

## Summary:

- ✚ Forests are essential for life on Earth.
- ✚ They supply the oxygen we need to survive.
- ✚ Forests are home to more than three-quarters of the world's life on land.
- ✚ Limiting or controlling the global temperature increase will be impossible without the major role of forests.
- ✚ India has a diverse range of forests – like the rainforest of Kerala in the south and the deserts of Rajasthan in the west.
- ✚ The types of forests within Telangana are tropical moist deciduous forests, dry deciduous forests, dry savannah forests, and tropical dry evergreen scrub.
- ✚ Tropical semi-evergreen forests, tropical moist deciduous forests, tropical dry deciduous forests, tropical dry savannah forests, tropical dry evergreen forests, and tropical scrub forests are the forest types of AP.
- ✚ Forests are “biodiversity hot spots”. Forests are home to a number of life forms. So one of the main aims to conserve forests is to try and preserve the biodiversity we have inherited.