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# BATTLES OF

# PANIPAT





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QUESTIONS

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# FIRST BATTLE OF PANIPAT

- The First Battle of Panipat (21 April 1526) fought near a small village of Panipat( Haryana).
- The battle was fought between the invading forces of Babur and the last empire of the Delhi Sultanate, Lodi Empire during the rule of Ibrahim Lodi.
- The Mughal forces of Babur defeated the army of army of Ibrahim Lodi, Sultan of Delhi.
- This marked the beginning of Mughal Empire in India.



# SECOND BATTLE OF PANIPAT

- Second Battle of Panipat (November 5, 1556), was fought between Mughal Emperor Akbar and Samrat Hem Chandra Vikramaditya (Hemu), the ruling King of Delhi.
- Second Battle of Panipat saw the defeat of Hemu and a decisive victory for Mughal forces .





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# THIRD BATTLE OF PANIPAT

- The Third Battle of Panipat took place on 14 January 1761, at Panipat.
- It was fought between the Maratha Empire and the Afghan forces led by Ahmad Shah Abdali.
- The battle ended with a clear win for Ahmad Shah Abdali's forces.



# THE REASONS FOR SO MANY EMPIRE-SHAKING BATTLES FOUGHT AT PANIPAT

- Strategic location
- Proximity to Delhi
- Open terrain
- Availability of resources





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