

# THINGS WE DO

### **Professions:**

The word 'profession' means that it is a paid occupation any type of job/work that needs training or particular skills. Profession provides income and source of livelihood.

## **Different kinds of Professions:**

Professions	Types		
A mechanic	Repairs the motorcycles and cars etc.		
A blacksmith	Molds iron implements.		
A cobbler	Repairs shoes and other related commodities.		
An engineer	Builds houses, apartments and shopping complexes, algorithm, computer		
	programme.		
A doctor	Treats the patients.		
A laborer	Performs work and gives his labor.		
A postman	Receives and dispat <mark>ches the</mark> postcards.		
A teacher	Teaches in the school.		
A vegetables and fruit seller	Sales vegetables and fruits.		
A shopkeeper	Sales various daily used commodities.		
Potter	Make pottery and earthen utensils.		
Washer man	Washes clothes and works in laundry.		
Astronaut	Who explor <mark>es space, do research in</mark> space science.		
Professor	Who teaches in colleges.		
Scientist	Do Researches.		
Farmer	Cultivation and animal husbandry.		
Miner	Who do mining and its related work.		
Goldsmith	Who make ornaments of golds.		
Pilot	Who flies plane.		

## 1. Agriculture:

- Agriculture is the practice of farming, including cultivation of the soil for growing crop and rearing animals for food, wool etc.
- Large section of Indian population is dependent on agriculture for employment. Agriculture provides food to all the country men.
- For proper farming, it is important that good variety of seed is given to farmers, proper irrigation facilities should be provided, use of organic manure should be promoted new instrument and technique should be made available to farmers.
- Use of chemicals and fertilizer should be reduced as they cause pollution, inter-cropping or mixed cropping should be promoted because, such cropping can replenish the soil with nutrients and help in retaining nutrient in the soil.
- Mono-cropping and excessive use of fertilizer makes the soil barren.
- To get better yield of milk, meat and wool, breeding of domesticated animals should be done with superior trait animals.

# **Famous Sports and Sports Person:**

Sports	Famous Sports Person
Hockey	Major Dhyan Chand
Cricket	Sachin Tendulkar, M. S. Dhoni, Virat Kohli
Badminton	Gopi Chand, Sania Nehwal, PV Sindhu
Lawn Tennis	Mahesh Bhupati, Lender Paes, Sania Mirza
Wrestling	Shushil Kumar, Yogeshwar Dutt, Sakshi Mailk
Boxing	MC Marykom, Vijendra Singh
Shooting	Abhinav Bindra
Athletics	PT Usha
Weight lifting	Karnam Malleshwari

Note: Karnam Malleshwari: Karnam Malleshwari is a weight lifter, she lives in Andhra Pradesh and her father is a constable. She started lifting weight when she was only 12. She even lifted a weight of 130 kilograms. Karnam has won 29 medals in an international event.

### 2. Dance:

- It is a performance art comprises of selected human movement.
- Dance has aesthetic, symbolic value and it is a part of culture.
- Dances are source of entertainment, and are performed for celebrating festivals, events of climate etc.

### Different kinds of Dances in India:

Dance	Region/State	Dance	Region/State
Bharatnatyam	Tamil Nadu	Kuchipudi	Andhra Pradesh
Odissi	Odisha	Kathakali	Kerala
Manipuri	Manipur	Kathak	Uttar Pradesh
Garba	Gujarat	Tamashar and Lavani	Maharashtra
Bhangra and Giddha	Punjab	Bihu	Assam
Mohiniattayam	Kerala	Bamboo	Manipur
Cheraw Dance	Mizoram	Ghumar and Kalbeliya	Rajasthan
Rauf and Damili	Jammu and Kashmir	Phag, Swaang and Dhap	Haryana

# 3. Festivals in India:

A festival is an event ordinarily celebrated by a community and centering on some characteristics aspect of that community and its religion or traditions often marked as a local or national holiday.

## **Specific Festivals of Specific Region in India:**

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Festivals	Region/State	Festivals	Region/State
Onam	Kerala	Ganesh Chaturthi	Maharashtra
Rath Yatra	Odisha	Baishakhi	Punjab
Pongal	Tamil Nadu	Durga Puja	West Bengal
Bihu	Assam	Chhath	Bihar
Losar	Sikkim and Arunachal Pradesh	Ugadi	Andra Pradesh.