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- Amitabh Choudhary, the former secretary of which organization passed away recently - **BCCI**
2. Which state government has recently announced a 3% increase in the dearness allowance payable - **Maharashtra**
 3. Who was recently appointed as the brand ambassador of Mastercard – **Lakshya Sen, Kidambi Srikanth, Satwiksairaj Tankireddy Chirag Shetty**
 4. All-rounder Kevin O'Brien retired from international cricket, this is the player of which country – **Ireland**
 5. Which system did Defense Minister Rajnath Singh handed over to the Indian Army – **Nipun, F-INSAS**
 6. Recently, the Karnataka state government announced the percentage of reservation to the players – **2%**
 7. Who started the "Make India No 1" mission - **Arvind Kejriwal**
 8. Where was the military exercise "Vostok-2022" organized between India and China recently – **Russia**
 9. Which scheme was launched by the Chief Minister of Sikkim on Independence Day – **Amma Yojana, Vatsalya Yojana**
 10. In which state was the successful launch of drug delivery from the sky by drone in August 2022 - **Arunachal Pradesh**
 11. Digital payments platform Paytm has partnered with whom to install Point of Sale (POS) equipment for online payment facility and loan service 'Paytm Postpaid' - **Samsung**
 12. When is Renewable Energy Day celebrated in India every year - **August 20**
 13. Which bank has signed an MoU with Food Corporation of India (FCI) for "Ultima Salary Package" – **AXIS Bank**
 14. Which state government has recently launched 'Vidya Rath-School on Wheels' project - **Assam**
 15. To what extent the interest subvention of 1.5 percent per annum has been sanctioned for agriculture loan - **Rs.3 lakh**
 16. Where is the 'National Security Strategy Conference 2022' organized - **New Delhi**
 17. How many cities have recently declared themselves as 'Safai Mitra Safe Cities' - **500**
 18. Which Indian Institute of Technology has entered into an agreement with JSW Group - **Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay**
 19. Which bank under a unique initiative has opened a branch in Kozhikode, North Kerala which is run entirely by women employees - **HDFC Bank**
 20. Admiral Tan Sri Mohamed Reza bin Mohamed Sani was on an official visit to India from 16-19 August 2022. He is the head of the Royal Navy of which country - **Malaysia**
 21. Recently who has won gold medal in 2022 WSPS Shooting World Cup in Changwon, South Korea - **Rahul Jakhar**
 22. Border Roads Organization is going to construct steel slag road on a pilot project basis - **Arunachal Pradesh**
 23. Which international airport will be named after Shaheed Bhagat Singh - **Chandigarh Airport**
 24. Under whose chairmanship the Amrit Mahotsav of Independence was organized on Yamuna - **Gajendra Singh Shekhawat**
 25. Which state government has signed an MoU with the Central Power Research Institute (CPRI) to set up a regional testing laboratory - **Chhattisgarh**
 26. A national seminar on 'Introspection: Armed Forces Tribunal' was inaugurated by - **Rajnath Singh**
 27. Which Union Minister has launched an online marketplace application 'Aqua Bazaar' - **Purushottam Rupala**
 28. Where was the 4th India-Philippines Strategic Dialogue held - **Manila**

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29. Ramkrishna Bajaj has been appointed as the Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of Bajaj Electricals
30. Which state is planning to set up an education township in the state for the first time - **Uttar Pradesh**
31. Which state has recognized 'Dahi-Handi' as an official sport in the state - **Maharashtra**
32. Who created history by defeating five-time world chess champion Magnus Carlsen by winning three consecutive games in the FTX Crypto Cup in August 2022 - **Ramesh Babu Pragyand**
33. In order to curb frauds in the banking system, banks have come up with a 20-point standard format for taking information about borrowers from whom before sanctioning large amount loans - **CEIB**
34. Who presided over the 23rd Central Zonal Council meeting in Bhopal in August 2022 - **Amit Shah**
35. External Affairs Minister S. In which country did Jaishankar unveil a statue of Mahatma Gandhi in August 2022 – **Paraguay**
36. Abdul Ghaffar Nadiadwala passed away in August 2022. He was a famous - **Film Producer**
37. Puducherry Chief Minister N. Rangaswamy presented the tax-free budget for the financial year 2022-23 on 22 August 2022 - **₹ 10,696.61 crore**
38. Which state government has announced to set up 300 rural industrial parks in the state to boost and strengthen the rural economy – **Chhattisgarh**
39. India has won total medals in Thailand Para-Badminton International 2022 - **17 medals**
40. Which Geographical Indication (GI) tag has been given by the Central Government in August 2022 - **Mithila Makhana**
41. India has launched the first indigenously developed RT-PCR kit in August 2022 to test for which disease - **Monkeypox**
42. Who became the first Indian female wrestler to win a gold medal at the U-20 World Wrestling Championship 2022 in Sofia, Bulgaria - **Last Panghal**
43. Which European country has announced its exit from the 'Advanced Monitoring' framework of the European Union in August 2022 - **Greece**
44. Union Minister Jitendra Singh has launched “India’s first indigenously developed Hydrogen Fuel Cell Bus” on 21st August 2022 in which city – **Pune**
45. Maritime Partnership Exercise (MPX) between the navies of India and which country concluded on 20 August 2022 – **Australia**
46. Which company has launched a Blockchain Center of Excellence (CoE) for airports in August 2022 - **GMR Group**
47. Who has been re-appointed as the Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of financial services platform Paytm in August 2022 – **Vijay Shekhar Sharma**
48. The Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with – National Health Authority (NHA) to provide a comprehensive medical package to transgender persons
49. Recently, where Prime Minister Narendra Modi has inaugurated Asia's largest private hospital, Amrita Hospital - **Faridabad (Haryana)**
50. Recently, India Biotech's, Rotavirus oral vaccine, ROTAVAC, has been included in the national immunization program of which country- **Nigeria**
51. Who was honored with the prestigious Entrepreneur of the Year award at the 62nd National Summit of Atmanirbhar Bharat Vision of NewIndia event- **Dr. Hridayesh Kumar Namdev**

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52. Former Indian football team captain who represented the country in 1956 Melbourne Olympics, who passed away recently- **Samar 'Badru' Banerjee**
53. Recently, the Indian men's cricket team has won the three ODI series 3-0 against which country- **Zimbabwe**
54. According to the data of 2021, who became the country with the lowest fertility rate in the world - **South Korea**
55. Where will the country's first Night Safari and Biodiversity Park be set up on the lines of Singapore - **Lucknow**
56. Where was the Asia's largest private 2600-bed "Amrita Hospital" inaugurated - **Faridabad, Haryana**
57. Where was the Homi Bhabha Cancer Hospital and Research Center inaugurated - **Mohali, Punjab**
58. In which state the earthquake museum named "Smritivan" was built in the memory of the victims of the earthquake - **Bhuj, Gujarat**
59. What is the mascot of 'Rajiv Gandhi Rural Olympics' 2022 to be held in Rajasthan for the first time in the country from August 29 - **Sheru**
60. Who was honored with 44th Jamnalal Bajaj Award 2022 - **Nilesh Desai**
61. Who was appointed as the High Commissioner of India to England - **Vikram Doraiswam**

