

EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS - JANUARY 10, 2025

CONFERENCES & SUMMITS

Genome India Data Conclave

✓ India has made leap towards self-reliance in genomics.



- ✓ At the Genome India Data Conclave in New Delhi, Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh announced that India now possesses its own genomic data.
- This achievement marks a very important moment for the nation, as it reduces reliance on foreign genomic data.
- The initiative is aimed at encouraging advancements in personalised healthcare and medical research.

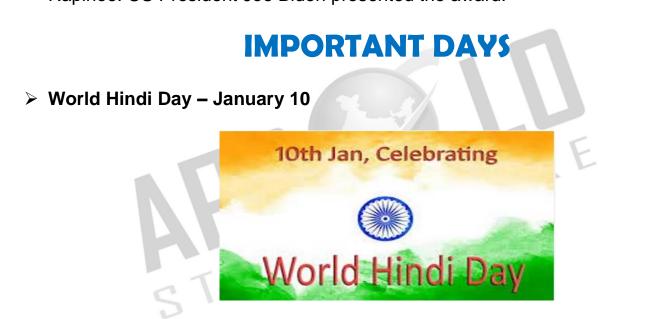
SPORTS

Presidential Medal of Freedom

✓ Lionel Messi becomes first men's footballer to win 'Presidential Medal of Freedom'. Lionel Messi has been awarded the Presidential Medal of Freedom, the highest civilian honour in the United States of America.



The medal is presented to individuals who have contributed to the prosperity, values, or security of the United States, world peace, or other significant societal.
He will be the second sportsperson to win the Presidential award after Megan Rapinoe. US President Joe Biden presented the award.



- The World Hindi Day, popularly called the 'Vishwa Hindi Diwas', is celebrated on January 10 every year to promote Hindi as one of the most widely spoken languages around the world, along with English and Mandarin.
- ✓ Theme 2025 A Global Voice of Unity and Cultural Pride.

