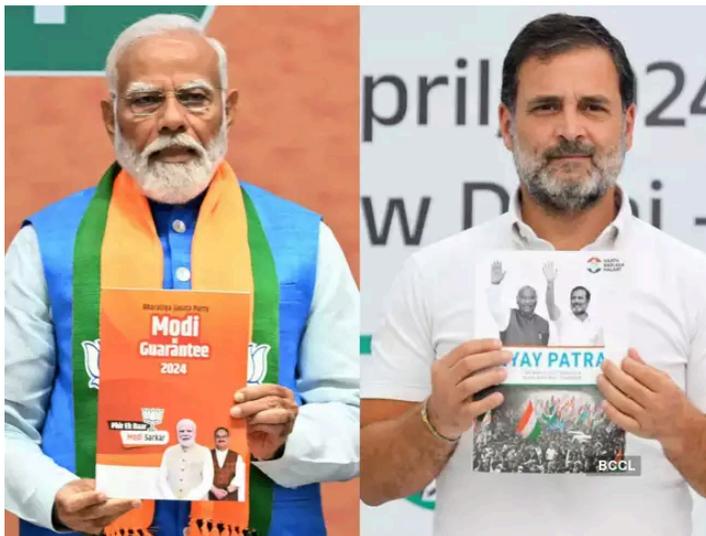


LOKSABHA 2024

Who's promising what?



BJP's SANKALP PATRA

Vs

INC's NYAY PATRA



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Bridging the Gap: Analyzing Political Manifestos for Young Voters

Objective:

Our analysis aims to demystify political manifestos, traditionally overlooked by young voters. We provide a non-partisan outlook, highlighting key points from manifestos of major parties, starting with Congress and BJP. We seek to address the vital question: What do these manifestos hold for young people, considering they represent a significant portion of the population?

Approach:

Maintaining complete non-partisanship, we aim to make the analysis accessible to all, avoiding technical jargon. Our focus is on presenting manifestos as documents for the people, not just political experts. We aim to provide a better platform for voting in upcoming elections by offering insights into party promises.

Call to Action:

As we continue analyzing manifestos of other parties, we welcome suggestions and contributions from individuals to enrich the process. Contact us at contact.markyourpresence@gmail.com to share your perspectives and help shape our future analyses.

Conclusion:

Mark Your Presence endeavors to empower young voters by analyzing political manifestos in a clear, non-partisan manner. We hope this analysis serves as a valuable tool for informed voting decisions in the upcoming elections.

Mark Your Presence



Mark Your Presence was founded on the idea that we can create more change in our country if we work together. We are a non-profit and non-partisan organization. Our aim is to create a positive change by reaching out to the youth and every citizen of the country on relevant issues that we are negligent about. Our mission is to reach out to the youth of our country and make them aware about the democratic process and the importance of participating in it. We believe that it's important to make the citizens who are under 18 years of age aware, as they will be the future voters of our country. We also enroll all the citizens who are above the age of 18 so that they can actively participate in the elections in years to come. We understand that the power of the youth is not only important but also vital in shaping the course of any democracy and therefore having educated, politically aware voter's is crucial for our democracy.

Mark Your Presence has conducted seminars in colleges, which are affiliated with Mumbai University, Symbiosis University, and other private universities. Over the last year, we have registered over 44,500 new voters for the 2024 elections. We have been registering and educating voters since 2018 for the Lok Sabha and Assembly elections in Mumbai and Delhi. Registration is only the first step of our campaign and the goal will be achieved only once we educate students at large about their right to vote and assist them.



How to read this document?

- For a detailed insight into the manifesto of both BJP and INC, do go through the highlights of each manifesto and then the comparative analysis.
- For someone who wants to just read through quickly, one can directly jump to the comparative analysis.
- For someone who just wants to read about a particular issue that affects you, you can directly jump on that page or heading.
- The points written in bold are either new promises or promises with a defined vision.
- We have compared those aspects which are of significance for young voters namely, social justice, environment, student life, employment, infrastructure, global relations, healthcare and medical education.
- One can directly jump onto any of these pages from the index page.
- We have tried to include almost all the promises specified by both the national parties, some vague promises have been omitted from this analysis.
- If in an aspect a given party has no stand/promise, we have marked it as 'No Mention'
- This is a personalized document for each one of you where you can get a fair idea regarding whom to vote for as per your needs and interests.

Release of the manifesto of Indian National Congress



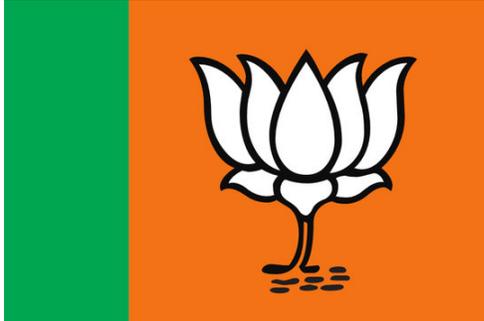
Congress party on Friday released the manifesto "Nyay patra" for the Lok Sabha elections 2024 on 5th April. Congress President Mallikarjun Kharge, former presidents Sonia Gandhi and Rahul Gandhi, General Secretary in-charge KC Venugopal and In-charge of Manifesto Committee Dr. P. Chidambaram. The broad theme of the Congress manifesto is "justice", said P Chidambaram. The former finance minister launched a veiled attack against the BJP government by saying, "Every aspect of justice has been threatened, weakened in the last 10 years, especially in the last five years". Congress' Nyay Patra focused on '**Paanch Nyay**' or five pillars of justice, including 'Yuva Nyay', 'Naari Nyay', 'Kisaan Nyay', 'Shramik Nyay' and 'Hissedari Nyay'.

Release of the manifesto of Bharatiya Janata Party



Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Defence Minister Rajnath Singh And BJP National President JP Nadda released The BJP's Election Manifesto 'Sankalp Patra' At The Party Headquarters, In New Delhi on April 14th. The long-awaited manifesto titled 'Modi ki guarantee' outlines a roadmap to transform India into a **developed country by 2047**, including a pledge to introduce a 'one nation, one election' system and a common electoral roll. The document also features a range of measures aimed at empowering youth, women, farmers, and the underprivileged. Prime Minister Narendra Modi emphasized that the aspirations of India's 1.4 billion people are central to his mission. He pledged that the BJP would swiftly begin implementing its manifesto promises upon the announcement of election results on June 4.

Highlights of the manifesto of Bharatiya Janata Party



ELIMINATING POVERTY

1. **Free Ration for the Next 5 Years to 80+ crore families**
2. **Free health treatment of up to ₹5 lakh to poor families under Ayushman Bharat, free treatment for senior citizens**
3. PM Awas Yojana to ensure every garib parivar has access to quality housing.
4. **Free electricity to poor households under PM Surya Ghar Muft Bijli Yojana**

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

5. Empowerment of **three crore rural women to become Lakhpati Didis**
6. **Nari Shakti Vandan Adhiniyam** to ensure representation for women in the Parliament and State Legislatures.

YOUTH

7. Implementing **Law to Prevent Paper Leaks**
8. Expansion of the existing Startup India Seed Fund Scheme and Startup Credit Guarantee Scheme
9. Expansion of credit programmes like Mudra to support all aspiring entrepreneurs with loan limit up to ₹20 lakh

SENIOR CITIZENS

10. Facilitate Convenient **Teerth Yatra**

FARMERS

11. Annual financial assistance of ₹6,000 under PM Kisan Samman Nidhi Yojana
- 12. Increase in MSP (Minimum Support Price) for major crops**

SOCIAL JUSTICE AND SOCIAL SECURITY

- 13. Onboarding Gig workers and migrant workers on e-Shram and helping them avail benefits they're eligible for.**
- 14. Including Auto, Taxi, Truck and Other Drivers in All Social Security Schemes with 100% insurance**
15. Transforming Bharat into the global hub for toy manufacturing
16. Expanding Livelihood Opportunities for OBC, SC & ST families with the MUDRA loan limit to ₹20 lakh
17. Expanding Scholarship Schemes for Students of OBC, SC & ST Communities
18. Expanding the Network of **Garima Grahas for Transgenders to cater to their needs.**
Transgender people will be covered under Ayushman Bharat

GLOBAL RELATIONSHIPS

- 19. Becoming a Permanent Member of the UN Security Council**
20. Creating a Global Consensus on Fight Against Terrorism amongst the United Nations
21. Establishment of IMEC to promote Bharat's trade interests
22. Establishment of globally recognised certified courses for Yoga and Ayurveda
23. Bringing back Bharatiya idols and artifacts that were taken away illegally from Bharat
24. Global Outreach Programme to celebrate Ramayan Utsav across the globe to commemorate the Pran Pratishtha of Ram Lalla

NATIONAL SECURITY

25. Continuing a Zero-Tolerance Policy Towards Terrorism
26. Eliminating Left Wing Extremism
- 27. Implementing Citizenship Amendment Act**

ECONOMY

28. Making Bharat 3rd largest economy

29. Brand, promotion and exports of One District One Product (ODOP) products

30. Strengthening Bharat's Position as Pharmacy of the World

31. Making Bharat a Global Electronics Manufacturing Hub by 2030

INFRASTRUCTURE

32. **Adding 5000+ km of new railway tracks every year** and expanding the railway network

33. Launching **Vande Sleeper trains** for a comfortable overnight journey

34. Expanding the network of metro and bullet trains

35. 15,000 km of access-controlled highways

36. Modernisation and expansion of international airports

37. Expanding water metro services across all feasible regions

38. Facilitating Digital Revolution by expanding 5G and **introducing 6G**

39. Achieving **energy independence for Bharat by 2047**

40. Accelerating Bharat's Renewable Energy Transition targeting 500 GW of renewable energy

41. Increasing Green Hydrogen Production Capacity

42. PM-eBus Seva to introduce a fleet of e-Buss across cities to provide affordable and safe transport

CULTURAL HERITAGE AND UNITY

43. Holistic Development of Ayodhya

44. Preservation and Study of Bharatiya Manuscripts

45. Establishment of युगे युगीन (Yuge Yugeen) Bharat National Museum

46. Bringing **Uniform Civil Code**

47. **One Nation, One Election and Common electoral roll** for all elections

HEALTHCARE and EDUCATION

48. Increase the number of UG and PG seats in medical education

49. strengthen our traditional means including Yoga and Meditation

50. Establishing New Institutions of Higher Learning- IITs, IIMs, AIIMS etc

- 51. Targeting 100% Gross Enrollment Ratio from pre-school to secondary level
- 52. 100% implementation of '**One Nation, One Student ID**'

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

- 53. **Launching Gaganyaan, Bharat's first human spaceflight mission**, and land an astronaut on the Moon
- 54. Anusandhan Fund with an investment of ₹1 lakh crore to provide loans to promote scientific research

ENVIRONMENT

- 55. Achieving **net zero emissions by 2070** by increasing non-fossil fuel sources
- 56. National Clean Air Program framework, aimed at reducing air pollution across 131 cities and **achieving National Air Quality Standards in 60 Cities by 2029.**

Highlights of the manifesto of Indian National Congress



PERSONAL RIGHTS AND FREEDOM

1. To assure minorities the freedom of choice of dress, food, language and personal laws.
2. Pensions for senior citizens, widows and persons with disabilities will be raised to 1,000 per month.
3. Restoration of travel concessions in public transport (rail and road) for senior citizens
4. Articles 15 and 16 of the Constitution will be expanded to **prohibit discrimination on the ground of 'disability', 'impairment' or 'sexual orientation'.**
5. **A law to recognize civil unions between couples belonging to the LGBTQIA+ community.**
6. No interference with personal choices of food and dress, to love and marry, and to travel and reside in any part of India. All laws and rules that interfere unreasonably with personal freedoms will be repealed.

HEALTHCARE

7. **Free Universal Healthcare with cashless insurance upto 25 lakh.**
8. Maternity benefits will be available to all women. All employers shall mandatorily grant **paid maternity leave for their employees.**
9. **Doubling of the hardship allowance of doctors serving in rural areas,** along with suitable residence facilities.
10. Contribution of the Central government to the pay of frontline health workers (such as ASHA, Anganwadi, Mid-Day Meal cooks, etc.) will be doubled.

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11. A law will be passed making it an **offense to commit acts of violence against doctors** and other health professionals while performing their duties.

STUDENTS AND YOUTH

12. Expansion of mid-day meal programme to Class 12th.
13. **Right to Apprenticeship Act** to provide a one year apprenticeship with a private or a public sector company to every diploma holder or college graduate below the age of 25. Apprentices will get 1 lakh a year.
14. **Abolishing application fees** for government examinations and government posts
15. **Sports scholarships of 10,000 per month** for talented and budding sportspersons below the age of 21
16. Fee regulation committees in private schools
17. Pre-matric and higher education scholarships for disadvantaged groups including SC, ST, OBC, EWS, denotified tribes and minorities are restored, increased and fully funded.
18. **Collateral-free education loans up to 7.5 lakhs** especially to students belonging to the SC, ST, OBC, EWS and minorities
19. **Free and unlimited Internet on college and school campuses** to increase accessibility and connectivity.
20. Establishment of National Sports Science Institute to promote research and development in sports sciences and training.
21. **“Sporting Heroes Job Guarantee”** programme to assure every sportsperson who has represented India at the international level or the national level a good quality job after the end of the sportsperson’s sporting career
22. **Abolishing the Agnipath scheme**
23. **A job calendar** for each department, institution and public body with details of vacancies and the timelines to fill the vacancies

SOCIAL JUSTICE

24. Nation-wide socio-economic and Caste census - **“Jitni Aabadi Utna Haqq”**
25. **Raising the cap of 50% reservations** for OBC, SC, and ST communities
26. **10% reservation in jobs and educational institutions for EWS.**

- 27. **End of the devil of manual scavenging-** will enforce The Prohibition of Manual Scavenging Act 2013.
- 28. Compensation of 30 lakh to families of sanitation workers (safai karamcharis) deceased while at work. Free insurance will be provided to all sanitation workers.
- 29. **Enactment of the Rohith Vemula Act** to address discrimination faced by students belonging to the backward and oppressed communities in educational institutions

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

- 30. **1 lakh per year to the oldest woman of every poor Indian family** as an unconditional cash transfer
- 31. **1/3rd reservation for women in politics** will be implemented from the very next Assembly and Parliament elections.
- 32. **50 per cent of central government jobs for women** starting in 2025
- 33. **'Same Work, Same Wages'** is enforced in order to prevent discrimination in wages for women.

AGRICULTURE AND LABOUR

- 34. Legal guarantee to the **Minimum Support Prices (MSP)** announced by the government every year, as recommended by the Swaminathan Commission
- 35. Fishing communities will be issued credit cards (like Kisan Credit Cards) by banks and extended credit.
- 36. **Increasing the wage of workers under MGNREGA to 400 per day.**

JUDICIAL REFORMS

- 37. **Immediate disqualification of MLA/MP defecting from a party**
- 38. All vacancies in the High Courts and Supreme Court will be filled within three years.
- 39. More women and persons belonging to the SC, ST, OBC and minorities will be appointed as judges of the High Courts and the Supreme Court

ENVIRONMENT

- 40. An act to stop the discharge of effluents into the rivers and water bodies of India.
- 41. Independent Environment Protection and Climate Change Authority to establish, monitor and enforce environmental standards

Social Justice

INC+	BJP+
“Jitni Aabadi Utna Haq” Nationwide socio-economic and caste census	No mention
Increasing cap of reservations above 50%	No mention
One-third reservation for women immediately from 2025 Assembly and 2029 Loksabha elections	Nari Shakti Vandan Adhiniyam to ensure representation for women in the Parliament and State Legislatures. (No date promised)
End of Manual Scavenging	No mention
Recognition of civil unions of LGBTQAI+ individuals	No mention
Travel concessions in public transport (rail and road) for senior citizens	Convenient facilities for senior citizens to undertake sacred pilgrimages across the country and senior citizen friendly infrastructure
Assisted Living and Care Centres for the disabled	No mention
No mention	Garima Grahastha for Transgenders. Transgender people will be covered under Ayushman Bharat Free ration to 80 crore people for the next 5 years

Environment

INC+	BJP+
Green New Deal Investment Programme focused on renewable energy, sustainable infrastructure and the creation of green jobs	No mention
Strengthening of National Clean Air Programme	National Clean Air Program framework, aimed at reducing air pollution across 131 cities. Achievement of National Air Quality Standards in 60 Cities by 2029
Stoppage of effluents into water bodies	Systems to treat water contaminated with arsenic, mercury, industrial pollutants, or other naturally occurring issues,
No mention	Integration of check dam construction, Amrit Sarovar construction, and basin management into the National River Conservation Plan
Green Transition Fund of India will be set up to achieve the goal of net zero by 2070 .	Achieving net zero emissions by 2070 by increasing non-fossil fuel sources
No mention	Green Aravali Project , a green corridor to protect and preserve biodiversity in the region and combat desertification
increasing the forest cover, redefining 'forest' and 'forest cover' in accordance with modern scientific standards, and involving local communities in afforestation	Achieving the target of a carbon sink by enhancing the tree cover
No mention	Protection of the environment by PM Surya Ghar Yojana, Railway Electrification, PM e-Bus, promotion of EVs, Ethanol and Biofuel promotion
No mention	Institutionalisation of recycling mandates across sectors to maximise mineral recovery from used products



Independent Environment Protection and Climate Change Authority to establish, monitor and enforce environmental standards and to enforce the National and State Climate Change plan	No mention

Students

INC+	BJP+
Right to Apprenticeship with Rs 1 lakh a year for a graduate below 25 years	No mention
No application fees for government examinations and government posts	No mention
Sports scholarships of 10,000 per month for talented and budding sports persons below the age of 21	No mention
Enactment of the RTE Act to make education from Class I to Class XII in public schools compulsory and free.	Targeting 100% Gross Enrollment Ratio from pre-school to secondary level
Free and unlimited Internet on college and school campuses	No mention
Fast-track courts to adjudicate cases of Paper Leaks provide monetary compensation to the victims.	Implementing Law to Prevent Paper Leaks
Enactment of the Rohith Vemula Act to prevent discrimination of students from oppressed classes in educational institutions	No mention
No mention	100% implementation of ' One Nation, One Student ID '
Increasing the number of Kendriya Vidyalayas, Navodaya Vidyalayas and Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalayas	Strengthening the network of PM SHRI Schools, Ekalavya Schools and other such schools as per NEP

INC+	BJP+
<p>Fee regulation of private schools and an end to the practice of charging special fees for different purposes in public schools.</p>	<p>No mention</p>
<p>National Education Policy will be revisited and amended.</p>	<p>National Education Policy will be strictly adhered to.</p>
<p>To revisit the policy of centrally-conducted qualifying examinations such as NEET, CUET, etc. and make it optional for state governments to adopt these examinations for admissions or conduct their own examinations</p>	<p>No mention</p>
<p>Collateral-free education loans up to 7.5 lakhs especially to students belonging to the SC, ST, OBC, EWS and minorities</p>	<p>No mention</p>

Employment

INC+	BJP+
Right to Apprenticeship Act for every diploma holder or college graduate below the age of 25. Apprentices will get 1 lakh a year.	No mention
A job calendar for each department, institution and public body with details of vacancies and the timelines to fill the vacancies	Increasing jobs in infrastructure, tourism and manufacturing.
Abolishing the Agnipath scheme and conducting full-time recruitment in the army.	No mention
“ Sporting Heroes Job Guarantee ” for sportspersons	Benefits like educational opportunities, employment opportunities and promotion opportunities to sportspersons.
The amount due including unpaid interest as on 15 March 2024 in respect of all student educational loans will be written off and the banks will be compensated by the government	No mention
30 lakh job vacancies will be filled according to the time table.	No mention
No mention	Expanding the Startup Ecosystem to promote entrepreneurship among our students and expansion of the existing Startup India Seed Fund Scheme and Startup Credit Guarantee Scheme
No mention	The Mudra loan limit will be doubled up to ₹20 lakh and provided to entrepreneurs
No mention	Establishing more Global Capability Centres (GCCs), Global Tech Centres (GTCs) and Global Engineering Centres (GECs) for high value services

Healthcare and Medical Education

INC+	BJP+
Free Universal Healthcare with cashless insurance upto 25 lakh	Free medical treatment up to Rs 5 lakh provided by Ayushman Bharat, free treatment to senior citizens
One government medical college-cum-hospital in each district.	Increase in the number of UG and PG seats in medical education.
Law for Violence against Doctors	No mention
All central government dispensaries will dispense brand and generic medicines of good quality at reasonable prices	Expanding Jan Aushadhi Kendras For Affordable Medicines
No mention	Addressing mental health issues by strengthening traditional means including Yoga and Meditation, and also by mental health initiatives like Manas and Manodarpan.
All manufacturers of medicines will be under strict scrutiny for maintaining quality and following good manufacturing practices	Support to Bharatiya vaccine manufacturers and biopharma companies
Contribution of the Central government to the pay of frontline health workers (such as ASHA, Anganwadi, Mid-Day Meal cooks, etc.) will be doubled	No mention
Budget allocation for Health will be increased step by step every year to achieve 4 per cent of total expenditure by 2028-29.	No mention
No mention	Strengthening Ayushman Arogya Mandirs and PM-ABHIM for upgrading primary and secondary healthcare.

Global relations and Diplomacy

INC+	BJP+
No mention	Becoming a Permanent Member of the UN Security Council
Elimination of terrorist groups, terrorist acts and cross-border terrorism.	Creating a Global Consensus on Fight Against Terrorism amongst the United Nations
No mention	Establishment of globally recognised certified courses for Yoga and Ayurveda
No mention	Implementing Citizenship Amendment Act
Completing long-pending trade negotiations with other countries in the interests of Indian producers and consumers.	Establishment of IMEC to promote Bharat's trade interests

Infrastructure

INC+	BJP+
The policy on Road Tolls will be reviewed and formulae will be applied to determine the toll amount and the period of levy for each stretch of the road.	Adding 5000+ km of new railway tracks every year, 15,000 km of access-controlled highways
KAVACH will be installed in all train engines and routes to improve passenger safety on Indian railways	Expansion of the manufacturing, design and installation of Kavach Systems for safety.
No mention	Vande Sleeper trains for a comfortable overnight journey
No mention	PM-eBus Seva to introduce a fleet of e-Buss across cities
No mention	Achieving energy independence for Bharat by 2047
No mention	Metro network already in 20+ cities will be expanded to other cities
No mention	Amrit Kaal Civil Aviation Master Plan to transform our airports into regional international hubs, providing single-point connectivity to designated regions worldwide



Analysis

On one hand, promises of the Bharatiya Janata Party are representative of its will to remain status-quo whereas Indian National Congress' promises are overly optimistic and hard to believe for most of the people.

In terms of social justice, women empowerment, student welfare, healthcare and employment INC manifesto lays down well-structured promises.

On the other hand in the aspects of infrastructure, global relations, environment and national heritage, BJP has been more elaborate.

It's for the voters to decide whom they relate with and also keep in mind these promises till the next elections.

What do manifestos have for women?

 <p>BJP's promise</p> <p>Expanding Lakhpati Didi scheme to enable women to earn an annual income of ₹1 lakh</p>	 <p>Improving financial condition</p>	 <p>INC's promise</p> <p>Mahalakshmi scheme to provide ₹1 lakh per year to every poor Indian family as an unconditional cash transfer</p>
<p>Development of working women's hostels, creches etc. with the specific focus on locations near industrial and commercial centres</p>	 <p>Participation in workforce</p>	<p>Reserving 50% central government jobs for women, air and equal wages, safe places of work, childcare services, preventing sexual harassment and violence; and extending maternity benefits</p>
<p>Nari Shakti Vandan Adhiniyam will be implemented to ensure representation for women in the Parliament and State Legislatures</p>	 <p>Participation in politics</p>	<p>The one-third reservation for women will be applied to State Assembly elections in 2025 and Lok Sabha elections 2029</p>
<p>Expand the existing health services focussed on anaemia, breast cancer, cervical cancer and osteoporosis. More public toilets.</p>	 <p>Health and hygiene</p>	<p>Build adequate number of safe and hygienic public toilets for women in towns and cities. Free napkin vending machines in public spaces, schools and colleges.</p>
<p>Greater participation of women in sports by launching women sportsperson-focused programmes and facilities</p>	 <p>Others</p>	<p>Adhikar Maitri in every panchayats to serve as a paralegal to educate women and assist them in the enforcement of their legal rights.</p>

Source: BJP, INC

Business as usual (vs) Overt welfarism

 <p>BJP's promise</p> <p>Make India the 3rd largest economy</p>	 <p>Goals for the Indian economy</p>	 <p>INC's promise</p> <p>Double India's GDP in the next 10 years</p>
<p>Continue on path of low inflation, high growth and fiscal prudence</p>	 <p>Key economic priorities</p>	<p>Work, wealth and welfare to be three key goals of a new 'Nav Sankalp' economic policy</p>
<p>Boost international trade via the IME corridor and take digital public infrastructure to other countries</p>	 <p>Trade, commerce & finance flows</p>	<p>Make efforts to conclude long-pending trade negotiations</p>
<p>Grow the \$100-billion electronics manufacturing sector 3X by 2030</p> <p>Making India a global manufacturing hub and product design destination</p>	 <p>Industrial goals</p>	<p>Raise the share of manufacturing from 14% to 20% of GDP in the next five years</p> <p>Revive stalled public sector projects</p> <p>Boost large-scale job creating businesses</p>
<p>Tap manufacturing sector, global capability centres (GCCs) and infrastructure projects for job creation</p>	 <p>Job creation</p>	<p>A 1-year apprenticeship for graduates and diploma holders below 25 years at ₹1 lakh a year</p> <p>An urban employment guarantee program</p>
<p>Revamp economic and commercial legislations to suit current needs and honour honest taxpayers</p>	 <p>Taxes and compliance systems</p>	<p>Review and revamp taxation systems including GST and 'Cess Raj'</p> <p>Enact a new Direct Taxes Code</p> <p>Maintain stable personal income tax rates</p>

Source: BJP, INC manifestos

Know your candidates Mumbaikars!

Constituency	NDA candidate	INDIA candidate
Mumbai North	Piyush Goyal (BJP)	Bhushan Patil (INC)
Mumbai North West	Ravindra Waikar (SHS)	Amol Kirtikar (SHS-UBT)
Mumbai North East	Mihir Kotecha (BJP)	Sanjay Dina Patil (SHS-UBT)
Mumbai North Central	Ujjwal Nikam (BJP)	Varsha Gaikwad (INC)
Mumbai South Central	Rahul Shewale (SHS)	Anil Desai (SHS-UBT)
South Mumbai	Yamini Jadhav (SHS)	Arvind Sawant (SHS-UBT)

Note:-

- NDA stands for National Democratic Alliance and includes BJP, Shivsena (Eknath Shinde) for the Mumbai seats.
- INDIA stands for Indian National Developmental Inclusive Alliance which includes Indian National Congress and Shivsena - UBT (Uddhav Balasaheb Thackrey)
- Independent candidates and candidates from other alliances/parties are not mentioned here.

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