

Morning News Script

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi will share his thoughts with the people of the country and abroad in the Mann Ki Baat programme on Akashvani today at 11 AM. It will be the 121st episode of the monthly radio programme.

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The Information and Broadcasting Ministry has issued an advisory to all media channels to refrain from showing live coverage of anti-terrorist operations and movement of security forces in the interest of national security. It said that the media, digital platforms, and individuals play a vital role in safeguarding national security. The Ministry asked them to refrain from reporting based on sources-based information related to defence operations or movement. It said, premature disclosure of sensitive information may inadvertently assist hostile elements and endanger operational effectiveness and the safety of personnel. The Ministry highlighted that the unrestricted coverage of the Kargil War, the 26/11 Mumbai terror attacks and the Kandahar hijacking had adverse consequences on national interests, which underscored the importance of responsible reporting. The Cable Television Network Amendment Rules state that no programme should be carried in the cable service which contains live coverage of any anti-terrorist operation by security forces.

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Lok Sabha MP Supongmeren Jamir has emphasized the vital role of youth participation in the democratic process. Speaking at the Jawahar Bal Manch

Nagaland State Camp in Kohima yesterday, he reminded that today's students would soon become eligible voters and stressed the responsibility of electing good leaders.

Urging the youth not to be disheartened by life's challenges, the MP encouraged them to remain positive, resilient, and proactive in shaping their future. The camp featured various activities, including Extempore Speech contests, Quiz Competition, Martial Arts Demonstrations, and games aimed at promoting teamwork, confidence, and creativity among the students.

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Minister for Women_Resource Development & Horticulture Salhoutuonuo Kruse has called on local communities to preserve their rich cultural heritage, highlighting its potential to boost tourism and economic growth. She cited Switzerland and Khonoma as inspiring examples where cultural conservation has played a key role in driving tourism activities. Ms Kruse said this yesterday at the inauguration of the new link road connecting Mezoma village to key locations like Dimapur, Kohima, Khonoma, and Sechü-Zubza. The Minister expressed hope that the new link road will not only benefit Mezoma but also enhance tourism and livelihood opportunities across the Western Angami region.

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Advisor for NSDMA and NRE, Z. Nyusietho Nyuthe, has said that education must be the key driver for societal change. Addressing the 25th General Conference of the Pochury Hoho Kohima yesterday, Mr Nyuthe emphasized that education is the gateway to growth, progress, and a brighter future. He stressed that investing in education meant building a foundation for the community's future, ensuring progress with purpose, knowledge, and resilience. Emphasizing that every individual holds a responsibility to contribute to this goal, the Advisor noted that true success lies not only in personal accomplishments but in contributing to the growth and well-being of the entire

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Electronics and IT Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw yesterday launched Electronics Component Manufacturing Scheme Guidelines and Online portal in New Delhi. Recently, the Union Cabinet approved this scheme with a funding of 22 thousand 919 crore rupees. The scheme will be open to receive application from 1st May through the online portal. Speaking on the occasion, Mr Vaishnaw said, the electronics manufacturing has increased five times and Electronics export has increased six times in the last 10 year. He requested industry to setup design teams.

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And, Heavy to very heavy rainfall spell is likely to continue over the Northeast region in the couple of days. According to India Meteorological Department, fairly widespread to widespread light or moderate rainfall accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning and gusty winds speed is likely over the region in the coming week.

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