

## Highlights of 10 June 2026 Current Affairs

- Union Minister Nitin Gadkari, Jammu & Kashmir Chief Minister Omar Abdullah, and Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha inspected the Zojila Tunnel, an all-weather link between Ladakh and Jammu & Kashmir. The 13.153 km bi-directional tunnel is built at an altitude of 11,578 feet above sea level.
- The Punjab Government has created over 38,000 job posts in welfare boards across 21 state-level welfare boards for various castes and communities, but these posts have been established without salary, allowances, office space, or dedicated staff.
- Mahesh Kumar Aggarwal, a Bathinda-born IPS officer, assumed charge as the Director General of Police (DGP) and head of the police force in Tamil Nadu. He is now serving as Special Director General in the Border Security Force (BSF) in New Delhi.
- Punjab Agricultural University (PAU), Ludhiana, has identified new weed species in the flood-hit districts of Punjab, particularly Hoshiarpur, Gurdaspur, Pathankot, Ropar, Amritsar, and Patiala. The species include wild radish (*Raphanus raphanistrum*), celery-leaved buttercup (*Ranunculus sceleratus*), and marsh yellow cress (*Rorippa palustris*).
- The Punjab School Education Board (PSEB) has abolished the practice of using the date of birth as a tie-breaker for ranking students in board examinations. Now, students securing identical marks will be awarded the same rank, irrespective of age differences.
- Adani Energy Solutions Ltd. (AESL) has acquired smart metering firm IntelliSmart Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd. in a ₹30,350-crore deal.
- The Ministry of Finance has increased the interest rate on deposits under the Senior Citizens' Welfare Fund to 6.85 percent, up from 3.35 percent.
- The Indian Army has decided to raise specialised brigades to conduct electronic warfare operations aimed at intercepting, tracking, and jamming enemy communications, radar networks, and Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs).
- Prime Minister Narendra Modi will visit France and Slovakia and also attend the G7 Summit at Évian, France.
- The Pradhan Mantri Surakshit Matritva Abhiyan, which provides quality antenatal healthcare services to pregnant women across India, has completed 10 years.
- In another achievement, India recorded a current account surplus of \$7.1 billion in the fourth quarter of the financial year 2025-26.
- Bhanwarilal Purohit, former Governor of Punjab, has been appointed as the President of Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, with Deepak Parekh serving as its Vice-President.
- Indore, a city in Madhya Pradesh, has been selected to host the BRICS Agriculture Ministers' Meeting 2026, which will focus on food security and smart farming under India's presidency.
- India topped the medal tally at the Yogasana Championship 2026, securing first position with a total of 114 medals, including 102 gold, 9 silver, and 3 bronze. The event was held in Ahmedabad, Gujarat.
- The Bonn Climate Conference 2026 has kicked off in Bonn, Germany, with renewed calls for climate action. The conference also emphasized increasing financial support for vulnerable nations and urged governments to triple public adaptation finance to at least \$120 billion by 2035.

- Jharkhand has achieved a major milestone by exporting its first shipment of fresh mangoes to the United Kingdom, facilitated by the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA).