# Prime Minister to celebrate Diwali with security personnel in Bastar

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The Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi, is heading to Bastar, Chhattisgarh to celebrate Diwali with the brave security personnel and pay tribute to their sacrifices, selfless service and unwavering devotion to the nation.

The Prime Minister noted that Bastar, once affected by Naxalism, is now witnessing the flourishing of development.

In a post on X, Shri Modi said;

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> — Narendra Modi (@narendramodi) November 8, 2026

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