



# Miss India USA PAGEANT 2023

## Why in news?



- **R**ecently, Indian-origin American student Rijul Maini has won the title of Miss India USA Pageant 2023.
- It is noteworthy that 56 participants from more than 25 states of America took part in the 41st edition of Miss India USA 2023 held in New Jersey.
- This contest is organised for Indian American people.



## Runner up

- Apart from Rijul Maini, Grishma Bhat of Virginia was chosen as the first runner up and Ishita Pai Raikar of North Carolina was chosen as the second runner up in this competition.

## Mrs. India USA and Miss Teen India USA

- Whereas, Sneha Nambiar of Massachusetts was crowned 'Mrs. India USA' and Saloni Rammohan of Pennsylvania was crowned 'Miss Teen India USA'.

## Miss India USA Pageant 2023

- This Indian competition, which has been running for the longest time outside India, is celebrating its 41st anniversary this year.
- It was started by New York-based Indian-American Dharmatma Saran and Neelam Saran under the banner of Worldwide Pageants.