

## EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – JANUARY 22, 2024

### CONFERENCES & SUMMITS

- **9th NAM Summit In Kampala, Uganda**
- ✓ External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar recently provided a glimpse into the 19th Non-Aligned Movement (NAM) Summit, which commenced in Uganda.



- ✓ The two-day summit, under the theme 'Deepening Cooperation for Shared Global Affluence,' brings together over 120 developing countries, signifying a crucial moment in history.
- ✓ The Non-Aligned Movement (NAM), founded in 1961 during the Cold War based on the Panchsheel principle, traces its roots back to the concept that emerged in 1955 at the Asia-Africa Bandung Conference in Indonesia.

### DEFENCE

- **Operation Sarvashakti**

- ✓ In response to escalating terrorist activities in Jammu and Kashmir, the Indian Army is launching Operation Sarvashakti, a strategic initiative aimed at curbing the influence of Pakistani proxy terrorist groups.



- ✓ This operation seeks to eliminate terrorists operating in the sensitive Rajouri Poonch sector.
- ✓ Operation Sarvashakti aims to conduct combined counter-terrorist operations on both sides of the Pir Panjal ranges.
- ✓ The Srinagar-based Chinar Corps and the Nagrota-headquartered White Knight Corps will execute simultaneous operations to neutralize terrorist threats.

## IMPORTANT DAYS

- **Foundation Day: Tripura, Manipur, Meghalaya – Jan 21, 2024**
- ✓ January 21st, 2024, marks a momentous occasion for the northeastern region of India – the 52nd anniversary of statehood for Tripura, Manipur, and Meghalaya.
- ✓ Statehood Day is celebrated with great fervor across all three states.



- ✓ Cultural programs, parades, musical performances, and traditional dances showcase the rich heritage of each region.

- ✓ On January 21, 1972, the states of Tripura, Manipur, and Meghalaya became full-fledged states under the North Eastern Region (Re-organisation) Act, 1971.

