

October 5 - World Teachers' Day

October 5 - World Smile Day

- Assam government to provide 1 lakh shallow tubewells to small and marginal farmers.
- Multimedia exhibition on 150 years of Mahatma Gandhi's birth anniversary is being held in New Delhi.
- A four-day Indian International Science Festival (IISF) 2018 kicked off in Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh. Theme:- Science for transformation.
- Pakistan to set up a oil refinery in Balochistan with the aid of Saudi Arabia
- U.S. President Trump nominated Indian-American nuclear expert Rita Baranwal to head the nuclear energy division at the Department of Energy.

Forbes India Rich List 2018

- 1) **Reliance Industries Chairman Mukesh Ambani [11th consecutive year]**
 - 2) **Wipro Chairman Azim Premji**
 - 3) **Arcelor Mittal Chairman and CEO Lakshmi Mittal**
- 21 countries in the Indian Ocean Rim Association, IORA, adopted the Delhi Declaration on Renewable Energy in the Indian Ocean Region.
 - Shri Piyush Goyal inaugurated International Conference on Technological Advancements in Railway and Metro Projects (IC-TRAM 2018) in New Delhi.
 - Sanjay Verma - **India's Ambassador to Spain**
 - Srinivasan K. Swamy - **Chairman & World president of International Advertising Association (IAA)**

India and Kazakhstan to boost Defence Cooperation

- India and Kazakhstan agree to boost Defence and Military Technical Cooperation.
- India and ADB Signs \$110 Million Loan to Improve Rural Connectivity in Madhya Pradesh.

- India, Russia sign \$5.43 billion missile deal, agreements on cooperation in space, agriculture, nuclear sectors.
- Coast Guards of India, Vietnam hold **Sahyog HOP TAC-2018** - joint exercise off Chennai.
- **Nobel Peace Prize** - Congolese Dr. Denis Mukwege, Yazidi rights activist Nadia Murad
- **2018 'Visishta Puraskaram'** - Badminton coach Pullela Gopichand
- 36th National Games in Goa will be held from March 30 to April 14 next year.
- India entered the Under-19 Asia Cup cricket finals.
- Prithvi Shaw became the second youngest Indian to score a century behind the master blaster Sachin Tendulkar.
- India captain Virat Kohli became the quickest batsman to reach 24 Test centuries after the great Donald Bradman.

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