministry of Jal Shakti**
29. What is the slippage ratio of scheduled commercial banks as of March 2025? Ans: **1.4 per cent**
30. Which IIT is partnering with IDFC FIRST Bank for the IGNITE Program? Ans: **IIT Delhi (FITT)**
31. When did the National Frequency Allocation Plan 2025 (NFAP-2025) come into effect? Ans: **30 December 2025**
32. Which city won the award for 'City with the Best Green Transport Initiative' at the UMI Conference? Ans: **Hyderabad**
33. What is the estimated budget for the Indian AI Research Organisation (IAIRO) for the first five years? Ans: **₹300 crore**
34. What is the annual fee for the "Gaj:" Credit Card launched by IDFC FIRST Bank? Ans: **Rs 12,500 + GST**

35. The Directorate General of Trade Remedies (DGTR) recommended a safeguard duty on steel imports from which countries? Ans: **China, Vietnam, and Nepal**
36. Under the new NPS rules, partial withdrawal for house purchase is allowed as a one-time measure under which section of the PFRDA Act? Ans: **Section 20(2)(b)**
37. Which organization developed the Pinaka Long Range Guided Rocket (LRGR)? Ans: **Armament Research and Development Establishment (ARDE)**
38. How many Heavy Weight Torpedoes are being procured for the Indian Navy's Kalvari Class Submarines? Ans: **48**
39. What is the total number of unicorns in India as of 2025? Ans: **124**
40. The 'Unified Grievance Redressal System' in Delhi will use which technology to search complaints? Ans: **Semantic search**
41. What is the maximum age for unemployed youth to avail the allowance under Bihar's Self-Help Allowance Scheme? Ans: **25 years**