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ENGLISH MEDIUM

All India General Studies Mains Test Series 2017: STARTING – 3 SEPTEMBER, 2017

4 FULL LENGTH TESTS

(Current Affairs + Value Addition Material + Supplementary Material : Soft Copy Only)*

- Team Vision IAS

ANSWER WRITING EVALUATION PROGRAM (Experts Support: Telephonic Discussion / Email Interaction)

Fee Structure: 8500 (incl. all taxes) : Module No. 814

Program Objective: This is a comprehensive and intensive 'interactive' distance learning / online / offline test series program focusing on sincere IAS Aspirants who will appear in Civil Service Exam 2017. Our experts provide step by step guidance to aspirants for understanding the concepts of the subject and prepare them for effective answer writing.

Approach & Strategy: Our simple, practical and focused approach will help the aspirants to understand the demand of UPSC exam effectively. Our strategy is to constantly innovate to keep the preparation process dynamic and give personalized attention to individual aspirants based on factors like core competence, availability of time, resource and the latest requirement of Civil Service Exam. Our Interactive Learning approach will continuously improve aspirant's performance and move their preparation in the right direction in the dynamic changing pattern of CS Mains.

FOCUS: Answer writing skill development, Structure & presentation of answer, How to present facts, information & knowledge in the answer, Understanding actual requirement (key words, Context & Content) of the UPSC in the different types of questions and how the questions should be attempted for good score (strategy & approach), Understanding your current preparedness & required action plans and framing your mind towards actual pattern, toughness and timing of the actual UPSC Examination.

PHILOSOPHY: The pattern of UPSC Mains exam is very dynamic and unpredictable. Therefore Mock Test papers should be designed based on latest pattern of UPSC. Our team frames the questions (F, CA, FCA, U) with different difficulty level (E, M, D, V) in the Mock test papers. So that the aspirants can simulate the UPSC exam in real sense, understand the demand of the exam and develop effective writing skills.

ONLINE - DISTANCE LEARNING / OFFLINE **(Personalized Scheduling)**

Note:

- 1. Aspirants can reschedule the test date based on their plan. (POSTPONE, BUT NOT PREPONE)**
- 2. Offline Tests (Flexible): Every day of the week, 10 AM & 2 PM (THURSDAY CLOSED)**
- 3. Test Centers:**
 - Dr. Mukherjee Nagar:** 103, 1st floor, B/1-2, Ansal Building, Behind UCO Bank, Delhi-110009
 - Rajinder Nagar:** 16-B, 2nd Floor, Above National Trust Building, Bada Bazar Marg, Old Rajinder Nagar Delhi-110060
 - Jaipur:** 119, Ground Floor, Apex Mall, Lal Kothi, Tonk Road, Jaipur
 - Hyderabad:** 1-10-140/A, 3rd Floor, Rajamani Chambers, St. No. 8, Ashok Nagar, Hyderabad, Telangana-500020
 - Pune:** Office No. 403, Eiffel Squire, Near Shakti Sports, Tilak Road, Pune- 411030
 - Ahmedabad:** Chahal Academy, Office No. 25/26, Ground Floor, Aniket Building, Nr. MM Market, Girish Cold Drink Crossroad, CG Road, Ahmedabad-380009
 - Bengaluru:** 1/19, 1st floor, Nanjaiah Complex, 1st Main Club Road, Vijayanagar (Landmark: Opposite Vijayanagar Club), Bengaluru-560040

- Flexible Schedule:** Rescheduling as per the choice of the aspirant. **(POSTPONE, BUT NOT PREPONE)**
- Last Date:** 15 days before mains 2017.
- Mode of dispatch:** Printed material (*) via airmail/ **Download Test Papers & material from Vision IAS Online Platform**
- What you will get:**
- Login id & Password for performance analysis of aspirants (**Innovative Assessment System**)
 - **Consolidated Question Paper-cum-Answer booklet (4 Tests : PDF File)**
 - Evaluated Answer Booklet by experts with proper feedback, comments & guidance.
 - Answer format (Synopsis) of Mock Test paper
 - Analysis of Mock Test papers based on difficulty level & nature of questions.

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- Online/distance learning students can download Question cum answer booklet and approach-answer-analysis of mock test papers from Vision IAS online Platform.
- Question cum answer booklet, approach - answer - analysis of mock test papers will **NOT** be dispatched.
- Value Addition / Current Affairs / Supplementary material / Reference material / Support material will be provided in **SOFT COPY ONLY** and will **NOT** be dispatched.
- *Information related test discussions will be notified on the home page of student's online platform.*
- *Classroom test discussion for all sectionwise tests.*

IMPORTANT POINTS RELATED TO TEST SERIES

- *Vision IAS material is for the individual only. In case a student is found involved in any violation of copyrights of Vision IAS material, the admission to the test series will be cancelled.*
- *The student needs to provide UPSC roll no. and other details at registration@visionias.in or to update required details online, as and when asked to do so.*
- *We have **no facility of fee payment in cash.***
- *Fee once paid in non-refundable and non-transferable in all circumstances.*
- *VISION IAS reserves all rights related to admission.*
- *VISION IAS reserves all rights to make any changes in test series schedule/test writing days and timing etc., if need so arises.*
- ***Vision IAS test centers will be CLOSED on THURSDAYS for test writing.***

TEST SCHEDULE, CONTENT & REFERENCES

TEST No. [CODE]	Date of Mock Test	Topics covered [Max Marks : 250 , Duration of the Test : 3 Hrs]
Test 1 [870]	SEPTEMBER 3, 2017	Complete syllabus of <u>G. S. Paper I</u> (Full Length Test) <i>Indian Heritage and Culture, History and Geography of the World and Society</i> + Current Affairs
Test 2 [871]	SEPTEMBER 12, 2017	Complete syllabus of <u>G. S. Paper II</u> (Full Length Test) <i>Governance, Constitution, Polity, Social Justice and International relations</i> + Current Affairs
Test 3 [872]	SEPTEMBER 22, 2017	Complete syllabus of <u>G. S. Paper III</u> (Full Length Test) <i>Technology, Economic Development, Bio diversity-Environment, Security and Disaster Management</i> + Current Affairs
Test 4 [873]	SEPTEMBER 30, 2017	Complete Syllabus of <u>G. S. Paper IV</u> (Full Length Test) <i>Ethics, Integrity, and Aptitude</i>

INNOVATIVE ASSESSMENT SYSTEM:

Static & dynamic Potential of Mock test papers (Scoring Potential), Macro & Micro performance Analysis of aspirants, Section wise analysis, Difficulty Analysis, All India Rank, comparison with toppers, Geographical Analysis, Integrated Score Card, Analysis of Mock Test papers based on difficulty level & nature of questions etc.

Difficulty Level (DL):

Easy (E), Medium (M), Difficult (D), Very Difficult (V)

Nature of Question (Nature):

Fundamental /Conceptual /Conventional (F), Current Affairs (CA), Fundamental + Current Affairs (FCA) and Unconventional (U)

UPSC CRITERIA:

Criteria for assessment of candidate performance in the written IAS exam as per UPSC instruction:

“The main Examination is intended to assess the overall intellectual traits and depth of understanding of candidates rather than merely the range of their information and memory”. - Union Public Service Commission (UPSC).

METHODOLOGY:

Methodology for evaluation of Answer sheet: Our expert will evaluate aspirant’s answer sheet on following indicators using their experience in the field of UPSC.

EVALUATION INDICATORS	
1.	Alignment Competence
2.	Context Competence
3.	Content Competence
4.	Language Competence
5.	Introduction Competence
6.	Structure - Presentations Competence
7.	Conclusion Competence
MARKS	

Score: Scale: 1- 5 5 – Outstanding 4 – Excellent 3 – Good 2 – Average 1 - Poor

- Total Marks in the question has been given on proper consideration of weightage of every evaluation indicators based on nature of the questions and UPSC experience of the expert.
- The score of every indicator for any question will highlight candidate’s competence performance (for understanding of the level of quality of the question and required action plans).

BASIC UNDERSTANDING OF FOLLOWING DESIGNED COMPETENCES:

- ◆ **Alignment Competence:**
 - Writing the answer according to the actual requirement of the questions
 - Focus on Key words & Tail words effectively (*Elucidate - Explain, Comment, Examine, Critically examine, Discuss, Analyze, Illustrate, Review, Argue, Justify etc.*)
- ◆ **Context Competence:**
 - Contextual understanding of the Questions
 - formation , choice of words and proper statement
- ◆ **Content Competence:**
 - Content of the answer in the contextual framework
- ◆ **Language Competence:**
 - Optional Subject Specific Language not used general words in the optional paper (but In General Studies language should be simple and clear)
 - Appropriate words at proper place, Word limits
- ◆ **Structure - Presentation Competence:**
 - Proper systematization in the structure of the answer, Proper consideration of priority and focus of given ideas.
 - Logical structure of sentence and their connectivity
 - proper visibility of idea through facts, data, diagram, figure, illustration according to the requirement of the question
- ◆ **Introduction - Conclusion Competence:**
 - Impressive beginning and Ending of the answer. Give your opinion only when asked for it.
 - Incorporate your opinion from different perspective in a balance manner.

~ ONLINE/OFFLINE ~

~ DISTANCE LEARNING ~

IAS MAINS / PRELIM TEST SERIES

~ CLASSROOM ~

By Team Vision IAS

(General Studies, Essay, GS PRELIM & APTITUDE TEST)

NATURE: Flexible, Cyclic, Interactive Discussion

TEST TIMING: 10 AM and 2 PM (Every day of the week)

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