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Andhra Pradesh State Regional News

<p>Person in news: Deendayal Upadhyaya</p>	<p>Why in news?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rich tributes were paid to former President Deendayal Upadhyaya on his 108th birth anniversary. <p>Key Points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deendayal Upadhyaya known by the epithet Panditji, was an Indian politician, a proponent of integral humanism ideology and leader of the political party Bharatiya Jana Sangh (BJS), the forerunner of Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP). Upadhyaya is known for drafting Jan Sangh's official political doctrine, Integral humanism, by including some cultural-nationalism values and his agreement with several Gandhian socialist principles such as sarvodaya (progress of all) and swadeshi (self-sufficiency).
<p>Places in news: Erra Matti Dibbalu</p>	<p>Why in news?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The HC directed the GVMC to implement measures to protect Erra Matti Dibbalu, which has been designated as a Geo Heritage Site. <p>Key Points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Erra Matti Dibbalu, also known as the Red Sand Hills, is a National Geo-heritage Monument located on the outskirts of Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh. The site is a significant geological feature and is protected for its exceptional geological value.
<p>Places in news: Tirupati</p>	<p>Why in news?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recently, the first Valmiki Research Centre has been inaugurated in Tirupati. <p>Key Points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> It was established in Tirupati in collaboration with the National Sanskrit University. The theme park has 72 idols with murals depicting the entire Ramayana in Telugu, English, and Hindi corresponding to 72 Ghattas as per the Valmiki Ramayana.
<p>G.O. 85</p>	<p>Why in news?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health Minister Satya Kumar Yadav announced relaxations to GO 85 in Andhra Pradesh. The amended GO will allow them to pursue a second PG at their own expense.



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Key Points:

- G.O. 85 is a Government Order (G.O.) in Andhra Pradesh that **reduces the reservation for in-service doctors** who want to pursue PG courses.
- The order has been opposed by government doctors, who say that it will **make it difficult for them to pursue PG courses in their preferred specialities.**

Economic Capital - Vizag

Why in news?

- Andhra Pradesh Minister for Education, Information Technology, and Electronics, Nara Lokesh, stated that Visakhapatnam will be developed as the state's economic capital and aims to become the fifth largest city in India.

Key Points:

- The economic capital of a state **refers to a city or region that serves as the primary center for economic activities** within that state.
- The economic capital typically **hosts major industries, corporate headquarters, and infrastructure** that support economic growth, making it a hub for job creation and economic development.



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