[HRD Minister Shri Prakash Javadekar launches 'Swasth Bachche, Swasth Bharat'](#)

Swasth Bachche, Swasth Bharat' Programme, an initiative of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan to prepare a physical Health and Fitness Profile Card for more than 12 lakhs of Kendriya Vidyalaya students was launched in Kochi. Union Minister for Human Resource Development Shri. Prakash Javadekar unveiled the Profile Card in a function held at Kendriya Vidyalaya at KV NAD, Aluva (Kochi) today.

[Festival of India being Organized in Cote D'ivoire, Liberia and Guinea from 15 August, 2017 – 28 January, 2018](#)

A Festival of India is being organized in Cote d'Ivoire and concurrently accredited countries of Liberia and Guinea from 15 August, 2017 – 28 January, 2018. The Festival will showcase diverse Indian culture, i.e. classical and folk dances. The events will be held in four cities of Cote d'Ivoire, namely, Abidjan, Yamassoukro and Grand Bassam and Daloa and capital cities of Monrovia of Liberia and Conakry of Guinea. Following events will be showcased:-

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[Army Lends a Helping Hand in Bihar Floods](#)

Under the aegis of the 4 RAPID, based on requisition from civil administration, the army columns have been deployed for rescue and relief operations in the devastated flood affected areas of Bihar

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[Auction for Sale (Re-issue) of Government Stocks](#)

Government of India has announced the Sale (re-issue) of (i) "Government of India Floating Rate Bonds 2024" for a notified amount of Rs. 3000 crore (nominal) through price based auction, (ii) "6.79 per cent Government Stock, 2027" for a notified amount of Rs. 8,000 crore (nominal) through price based auction

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["Need to strike at the root causes of Gender bias ..": says Union Minister for Statistics & Programme Implementation, Shri D.V Sadananda Gowda](#)

Emphasising the need to strike at the root causes of gender bias in the country, Union Minister for Statistics & Programme Implementation, Shri D.V Sadananda Gowda, highlighted the importance of great movements to bring about behavioural changes in the society.