

Haryana to Launch E-Libraries | Haryana | 19 Feb 2025

Why in News?

The Haryana government is introducing <u>e-libraries</u> in government colleges across Gurugram to improve <u>digital education</u>.

Key Points

- Benefits of E-Libraries:
 - Students will gain access to thousands of digital books, research papers, journals, and lectures.
 - They can browse and download study materials using unique login credentials on their phones or laptops.
 - This initiative **eliminates the limitation of physical books** and allows multiple students to use the same resource simultaneously.
- Success of E-Library Model at Gurugram University:
 - <u>Gurugram University (GU)</u> has already implemented the e-library model with great success. GU students currently have access to:
 - 17,000 e-books
 - 8,800 e-journals
 - 130,000 e-lectures
 - 748,000 theses
 - 2,200 reports
 - 2,600 expert talks
- Step Toward Modern Education:
 - The District Elementary Education Officer emphasized that e-libraries will help students stay **updated with the latest academic research and global studies.**
 - This initiative is described as a crucial step in improving higher education in Haryana.

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