* **Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman to present Union Budget for 2022-2023 in Parliament today.**
* **Economic Survey projects 8 to 8.5 per cent growth in 2022-23; Indian Economy estimated to grow by 9.2 per cent in real terms in 2021-22.**
* **Election Commission extends ban on road shows, vehicle rallies, and processions till 11th February.**
* **Filing of nominations begins today for first phase of assembly elections in Manipur and the fifth phase in Uttar Pradesh.**
* **India’s Covid vaccination coverage crosses 166 crore 59 lakh mark.**
* **Indian Coast Guard celebrates its 46th Raising Day today**
* **In Hockey, India beat China, 7-1 in their opening encounter of FIH Women Pro League at Muscat.**
* **Indian Men's hockey team goalkeeper PR Sreejesh wins World Games Athlete of the Year 2021 Award.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi to talk about Union Budget at a programme at 11 AM today.**
* **Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha to begin discussion today on Motion of Thanks on President’s Address to joint sitting of both Houses of Parliament.**
* **Defence Ministry makes induction of women fighter pilots in Indian Air Force a permanent scheme.**
* **Government extends suspension of Biometric attendance for its employees till 15th of this month.**
* **India’s Covid vaccination coverage crosses 167 crore 21 lakh mark.**
* **Pfizer and BioNTech seek emergency use authorization for Corona vaccine for kids below 5 years of age.**
* **BJP releases another list of 17 candidates for Uttar Pradesh assembly elections.**
* **Mithali Raj climbs to second spot in Women's ODI Batting Rankings released by ICC.**
* **And, India to take on Australia in Semifinal of ICC Under-19 World Cup in Antigua this evening.**
* **Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman says, government has placed lot of emphasis on predictability and stability in Union Budget.**
* **Government approves continuation of scheme for assistance to National Sports Federations.**
* **Law and Justice Minister Kiren Rijiju demands apology from Congress leader Rahul Gandhi for his remarks against judiciary and Election Commission in Lok Sabha.**
* **India’s Covid vaccination coverage crosses 167 crore 80 lakh mark.**
* **Top Maoist Madvi Hidma surrenders before Telangana Police and CRPF.**
* **IMD issues alert for heavy rain and snowfall in Uttarakhand.**
* **Tokyo Olympics gold medallist Neeraj Chopra nominated for Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year Award.**
* **India beat Australia by 96 runs to enter the final of ICC Under-19 World Cup in Antigua.**
* **Health Ministry says, 34 States and Union Territories witnessing decline in Covid-19 cases and positivity rate.**
* **Odisha government announces reopening of educational institutions from Monday amid dip in Corona cases.**
* **India’s Covid vaccination coverage crosses 168 crore 40 lakh mark.**
* **ISRO to launch Chandrayan-3 in August this year.**
* **Prime Minster Narendra Modi to dedicate to the Nation 216-feet Statue of Equality in Hyderabad tomorrow.**
* **Filing of nominations for sixth phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh to begin today; Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath to file nomination from Gorakhpur seat this morning.**
* **India expresses concern over China's effort to politicise Beijing Winter Olympics; India's Charge D' Affairs not to attend opening and closing ceremony.**
* **And, Top Islamic State leader Abu Ibrahim killed during an operation by US forces in Syria.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi to unveil the Statue of Equality in Hyderabad today.**
* **Kerala government to reopen schools and colleges in phased manner beginning Monday.**
* **Theatres, Gyms, Yoga Centers and swimming pools allowed to function at full capacity in Karnataka.**
* **India’s Covid vaccination coverage crosses 168 crore 92 lakh mark.**
* **Punjab Chief Minister Charanjit Singh Channi's nephew Bhupinder Singh Honey remanded to Enforcement Directorate's custody till February 8.**
* **Two terrorists killed in an encounter with security forces in Srinagar City of Jammu and Kashmir.**
* **In Cricket, India to lock horns with England in summit clash of ICC Under-19 World Cup in West Indies today.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi unveils 'Statue of Equality' in Hyderabad to commemorate Saint Ramanujacharya; Says social justice is embedded in all welfare programmes of Government aimed at eliminating inequalities in the country.**
* **Prime Minister also launches 50th anniversary celebrations of International Crops Research Institute for Semi-Arid Tropics; Says government is focusing on food security as well as nutrition security**.
* **India's COVID vaccination coverage crosses 169 crore mark.**
* **Uttar Pradesh announces reopening of schools and colleges from tomorrow, in view of the decreasing Covid-19 cases.**
* **Kerala reimposes weekend lockdown in the state today to contain third wave of Covid-19 transmission.**
* **Bhartiya Janata Party to release its election manifesto in Uttar Pradesh and Congress to announce the CM face of the party for Punjab Assembly Polls today.**
* **Turkish President Erdogan says he is willing to serve as a mediator and host a summit between Ukrainian and Russian presidents.**
* **In Cricket, in the ICC Under-19 cricket World Cup, India lifts a record fifth title after beating England by four wickets in Antigua.**
* **And, three match India-West Indies ODI series begins in Ahmedabad today.**
* Nation bids farewell to the legend, Lata Mangeshkar; Condolences pour in from various countries;
* Both the houses of Parliament to be adjourned for an hour to pay homage to the nightingale of India.
* Prime Minister Narendra Modi to reply to the debate on Motion of Thanks to  the President's address.
* Home Minister Amit Shah to make a statement in both Houses of Parliament regarding attack on Asaduddin Owaisi's convoy.
* Campaigning is in full swing for first phase of Uttar Pradesh Assembly polls; BJP releases another list of 45 candidates in the State.
* Council for Indian School Certificate Examinations to announce the results for ICSE Class 10 and ISC Class 12 results for Semester 1 exams today.
* Schools reopen in Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Gujarat and Kerala from today.
* India's Covid 19 vaccination crosses 69 crore 46 lakh mark.
* Drugs Controller General of India, grants emergency use of single-dose Sputnik Light Covid-19 vaccine.
* And in Cricket, India win first ODI against West Indies by six wickets in Ahmedabad.
* **Prime Minister to reply to debate on Motion of Thanks on President's address in Rajya Sabha today.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi says Congress is following the policy of divide and rule and has become leader of Tukde-Tukde gang.**
* **More than 43 crore 34 lakh PAN linked with Aadhaar till January this year.**
* **Campaigning for first phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh to end this evening.**
* **Bjp to release its manifesto for UP assembly polls in Lucknow today.**
* **Filing of nominations for first phase of assembly elections in Manipur to end this evening.**
* **Jammu and Kashmir government launches Single Window Clearance System in the Union Territory.**
* **India’s Covid vaccination coverage crosses 170 Crore mark.**
* **Visa-free entry for Indian business travellers to Maldives comes into force.**
* **And, Indian Men's team to take on France in 2022 FIH Pro League Hockey in South Africa today.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi says family-run parties are biggest threat to India's democracy.**
* **Elaborate arrangements being made for first phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh tomorrow.**
* **487 polling stations in 5 assembly constituencies in Manipur to be manned by women officials only.**
* **Tripura government launches special Covid vaccination drive for expectant mothers in the state.**
* **Kerala government lifts Sunday lockdown; Schools and Colleges to reopen from February 28 with full capacity.**
* **Special court in Gujarat to pronounce quantum of punishment today against 49 convicts in 2008 Ahmedabad serial blast case.**
* **India beat France 5-0 in their opening match of FIH Pro League 2022 Hockey in South Africa.**
* **In Cricket, second ODI between India and West Indies to be played in Ahmedabad today.**
* **Voting begins for first phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh; 58 constituencies across 11 districts go to polls in this phase.**
* **Filing of nominations begins today for seventh and final phase of assembly elections in the state.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi says, the government works with the mantra of Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas.**
* **CBSE to conduct second term board examination for classes 10 and 12 in offline mode from April 26.**
* **More than one crore youngsters from 15 to 18 years of age receive both doses of COVID-19 vaccine so far.**
* **AIIMS stops testing patients for Covid before surgeries in the hospital.**
* **RBI to announces its bi-monthly monetary policy review today.**
* **Government bans import of foreign drones to promote Make-In-India initiative.**
* **National Medical Commission cautions students against enrolling in Chinese universities.**
* **In Cricket, India beat West Indies by 44 runs in the second ODI  in Ahmedabad; Takes 2-0 lead in three match series.**
* **Indian Men's hockey team defeat South Africa by 10-2 in their second match of FIH Pro Hockey League.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi to address One Ocean Summit in France today** **through a video message.**
* **Over 60 per cent voting recorded in first phase of Assembly Elections in Uttar Pradesh.**
* **Campaigning intensifies for the next phase of polling in UP and for single phase in Goa and Uttrakhand on 14th February.**
* **Election Commission revises polling dates in Manipur; Voting for 1st phase on 28th February and 2nd phase on 5th March.**
* **Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman says government managed economy meticulously despite unprecedented challenges posed by global pandemic.**
* **First part of Budget session of Parliament to end today; Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman to reply to the Budget discussions in the Rajya Sabha.**
* **External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar to attend meeting of Foreign Ministers of QUAD at Melbourne today.**
* **Mughal Gardens at Rashtrapati Bhavan to open for public from tomorrow.**
* **And in Cricket, final ODI between India and West Indies to be played at Ahmedabad this afternoon.**
* **Campaigning for Uttarakhand and Goa assembly elections and second phase of polling in Uttar Pradesh ends this evening; Voting to be held on Monday.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi says, country's Indo-Pacific Ocean initiative contains marine resources as key pillar.**
* **Quad Foreign Ministers say, they are committed to keep Indo-Pacific free from coercion; Denounce use of terrorist proxies.**
* **India and Australia to finalise interim trade agreement in 30 days.**
* **First phase of Budget Session of Parliament concludes; Both Houses to reassemble on 14th March for second part.**
* **Government to launch SMILE scheme today for welfare of marginalised individuals.**
* **Uttar Pradesh to open all schools from Monday, amid declining COVID cases.**
* **Mughal Gardens at Rashtrapati Bhavan to open for public from today.**
* **In Cricket; India beat West Indies by 96 runs in third ODI to sweep the series, 3-0.**
* **And, New Zealand Women set 276-run target before India in first ODI at Queenstown.**
* **Uttar Pradesh geared up for second phase of voting in 55 Assembly seats tomorrow.**
* **Uttarakhand and Goa to go to single phase polls tomorrow.**
* **Election Commission relaxes curbs on campaigning for assembly elections.**
* **Job opportunities are on the rise across the country reflected by the Quarterly Employment Survey and EPFO payroll data.**
* **Schools to re-open in Uttar Pradesh and Kerala from tomorrow as Covid-19 cases decline.**
* **Tamil Nadu to reopen nursery and play schools from Wednesday.**
* **World Radio Day is  being  celebrated  across the Globe ; Seven hour long Talkathon by All India Radio today.**
* **US President Joe Biden calls Russian President Vladimir Putin, to discuss Ukraine Situation.**
* **Indigenous Tejas MK-I Aircraft to participate in Singapore Air Show-2022**
* **And in Hockey, India lose to France 5-2 in the Men’s FIH Pro League tournament in South Africa.**
* **Voting underway for single phase assembly election in Uttarakhand and Goa; Polling also begins for second phase in 55 assembly seats of Uttar Pradesh.**
* **Election Commission makes elaborate arrangements in view of Covid-19 pandemic; extends poll timing by one hour in all Assembly Constituencies.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi calls upon electorates to vote in record number for strengthening the festival  of democracy.**
* **Prime Minister and other BJP leaders to address election rallies in Uttar Pardesh and Punjab today.**
* **ISRO successfully launches earth observation satellite EOS-04 along with two other satellites, INS-2TD and INSPIRE sat 1.**
* **Schools reopen in several states today amid declining Covid-19 cases.**
* **India administers over 172 crore 81 lakh vaccine doses under Nationwide Vaccination Drive, so far.**
* **And, Union Minister Bhupender Yadav lays  foundation stone of 500 bed-hospital of Employees State Insurance Corporation, in Manesar, Haryana.**
* **Over 61 percent polling recorded in second phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh; Uttarakhand registers 65 percent, and Goa 79 percent turnout.**
* **Special CBI Court in Ranchi to pronounce its judgement in fodder scam case involving RJD Chief Lalu Prasad Yadav today.**
* **All educational institutions to reopen in Himachal Pradesh from Thursday.**
* **India's Covid vaccination coverage crosses 173 crore 38 lakh mark.**
* **Government bans 54 Chinese apps posing threat to national security.**
* **RBI Deputy Governor cautions against Crypto currencies; says it was developed to bypass government control.**
* **First of its kind two-day Global Summit on ‘Reimagining Museums in India’ begins today in Hyderabad.**
* **All-rounder Washington Sundar ruled out of  T-20 cricket series against West Indies in Kolkata due to injury.**
* **And in Women's Cricket, India to take on New Zealand in second ODI in Queenstown today.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi calls upon developed nations to meet their commitments for climate actions; Says India's energy needs expected to double in next 20 years.**
* **Centre asks States and Union Territories to review and amend additional COVID-19 restrictions in view of decline in cases.**
* **India’s vaccination coverage crosses 174 crore mark.**
* **Union Minister Sarbananda Sonowal to unveil Water taxi service in Mumbai today.**
* **Campaigning intensifies for assembly elections in Punjab, Uttar Pradesh and Manipur.**
* **Last rites of veteran music composer and singer Bappi Lahiri to be performed in Mumbai today.**
* **And in Cricket, India beat West Indies by six wickets in first T20 of three-match series in Kolkata.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi to hold a Virtual Summit today to firm up Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement.**
* **Prime Minister to also dedicate to the Nation, two additional railway lines in Maharashtra this evening.**
* **Government notifies Green Hydrogen Policy for production of Green Hydrogen or Green Ammonia using renewable sources of energy.**
* **Gujarat announces New Biotechnology Policy for 2022-27.**
* **Campaigning ends for third phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh and single phase polling in Punjab this evening.**
* **India’s Covid vaccination coverage crosses 174 crore 59 lakh mark.**
* **External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar to leave on a six-day visit to Germany and France today.**
* **And in Cricket, second T20 match between India and West Indies to be played in Kolkata this evening.**
* **India and UAE sign Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement; Two countries to boost bilateral trade to 100 billion dollars in next five years.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi says India and UAE stand together in fight against terrorism.**
* **Prime Minister to inaugurate Bio-CNG Plant in Indore at 1 PM today.**
* **India achieves another milestone in its fight against Covid-19; 80 percent of adult population fully vaccinated.**
* **Third phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh and single phase polling in Punjab to be held tomorrow.**
* **NIA arrests IPS officer for leaking secret documents to overground worker of Lashkar-e-Taiba terror group.**
* **Nepal government to adopt India's Unified Payments Interface as payments platform in the Himalayan nation.**
* **And in Cricket, India beat West Indies by 8 runs in second T20 International of three match series in Kolkata.**
* **Voting begins for assembly elections in Punjab and third phase of assembly polls in Uttar Pradesh.**
* **Gujarat government to appoint 10,000 visiting teachers in government and aided primary schools to overcome the shortage of teachers in the state.**
* **India’s Covid vaccination coverage crosses 175 crore 33 lakh mark.**
* **US FDA to consider India's Covaxin as vaccine candidate in America; Lifts clinical hold on Bharat Biotech's vaccine application.**
* **World famous Khajuraho Dance Festival begins today in Madhya Pradesh.**
* **India wins right to host 2023 IOC session in Mumbai; Prime Minister Narendra Modi expresses happiness over the development.**
* **BCCI announces India's T20 International and Test squads for its home series against Sri Lanka starting February 24.**
* **Third and final T20 International between India and West Indies to be played today in Kolkata.**
* **Uttar Pradesh records more than 61 percent voter turnout in third phase of assembly elections; Punjab registers over 70 percent voter turnout.**
* **President Ram Nath Kovind to review Indian Naval Fleet in Vishakhapatnam this morning.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi to address Plenary Session of a webinar on education and skill sector today.**
* **Special CBI court in Ranchi to pronounce quantum of punishment against RJD Chief Lalu Prasad Yadav in fifth fodder scam case.**
* **Kerala schools to have regular classes from today.**
* **External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar holds talks with his French counterpart in Paris.**
* **India beat West Indies by 17 runs in third and final T20 to clinch the series 3-nil.**
* **And, India becomes No. 1 team in ICC T20 rankings for the first time in six years.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi says decision to set up National Digital University will solve the problem of shortage of seats in educational institutions.**
* **Drugs Controller General of India grants Emergency Use Authorisation to Covid vaccine Corbevax for children between 12 and 18 years of age.**
* **Fourth phase of Assembly elections to be held in Uttar Pradesh tomorrow.**
* **Week-long 'Vigyan Sarvatra Pujyate' exhibition depicting India's achievements in Science and Technology begins today at 75 locations across the country.**
* **Supreme Court admits Cyrus Mistry's review petition challenging apex court's last year's order which backed his removal as Tata Sons Chairman.**
* **First shipment of 10,000 tonnes of wheat from India for the people of Afghanistan to be dispatched via Attari-Wagah land border crossing today.**
* **Russian President Vladimir Putin signs a decree recognizing independence of breakaway Ukrainian regions of Donetsk and Luhansk.**
* **Polling underway for fourth phase of Assembly Elections in Uttar Pradesh.**
* **Election Commission revises guidelines for Assembly Polls; Lifts 50 per cent cap on political rallies and road shows.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi to address two post-budget webinars today on Positive Impact of Union Budget on Water and Sanitation, Housing, LPG in every home and providing Road and Info-way connectivity.**
* **External Affairs Minister Dr S. Jaishankar says challenges in Indo-Pacific region could extend to Europe.**
* **Air India flights with more than 240 passengers from Ukraine lands at Delhi airport.**
* **US President Joe Biden announces sanctions against Russia; Calls Russian President Putin's moves in Ukraine an invasion.**
* **And, Hockey India names 20-member squad for upcoming FIH Men's Hockey Pro League matches against Spain to be played at Bhubaneswar.**
* **Around 60 percent voter turnout recorded in fourth phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh.**
* **Broadband connectivity will not only provide facilities in villages but will also create large pool of skilled youth in rural areas, Prime Minister tells a post budget webinar on rural development.**
* **Prime Minister to address a webinar on Positive Impact of Union Budget on Agriculture Sector this morning.**
* **Jammu and Kashmir Delimitation panel gets two months extension until May this year.**
* **Maharashtra Minister and NCP leader Nawab Malik remanded to ED custody till March 3 in money laundering and terror funding cases.**
* **Centre informs Supreme Court that 18 thousand crore rupees returned to banks in Vijay Mallya, Nirav Modi and Mehul Choksi cases.**
* **Ukraine's Parliament imposes state of emergency to deal with the situation arising out of threat from Russia.**
* **And in cricket, India to take on Sri Lanka in  first T20  of  three-match series in Lucknow this evening.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi speaks to Russian President Vladimir Putin; Calls for immediate end to violence; Raises safety issue of Indians in Ukraine.**
* **India considering ways to evacuate its citizens as Ukraine has closed its airspace for civilian flights.**
* **US President Joe Biden unveils new sanctions on Russia; All Russian assets in America to be frozen.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi to address a webinar titled Aatmanirbharta in Defence - Call to Action today.**
* **Campaigning for fifth phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh to end this evening.**
* **Moody's raises India's growth forecast to 9.5 percent from seven percent for the year 2022.**
* **India’s COVID vaccination coverage crosses 176 crore 76 lakh mark.**
* **And in Cricket, India beat Sri Lanka by 62 runs in first T20 of three-match series at Lucknow.**
* **India abstains from voting on US sponsored UNSC resolution on Russia-Ukraine conflict.**
* **New Delhi calls for immediate cessation of violence and hostilities.**
* **Air India to operate two flights to evacuate Indians stranded in Ukraine.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi to inaugurate Health Ministry's post Union Budget webinar today.**
* **All preparations are in place for fifth phase of assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh tomorrow.**
* **Campaigning to end this evening for first phase of polling in Manipur.**
* **President Ram Nath Kovind to address 19th Convocation of Tezpur University in Assam today.**
* **And in Cricket, India to face Sri lanka in second T20 of three-match series in Dharamsala this evening.**
* **Fifth phase of assembly elections to be held in Uttar Pradesh today.**
* **Air India flight carrying 250 Indians stranded in Ukraine lands at Delhi airport; Another flight carrying 240 Indian nationals takes off from Budapest for Delhi.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi speaks to Ukrainian President; Raises safety issue of Indians in the war-hit country.**
* **Russia orders its troops to attack Ukraine from all sides.**
* **Prime Minister to share his thoughts in 'Mann Ki Baat' programme at 11 AM today.**
* **Union Cabinet approves national rollout of central sector scheme -- Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission; Government allows up to 20 percent FDI in LIC under automatic route.**
* **India beat Sri Lanka by seven wickets in 2nd T20 at Dharamsala to take unassailable 2-0 lead in the three-match cricket series; Third and final T20 to be played today at the same venue.**
* **And in FIH pro-league Hockey tournament, Indian Women beat Spain 2-1, while Men's team defeat visitors 5-4 in Bhubaneswar.**
* **Voting for first phase of Assembly elections underway in 38 constituencies in Manipur.**
* **Over 57 per cent voter turnout recorded in fifth phase of Assembly Elections in Uttar Pradesh yesterday.**
* **Prime Minister Narendra Modi holds a high-level meeting over Ukraine crisis; Says, safety and evacuation of students is India's top priority.**
* **India abstains from voting in UN Security Council to convene an emergency General Assembly session on Ukraine situation; Emergency session to be held tonight.**
* **Prime Minister to address webinar today on vision of Gati Shakti and its convergence with Union Budget.**
* **Government raises compensation to kin of victims of Hit and Run accidents to 2 lakh rupees in case of death.**
* **National Science Day being celebrated today to commemorate discovery of the Raman Effect.**
* **In Cricket, India defeat Sri Lanka by six wicket in third T-20 Match at Dharamsala; white wash the series 3-Nil.**