Bundelkhand to be job hub soon: CM

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Jhansi: Promising the youth of Bundelkhand that very soon they would not need to migrate to other places for employment, chief minister Yogi Adityanath on Tuesday said that the development of the

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Defence Corridor and the industrial area around Bundelkhand Expressway would instead see people from around the world coming to work in Jhansi and Bundelkhand. The region, he said, would soon be established as a hub of



CM Yogi Adityanath interacts with kids during an event in Jhansi

employment.

The CM was in Jhansi to open a hockey competition at the Major Dhyanchand Stadium and to inaugurate and lay foundation stones for 100 development projects worth Rs 2,009 crore on the occasion of National Sports Day. These included a newly constructed

multi-storey modern library building in the Shiksha Bhawan at Kachahri Chowk, a 25feet tall statue of Major Dhyanchand at Rani Laxmi Bai Park and then the country's first hockey museum. The CM also honoured former Olympic hockey players.

"This region has the Bundelkhand expressway on one side and the Kanpur-Jhansi national highway on the other side. In between, a new airport will be built that will elevate the development of Jhansi. Bundelkhand will be the first region to have two airports, one in Jhansi and another in Chitrakoot. The Pharma Park in Lalitpur is al-

so gaining new momentum," the CM said, listing out the various development works which the government was rolling out in the area.

On Tuesday, he announ-

ced that all irrigation projects in Bundelkhand have been completed. Another accomplishment for the region, where Jhansi and Chitrakoot are two nodes of the upcoming Defence Corridor, is the unit of Bharat Dynamics being established in Jhansi. To promote industrial growth in Bundelkhand, an area of 38,000 acres, similar to Greater Noida, is being developed. For this, Rs 6,000 crore of Rs 8,000 crore has been released.