

# EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS - DECEMBER 25, 2025

### **NATIONAL**

### Santhali Joins the Constitutional Languages

- ✓ President Droupadi Murmu released the Constitution of India in the Santhali language written in the Ol Chiki script at Rashtrapati Bhavan on December 25, 2025. She said it would help Santhali people read and understand the Constitution in their own language and called it a moment of pride.
- ✓ The release coincides with the centenary of the Ol Chiki script, and she appreciated the Law Ministry for this effort.
- ✓ The event was attended by the Vice President and the Minister of State for Law and Justice, highlighting the importance of Santhali, an ancient language included in the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution.

#### > 40th Asian Waterbird Census

- ✓ The 40th Asian Waterbird Census and 60th International Waterbird Census will be held on January 10–11, 2026, at the Godavari estuary, including the Coringa Wildlife Sanctuary in Andhra Pradesh.
- ✓ The census, organized by the AP Forest Department, BNHS, WII, and WWF, will monitor key migratory species such as the Indian Skimmer and Great Knot (both Endangered), Eurasian Curlew (Near Threatened), and Eurasian Oystercatcher.
- ✓ The Godavari estuary's rich mangroves, mudflats, and sandbars provide critical feeding and breeding grounds, making it globally significant for waterbird conservation.

### Rashtra Prerna Sthal Inaugurated in Lucknow

- ✓ Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated the Rashtra Prerna Sthal in Lucknow on 26 December 2025, marking the 101st birth anniversary of former Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee.
- ✓ The 65-acre national memorial in Vasant Kunj features 65-foot-tall bronze statues of Atal Bihari Vajpayee, Syama Prasad Mookerjee, and Deendayal Upadhyaya, symbolising ideals of nationalism and public service.
- ✓ A major highlight is the 98,000 sq ft lotus-shaped museum showcasing India's democratic journey and the contributions of these leaders.

## **INTERNATIONAL**

#### > Nuclear Power Plant on the Moon

- ✓ Russia has announced plans to build a nuclear power plant on the Moon by 2036, aimed to boost its lunar space program and a joint Russian-Chinese Research Station.
- ✓ The Russian space agency, Roscosmos agreement with aerospace agency Lavochkin Association to build the Lunar power plant on the moon.
- ✓ The proposed power plant will provide energy for various lunar projects, including rovers and observatories and infrastructure for the joint Russian-Chinese Research Station.

# **IMPORTANT DAYS**

### ➤ Good Governance Day - December 25

- ✓ Good Governance Day 2025 is observed on 25 December to commemorate the birth anniversary of former Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee, a recipient of the Bharat Ratna.
- ✓ The Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG) launched Good Governance Week 2025, to be observed from 19 December to 25 December.
- ✓ Good Governance Day reinforces the principles of efficient administration, transparency, accountability, and public welfare, inspired by the leadership and vision of Atal Bihari Vajpayee.

