

# DEBATE MARATHON DAY 3!





# **THEME: POLITICS**

**"Politicians and diapers must be changed often, and for the same reason." —  
Mark Twain**



# CONTEXT 1:

**Historical revisionism refers to any reinterpretation of recorded history. E.g - Veer Savarkar's contribution to the freedom struggle and BJP's attempt to push him as a nationalist, removal of Mughal history from textbooks, remembrance of the martial law period as the “golden era” of the Philippines by attributing it to Marcos Sr.'s public programs and infra development, etc.**



# **MOTION 1:**

**THBT the Indian National Congress should★  
seek to aggressively mobilize against  
historical revisionism at the expense of  
mobilizing for contemporary  
issues(Inflation, Covid, etc.)**



## CONTEXT 2:

**Freebies are free items or utilities promised to sections of the population, typically to draw them to vote for that party in the upcoming elections. The money for freebies is drawn from public funds.**



# **MOTION 2:**

**THW ban politicians from promising freebies during their election campaigns.**



## CONTEXT 3:

**Panchayat vetting as introduced in Madhya Pradesh mandates that candidates running for panchayat offices have no pending bills with the state, a record of past education, criminal history, and proof of a working toilet at home, along with caste-based histories.**



# **MOTION 3:**

**THO the introduction of Panchayat vetting  
in India.**