



President on Uttarakhand Visit

Why in News?

President Droupadi Murmu will be on a two-day tour of Uttarakhand.

Key Points

- During her visit:
 - The President will **attend Ganga aarti** and the **fourth convocation of AIIMS in Rishikesh**.
 - She will grace the **convocation ceremony of officer trainees of the Indian Forest Service (2022 batch) at the Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy, Dehradun**.

All-India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS)

- It was **established in 1956** as an institution of national importance **by an Act of Parliament** with the objectives of developing patterns of **teaching in Undergraduate and Postgraduate Medical Education** in all its branches so as to demonstrate a high standard of Medical Education in India.
- It aims to bring together in one place educational facilities of the highest order for the training of personnel in all important branches of health activity; and to attain self-sufficiency in Post-graduate Medical Education.

Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy

- It is a forest service training institute **under the Ministry of Environment and Forests of India**, which was originally as Indian Forest College, **established in 1938** for training of senior forest officers.
- It is situated in the **New Forest campus of Forest Research Institute**, Dehradun.

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