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TEST NO.	DATE/DAY	TEST TYPE	SUBJECT
TEST 1	Wednesday, September 16, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	POLITY
TEST 2	Sunday, September 20, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (January 1, 2026 - January 30, 2026)	

Historical Background of the Constitution: The Company Rule (1773-1848) • Crown Rule (1858-1947)

Evolution of the Constitution: Composition of the Constituent Assembly • Working of the Constituent Assembly • Constituent Assembly Debates • Committees of the Constituent Assembly • Enactment and Enforcement of the Constitution • Criticism of the Constituent Assembly and the Constitution • Many Voices within Parliament

Salient Features of the Constitution: Sources of the Constitution • Federal and Unitary Features • Features of Parliamentary and Presidential Form of Government

Preamble: Preamble • Keywords • Nature Scope and Significance of Preamble

Union and its Territory: Union of States • Parliament's Power to Reorganize the States • Evolution of States and Union Territories

Citizenship: Meaning and Significance • Constitutional Provisions • Citizenship Act, 1955 and Citizenship Amendment Act, 2021 • Census, Survey and Other Aspects of Citizenship • PIO, OCI and NRI

Fundamental Rights: Features of Fundamental Rights • Definition of State • Laws inconsistent with Fundamental Rights • Right to Equality • Right to Freedom • Right Against Exploitation • Right to Freedom of Religion • Cultural and Educational Rights • Right to Constitutional Remedies • Writs: Types and Scope (Armed Forces and Fundamental Rights, Martial Law and Fundamental Rights, Affecting Certain Fundamental Rights, Right to Property and Present Position of Right to Property)

DPSP: Features of the Directive Principles • Classification of the Directive Principles • New Directive Principles • Sanction Behind Directive Principles • Criticism of the Directive Principles • Utility of Directive Principles • Conflict Between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles

TEST 3	Wednesday, September 23, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	POLITY
TEST 4	Sunday, September 27, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (February 1, 2026 - February 28, 2026)	

President: Election of the President • Qualifications, Oath and Conditions • Term, Impeachment and Vacancy • Powers and Functions of the President • Veto Power of the President • Ordinance-making Power of the President • Pardoning Power of the President • Constitutional Position of the President

Vice-President: Election • Qualifications • Oath or Affirmation • Conditions of Office • Term of Office • Vacancy in Office • Election Disputes • Powers and Functions • Indian and American Vice-Presidents Compared • Emoluments

Prime Minister: Appointment of the Prime Minister • Oath, Term and Salary • Powers and Functions of the Prime Minister • Role Descriptions • Relationship with the President • Chief Ministers who became Prime Ministers

Central Council of Ministers: Constitutional Provisions • Nature of Advice by Ministers • Appointment of Ministers • Oath and Salary of Ministers • Responsibility of Ministers • Composition of the Council of Ministers • Council of Ministers Vs Cabinet • Role of Cabinet • Kitchen Cabinet

Cabinet Committees: Features of Cabinet Committees • List of Cabinet Committees • Functions of Cabinet Committees • Groups of Ministers • Abolition of GoMs and EGoMs

Governor: Appointment of Governor • Conditions of Governor's Office • Term of Governor's Office • Powers and Functions of Governor • Constitutional Position of Governor

Chief Minister: Appointment of Chief Minister • Oath, Term and Salary • Powers and Functions of Chief Minister • Relationship with the Governor • State Council of Ministers • Constitutional Provisions • Nature of Advice by Ministers • Appointment of Ministers • Oath and Salary of Ministers • Responsibility of Ministers • Composition of the Council of Ministers • Attorney General of India • Appointment and Term • Duties and Functions • Rights and Limitations • Solicitor General of India • Law Officer (Conditions of Service) Rules, 1987 • Advocate General of the State • Appointment and Term • Duties and Functions • Centre-State Relations • Legislative Relations • Administrative Relations • Financial Relations • Trends in Centre-State Relations • Inter-State Relations • Inter-state Water Disputes • Inter-State Councils • Public Acts, Records and Judicial Proceedings • Inter-State Trade and Commerce • Zonal Councils • Parliament • Organization of Parliament • Composition of the Two Houses • System of Elections to Lok Sabha • Duration of Two Houses • Membership of Parliament • Presiding Officers of Parliament • Leaders in Parliament • Sessions of Parliament • Devices of Parliamentary Proceedings • Legislative Procedure in Parliament • Joint Sitting of Two Houses • Budget in Parliament • Multifunctional Role of Parliament • Ineffectiveness of Parliamentary Control • Position of Rajya Sabha • Parliamentary Privileges • Sovereignty of Parliament • Parliamentary Committees • Meaning • Classification • Financial Committees • Departmental Standing Committees • Committees to Inquire • Committees to Scrutinize and Control • Committees Relating to the Day-to-Day Business of the House • Housekeeping Committees • Consultative Committees

State Legislature: Organization of State Legislature • Composition of Two Houses • Duration of Two Houses • Membership of State Legislature • Presiding Officers of State Legislature • Sessions of State Legislature • Legislative Procedure in State Legislature • Position of Legislative Council • Privileges of State Legislature

TEST 5	Wednesday, September 30, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	POLITY
TEST 6	Sunday, October 4, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (March 1, 2026 - March 31, 2026)	

Supreme Court : Organisation of Supreme Court • Seat of Supreme Court • Procedure of the Court • Independence of Supreme Court • Jurisdiction and Powers of Supreme Court • Supreme Court Advocates • Judicial Review • Meaning of Judicial Review • Importance of Judicial Review • Constitutional Provisions for Judicial Review • Scope of Judicial Review • Judicial Review of the Ninth Schedule • Judicial Activism • Meaning of Judicial Activism • Justification of Judicial Activism • Judicial Activism vs. Judicial Restraint

Public Interest Litigation: Meaning of PIL • Features of PIL • Scope of PIL • Principles of PIL

High Court: Organization of High Court • Independence of High Court • Jurisdiction and Powers of High Court • Subordinate Courts • Constitutional Provisions • Structure and Jurisdiction

National Legal Services Authority: Lok Adalats • Family Courts and Gram Nyayalayas • Union Territories • Creation of Union Territories • Administration of Union Territories • Special Provisions for Delhi

Scheduled and Tribal Areas: Administration of Scheduled Areas • Administration of Tribal Areas

Panchayati Raj: Evolution of Panchayati Raj • 73rd Amendment Act of 1992 • Compulsory and Voluntary Provisions • PESA Act of 1996 • Finances of Panchayati Raj • Reasons for Ineffective Performance

Municipalities: Evolution of Urban Bodies • 74th Amendment Act of 1992 • Types of Urban Governments • Municipal Personnel • Municipal Revenue
Central Council of Local Government

Special Status of Jammu & Kashmir: Accession to India • Present Status between India and J&K

Special Provisions for Some States

Constitutional Bodies: Election Commission • Union Public Service Commission • State Public Service Commission • Finance Commission • National Commission for SCs • National Commission for STs • National Commission for Backward Classes • Special Officer for Linguistic Minorities • Comptroller and Auditor General of India

Non-Constitutional Bodies: NITI Aayog • National Human Rights Commission • State Human Rights Commission • Central Information Commission and State Information Commission • Central Vigilance Commission • Central Bureau of Investigation • Lokpal and Lokayuktas • Telecom Regulatory Authority of India • National Commission for Women • Bar Council of India • Enforcement Directorate • SEBI • NCPCR • CPCB • National Commission for Minorities • IRDAI • Reserve Bank of India • Political Dynamics, Election Process and Other Constitutional Dimensions

CSAT - 1	Sunday, October 4, 2026	FULL TEST	CSAT-1
TEST 7	Wednesday, October 7, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	ECONOMY
TEST 8	Sunday, October 11, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (January 1, 2026 - March 31, 2026)	

National Income Accounting: GDP • Nominal GDP and Real GDP • GNP • GVA • Market Price • Factor Cost • NNP and NDP • Factors affecting national income etc. • Recent Changes for GDP calculation • Personal Disposable Income • Potential Output • Limitation of GDP • Green GDP and Gross National Happiness • Debates around GDP and other indices

GDP Measurement: Value Added Method • Income Method • Expenditure Method • Application of various Methods • New GDP Series • Base Year • GDP Deflator • Economic Cycle and Types of Economic Recovery

Inflation: Types of Inflation • Terms and Definitions • Causes of Inflation • Measures to check Inflation • Measurement of Inflation • Types of Indices and their characteristics such as CPI, WPI, etc.

Effects of Inflation

Budgeting: Evolution of Budgeting • Components of Budget • Types of Budgeting • Budgeting Process in India • Constitutional Provisions regarding Budget • Funds of Government of India: Consolidated Fund of India, Public Fund, Contingency Fund of India, etc.

Fiscal Policy: Types of Fiscal Policy • Tools of Fiscal Policy • Fiscal Consolidation • FRBM Act and NK Singh Committee • Public Finance: Role and Importance • Public Expenditure: Revenue and Capital • Public Revenue and Sources of Revenue • Planning in India

Public Finance: Types of Deficit • Deficit Financing • Public Debt in India • Disinvestment • Finance Commission of India and its Role • Tax Structure in India and its Classification • Social and Economic Objective of Taxation in India

Important Terms associated with Taxation

Methods of Taxation: Cess and Surcharge • Direct Taxes and Indirect Taxes • Special and Ad Valorem Taxes in India • Goods and Services Tax (GST)

TEST 9	Wednesday, October 14, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	ECONOMY
TEST 10	Sunday, October 18, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (April 1, 2026 - April 30, 2026)	

Banking System: History of Banking and its evolution in India • Banking System in India • Co-operative Banking System • Types of Banking Accounts • Types of Deposits • Types of Banks: Private, Commercial, RRBs, SFBs, Neo-Banks etc. • Banking Regulations • Lending Rates • Non-Performing Assets (NPA) • Twin and Four Balance Sheet Problem • Debt Recovery Tools: DRTs, SARFAESI, ARC, and IBC • Mitigation Action Plans: Prompt Corrective Action, Project Sashakt etc. • Domestic Systemically Important Banks (D-SIBs) • Banking Reforms in India since Independence • Non-Banking Institutions such as P2P, NBFC, etc. • Digital Payments

Monetary Policy: Functions of Money • Forms of Money • Money Supply • Money Aggregates & Money Multiplier • Inflation Targeting • Monetary Policy Committee • RBI: Structure, Powers and Functions • Monetary Policy Stances • Monetary Policy Transmission • Monetary Policy Tools: Qualitative and Quantitative such CRR, SLR, MSF, Bank Rate, LAF, etc. • Bond Yield and Bond Price

Money Market: Treasury Bills • Certificate of Deposit • Commercial Paper • Commercial Bill • Cash Management Bill and Others

Capital Market: Features of Equity Markets • Equity Financing and Debt Financing • Primary Market • Secondary Market • Different Stock Exchanges in India • Depository Receipts • Regulation of the Capital Market • Derivatives • Bonds • Government Securities • Debentures • Chit Fund • Credit Rating Agencies • Participatory Notes • Foreign Securities Market

TEST 11	Wednesday, October 21, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	ECONOMY
TEST 12	Sunday, October 25, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (May 1, 2026 - May 31, 2026)	

External Sector: Balance of Payments • Current Account and Capital Account • FDI and FPI • Forex Reserves • India's External Debt Scenario • Exchange Rate: Nominal, Real, NEER & REER • Types of Currencies • Convertibility of Rupee • Internationalization of Rupee • SEZ and IFSCs • Foreign Trade Policy • Export Schemes such as MEIS, SEIS, etc. • Types of Regional Trading Agreements: PTA, FTA, CECA, CEPA, CU etc. • Stages of Economic Integration • LPG Reforms in India

Regulatory and Economic Bodies in India: NITI Aayog • Financial Stability and Development Council (FSDC) • Reserve Bank of India • Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) • NABARD • Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA) • Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) • Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) • National Housing Bank (NHB) • Enforcement Directorate (ED) • Serious Fraud Investigation Office (SFIO) • Small Industries Development Bank (SIDBI) • International Financial Services Centres Authority (IFSCA) • APEDA • Competition Commission of India

Industry and Infrastructure: Types of Industries and Classification • Industrial Policies • Measurement of Industrial Production • MSME Sector • Classification of CPSEs • Mining Sector • Coal Sector • SEZ & NIMZ • Other Industry Initiatives • Investment Models • Infrastructure Investments Options

Poverty: Types of Poverty • Poverty Estimation in India • International Poverty Line • Socio-Economic Caste Census • Multidimensional Poverty Index: Global and National • Human Development Index • Terms related to Poverty • Important Poverty Alleviation programmes in India • Sustainable Development Goals • Inequality in India

Unemployment: Types of Unemployment • Important Terms in Unemployment • Estimation of Unemployment in India • Organized and Unorganized Sector in India • Gig Economy • Startup Sector in India • Important Government Schemes related to Employment

Social Sector Initiatives/Schemes: Employment (MGNREGA, NLM, NRLM, etc.) • Health (NRHM, JSY, JSSK etc.) • Literacy and Education (SSA, MDM, NLM etc.) • Demographic Dividend (Skill India) and related Schemes • Women and Child Welfare Programmes • Insurance and Social Security • Special Savings Schemes • Pension Schemes in India • Rural Development Schemes (PMGSY, SAGY etc.) • Direct Benefit Transfer

CSAT - 2	Sunday, October 25, 2026	FULL TEST	CSAT-2
TEST 13	Wednesday, October 28, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	GEOGRAPHY
TEST 14	Sunday, November 1, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (June 1, 2026 - June 30, 2026)	

Solar System: Origin and Evolution of Universe • Solar System • Geological of Earth • Latitude and Longitude Motions of the Earth and Inclination of the Earth's Axis • Local and Standard Time • Solar and Lunar Eclipses • Earth's Magnetic Field

Structure of Earth: Earth's Crust • Classification of Rocks and Landforms • Earthquakes, Volcanoes • Theories of Landform Development • Internal Forces & their Impact: Volcanoes, Earthquakes, Folding, Faulting, Isostasy • External forces & their Impact: Weathering, Erosion & Landforms Development • Geomorphic Processes

Atmosphere: Structure and Composition • Weather and Climate • Classification of Climate • Heat Distribution • Winds and Pressure System • Precipitation, Cloud Formation, Cyclones and Air Masses

Oceanography: Structure and Features of Oceans • Waves and Currents • Temperature and Salinity Distribution • Tides and Tsunamis • Drainage System and Landforms • Marine Resources

World Mapping: Location, Extent and Political Divisions • Physical Features (Mountains, Deserts, Islands, Glaciers, Passes, Rivers, Lakes, Waterfalls, Islands, Beaches, etc.) • Social and Economic Mapping (Soils, Forests, Dams, Climate, Disaster Areas, Minerals, Transport, Infrastructure, Wildlife, etc.)

TEST 15	Wednesday, November 4, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	GEOGRAPHY
TEST 16	Sunday, November 8, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (April 1, 2026 - June 30, 2026)	

Indian Geography: Mountains and Hills in India • Plains • Plateaus and Islands of India • Himalayan and Peninsular Drainage System • Indian Monsoon • Spatial and Temporal Distribution of Temperature, Pressure, Winds and Rainfall in India • Natural Disasters • Climatic Regions of India and their Classification • Soils and Vegetation in India

Indian Mapping: Location, Extent and Political Divisions • Physical Features (Mountains, Deserts, Islands, Glaciers, Passes, Rivers, Lakes, Waterfalls, Islands, Beaches, etc.) • Social and Economic Mapping (Soils, Forests, Dams, Climate, Disaster Areas, Minerals, Transport, Infrastructure, Wildlife, etc.)

Economic and Human Geography of India and the World: Physiography and Climatic Regions of the India and the World • Agricultural Regions of India and the World • Resource Distribution and Industrial Regions across India and the World • Natural Resources and Mineral Resources across India and the World • Distribution of Key Resources across India and the World • Population Distribution and Density across India and the World • Urbanization and Migration across India and the World • Races and Tribes across India and the World • Human Settlements and Development • Population and Growth Trends (Census and Related Statistics)

DIWALI BREAK (9th NOV - 15th NOV)

TEST 17	Wednesday, November 18, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	ENVIRONMENT
TEST 18	Sunday, November 22, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (July 1, 2026 - July 31, 2026)	

Components of Environment: Components of Environment • Levels of Organizations in Ecology • Biotic & Abiotic Factors • Ecotone, Edge Effect, Edge Species, Ecocline, Ecotope, Ecophene, Homeostasis, Niche etc. • Accounting of Ecosystems

Ecology and Ecosystem: Energy Flow • Food Chain • Food Web • Ecological Pyramids • Bioaccumulation and Biomagnification • Biotic Interaction • Nutrient Cycling: Gaseous & Sedimentary Cycles • Succession • Adaptations

Terrestrial Ecosystem: Forest Ecosystem • Biome • Desert Ecosystem • Grassland Ecosystem • Deforestation and Desertification • Adaptations and Physiological Characteristics of Terrestrial Species

Aquatic Ecosystem: Various Zones in Aquatic Ecosystem • Types of Aquatic Organisms • Factors influencing Productivity of Aquatic Ecosystem • Lakes • Eutrophication • Algal Blooms • Estuaries • Mangroves • Coral Reefs

Marine Organisms: Plankton • Phytoplankton • Zooplankton • Sea Grass, Sea Weeds, Sea Cucumbers • Adaptations and Physiological Characteristics of Aquatic and Marine Species

Pollution: Types of Pollutants • Water Pollution • Soil Pollution • Noise Pollution • Radioactive Pollution • e-Waste • Solid Waste & Bioremediation • Air Pollution • Plastic Pollution • Mercury Pollution • Nitrogen Pollution • Acts, Rules and Institutions related to Pollution

Biodiversity: Basics of Biodiversity • Levels, Measurements and Factors of Biodiversity • Types of Species (Endemic, Keystone, Flagship, etc.) • Mega-Diverse Countries and Biodiversity Hotspots • In-Situ and Ex-Situ Conservation

Indian Biodiversity: Biogeographic Realms • Biomes • Biogeographic Zones of India • Fauna and Floral Classification and Diversity

Protected Area Networks: Conservation and Community Reserves • Marine Protected Areas • Sacred Groves • Eco-Sensitive Zone • Biodiversity Heritage Sites • Coastal Regulation Zone • National Parks • Tiger Reserves • Elephant Reserves • Wildlife Sanctuaries • Ramsar Sites • Biosphere Reserves

Conservation Efforts: Initiatives for Tiger Conservation • Initiatives for Elephant Conservation • Initiatives for Other Species in India • Environmental Organizations in India • Act and Policies Related to Biodiversity

Climate Change: Global Warming • Green House Gases and Concepts in Global Warming • Climate Change Mitigation Strategies • Climate Change Conferences

Ocean Acidification

International Conventions: CITES • TRAFFIC • Ramsar Convention • Bonn Convention • UNCBD • UNCCD • UN Forum on Forests • IUCN • Vienna Convention • Stockholm Convention • Basel Convention • Rotterdam Convention • Minamata Convention • Kigali Agreement • Triple COP • International Whaling Commission • Other Conventions in News

Energy and Sustainability: India's Energy Mix • Renewable Energy • Waste to Energy • Biofuels • Green Hydrogen • Sustainable Agriculture • Climate Smart Agriculture

CSAT - 3	Sunday, November 22, 2026	FULL TEST	CSAT-3
TEST 19	Wednesday, November 25, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	ANCIENT HISTORY
TEST 20	Sunday, November 29, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (August 1, 2026 - August 31, 2026)	

Pre-Historic Period: Lower Palaeolithic Age • Middle Palaeolithic Age • Upper Palaeolithic Age • Mesolithic Period • Neolithic Period • Chalcolithic Period (Stone Copper Age) • Iron Age

Indus Valley Civilization: Pre-Harappan Phase • Early Harappan Phase • Mature Harappan Phase • Late Harappan Phase • Salient Features of Indus Valley Civilisation • Decline of the Indus Valley Civilization

Rig-Vedic and Post-Vedic Age: Rig Vedic or Early Vedic Period • Later Vedic Period

Mahajanapadas: Rise of State Polity • Second Phase of Urbanization • Republican States

Pre-Mauryan Age: Magadha Empire: Administration & Economy • Republican States • Society and Religion in Pre-Mauryan Period • Persian & Macedonian Invasion. • Rise of Jainism and Buddhism: Origin and Spread, Doctrines and Principles • Jain & Buddhist Councils

Mauryan Age: Rise of the Mauryan Dynasty • Chandragupta Maurya: Administration, Bureaucracy, Taxation and Polity • Ashokan Empire • Ashoka's Dhamma and Patronage of Buddhism

Post-Mauryan Age: Shunga Dynasty • Kanva Dynasty • Chetis Dynasty • Satavahana Dynasty • Bactrian Kings or Indo-Greek Dynasty • Shakas, Parthians and Kushan Dynasty • Religion in Post-Mauryan Age: Developments in Buddhism, Jainism, Hinduism

Gupta Age: Rise of Guptas • Expansion and Administration • Trade and Economy • Society • Religion • Developments in Science and Technology • Decline of Guptas • Hunas, Mukharis, Maitrakas

Post-Gupta Age (Age of Harshavardhana): Polity and Administration • Society • Harsha and Buddhism • Literary Interests of Harsha

TEST 21	Wednesday, December 2, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	MEDIEVAL HISTORY
TEST 22	Sunday, December 6, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (September 1, 2026 - September 30, 2026)	

Tripartite Struggle

Rajput Kingdoms and Arab Invasion: Rajput Kingdoms in India • Status and Reasons of Defeat • Coming of Ghaznavids • Arab and Turkish Invasion in India: Mahmud • Ghazni's Ghurid Dynasty, Muhammad Ghori etc.

Delhi Sultanate: Mamluk, Khiljis, Tughlaqs, Sayyids and Lodhis • Polity and Administration • Military and Land Reforms • Trade and Crafts • Agriculture • Economic and Social Life • Religion, Development in Science and Arts • Accounts of Foreign Travellers • Mongolian Invasions

Mughal Rule in India: Rise of Mughals • Polity and Administration under Mughal Kings • Chronology of Mughal Emperors • Administration and Land Revenue • Law and Order • Economic Reforms • Religious Reforms and Tolerance • Mansabdari System • Arabic and Persian Literature • Account of Court Poets and Historians • Traditional Crafts, Export and Imports, Science and Technology • Disintegration of Mughals

Suri Dynasty

History of South India: Megalithic Culture • Sangam Age: Tamil Sangam Literature, Chera, Chola and Pandyas • Evolution of Early Tamil Polity and Society

Pallavas and Chalukyas: Polity and Administration • Chalukya, Pallava Art and Literary Works

Chola Empire: Rise of Cholas • Polity and Administration • Economy and Taxation • Territorial Expansion, Society and Culture • Chola Art & Literature

Vijayanagar and Bahmani Empire: Vijayanagar Kingdom: Sangama, Saluva, Tuluva and Aravidu Dynasty • Polity and Administration • Economy • Society and Culture • Conflict with Bahamani Empire • Relationship with Indian and Foreign Rulers • Foreign Travelers during Vijayanagara Age • Bahamani Empire

TEST 23	Wednesday, December 9, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	MODERN HISTORY
TEST 24	Sunday, December 13, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (July 1, 2026 - September 30, 2026)	

India on the Eve of British Conquest: Mid-18th Century India • Decline of Mughal Empire • Regional Kingdoms: Hyderabad, Bengal, Awadh, Rajputs, Mysore, Travancore, Jats, Sikhs, Marathas • Arrival of Europeans in India

Expansion and Consolidation of British Power in India: Battle of Plassey • Battle of Buxar • Carnatic Wars • Anglo-Mysore Wars • Anglo-Maratha Wars • Anglo-Nepal War • Burma Wars • Afghan Wars • Conquest of Sindh • Conquest of Punjab & Anglo Sikh Wars • Anglo-Tibetan Relations • Policy of Ring Fence • Subsidiary Alliance • Doctrine of Lapse • Policy of Masterly Inactivity • Policy of Proud Reserve

British Policies and Administration in India: Popular Uprisings Before 1857

Important Tribal and Peasant Uprisings, Tribal and Peasant Movement • Civil Uprisings

Revolt of 1857: Rise of Sepoy Mutiny • Important Leaders • British Response • Reasons for Failure • Post-1857 Administrative Reforms

Socio-Religious Reform Movements of 19th Century

Beginning of Modern Nationalism in India: Political Associations before Congress • Indian National Congress • Moderate Phase (1885-1905)

Rise of Militant Nationalism: Rise of Extremism • Partition of Bengal • Response of Moderates • Swadeshi Movement • Surat Split 1907 • Morley-Minto Reforms (1909)

First Phase of Revolutionary Activities and World War-I: Revolutionary Groups • WW-I and Nationalist Response • Reconciliation of Moderates and Extremists • Lucknow Pact • Montague's Statement • Montague-Chelmsford Reforms • Home Rule League Movement • Advent of Mahatma Gandhi • Emergence and Ideology • Early Career of Gandhi • Gandhi's Activism in South Africa • Champaran Satyagraha • Ahmedabad Mill Strike • Kheda Satyagraha • Rowlatt Satyagraha • Jallianwala Bagh Massacre • Non-Cooperation Movement and Khilafat Andolan • Khilafat Issue • Non-Cooperation and Khilafat Movement

National Movement (1922-29): Swarajists • Constructive Work Movement • Emergence of New Forces: Socialist Ideas and Trade Unionism, Labour and Peasant Organisations

Simon Commission and Boycott (1927-29): Simon Commission • Delhi Proposals • Nehru Report • Jinnah's Fourteen Points

Civil Disobedience Movement and Round Table Conferences: Irwin's Declaration • Delhi Manifesto • Gandhi's Eleven Points • Civil Disobedience Movement: Features and Progress • The Salt Satyagraha • Dandi March • End of Movement • Gandhi-Irwin Pact • Karachi Congress Session • National Economic Policy • Three Round Table Conferences • Revolutionary Movement (1922-1931) • Communal Award and Poona Pact • Harijan Campaign

National Movement Post Civil Disobedience Movement: Rise of Parties in India • Government of India Act, 1935 • Congress's Rule in Provinces

World War-II and National Movement: Nationalist Response to WW-II • Quit India Movement • Demand for Pakistan • INA • Post-War National Movement • Elections in India • Constitutional Reforms • Cabinet Mission • Muslim League and Pakistan • Communal Holocaust and Interim Government

Independence With Partition: Mountbatten's Plan • Indian Independence Act • Integration of States in India • Making of Constitution

Other Aspects of National Movement: Development of Press in India • Constitutional, Administrative and Judicial Developments in British India • Governor Generals and their Policies • Evolution of Civil Services and Judiciary in India • Important Committees, Sessions, Commissions in British India • Economic and Educational Development in British India • Important Personalities in British India • Important Events in Post-Independence India (1947-2000s)

TEST 25	Wednesday, December 16, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	ART AND CULTURE
TEST 26	Sunday, December 20, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (October 1, 2026 - October 31, 2026)	

Religion and Philosophy of India: Religion in Harappan Civilization • Early Vedic and Later Vedic Religion • Buddhism and Jainism including Various Schools of Buddhism and Jainism • Bhakti-Sufi Movement • Rise and Development of Sikhism • Schools of Philosophy: • (a)Orthodox (Samkhya, Yoga, Nyaya, Vaisheshika, Mimamsa, Vedanta) • (b)Heterodox (Ajivikas, Charvakas, Anichchitvada, Asasvatavada, Parivrajaka, Shramana, etc.)

Indian Architecture: Harappan Art and Architecture • Mauryan Art and Architecture • Post-Mauryan Architecture • Gupta Architecture • Styles of Temple Architecture in India: Nagara, Dravidian, Vesara, Nayaka, Vijayanagar, Hoysala and Pala School of Architecture • Indo-Islamic Architecture • Regional Architecture • Modern Indian Architecture

Sculptures in India: Sculptures of Harappan Civilization • Sculptures in Mauryan Age • Sculptures in Post-Mauryan Age (Gandhara School, Mathura School and Amaravati School) • Gupta Sculpture • Medieval School of Sculpture

Science and Technology through Ages: Literature in India • Literature During Vedic Age • Literature during Post-Vedic Age • Literature During Mauryan Age • Literature During Post-Mauryan Age • Literature During Gupta Period • Literature of Post-Gupta and Early Medieval Age

Paintings in India: Pre-Historic Paintings • Harappan Paintings • Mauryan Paintings • Gupta Age Paintings • Mural Paintings • Miniature Paintings in India • Regional Schools of Art: Rajasthani, Pahari, South Indian & Others • Modern Paintings • Folk Painting

Indian Music: Fundamental Elements of Music • Progress in Music and Dance • Folk Music Traditions • Classical Music: Hindustani & Carnatic

Indian Dance Forms: Aspects of Dance • Classical Dances • Folk Dances

Theatres of India: Ancient Indian Plays • Folk Theatres of India

Indian Puppetry: String Puppets • Shadow Puppets • Glove Puppets • Rod Puppets

Indian Martial Arts: Fairs and Festivals of India Indian Handicrafts & Pottery

Initiatives of UNESCO: World Heritage Sites • Intangible Cultural Heritage List • Creative Cities Network

CSAT-4	Sunday, December 20, 2026	FULL TEST	CSAT-4
TEST 27	Wednesday, December 23, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
TEST 28	Sunday, December 27, 2026	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (November 1, 2026 - November 30, 2026)	
TEST 29	Wednesday, December 30, 2026	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	
TEST 30	Sunday, January 3, 2027	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (December 1, 2026 - December 31, 2026)	

Basic Terminology and Technology: Space and Space Technology • IT, Electronics and Robotics • Defense Technologies • EM Waves • Semiconductor Technology • Particle Physics and Astronomical Features • Atomic and Nuclear Physics • Nuclear Technology • Robotics • IPR • Geo-Engineering Techniques

Current Developments in Science and Technology

Life Science and Biology: Evolution and Physiology of Plants and Animals • Life Processes • Reproduction in Organisms • Genetics and Genetic Modification • Human Health and Disease • Microbes in Human Welfare • Health and Diseases • Biotechnology • Bio-Chemistry • Polymers

Application of Basic Science and Applied Science

Chemistry in Everyday Life: Bio-Chemistry • Polymers and Biomolecules • Chemistry in Everyday Life • Agricultural Chemistry, Medicinal Chemistry and Bio-Chemistry • Environmental Chemistry and Organic Chemistry

CSAT-5	Sunday, January 3, 2027	FULL TEST	CSAT-5
TEST 31	Wednesday, January 6, 2027	CONCEPTUAL+PYQ HALF TEST (ONLY STATIC SYLLABUS) (50 QUESTIONS - 100 MARKS)	INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATION & MISC
TEST 32	Sunday, January 10, 2027	FULL TEST + CURRENT AFFAIRS (October 1, 2026 - December 31, 2026)	

International Organizations: United Nations and its Organs • Specialized Agencies • Programmes and Funds • International Law, Conventions, Treaties and Resolutions • Disarmament Organizations

Regional Organizations: EU • ASEAN • SAARC • BIMSTEC • SCO • Indian Ocean Rim Association • African Union • Mekong Ganga Cooperation • Gulf Cooperation Council • International Solar Alliance • NATO • G8, G20, G24 and G77 • BRICS • Arab League • OIC • Commonwealth of Nations

Financial and Trade Organizations: IMF • World Bank Group • FATF • ADB • NDB • AIIB • WTO • WIPO • RCEP • OECD • OPEC, etc.

Government schemes, policy and related developments that are in news

CSAT-6	Sunday, January 10, 2027	FULL TEST	CSAT-6
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SIMULATOR TESTS					
PTS GRIT CONSOLIDATION TEST-1	Sunday, January 17, 2027	FULL TEST	FULL GS SYLLABUS	January 1, 2026 - June 30, 2026	PTS GRIT CONSOLIDATION TEST-1
PTS GRIT CONSOLIDATION CSAT TEST-1	Sunday, January 17, 2027	FULL TEST	CSAT		PTS GRIT CONSOLIDATION CSAT TEST-1
PTS GRIT CONSOLIDATION TEST-2	Sunday, January 24, 2027	FULL TEST	FULL GS SYLLABUS	July 1, 2026 - December 31, 2026	PTS GRIT CONSOLIDATION TEST-2
PTS GRIT CONSOLIDATION CSAT TEST-2	Sunday, January 24, 2027	FULL TEST	CSAT		PTS GRIT CONSOLIDATION CSAT TEST-2

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