

# **Grand Acharyakulam for Vedic Learning**

## Why in News?

Recently, Haryana's Chief Minister announced plans to create a prestigious **Acharyakulam**, or <u>traditional</u> <u>school</u>, to preserve <u>Vedic culture</u> and ancient Indian education.

# **Key Points**

#### Institution Focus:

 The Acharyakulam aims to revive Vedic teachings, Sanskrit, and Indian traditions, promoting <u>cultural heritage</u> among students.

## Facilities and Infrastructure:

• It will be set to feature advanced educational amenities while adhering to traditional gurukul values, it will provide students with holistic learning environments.

### Government Support:

• The state government emphasizes the importance of integrating modern education with ancient wisdom, aligning with broader initiatives to preserve Indian culture.

## Vedic Period (1500-600 BC)

- In terms of literature, as well as social and cultural evolution, Vedic texts reflect two stages of development.
- The Rigvedic period, also known as the Early Vedic period, corresponds to the time when the Rigvedic hymns were composed, which was between 1500 BC and 1000 BC.
- The later stage, known as the Later Vedic period, is placed between 1000 BC and 600 BC.

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