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Important Days

1. 11-11-22

- ❖ Every year since November 11, 2008, **National Education Day is celebrated.**
 - ✓ Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, India's first Education Minister, served from 2 August 1947 to 2 February 1958.
 - ✓ Abdul Kalam Azad's birthday is celebrated on November 11.

Central News

1. Savings of Rs.32,000 crore through solar energy

- ❖ According to the report, India has saved around **Rs 32,000 crore** in the first six months of this year through the use of solar energy.
- ❖ Research on the use of solar energy in India and internationally has been conducted by the Center for Energy-Clean Air Research and Center for Energy Resources.
- ❖ According to the study, India avoided crude oil consumption worth around Rs 32,000 crore during the current January to June 2022 period by using solar energy.
- ❖ India has also avoided the requirement of coal consumption by about 1.91 crore tonnes.
- ❖ 5 out of 10 countries with the highest adoption of solar energy in the last decade are from Asia.
- ❖ Countries like India, China, Japan, South Korea, Vietnam, Philippines, and Thailand are using solar energy more.
- ❖ Through this, those countries have saved around Rs.2.72 lakh crore in 6 months.
- ❖ **China** alone has saved about Rs.1.68 lakh crore. Through this, China has reduced the import of large quantities of coal and natural gas.
- ❖ Japan is in **second place**.

2. Aadhaar update is mandatory every 10 years

- ❖ The Central Government has amended the Aadhaar Regulations to make it mandatory for the Aadhaar to update their identity proof address details at least once every 10 years from the date of Aadhaar registration.
- ❖ So far **134 crore Aadhaar cards** have been distributed in the country.

Agreement

1. National Investment, Infrastructure Fund Agreement between the Bank of Japan



- ❖ The Central Government has announced that it has entered into an **MoU with the Japan Bank for International Cooperation (JPIC)** to increase investment by Japanese companies in India.
- ❖ The MoU was signed between the National Investment and Infrastructure Fund (NIIF) and the Japan Bank for International Cooperation.
- ❖ It is noteworthy that in **2015**, the Central Government created the National Investment and Infrastructure Fund to promote infrastructure-related investment in India.