

# RBI Kehta Hai Know your banknotes



The ₹ 500 denomination banknotes in the **Mahatma Gandhi (New) Series** bear signature of the Governor, Reserve Bank of India. The note has motif of "Red Fort" on the reverse, depicting the country's cultural heritage. The base colour of the note is stone grey. The note has other designs and geometric patterns aligning with the overall colour scheme, both at obverse and reverse.

The size of the note is 66 mm x 150 mm

## Features of the ₹500 Notes

### Obverse:

- 1 See through register with denominational numeral 500
- 2 Latent image with denominational numeral 500
- 3 Denominational numeral ५०० in Devnagari
- 4 Portrait of Mahatma Gandhi at the centre
- 5 Micro letters "भारत" and "India"
- 6 Colour shift windowed security thread with inscriptions "भारत", and "RBI". Colour of the thread changes from green to blue when the note is tilted.
- 7 Guarantee clause, Governor's signature with Promise Clause and RBI emblem towards right of Mahatma Gandhi's portrait.
- 8 Mahatma Gandhi's Portrait and electrotone (500) watermarks
- 9 Number panel with numerals in ascending font on the top left side and bottom right side
- 10 Denominational numeral with Rupee Symbol in (₹500) in colour changing ink (green to blue) on bottom right
- 11 Ashoka pillar emblem on the right

### Some features for visually impaired:

- 12 Intaglio or raised printing of Mahatma Gandhi portrait (4), Ashoka pillar emblem (11), circular identification mark with microtext ₹500 on the right, five angular bleed lines on both the left and right sides

### Reverse:

- 13 Year of printing of the note on the left
- 14 Swachh Bharat logo with slogan
- 15 Language panel
- 16 Motif of Red Fort
- 17 Denominational numeral ५०० in Devnagari