

TN Budget: \$1.5 Trillion Economy Target by 2031 and Vetri Laptop Scheme

The Tamil Nadu government presented its state budget focusing on educational empowerment, welfare measures, and major economic targets.

Annual financial statement outlining Tamil Nadu's budget allocations, social welfare schemes, and long-term economic roadmap.

KEY EXAM POINTS

- Tamil Nadu set an ambitious target to reach a **USD 1.5 trillion** economy by the year **2031**.
- The government launched the **Vetri laptop scheme** to support students with digital education tools.
- Key **tender reforms** were introduced to streamline government procurement and enhance transparency.
- The budget reiterated Tamil Nadu's strong stance demanding exemption from the national **NEET** examination.
- Special emphasis was given to enhancing **school education**, **skill training**, and social welfare infrastructure.

STATICS & SYLLABUS FOCUS

Article 202 of the Indian Constitution mandates the laying of the Annual Financial Statement before the State Legislature.

The **Tamil Nadu Fiscal Responsibility Act** was enacted in **2003** to ensure fiscal discipline.

Kalaignar Mahalir Urimai Thittam was launched in **September 2023** providing **₹1,000** monthly rights grant for female heads of families.

Pudhumai Penn Scheme provides **₹1,000** monthly assistance to girl students who studied **classes 6 to 12** in government schools for higher education.

Chief Minister's Breakfast Scheme was officially inaugurated on **September 15, 2022**, for primary school children (Classes 1 to 5).

Naan Mudhalvan scheme was launched on **March 1, 2022**, to skill 10 lakh youth annually across Tamil Nadu.

REVISION FLASHCARD

Tamil Nadu targets a \$1.5 Trillion economy by 2031 and introduced the Vetri Laptop Scheme in its state budget.

Syllabus Relevance: Unit 9: Development Administration in Tamil Nadu - Social Welfare Schemes and State Budget Targets

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