

# President lauds 'visionary' policies of Adityanath govt

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Murmu said that UP will lend the decisive push to the country's economic growth in the 'Amrit kaal' (75th year) of India's independence. Terming the land of UP as 'Annapurna', Murmu termed UP farmers as the "actual Annadata" of the country. "I come from a farmers' family and understand the role of the agricultural sector in the economic growth of the country," she said. The President said that she was also delighted to know that the UP government was taking due steps to promote the millets.

She said that the prevailing "political stability" at the Centre and state were crucial for a sustained investment and industrial growth. Murmu lauded the state government for framing pro-investment policies and ensuring their implementation at the ground level.

She categorically lauded the "visionary" policies of the UP government which have armed the state to assume a prominent role in lending the economic push to the country. "The efforts made by the farmers and industrialists of the state were also commendable," she said.

"This would surely make UP play a key role in making India USD 5 trillion economy," she said, adding that the boost of infrastructure will not only help the citizens but also the investors.

The President said that it was heartening to note that the objectives of "sustainable and inclusive" growth, which were also the core highlights of the Union Budget 2023-24, were part of the GIS. "This will also strengthen the government's resolve to take the



President Droupadi Murmu along with Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath at the valedictory session of GIS, in Lucknow on Sunday

## Prez to offer prayers at KVT today

President Draupadi Murmu will be offering prayers at Kaal Bhairo and Kashi Vishwanath temples before taking part in Ganga Aarti at Dashashwamedh Ghat on Monday. In view of President's visit a fleet rehearsal was conducted in city on Sunday. District magistrate S Rajalingam said all preparations have been finalized and the President will reach Varanasi from Lucknow on Monday afternoon. Commissioner of police Ashok Mutha Jain said foolproof security arrangement has been put in place while traffic diversions would be introduced on the roads between airport and city. TNN

state to new heights by getting big investments," she said.

The President noted that several efforts are being made by the state government to maintain a balance between development and environment.

Efforts such as development of renewable energy and green energy corridors, and energy transition under the National Green Hydrogen Mission would help India in achieving the target of net-zero emission, she said.

In the growing investment climate, the culture of self-employment gets a boost, the president said, adding that efforts are being made for

bringing a start-up revolution in the state.

Noting the efforts to make Uttar Pradesh a preferred investment destination, she expressed confidence that the state would gain global fame as the "best investment state".

She said if Uttar Pradesh becomes more prosperous, India would also be more prosperous.

"The way in which Uttar Pradesh was appreciated worldwide for organising the 'Mahakumbh', the same way it will be acknowledged for holding 'investors Mahakumbh' in the state," Murmu said.