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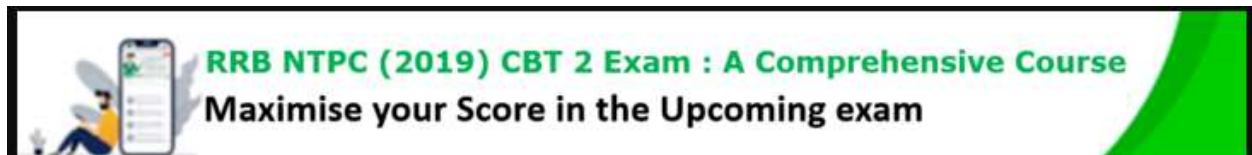
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Northern Region States: Uttar Pradesh, Uttrakhand, Haryana, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh

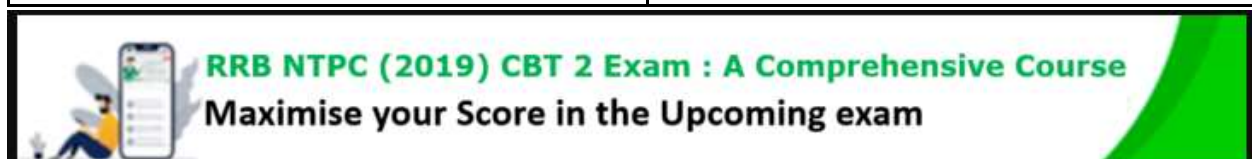
Uttar Pradesh:

Capital	Lucknow
Foundation Day	24 January 1950
Area wise Position	4th
Population wise position	1st
Chief Minister	Yogi Adityanath
Governor	Anandiben Patel
State animal	Barasingha
State Bird	Sarus crane
State tree	Ashoka
State flower	Palash
Languages	Official: Hindi Others: Urdu, Awadhi, Bhojpuri, Bundeli, Braj Bhasha, Kannauji and Hindustani.
Festivals and dances	Songs: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• sohar: to celebrate birth of a child.• Kajari sung during the rainy season.



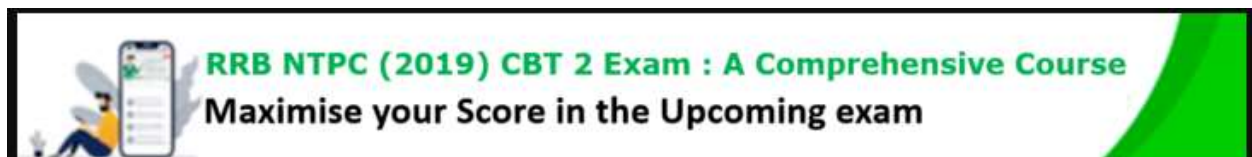
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ghazal, Thumri and Qawwali which is a form of Sufi poetry• Rasiya (especially popular in Braj), to celebrate the divine love of Radha and Krishna.• Other forms of music are Biraha, Chaiti, Alha, Khayal and Sawani. <p>Dances: Nautanki, Raslila, Kajri, Jhora, Chappeli, Jaita.</p> <p>Festival: Kumbh Mela, Ram Navami, Vyas Purnima, Diwali, Lath maar holi,</p>
Important Historical Monuments and tourist spots	<p>UNESCO World Heritage Sites:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Agra Fort• Taj Mahal• Fatehpur Sikri <p>Others:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Agra city, Agra (UP)• Akbar's Mausoleum, Sikandra (UP)• Akbar's Tomb, Sikandra (UP)• Anand Bhawan, Allahabad (UP)• Aram Bagh, Agra (UP)• Bada Imambada, Lucknow (UP)• chhota Imambada, Lucknow (U.P.)• Dewan-e-Khas, Agra Fort (UP)• Excavated Site, Saranath• Jantar Mantar, Varanasi (UP)• Itimad -ud -Daula, Agra (UP)• Jama Masjid, Agra (UP)• Khas Mahal, Agra (UP)• Lord Cornwallis Tomb, Gazipur• Man Singh Observatory, Varanasi• Mariam's Tomb, Sikandara• Moti Masjid, Agra Fort (U.P.)



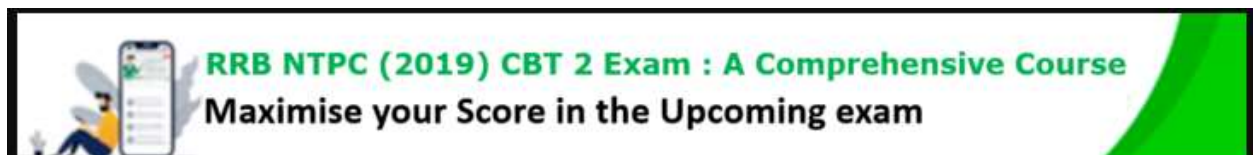
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Old Fort, Jaunpur• Ram Bagh, Agra• Rani Jhansi Fort (Kila), Jhansi• Rani Jhansi Mahal Residency, Lucknow• Sati Buri, Mathura (UP)• Shish Mahal, Agra (UP)• Ram Temple, Ayodhya, Birth Place of lord Ram• Sarnath: pillar of Ashoka, Lion Capital of Ashoka, Buddha gave his first sermon after enlightenment, dies at Kushinagar.
Rich in Minerals	Silica sand, limestone, magnesite, coal, rock phosphate, dolomite
Major Crops and Production	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Largest producer of sugar• Main food crop: wheat• Main cash crop: sugar cane• Leads all states in production of sugarcane, barley, Maize, wheat, gram, potato• Major manufacturing products include engineering products, electronics, electrical equipment, cables, steel, leather, textiles, jewelry, frigates, automobiles, railway coaches, and wagons• MSME sector is the second-largest employment generator in Uttar Pradesh, the first being agriculture
Important Rivers	Ganga, Yamuna, Ramganga, Gomati, Ghagra
Important mountain ranges	Amsot Peak is the highest peak of Uttar Pradesh



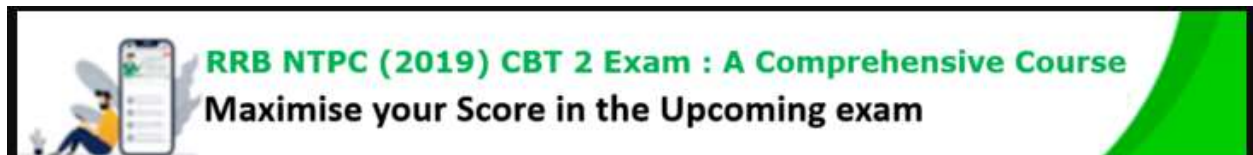
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<p>Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dudhwa National Park• Lakh Bahosi Sanctuary• Nawabganj Bird Sanctuary• Okhla Sanctuary• Patna Bird Sanctuary• Samaspur Sanctuary• Bakhira Sanctuary• Saman Sanctuary• National Chambal Wildlife Sanctuary,
<p>GI tags</p>	<p>Agriculture:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Allahabad Surkha Guava• Mango Malihabadi Dusseheri• Kalanamak Rice• Handicraft:• Lucknow Chikan Craft• Banaras Brocades and Sarees• Hand Made Carpet of Bhadohi• Agra Durrie• Farrukhabad Prints• Lucknow Zardozi• Banaras Brocades and Sarees (Logo)• Firozabad Glass• Kanpur Saddlery• Moradabad Metal Craft• Saharanpur Wood Craft• Khurja Pottery• Banaras Gulabi Meenakari Craft• Varanasi Wooden Lacquerware & Toys• Mirzapur Handmade Dari• Nizamabad Black Pottery• Banaras Metal Repouse Craft• Varanasi Glass beads• Ghazipur Wallhanging



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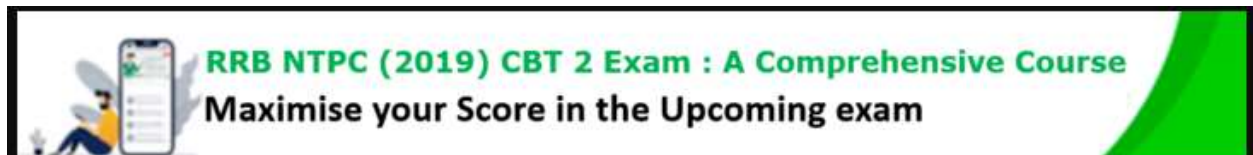
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Varanasi Soft Stone Jali Work• Gorakhpur Terracotta <p>Chunar Balua Patthar (Natural)</p> <p>Kannauj Perfume (Manufactured)</p>
Airports and Stadiums	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chaudhary Charan Singh Airport (Lucknow)• Lal Bahadur Shastri Airport (Varanasi).• Green Park Stadium in Kanpur, the only internationally recognised cricket stadium in the state• Buddh International Circuit hosted India's inaugural F1 Grand Prix race on 30 October 2011



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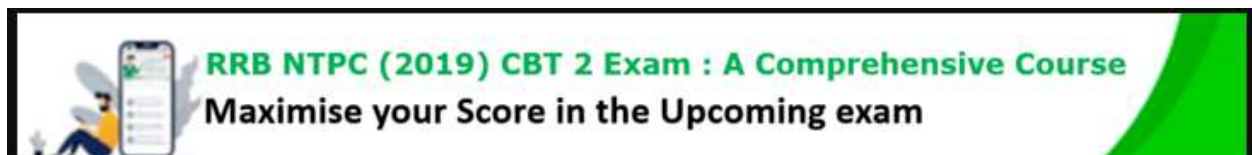
Uttarakhand: often referred as Devbhumi (Land of Gods)

Capital	Dehradun: winter Capital Gairsain, a town in Chamoli district: summer capital of Uttarakhand
Foundation Day	9 November 2000
Area wise Position	19th
Population wise position	20th
Chief Minister	Trivendra Singh Rawat
Governor	Baby Rani Maurya
State animal	Alpine musk deer
State Bird	Himalayan monal
State tree	Burans
State flower	Brahma Kamal
Languages	Official: Hindi Others: Sanskrit, Garhwali, Kumaoni, Jaunsari



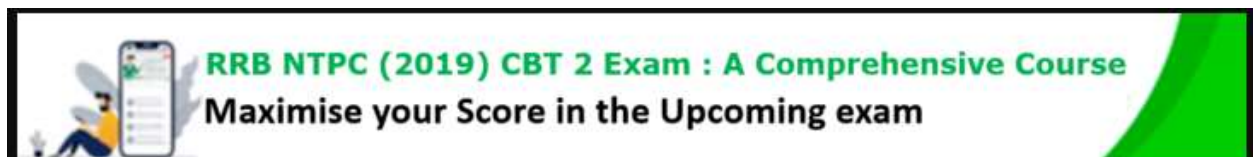
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Folk songs, Festivals and dances	Dance: Garhwali, Kumayuni, Kajari, Jhora, Raslila, Chappeli. Festivals: Basant Panchmi, Bhitauli, Makar Sankranti, Phool Dei, Ghughutia, Khatarua
Important Historical Monuments and tourist spots	UNESCO World Heritage Sites: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nanda Devi and Valley of Flowers National Parks Others: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oak Grove School, Piran Kaliyar Sharif near Roorkee is a pilgrimage site to Muslims,• Badrinath, Kedarnath, Haridwar and rishikesh• Gurudwara Darbar Sahib, in Dehradun, Gurudwara Hemkund Sahib in Chamoli district, Gurudwara Nanakmatta Sahib in Nanakmatta and Gurudwara Reetha Sahib in Champawat district are pilgrimage centres for Sikhs.• Vasudhara Falls, near Badrinath• Roopkund is a trekking site
Major crops and production	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Basmati rice, wheat, soybeans, groundnuts, coarse cereals, pulses, and oil seeds• Fruits like apples, oranges, pears, peaches, lychees, and plums
Important Rivers	Ganga, Yamuna
Important mountain ranges	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nanda Devi (Second highest mountain in India)• Bandar Punchh West (White Peaks)• Devtoli



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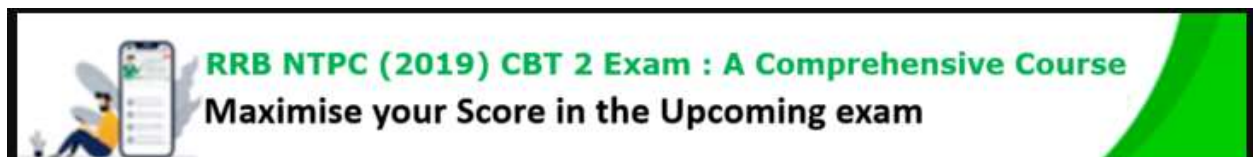
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Panchchuli Peaks• Kagbhusand <p>Lipu Lekh: Himalayan Pass</p>
Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Corbett National Park• Nanda Devi National Park• Valley of Flowers National Park• Rajaji National Park• Gangotri National Park• Govind National Park <p>Wildlife Sanctuaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Govind wildlife sanctuary• Kedarnath wildlife sanctuary• Askot wildlife sanctuary• Sonanadi wildlife sanctuary• Binsar wildlife sanctuary• Mussoorie wildlife sanctuary• Nandhaur Wildlife Sanctuary• Nanda Devi Biosphere Reserve
GI tags	Uttarakhand Tejpat (agricultural)
Airports	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jolly Grant Airport in Dehradun• Indira Gandhi International Sports Stadium in Haldwani is the home ground of Uttarakhand football team.



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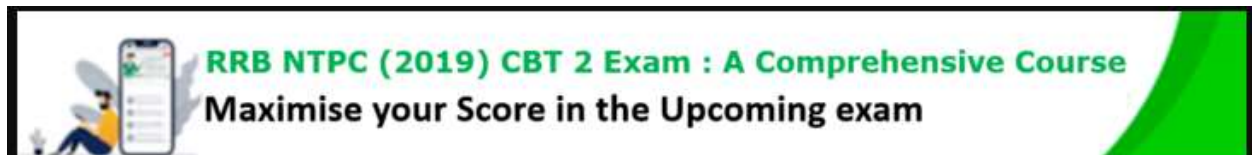
Haryana:

Capital	Chandigarh
Foundation Day	1 November 1966
Area wise Position	21st
Population wise position	18th
Chief Minister	Manohar Lal Khattar
Governor	Satyadev Narayan Arya
State animal	Blackbuck
State Bird	Black francolin
State tree	Peepal
State flower	Lotus
Languages	Official: Hindi Others: Punjabi, Haryanvi, Ahirwali, Mewati, Bagri, English
Festivals and dances	Dance: Jhumar, Phag, Daph, Dhamal, Loor, Gugga, Khor, Gagor.



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	Festival: Baisakhi, Gangore, Lohri, Gugga Naumi
Important Historical Monuments and tourist spots	Brahm Sarovar, Jyotisar, Bhisma Kund
Rich in Minerals	Iron
Major Crops and production	well known for its high-yield Murrah buffalo.
Important Rivers	Yamuna, Ghaggar-Hakra
Important mountain ranges	Dhosi Hills, Karoh Peak, Aravalli Ranges
Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sultanpur National Park• Kalesar National Park• Bhindawas Wildlife Sanctuary• Khaparwas Wildlife Sanctuary• Nahar Wildlife Sanctuary• Chhilchhila Wildlife Sanctuary• Saraswati Wildlife Sanctuary• Abubshahar Wildlife Sanctuary• Khol Hi-Raitan Wildlife Sanctuary• Bir Shikargah Wildlife Sanctuary• Asola Bhatti Wildlife Sanctuary• Bir Bara Ban Wildlife Sanctuary• Saraswati Wildlife Sanctuary• Mangar Bani
GI tags	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Phulkari (Handicraft) Also, in Punjab and Rajasthan• Basmati (agricultural) India
Airports and Stadiums	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chaudhary Bansi Lal Cricket Stadium, Rohtak, Cricket

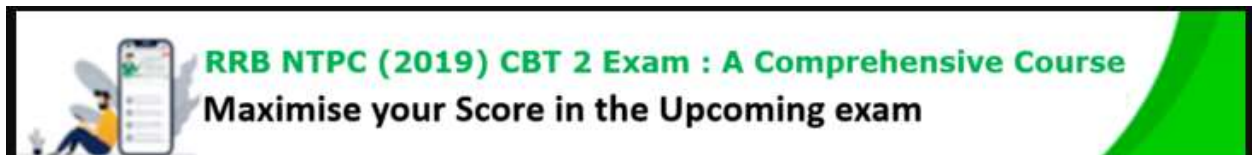


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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tau Devi Lal Stadium, Gurgaon (Cricket and Football)
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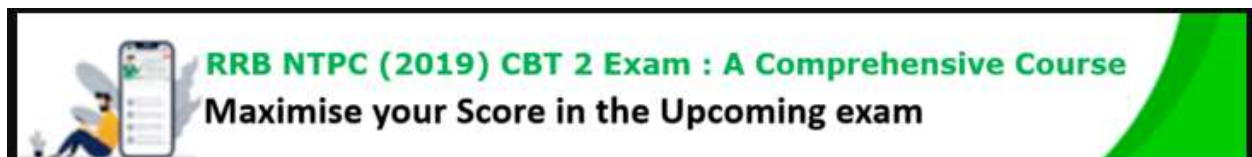
Himachal Pradesh:

Capital	Summer: Shimla Winter: Dharamshala
Foundation Day	25 January 1971
Area wise Position	17th
Population wise position	21st
Chief Minister	Jairam Thakur
Governor	Bandaru Dattatreya
State animal	Snow leopard
State Bird	Western tragopan
State tree	Deodar cedar
State flower	Pink rhododendron
Languages	Official: Hindi Others: Sanskrit, Mahasu Pahari, Mandeali, Kangri, Kullu, Bilaspuri, Kinnauri, Lahauli, Pattani, Chambeali



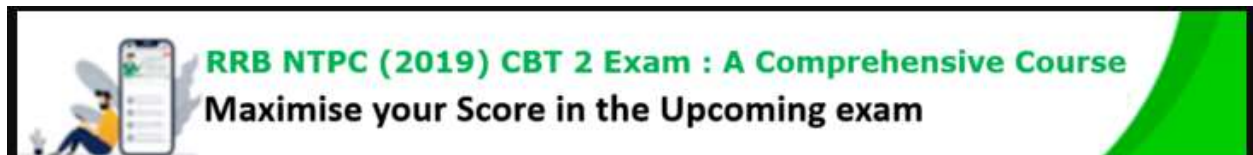
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Folk songs, Festivals and dances	Dance: Jhora, Jhali, Chharhi, Dhaman, Chhapeli, Mahasu, Nati, Dangi. Festival: Halda, Lohri, Baisakhi, Himachal Winter Carnival, Kullu Dassehra, Phulaich, Lossar, Gotsi, Sairi, Faguli
Important Historical Monuments and tourist spots	UNESCO World Heritage Sites: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Great Himalayan National Park• Mountain Railways of India (shared with TN, WB) Others: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kangra Fort, Kangra• Rock Cut Caves, Masroor
Rich in Minerals	Rock salt, lime, gypsum, silica sand, baryte
Major Crops and Production	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fruit bowl of country• Major cash crop: apple• Wheat, rice, maize, barley, olives, figs
Important Rivers	Satluj, Ravi, Beas, Chenab, Yamuna, Triveni Sangam
Important mountain ranges and Himalayan Passes	Shiwalik Range, Kangara Valley, Dhauladhar Range, Pir Panjal range, Zanskar Range Important Himalayan Passes: Bara Lacha La, Rohtang Pass, Shipki La
Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	National Parks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Great Himalayan National Park• Inderkilla National Park• Khirganga National Park



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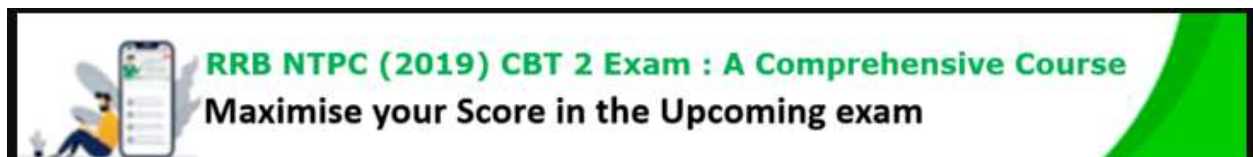
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pin Valley National Park• Simbalbara National Park
GI tags	<p>Handicraft:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kullu Shawl• Kangra Tea• Chamba Rumal• Kinnauri Shawl• Kullu Shawl (Logo)• Kangra Paintings <p>Himachali Kala Zeera (agricultural)</p> <p>Himachali Chulli Oil (manufactured)</p>
Stadiums	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• HPCA Cricket Stadium, Dharamshala, Cricket• Indira Gandhi Stadium, Una, (Cricket)



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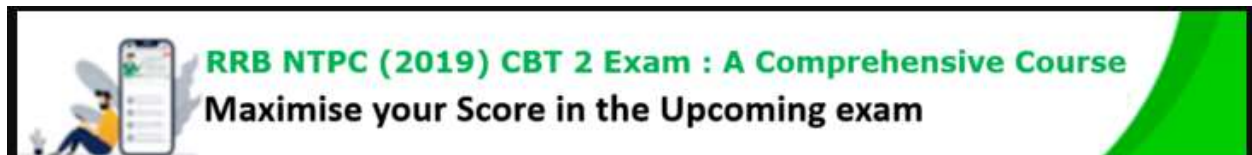
Punjab:

Capital	Chandigarh
Foundation Day	1 November 1966
Area wise Position	20th
Population wise position	16th
Chief Minister	V P Singh Badnore
Governor	Amrinder Singh
State animal	Blackbuck
State Bird	Baaz
State tree	Sheesham
State flower	Gladiolus
Languages	Punjabi
Folk songs, Festivals and dances	Dance: Bhangra, Giddha, Daff, Dhaman, Bhand, Naqual. Festival: Lohri, Hola Mohalla, Baisakhi, guru Nanak Jayanti, Rakhri Vaishakhi



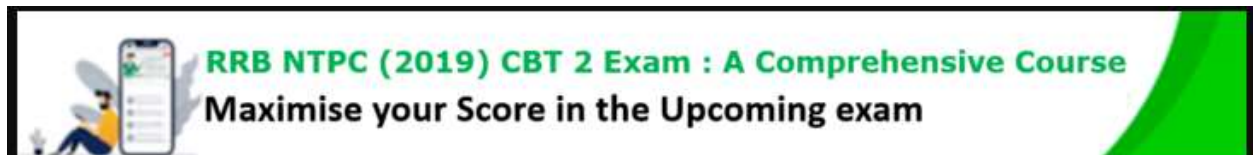
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Important Historical Monuments and tourist spots	UNESCO World Heritage Sites: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Golden temple, Amritsar• Silk road sites in India (shared with Bihar, Jammu and Kashmir, Maharashtra, Puducherry, Tamil Nadu and Uttar Pradesh)
Rich in Minerals	Gypsum, Iron
Major Crops and Production	Cotton, wheat, rice, sugar cane, dairy products Pearl Millet, barley, maize Indian Punjab is called the "Granary of India" or "India's bread-basket"
Important Rivers	Beas, staluji, Kali Bein
Important mountain ranges	Shiwalik Hills
Important wildlife sanctuaries and national Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Abohar WLS• Bir Aishvan WLS• Bir Bhadson WLS• Bir Bunerheri WLS• Bir Gurdialpura WLS• Bir Mehaswala WLS• Bir Dosanjh WLS• Jhajjar Bacholi WLS• Kathlaur Kushlian WLS• Takhni-Rehampur WLS• Nangal WLS• Bir Motibagh WLS• Harike Lake WLS
GI tags	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Phulkari (Handicraft)



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	<p>Also, in Himachal Pradesh and Rajasthan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Basmati (agricultural) India
Airports and stadiums	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sri Guru Ram Dass Jee International Airport in Amritsar• Punjab government organises World Kabaddi League <p>Stadiums:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• International Hockey Stadium, Ajitgarh (Hockey)



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