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West Bengal News

<p>Bengal Inc. makes it to the top 10 on Hurun India Rich List '23</p>	<p>Context</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">West Bengal has witnessed new entries in the Hurun India Rich List 2023.The combined wealth of the ultra-rich in the state has grown by 30%. <p>Key points</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Two from the city of joy have also made it to India's top 10 new faces list— Ghanshyam Sarda and Family and M L Lohia of Jupiter WagonsThe Metals & Mining and Industrial Products sectors emerged as dominant players accounting for 21% each, reflecting the region's rich natural resources and entrepreneurial spirit
<p>Centre releases ₹5,488.9 crore to Bengal as tax devolution</p>	<p>Context</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">The Centre released Rs 5,488.9 crore to Bengal as tax devolution as part of the Rs 72,961.21 crore released nationwide.The early release of funds will alleviate the financial burden on the state government, enabling them to provide a 4% additional DA and a Rs 7000 bonus to employees.
<p>Rash Mela</p>	<p>About:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Rash Mela in West Bengal is a festival celebrating the divine love of Sri Krishna and Radha.Celebrated on the full moon day in Kartik month, the Rash Yatra is a procession with clay deities of Lord Krishna and Radha.The parade demonstrates the life of Lord Krishna, and his various miracles and deeds.The Rash Mela is an annual fair that is very famous in the Nabadwip, Cooch Behar and Sundarbans.
<p>29th KIFF</p>	<p>Context 29th KIFF to pay centenary tribute to Mrinal Sen, Dev Anand</p> <p>About KIFF</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">The Kolkata International Film Festival (KIFF) is an annual film festival, held in Kolkata, India.Founded in 1995, it is India's third-oldest international film festival.



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The West Bengal Film Centre organizes the festival under the West Bengal Government.
Karmashree Scheme	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Karmashree combines several other schemes under the Labour Department.• People who work for 20 days in a project, will be given work for another 20 days in another project.• The government would train 10 lakh youths for skill development, through 500 Karma Tirtha marketing hubs, where poor people would get shops free of cost, that were being set up in the state.

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