# IT Saksham Yuva Scheme

## Why in News?

Recently, The Haryana government has introduced the **IT Saksham Yuva Scheme 2024** to boost **youth empowerment and employment.** The scheme aims to provide jobs to 5,000 youth in its first phase.

## Key Points

- The scheme is part of the broader '**Mission 60,000**'. It was announced during the 2024-25 budget speech and **aims to employ at least 60,000 young individuals from poor families.**
- Under this scheme, **graduate and postgraduate applicants with IT backgrounds will undertake the Haryana IT Programme**, a specially designed **short-term course** lasting a minimum of three months.
  - Participants in the IT Saksham Yuva Scheme will receive a **monthly remuneration of Rs 20,000 for the first six month**s, which will then increase to **Rs 25,000 from the seventh month onwards,** provided by the employing entities.
  - If an 'IT Saksham Yuva' is **unable to secure deployment,** the **government will provide an unemployment allowance of Rs 10,000 per month.**
- The primary **training agencies** for this scheme are the Haryana State Electronics Development Corporation Ltd (HARTRON), **Haryana Knowledge Corporation Ltd (HKCL), and** Shri Vishwakarma Skill University (SVSU).
  - As the state university, **SVSU will issue completion certificates to candidate**s according to the norms established by the Haryana Skill Development Mission (HSDM).

## Haryana Skill Development Mission (HSDM)

- It was **established in May 2015** by the State Government.
- Its aim is to **empower youth to take part in the economic and all around growt** h of Haryana and India.
- It is a single point of contact within the Government to **formulate and steer skill development schemes across the Department.**
- HSDM acts as an **integrated mission which combines the efforts of various State Departments** in achieving the skill development target of the State.

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