

Asian Games 2026 - India's Performance

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Why in News?

Recently, India finished the 2026 Asian Games in Aichi-Nagoya, Japan with a total of 85 medals, securing 4th place overall.



ASIAN GAMES 2026

INDIAN MEDAL WINNERS

	Host	Aichi-Nagoya, Japan
	India's rank	4th
	Total medals	85
	Gold	21
	Silver	27
	Bronze	37
	Total medal formula	$21 + 27 + 37 = 85$



Notable Sports



Archery



Shooting



Golf



Hockey



Boxing

Olympic Qualification



Men's Hockey



LA 2028

Major Historic Achievements

- **Kumkum Anil Mohod**
 - She won the **individual recurve gold medal**.

- She became the **first Indian woman** to win an individual recurve gold medal at the Asian Games.

The women's recurve team won gold, ending South Korea's 28-year dominance in the event.

- **Neeru Dhanda**

- She won the gold medal in trap shooting.
- This ended India's **48-year wait** for a gold medal in the event.

- **Neeru Dhanda & Kynan Chenai**

- They won the gold medal in mixed trap.
- They also set a **new Asian record**.

- **Pranavi Urs**

- She won **India's first-ever Asian Games gold medal in golf**.

- **Indian Men's Hockey Team**

- The team won the gold medal.
- They successfully **defended their Asian Games title**.
- They also secured qualification for the **Los Angeles Olympics in 2028**.

- **Indian Boxing**

- Indian boxers won three **gold medals**.
- **Lovlina Borgohain** became only the **second Indian woman**, after **Mary Kom**, to win an Asian Games boxing gold.

Reference

[Indian Express | Asian Games 2026 Indian Medal Winners](#)

