



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

Why in News?

The Haryana government is introducing **e-libraries in government colleges** across **Gurugram** to **improve digital education**.

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:

- **Gurugram University (GU)** 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.