

Daily Current Affairs Oneliners – September 20, 2019

- Government has approved 8.65 per cent interest rate on deposits in Employees Provident Fund for 2018-19.
- Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Mongolian President Khaltmaagiin Battulga will jointly unveil the Lord Buddha's statue at Gandan Monastery in Ulaanbaatar through video-conferencing.
- The 55th Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Day was celebrated at the High Commission of India in Dhaka, Bangladesh on September 19.
- In a major turning point in the cultural historiography of the ancient Sangam Age, the Tamil Nadu Archaeology Department (TNAD) has stated that the cultural deposits unearthed during excavations at Keeladi in Sivaganga district could be safely dated to a period between 6th century BCE and 1st century CE.
- The Third Meeting of the Central Advisory Board on Disability was held in New Delhi under the Chairmanship of Shri Thaawarchand Gehlot, Union Minister for Social Justice & Empowerment.
- The 16th Session of the Joint Economic Commission (JEC) between India and Belgium Luxembourg Economic Union (BLEU) was convened in New Delhi on 17th September, 2019.
- India has emerged as the leading country of origin for immigrants across the world, with 17.5 million international migrants in 2019 coming from India, up from 15.9 million in 2015, according to The International Migrant Stock Report 2019 released by the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs in New York.
- The Indian football team slipped a place to 104th spot in the latest FIFA rankings.
- The Union Minister of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying Shri Giriraj Singh released the "Handbook on Fisheries Statistics – 2018", published by the Department of Fisheries of Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying, Government of India.

- Ministry of Human Resource Development has announced a new Scheme, National Educational Alliance for Technology (NEAT) for using technology for better learning outcomes in Higher Education.
- Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited (MDL) called 'Ship Builder to the Nation' delivered the second Scorpene submarine 'KHANDERI' to the Indian Navy at an event held in Mumbai.
- Shri Rajnath Singh has scripted history by becoming the first Defence Minister to fly the Light Combat Aircraft (LCA) 'Tejas'.
- The National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) is all set to induct women personnel in its new battalions within the next one year. The Union Government had, in 2018, made a proposal to attach women contingents to NDRF battalions in the country.
- The Government has appointed Vice Chief of the Indian Air Force (IAF) Air Marshal RKS Bhadauria as the next Chief of Air Staff (CAS). He will take over on September 30 and will have a two-year tenure.
- The National Geoscience Awards for the year 2018 for outstanding contributions in the field of geosciences, mining and allied areas were presented to twenty-two scientists from across the country, Syed Wajih Ahmad Naqvi, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), received the Award for Excellence & Sohini Ganguly, of Goa University was conferred with the Young Scientist Award-2018 for her significant work in the fields of petrology, volcanology and geochemistry.
- Tamil Nadu has become the first team to enter the semi final of the 25th Senior Women's National Football Championship being held in Arunachal Pradesh.
- Bajrang Punia and Ravi Dahiya qualified for the 2020 Tokyo Olympics winning their respective quarterfinal matches in World Wrestling Championships at Nur-Sultan in Kazakhstan.

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