



EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – MARCH 14, 2025

ECONOMY

- **T.N. likely to maintain over 8% growth, says first economic survey**
- ✓ Tamil Nadu's Economic Survey for 2024-25, the first-ever in the State, has indicated that the State was expected to maintain a growth of above 8% in 2024-25.



- ✓ The survey was prepared by the State Planning Commission (SPC) in coordination with the Finance and several other departments.
- ✓ India's economy recorded a growth of 7.61% in 2022-23, 9.19% in 2023-24, and 6.48% in 2024-25.
- ✓ Building on a strong foundation of inclusive policies, Tamil Nadu has demonstrated remarkable economic resilience, consistently achieving a growth of 8% or more since 2021-22.

AWARDS

- **First Sahitya Akademi Translation Prize went to Jagannatha Raja**

- ✓ Sahitya Akademi Translation Prizes are given every year for outstanding translations in 24 languages.
- ✓ The first prize for Tamil was given to M.G. Jagannatha Raja for his translation of Vijayanagara Emperor Krishnadevaraya's Telugu epic Amuktamalyada.
- ✓ Since the Prize was instituted, 36 writers bagged it till 2024.

IMPORTANT DAYS

➤ International Day of Action for Rivers – March 14

- ✓ Every year on March 14, the world observes the International Day of Action for Rivers.



- ✓ This day highlights the urgent need to address issues such as river degradation, climate change, and the impact of human activities like dam construction and pollution.
- ✓ The theme for this year's event, "Our Rivers, Our Future."

➤ World Consumer Rights Day – March 15

- ✓ World Consumer Rights Day is observed annually on March 15 to promote consumer rights and ensure that they are upheld globally.



- ✓ This day serves as an opportunity to highlight consumer-related issues, raise awareness about their rights, and advocate for fair practices in the marketplace.

✓ The theme for World Consumer Rights Day 2025 is 'A Just Transition to Sustainable Lifestyles.'

