National Digital Library

Context

Ministry of Human Resource Development (HRD) has launched National Digital Library of India project.

What is it National Digital Library?

- National Digital Library of India (NDLI) is a project of the Ministry of Human Resource Development under the aegis of National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (NMEICT).
- It is developed by IIT Kharagpur

Features

- NDL is the Single Window Platform that collects and collates metadata from premier learning institutions in India and abroad, as well as other relevant sources.
- It is a digital repository containing textbooks, articles, videos, audio books, lectures, simulations, fiction and all other kinds of learning media.

National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (NMEICT):

- The National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (ICT) has been envisaged as a Centrally Sponsored Scheme to leverage the potential of ICT, in teaching and learning process for the benefit of all the learners in Higher Education Institutions in any time anywhere mode.
- The Mission has two major components providing connectivity, along with provision for access devices, to institutions and learners; and content generation.