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WEB EDITION

CELEB TALK

## CRISIS WILL FORCE ENTREPRENEURS TO ADAPT: RATAN TATA

In an Instagram post, industrialist and philanthropist Ratan Tata has said that the entrepreneurs and CEOs of the country can brave the coronavirus outbreak, which is wreaking havoc on the economy. Stressing that the entrepreneurs are likely to face several challenges and difficulties post-COVID, the 82-year-old business tycoon said that he trusts the new-age businessmen to innovate, adapt and find their way out of the current crisis



EDUCATION

## IIM, BANGALORE RANKED AMONG TOP 50 GLOBAL B-SCHOOLS

Indian Institute of Management Bangalore, (IIMB) has been ranked among the Top 50 global schools, for the second year in succession, in the Financial Times Executive Education 2020 Rankings. Ranked 45th, it is the only management school from India, to feature in this prestigious global list of executive education providers



WEB WATCH

## GUNS N' ROSES WROTE A CHILDREN'S BOOK

<https://toistudent.timesofindia.india-times.com/news/bookmark/guns-n-roses-wrote-a-children-s-book/52867.html>

## SHOULD PLASTIC BE TAXED?

<https://toistudent.timesofindia.india-times.com/news/sci-tech/should-plastic-be-taxed/52788.html>



## SCIENCE APPS CAN BE FUN



### PROJECT NOAH

It is a tool to explore and document wildlife and a platform to harness the power of citizen scientists. Rather than studying animals and plants from a textbook, students can take a picture of plants and trees from their surroundings. They can even earn "badges", which also makes this a great app for the Boy Scouts.

### GOT IT!

Students preparing for the SAT, chemistry, or physics can get extra help and explanations with this app. Employing experts in the STEM standards, students can upload a snapshot of their homework question and get one-on-one help to understand the problem. Students get a free 10-minute session for each problem.

### ANATOMY 4D

For high school and college students, Anatomy 4D is a great resource for studying anatomy. Students can study specific parts of the body or the entire body. Views are in 3D to give a more life-like experience to students using the app.

## LOCKDOWN DIY

### ROSE KULFI

Make delicious kulfi with these easy-to-source ingredients: 1 litre milk, 1/2 cup rose-flavoured syrup and few rose petals.

### THE METHOD:

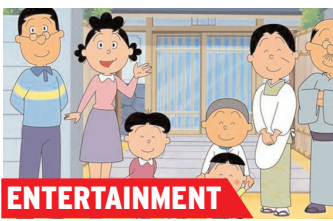
Boil milk for 15-20 minutes, or until it thickens properly. Add rose syrup to the milk and keep stirring. Once the milk is thickened and reduced in quantity due to boiling, add rose petals and continue boiling it for 10 minutes. Let milk cool down to room temperature. Pour into kulfi moulds, freeze for 5-6 hours and enjoy.

(Please take elders' help while you try them. It is one of the best ways to bond with your family)



## CORONAVIRUS INTERRUPTS WORLD'S LONGEST-RUNNING CARTOON

Production of the world's longest-running cartoon and a mainstay of the Japanese weekend has been interrupted by the coronavirus, forcing the broadcast of re-runs for the first time in decades.



ENTERTAINMENT

'Sazae-san', which first aired in 1969, revolves around the life of Mrs Sazae, a cheerful full-time housewife, who lives with her parents, husband, son, brother and sister

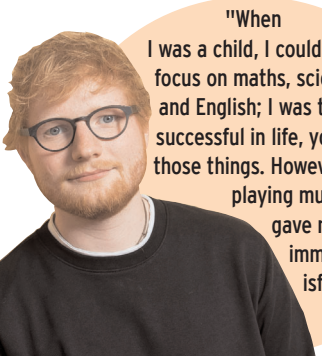
The 30-minute show is very popular in Japan

## CELEB LESSONS

### ED SHEERAN GIVES MUSIC LESSONS TO SCHOOLKIDS

Singer Ed Sheeran is using the lockdown time to do various things, including giving music lessons to schoolkids. In a virtual interaction with the

students of Ecclesbourne Primary School, Thornton Heath, South London, the singer spoke about his childhood, his struggles and also taught them to play some of his hits, such as 'Perfect' on guitar.



FACTOID

**\$1 MILLION:** Is the price organisers are expecting from Kurt Cobain's guitar, that is set to be auctioned. The retro acoustic-electric, 1959 Martin D-18E, strummed by Cobain, during his legendary MTV 'Unplugged' performance in New York – just five months before his death at the age of 27 – will be open to the highest bidder during the weekend of June 19 in Beverly Hills, and online via Julien's auction

## NEWS IN BRIEF

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### ECONOMY

## MODI STIMULUS EQUALS PAK GDP, 5 TIMES THE WEALTH OF MUKESH AMBANI

India's biggest-ever economic stimulus, dubbed as 'Atma Nirbhar Bharat Abhiyan', adds up to ₹ 20,00,000 crore, which would be roughly 10 per cent of India's GDP.

At \$266 billion, the stimulus value in dollar terms is higher than the GDP of 149 countries such as Vietnam, Portugal, Greece, New Zealand and Romania. It almost equals

Pakistan's annual GDP of \$284 billion. As per Bloomberg Billionaire's index, the 10 top wealthiest Indians have fortunes valued at \$147 billion as of latest closing prices. The stimulus announced by Prime Minister Narendra Modi is 1.8 times bigger than that. The stimulus amount is 5 times the personal wealth of Mukesh Ambani.

## BMW'S 8 SERIES GRAN COUPE LAUNCHED DIGITALLY IN INDIA

### FEATURES

- The 8 Series Gran Coupe comes with latest design—vertically-slatted blackened kidney grilles, sharp headlamps with LED DRLs, etc
- It has three different driving modes— Comfort, Sport, Sport+
- The petrol coupe has been launched at a whopping price of ₹ 1.3 crore

### AUTO



## A RARE NEW SUPER-EARTH

### DISCOVERED



➤ The planet has a mass between that of Earth and Neptune. It orbits a star about 10 per cent of sun's mass, with a 'year' of approximately 617 days

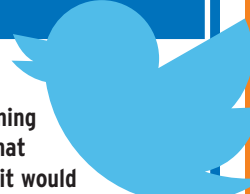
Astronomers at the University of Canterbury (UC) have discovered a new 'one-in-a-million' Super-Earth planet, towards the centre of the galaxy. The planet is one of just a handful that has been found with both size and orbit equivalent to that of Earth.

### TECH BUZZ

## TWITTER TO LABEL TWEETS CONTAINING HARMFUL, MISLEADING CONTENT ON COVID-19

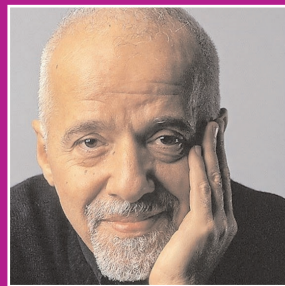
Twitter has said that it will label tweets that contain "potentially harmful, misleading information" related to COVID-19, and provide additional context to curb spread of fake news around the pandemic that has claimed thousands of lives globally. Like other digital platforms, including Google and Facebook, Twitter is also undertaking these measures to ensure that people have access to information from trusted health experts and organisations like World Health Organisation, at a time when nations across the world are combating the pandemic.

Earlier this year, Twitter had introduced a new label for tweets containing synthetic and manipulated media that misleads people, and had said that it would take steps, including removal of tweets, if such content harms public safety



## iRECOMMEND

### PAULO COELHO



The author's website is a treasure trove of useful resources. Check them out... It may help you deal with anxiety, during these testing times...

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■ In late April, the 'Alchemist' author wrote illustrated tales for children. The book talks about empathy, faith, trust and hope in the time of the coronavirus pandemic. A must read

■ His book, 'The Meaning of Peace', can be read together with family and friends. The book, which is about a king, who ruled over a kingdom where everyone is happy, unlike his neighbouring kingdoms that are in a constant state of war, is an engrossing read. It gives few lessons as well

■ How to access: <https://paulo-coelho.org/wp>

content/uploads/2020/04/PauloCoelho-The-Meaning-Of-Peace-EN.pdf

■ Besides this, the author's website also has a free, downloadable pdf of 365 motivational and encouraging messages that can be read and shared with your friends, family and well wishers

How to access: [www.paulo-coelho.org/365-messages/](http://www.paulo-coelho.org/365-messages/)

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Are you fed up of attending classes virtually from your bedroom? Well, you are not alone. Students across the world are going through the same emotions of confusion in online clutter. Follow these tips to help you sail smooth...



## Adapting to online classroom culture

### FIGHT IMPATIENCE

1 If you are nervous or irritable with this new online learning structure, remember your teacher is also going through the same feelings. "It's a first time for him/her too – like you! So be patient and try to ignore little hiccups, like connectivity issues while you are jotting down notes or trying to get your class teacher's attention," advises Rama Sharma, a Hyderabad-based schoolteacher.

### BE MINDFUL OF YOUR HOME ENVIRONMENT

2 When you are attending your class via video call, be aware of what others can see and hear. "Inform family members that your live class is about to begin, so that they too are careful about how they are dressed up and that they should not talk loudly in the background," suggests etiquette guide Sunaina Haq.

### MUTE YOUR MICROPHONE

3 Being on mic is great for saying 'hi' to your teachers and classmates, and in contributing to the discussion. However, remember to mute your audio, after saying hello. More important, the microphone should be on mute mode, when the teacher is taking the lecture, as background noise can be distracting to others attending the class.

## From face masks to slippers, museum curators are gathering objects to preserve the lockdown life



The coronavirus pandemic is still raging, but museums are already gathering testimony and objects to remember life under lockdown. "It's such an extraordinary experience," Beatrice Behlen, senior curator at the Museum of London said. The museum, dedicated to the history of the British capital, appealed Londoners to donate items

that became a part of their lives, during the outbreak. Among the items collected so far are a pot of homemade jam and a makeshift rattle that used to accompany the weekly 'clap for carers' across the country. The museum is also asking people to record how they feel about their homes, which are now being used as offices, classrooms and gyms.

### OTHERS NOT FAR BEHIND

- In Sweden, the Nordiska museet in Stockholm, is currently collecting children's reflections of how their daily lives have changed and how they see the future
- In Vienna, a photo of a birthday in confinement, and a kiss through a window pane are part of 1,800 contributions, already collected by the city's museum



➤ The lockdown has also inspired three young advertising executives in Barcelona to set up a virtual museum on Instagram



