

ANDHRA PRADESH

Andhra Pradesh has three kinds of landforms: The long plains that runs along the coast, the Eastern Ghats that stand strong along its Western boundary and the large plateau that covers the south west.



INTRODUCTION OF THE STATE

- Andhra Pradesh is surrounded by Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Odisha and Telengana. Andhra Pradesh has a long coastline on its eastern side where the waters of the Bay of Bengal lap its shores. The word 'Andhra' was first mentioned in an ancient Indian text called the Rig Veda.
- The people of Andhra Pradesh are very professional in their services, like in the sector of banks, communication companies, tourism sector etc. The IT (information technology) industry in Andhra Pradesh is very advanced.
- A large number of hardware and software engineers come from this state.

HISTORY OF THE STATE

- A great Buddhist teacher named Nagarjuna taught at the Nagarjunakonda University, which though in ruins now, can still be visited today.
- The Satvahanas were the powerful and popular dynasty who ruled over almost all of the Decan Plateau. They supported different religions and admirer of art and architecture. The main city of Andhra Pradesh that is Amaravati had Buddhist architecture.
- In 2014, Telengana finally became a separate state. But Andhra Pradesh sand Telengana- these two states have many things common, namely, history, culture, festivals and lifestyles.

GEOGRAPHICAL STRUCTURE

- **Rivers:** The main rivers here are the Godavari and the Krishna. The Nagarjuna Sagar Dam diverts the water from the Krishna river spreads it to many outlying forms.
- **Seasons:** Andhra Pradesh has three clear seasons: baking hot summer, mild winters & helpful monsoon.
- **Language:** The local language is Telegu. It is one of India's oldest languages and is known as the four original Dravidian languages.
- **Forests:** The forests of Andhra Pradesh boast some lovely wildlife. There are amazing animals here, like tigers, blackbuck, sloth bears, hyenas and chital. In the list of birds, we find pelicans, flamingoes and even the rare Jerdon's courser can be seen here.
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CAPITAL: AMARAVATI

**Hyderabad was its capital, but now
its capital is Amaravati.**



STATE TREE & FLOWER

JASMINE



NEEM TREE



STATE ANIMAL & BIRD

BLACKBUCK



ROSE-RINGE PARAKEET



PLACE OF INTEREST

TIRUPATI



VISAKHAPATNAM/VIZAG



MALLIKARJUNA JYOTIRLINGA

Mallikarjuna Jyotirlinga is a famous temple and one of the renowned jyotirlinga among the twelve jyotirlingas in India. People believe that Lord Shiva's bull prayed so hard that Lord Shiva and his wife Parvati appeared here to bless the bull.



ANDHRA HANDLOOMS: ANDHRA PRADESH IS FAMOUS FOR ITS WONDERFUL HANDLOOMS AND SKILLED WEAVERS. THE SARIS THAT ARE MADE HERE, NAMELY, POCHAMPALLI, VENKATGIRI, NARAYANPET ARE VERY GFSAMOUS. MANY OF THEM ARE NAMED AFTER THE VILLAGE THEWY HAVE COME FROM.



FESTIVALS

PONGAL



GOWRI HABBA



FESTIVALS

UGADI-THE TELEGU NEW YEAR



TIRUPATI GANGA JATRA



FOOD

ANDHRA PAPPU



PULIHORA



BIRIYANI

It is enormously popular dish comes to India via Persia and Central Asia; and brought here by Mughals. There are many versions of it, two of them are Biriyani from Lucknow style and Biriyani from Hyderabad style



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KUCHIPUDI

This delightful dance is a beautiful mix of song, speech, dance, expression and gestures.

This dance is named after the village of Kuchipuri, in Andhra Pradesh, where it probably originated.



FAMOUS PERSONS

CHIRANJEEVI & PRABHAS



RAJA & RADHA REDDI, S.P.
BALASUBHRAMANIAM



JIDDU KRISHNAMURTI

J. Krishnamurti is widely regarded as one of the greatest philosophers and teachers of all time. For seven decades, he spoke around the world to large audiences and with numerous individuals, including writers, scientists, philosophers and educators.



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