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India will host New Zealand for a three-match Test series in 2024, taking place in October and November. This series is part of the 2023-25 World Test Championship and is India’s last home Test series for the 2024-25 season.

**Schedule and Venues:**

* 1st Test: Bengaluru, October 16-20, 9:30 am local time
* 2nd Test: Pune, October 24-28, 9:30 am local time
* 3rd Test: Mumbai, November 1-5, 9:30 am local time

India and New Zealand have faced each other 62 times in Test matches, with India winning 22 times and New Zealand winning 13 times. Notably, India has a strong home record, having won 17 of the 36 Tests played against New Zealand on home soil, losing only two since 1988.

**Upcoming Series:**

Before this series, India will start their international home season against Bangladesh with a two-match Test series beginning on September 19 in Chennai, followed by a three-match T20I series starting October 6 in Dharamshala.

Additionally, England's men’s white-ball team will tour India in January and February 2025 for five T20 internationals and three one-day internationals. This tour will start on January 22 in Chennai and conclude on February 12 in Ahmedabad.

This series promises to be crucial for both teams in the context of the World Test Championship.