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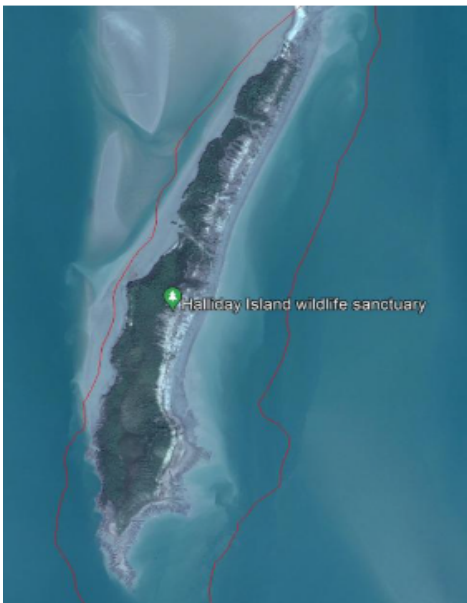
West Bengal News

Tulaipanji rice



- It is a **non-basmati aromatic rice** that got **GI status in 2017**.
- It is being produced mostly in the **Uttar Dinajpur district**.
- **The Mohiniganj area of North Dinajpur** is famous for Tulaipanji rice.
- Tulaipanji is one of the better-known folk rice varieties of Bengal,.
- The aromatic rice variety is **slender, firm with a good bite** and delightfully mellow.
- Apart from its flavoursome characteristics, Tulaipanji is much appreciated for **its pest resistance**.

Haliday Island Wildlife Sanctuary



- It is Located in the state of West Bengal, the area is approximately six square kilometers in size.
- It is a part of the '**Sundarbans Biosphere Reserve**', with the Sundarbans region as a whole becoming a '**Biosphere Reserve**' officially in **1989**.
- The wildlife-heavy areas there are regarded as an environmentally-minded tourist destination.
- It is Situated on the **river Matla**.
- Many different types of flora and fauna exist within the wildlife sanctuary. Examples include **spotted deer and wild boar**. **Bengal tigers** have occasionally visited the area as well.

Rasikbil



- It is also known as **Rasik Bil or Rasikbeel**
- It is a small lake situated in the **Cooch Behar district of West Bengal, India**.
- The nearest town is **Kamakhyaaguri**.
- This lake attracts a variety of birds.
- They make nests in the trees around the lake.
- The bird species that live in and around the lake includes **cormorants, different varieties of storks, ibis, spoonbill, kingfisher, parrots, owls, and many others**



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## Daily Current Affairs Encyclopedia

### Neora Valley National Park



- It is a national park in **Kalimpong district, West Bengal, India**
- It was established in **1986**.
- It spreads over an **area of 88 km<sup>2</sup>** and is a rich biological zone in eastern India.
- It is the **land of the red panda** in the pristine undisturbed natural habitat with rugged inaccessible hilly terrain and rich diverse flora and fauna.
- It is linked to **the Pangolakha Wildlife Sanctuary** of Pakyong District as well as the forests of Samtse District, Bhutan via a thick cover of forests

### Rupnarayan River

- It is **famous for the Hilsa fish** that live in it and are used in Bengali cuisine.
- It is also notable for the **West Bengal Power Development Corporation Limited (WBPDC) thermal power plant** built along its bank at Kolaghat in West Bengal.
- The river passes through Bagnan in Howrah district.
- Rupnarayan River forms the eastern boundary of district **Purba Medinipur with district Howrah**.

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