

ABOUT JHANJHARPUR

GEOGRAPHY

Jhanjharpur is located on the bank of the Kamala River. The river is formed from the confluence of two separate rivers, the Kamla and the Balan, and is prone to flooding each year, around July. The bridge over the river was constructed by the British before India's independence. Jhanjharpur is a sub division. There are three blocks in the subdivision- Jhanjharpur, Lakhnaur and Madhepur.

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ECONOMY

Agriculture

Major crops grown in the area include rice, wheat, potatoes, paan, peas, mustard, onions, and sugar cane. Makhana is a popular food in the area, and there is some commercial growing in Jhanjharpur. Most of the local supplies of vegetables are locally grown.

MARKET

Jhanjharpur's two main markets, 4 km apart, are the Jhanjharpur (R.S.) Market, also known as the New Market, and Jhanjharpur Purani Bazar. Other than those two, the villages in the area hold local weekly markets. Jhanjharpur has a huge market for medicines in r.s region, even main market of medicine in madhubani is jhanjharpur. Main stockists are

CULTURE

Religion

Indra Puja and Durga Puja are the main festivals celebrated annually in Jhanjharpur. The Indra Puja festival is celebrated in the town and takes place over 10 days, during with the Lord Indra is worshiped, in a diverse cultural program.

Durga Puja is mainly celebrated in the villages that make up the Jhanjharpur sub-district, as are other festivals, including Saraswati Puja and Chhath Puja.

The village of Pachahi is home to the temple of Maa Chamunda.

MITHILA PAINTING

Mithila, or Madhubani painting, which originated in the Mithila region, is a popular art form in the area, with Kameshwar Thakur of Raiyam Kothiya being a noted exponent of the art.

The style is named after Mithila, the homeland of the goddess Sita, and represents high moral values. Mithila Painting is very famous among the fashion designing. Student can know much about Mithila Painting from J D Institute of Fashion Technology. National institute of Fashion designing and more other institute. Mithila Kohbar's Painting is very famous and attractive



COLLEGES

- Lalit Narayan Janta college
- Parwati Laxmi Women's college

Both colleges are affiliated to Lalit Narayan Mithila University, Darbhanga.

- Kirti Narayan Kamakhya Sanskrit College,, Mahrail , JHANJHARPUR. Madhubani BIHAR Yr Estd.: 1978 .
- Shiv nandan Nand Kishore Mishra College (**Bhairabsthanm**)
- Parmeswari bina sanskrit college, **Andra thadi**
- P.D.K.J.College, **Andara thadi**

HIGH SCHOOLS

- Gopal Narayan High School, **Bhairabsthan**
- Maa Durga High School, **Naruar**
- Kejriwal High School, **Jhanjharpur**
- Tibdewal High School, **Jhanjharpur**
- Chandeshwar High School, **Harari**
- Andharatharhi High School, **Andharatharhi**
- Parwati Laxmi Girls high school, **Jhanjharpur**
- BDA High School, **Nanour**
- Lal Das High School Kharaua **Arariya Sangram**
- Don Bosco Convent School, **Jhanjharpur**
- Rajkrit Utkramit School, **Karnpur**
- Shree Durga Middle School, **Mahrail**

PRIMARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS

- Khanjani Middle School, **Raiyam**
- Phatak Middle School, **Naruar**
- Chandeshwar Nath Middle School, **Harari**

- Jeebachha Madhya Vidhyalaya, **Simra**
- Girls Middle School, **Simra**
- National Academy, **Jhanjharpur**

IMPORTANT PLACES

- MAA DURGA MANDIR & BHOLA BABA MANDIR - **Mithila Deep**
- Chandeshwar Nath Mahadev Mandir - **Harari**
- Durga Sthan, Laximi Narayan Mandir - **Harari**
- Bhola Baba Temple - **Karnpur**
- Durga Temple (a famous temple of karnpur near famous river Kamla)
- Dihavar Baba Temple (located beside Nabi Pokher in Umari)
- Radha Krishna Mandir - **Lakhaur**
- Pancha Nath Mahadev Temple
- Shanthi Nath Mahadev Mandir, **Jhanjharpur**
- *Maa Kali , Durga, Jawala mai ,Sital Baba, Bramh Baba , & Rameshower Nath Temple*
- Visheshwar Nath Mahadev, Maa Durga , Janki, Bhole Baba, Bhuthi Mahadev **Naruar**
- Baliya Durga Mandir Kuti Mandir, Baliya Umari
- Simra Durga mandir **Simra**
- Braham Sthan **Simra**
- Radha Krishna Mandir (a Famous temple of Simra - Near Nahar Pokhar, **Simra**
- PARMESWARI MANDIR (a famous temple of madhubani districk) **ANDHARA THADI**