



## Mahatma Gandhi Rural Industrial Park (RIPA) established in Gram Panchayat Chandkhuri

### Why in News?

- According to the information given by the Chhattisgarh Public Relations Department on 29 May 2023, a milk processing unit has been set up at a cost of 2 crores under Mahatma Gandhi Rural Industrial Park (RIPA) in Gram Panchayat Chandkhuri of Durg development block of the state.

### Key Points:

- An administrative area has been constructed inside Ripa, in which a kiosk for a banking facility, WiFi connection for an internet facility, helpdesk has been constructed for information about state government schemes and a statue of Mahatma Gandhi has been installed in the middle of Ripa campus.
- Packaged milk, curd and condensed milk are produced by the youth at Ripa Centre. For its production, necessary machines have been made available by the administration at the RIPA site. Along with this, according to the demand of the sector, new products will also be given a place in the milk processing unit soon.
- A total of 41 people from the surrounding area will be provided employment opportunities from this unit. For the successful operation of the enterprise, the district administration is ensuring sales in the local markets by entering into contracts with private companies.
- Apart from this, the finished products will also be supplied to the government departments, so that by ensuring the consumption of the product, the working labourers are guaranteed employment and their future can be made better and prosperous from an economic point of view.



