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All INDIA GENERAL STUDIES PRELIMS TEST SERIES 2024: STARTING – 14 MAY, 2023

35 TESTS: 8 Fundamental + 17 Applied (Including 2 Revision Tests) + 10 Full Length

Current Affairs + Value Addition Material + Supplementary Material: Soft Copy Only

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Approach & Strategy:

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Number of Mock Tests: 35 TESTS: 8 Fundamental + 17 Applied (Including 2 Revision Tests) + 10 Full Length

Fee (Incl. all taxes): Rs. 16000 MODULE NUMBER: 2194

Nature: Flexible - Date of Mock Test: Reschedule on the demand of the aspirants. (POSTPONE, BUT NOT PREPONE)

What you will get:

- Login id & Password for performance analysis of aspirants (Innovative Assessment System including POST TEST ANALYSIS)
- 35 Mock Test Papers & Answer Explanations
- Analysis of Mock Test papers based on difficulty level & nature of questions.
- Comprehensive analysis of previous year question Papers.

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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.

HOW IT WORKS: The tests are planned at three different levels of preparation required for a student to succeed in CSE - Prelims.

- 1. <u>Fundamental level Test 1 to 8</u>: Each test will be based entirely on the most fundamental sources of that particular section. Here we will test whether you have thoroughly prepared these fundamental sources or not and if you have understood all the basic concepts or not.
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- 3. <u>Comprehensive level Test 24 to 27 & 29, 30 and 32 to 35</u>: These are Full Length Test (FLT) covering all the levels of difficulties and all the types of questions similar to the UPSC prelims paper. These tests will validate that your preparation is complete and you have achieved that extra edge to succeed in CSE Prelims.

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(Personalized Scheduling)

Note:

- 1. Aspirants can <u>reschedule</u> 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)
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Ahmedabad: 101, First Floor, Addor Ambition, Near Navkar Institute, Navrang School Circle, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad-380009

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FUNDAMENTAL TESTS - SCHEDULE, CONTENT & REFERENCE

TEST No.	Date of Mock Test	Syllabus	Topics covered (The list is indicative to help students; however, it is not exhaustive. A topic may have more subtopics)	Sources covered
Test 1 [4126]	MAY 14, 2023 (Personalized scheduling: reschedule the date of Mock tests based on aspirant's plan)	Indian Polity & Constitution Political systems: concepts, forms and types Political system as established by the Constitution Indian Constitution: Historical Underpinnings, Evolution & Making of the Constitution, Features, Significant Provisions The Preamble The Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles & Fundamental Duties Amendment of Constitution Basic Structure of the Constitution Emergency Provisions Constitutional & Non Constitutional Bodies + Current Affairs (January 2023)	 Political systems: Democratic & Non-Democratic, Parliamentary & Presidential, Unitary & Federal, Direct and Representative, Republic and Monarchy etc. Constitutionalism Historical Underpinnings Evolution & Making of the Constitution Features and Significant Provisions The Preamble The Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights Directive Principles Fundamental Duties Amendment of Constitution Basic Structure of the Constitution Emergency Provisions Constitutional Bodies Election Commission Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) 	 9th NCERT: Democratic Politics 1 10th NCERT: Democratic Politics 2 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth Vision IAS value addition material Polity and Governance Quick Revision Module (QRM) Polity

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Test 2 [4127]	JUNE 11, 2023	 Central Government: President, Vice President, Prime minister, Central Council of Ministers Parliament and State Legislature State Government: Governor, Chief Minister, State Council of Ministers Indian Federalism and Centre-State Relations Local Government: Panchayati Raj, Local Urban Government Judiciary: Supreme Court, High Courts, Subordinate Courts Elections + Current Affairs (January 2023) 	 Central Council of Ministers and Cabinet committees Posts like Cabinet Secretary, Chief Secretary, etc Parliament: The Council of States, The House of People, Disqualification and Vacation of Seats, Presiding Officers of Parliament, Houses: Their Working, Legislative Procedures in Parliament, Budget, Powers and Functions of Parliament: Its Role, Committees of Parliament, Parliamentary Forums Governor Chief Minister State Council of Ministers State Legislature 	 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth Vision IAS value addition material Polity QRM Polity
Test 3 [4128]	JUNE 25, 2023	 Geography – I Physical Geography of the world Solar System & the Earth and basics of latitude and longitude Geomorphology Climatology Oceanography Soils Natural Hazards and Disasters Continents (Land, Climate, Resources etc.): Asia, Africa, North America, South 	 Physical Geography of the world Origin and evolution of Universe, Solar system Geological History of the Earth Geological Time scale Latitude and Longitude including important Parallels and Meridians Motions of the Earth and their effects Inclination of the Earth's Axis and its effects Local and Standard Time and the International Date Line, Calendar Eclipses - Solar, Lunar Geomorphology - Interior structure of the earth, Earth's crust, Classification of rocks. 	 11th NCERT Geography: Fundamentals of Physical Geography 11th NCERT Geography - India Physical Environment Class IX NCERT: Contemporary India-I Certificate physical and human geography - Goh Cheng Leong Orient Longman Atlas or Oxford Atlas Vision IAS value addition material Geography QRM Geography

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America, Antarctica, Europe, and Australia

Physical Geography of India

- Introduction: Location, Area and Boundaries
- Structure and Relief: Physiographic Divisions
- Drainage System
- Weather, Climate and Seasons
- Soils
- Natural Vegetation, Plant and Animal Life

+ Current Affairs (February 2023)

- Landform Development First order (continental drift theory, sea floor spreading, plate tectonics theory), Second order (Mountains, Plateaus, Plains & other landforms)
- Internal forces & their impact Volcanoes, Earthquakes, Folding, Faulting, Isostasy)
- External forces & their impact Weathering, Erosion & landforms thus developed
- Climatology Structure, Composition of atmosphere
- Weather & Climate
- Insolation, Heat Budget, Distribution of temperature, Temperature Inversion
- Pressure and Pressure belts
- Winds Planetary, Seasonal and Local; Jet Streams
- Precipitation-Forms & Types, Distribution of rainfall
- Air Masses, Cyclones and anti-cyclones
- World Climatic regions
- Oceanography Features, Ocean waves, currents, tides & Tsunamis,
 Temperature & Salinity distribution, marine resources
- Soils Classification, distribution, erosion & Conservation
- Continents Major physical features and landforms
- Map based questions from world (rivers, lakes, location, city, oceans etc.)

Physical Geography of India

- Location: Latitude, Longitude
- Northern Mountains, Plains of India, Peninsular Plateau and Islands of India.
- Himalayan and Peninsular Drainage System
- Spatial and temporal distribution of temperature, pressure, winds and rainfall
- Indian Monsoon: mechanism, onset and variability; spatial and temporal variations
- Climatic Regions of India
- Classification of Soils
- Problems of Soil and Conservation
- Forests and their distribution, Forest Conservation
- Map Based Questions from India (Location of state, city, river, lakes, important places including Ramsar sites, Biosphere Reserves, Wildlife Sanctuaries and National Parks)

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Test 4	JULY	Geography - II	World Economic and Human Geography:	12th NCERT: Geography - India People
[4129]	9, 2023	Economic and Human Geography - World Economic Geography of the world: primary, secondary, tertiary, quaternary and quinary activities Human Geography of world World Population, Distribution & Density, Races & Tribes, Settlement & Migration Economic and Human Geography - India Agriculture Land Resources Water Resources Mineral and Energy Resources Industries Transport and Communication Foreign Trade Population, Migration, Settlements + Current Affairs (February 2023)	 Natural resources and mineral resources and distribution of key natural resources across the world Agriculture and agro-climatic regions Industry and location factors Infrastructure World Population, density & distribution, races & tribes, settlements & migration Map Based Questions from World (Location of state, city, minerals, industries etc.) Indian Geography Agriculture typology and major Crops grown in India Agro-Climatic Regions Land Reforms and Land use pattern Animal Husbandry, Fisheries and Aquaculture Water Resources- Availability and potential: Lakes, rivers, dams, power and irrigation projects, wetlands and interlinking of rivers 	 12th NCERT: Geography - India People and Economy 12th NCERT: Fundamental of Human Geography 10th NCERT: Contemporary India- Part-II Certificate Physical and Human Geography - Goh Cheng Leong Orient Longman Atlas or Oxford Atlas Vision IAS Value Addition Material Geography (Distribution of key natural resources across the world) QRM Geography
Test 5	JULY	Ancient Indian History, Art and Culture and	Ancient History	Old NCERT: Ancient India
[4130]	23, 2023	Medieval India:	 Prehistoric period 	Old NCERT: Medieval India
		Ancient History	 Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization 	■ Class XI NCERT – Introduction to India Art
		Prehistoric period Homeon / Lodge Valley Civilization	■ Vedic Age	(Part 1)
		 Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization 	Mahajanapadas Policious Poforms	Class XII th New NCERT - Themes in Indian Listery Part, 1 and Part 3
		Vedic AgeMahajananadas	Religious Reforms Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age	History Part -1 and Part 2 CCRT website:
		MahajanapadasReligious Reforms	Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan AgeSangam Age	http://ccrtindia.gov.in/index.php
		 Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age 	■ Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age	 QRM Ancient & Medieval and Art &
		■ Sangam Age	 (Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, 	Culture
		Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age	Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above)	33.00.0
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Art & Culture

- Architecture and Sculptures
- Religion and Philosophy
- Indian paintings
- Indian Music
- Indian Dances
- Indian Theatres
- Indian cinema
- Indian Language & Literature
- Arts & Crafts
- Science and Technology in Ancient India
- Indo-Islamic Culture

Medieval India:

- Early Medieval Period
- North India
- South India
- Sultanate Period
- The Delhi Sultanate
- Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms
- Religious Movements
- Bhakti Movement
- Sufi Movement
- Mughal Period
- Maratha Confederacy

+ Current Affairs (March 2023)

Art & Culture

- Architecture: Indus Valley Civilization, The Mauryan Architecture, The Sungas, Kushanas, Satavahanas & Guptas, The Temple Architecture, Indo-Islamic Architecture, Modern Architecture
- Sculpture: Indian Sculpture and Different schools of Art
- Indian Paintings: Historical development Wall Paintings, Cave and Mural Paintings, Miniature Paintings, Mughal Paintings, Rajput Paintings, Folk Paintings, Other Paintings, Modern Indian Paintings & Personalities

Religion and Philosophy

- Religion: Hinduism, Jainism, Buddhism, Islam, Christianity,
 Zoroastrianism, Judaism
- Philosophy: Six Schools of Philosophy, Ajivika, Lokayata etc.
- Indian Music: Classical Music, Hindustani Music, Carnatic Music, Folk Music Tradition
- Indian Dance: Classical Dance forms in India, Folk Dances, Modern Dance in India
- Puppetry and Theatre: Different forms of Puppetry in India, Theatres in India: Folk Theatre, Modern Theatre, People Associated with Theatres, Indian Cinema and Circus
- Language & Literature: Indian Language, Indian Literature
- Fairs, Festivals and Craft: Religious Festivals, Secular Festivals (States & UT's), Art & Crafts
- Science & Technology, Ancient, Science & Technology, Medieval Science & Technology, Famous Personalities in Ancient and Medieval India
- Promotion and Preservation of Indian Heritage: Indian Word Heritage Sites, Cultural Heritage Sites, Natural Heritage Sites, Important Institutions

Medieval India

- Early Medieval Period: North India and South India
- Sultanate Period: The Delhi Sultanate, Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms, Religious Movements, Bhakti Movement, Sufi Movement
- Mughal Period

(Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above)

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AUGUST Test 6 **Modern India** [4131] 6, 2023 India in the late Eighteenth Century The Advent of the Europeans and British Conquest of India ■ The British Administrative Structure, Reform, Impact and Organization of Government of India Social – Religious Movements in 19th – 20th centuries **Freedom Struggle** ■ The Revolt of 1857 & change after 1857 ■ Moderate Phase (1885 – 1905) **Extremist Phase (1905 – 17)** Emergence of Extremist & Leaders The Partition of Bengal Morley-Minto Reforms Swadeshi Movement, Home Rule Movement etc. The Gandhian Era (1917–47) Gandhi – Advent and Achievement Rowlatt Act, Jallianawala Bagh Massacre and Khilafat Movement Non- Cooperation, Civil Disobedience and Quit India Movement British Response and Negotiations INA and Subhash Chandra Bose **Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions** Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Session, Governor –General Viceroys, Policies, Tribal & Peasant Movements etc. + Current Affairs (March-April 2023)

India under East India Company's Rule Administration

- Struggle among European powers in India
- Regulating Acts and Charter Acts: Regulating Act of 1773, Pitt's India Act 1773 and Charter acts of 1784, 1793, 1813,1833, 1853
- Indian Kingdoms in 18th century: Marathas, Punjab, Mysore, Hyderabad etc.
- British Expansion policy: Doctrine of lapse, Subordinate alliance etc.
- Economic policies and their impact
- Education Policies
- Socio Religious Reform Movements in the 19th and 20th century India - Arya Samaj, Brahmo Samaj, etc
- The Great Revolt of 1857
- Changes in Indian Administration after 1858 GOI ACT 1858, Councils Act, 1861, 1892
- Growth of Political Ideas and Political Organisations (up to 1885)
- Foundation of the Indian National Congress
- Moderate Phase (1885-1905)
- Partition of Bengal and the Swadeshi Movement
- The first phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement
- The Morley-Minto Reforms or the Indian Councils Act, 1909
- The Lucknow Pact (1916)
- The Home Rule Movement
- Montague-Chelmsford Reforms or the Government of India Act, 1919
- The Khilafat Movement (1920-22) and Non-Cooperation Movement
- The Left Movement
- The second phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement
- Anti-Simon Commission Agitation (1928-29)
- Nehru Report, 1928
- The Lahore Session, 1929
- The Civil Disobedience Movement (The first phase)
- Second Phase of Civil Disobedience Movement
- The Government of India Act, 1935

- Old NCERT: Modern India by Bipin Chandra
- New NCERT Class XIIth Themes in Indian History – Part III
- India's struggle for Independence Bipin Chandra
- QRM Modern Indian History

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	 Provincial Elections and Formation of popular Ministries in Provinces, 1937 The Struggle in the Princely States: The Praja Mandal Movement The Second World War and the National Movement The August Offer 1940 The Individual Satyagraha 1940-41 The Cripps Proposal, 1942 The Quit India Movement, 1942 Subhas Bose and Indian National Army Rajagopalachari Formula & Desai Liaqat Plan Wavell Plan and Simla Conference 1945 General Elections in India, 1945 Naval Mutiny: 1946 The Indian Independence Act, 1947 Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Sessions, Governor —General Viceroys etc. Other Dimensions Tribal Movements Peasants Movement Dalit Movements Role of Press and Publications Role of Business groups Foreign policies of British India 	
Test 7 [4132] AUGUST 20, 2023 National Income Accounting Definition Concepts: GDP, GNP etc. Measurement of National Income Money and Banking Function of Money, Evolution of Mone etc. Banking: Need of Banks, Functions, Typ Banking Reforms, Central Bank and its role Inflation and Employment Definition, types etc.	income method, expenditure method, Application of	 11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development 12th NCERT: Economics: Macroeconomics 12th NCERT: Economics: Microeconomics www.arthapedia.in Official websites of WTO, IMF, WIPO Other websites: www.ipindia.nic.in www.copyright.gov.in Vision IAS Value Addition Material Economy QRM Economy

Government Budgeting and Fiscal Policy

- Budgeting, types, its evolution in India, Process, Component etc.
- Public finance, Revenue and Expenditure, Deficits, Taxes, Debts etc.

External Sector and Currency Exchange rates

 BoP, BoT, International trade, IMF, WTO, Trade policies, issues and challenges etc.

Capital Market

Terms and Concepts

Agriculture Industry

Services
Infrastructure and Communication
Five year Plans
Economic Reforms since 1991
Foreign Trade
India and IMF, WTO, WIPO
India and International Institutions
IPRs

+ Current Affairs (April 2023)

Banking:

- Need of banks, Function, Commercial Banks
- Central Bank: Importance, functions, Structure, Policy tools, Monetary Policy (CRR, SLR, OMO, Repo and Rev Repo, MSF etc.)
- Banking Reforms

Inflation and Employment

- Inflation: Definition, Inflationary Gap and Inflationary Process, Inflation Cycles: Demand Pull Inflation, Cost Push Inflation, Causes of Inflation, Inflation Control measures
- Unemployment: Types of Unemployment: Structural, Seasonal, Frictional, Cyclical, Nature of Unemployment in India

Government budgeting and Fiscal Policy

- Budgeting: Evolution of Budgeting, Institutions and Laws, The Union Budget: Components - Revenue Account, Capital Account, Measures of Government Deficit etc., Weaknesses in the Budgetary Process
- Public Expenditure Revenue and Capital, Development and Non-Development, Public Revenue Sources of Revenue, Taxes: Classification, Direct and Indirect, Specific and Ad Valorem, Social and Economic Objectives of Taxes, Objectives of Taxation, GST, d.) Public Debt, Deficit Financing.

External Sector and Currency Exchange rate

- Balance of Payments: Definition, Current and Capital Accounts, Convertibility, Items Included in BoP, BoP and BoT
- International Trade and Bodies: IMF: Purpose and Objectives, Organization and Functions, Working and Evaluation, IMF and Underdeveloped Countries, SDR's, Reforms etc., World Bank, Bilateral and Regional Cooperation

Capital Markets

Basic Terms and Concepts, Equity and debt Instruments,
 Primary market and Secondary markets etc.

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Agriculture: Recent trends in Agriculture Sector, Cropping System and Pattern; Agricultural Marketing and Reforms; Agricultural Research; Sustainable Agriculture; Animal Husbandry PDS Farm distress and government initiatives **Industrial Sector:** Industrial Policies, Licensing **MSME Labour Reforms** Companies Act Make in India, Skill India Challenges in Industrial development Organised and unorganised sector PPP, Investment models Recent initiatives taken by the govt., etc. Services: Banking, Insurance, Aviation, Tourism, Issues and potential of services sector Government policies etc. • Five year Plans: Priorities and Performance, Issues related to planning Economic Policies till 1991 Economic Reforms since 1991: End of license Raj, Liberalization, Privatisation and Globalisation, FDI, FII, issues, challenges etc. • Infrastructure: IT, Communication, Urbanisation, Transport, Mining, etc. • Foreign Trade of India: Trade Policy, Product wise trade, Region wise trade, Subsidy boxes, WTO related issues and India ■ Intellectual Property Rights

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Test 8	SEPTEMBER	Ecology & Environment	Environment and its components	•	N
[4133]	3, 2023		Ecology and Functions of an ecosystem		1
		 Basic Concepts & Components of the 	 Terrestrial ecosystems 	-	٨
		Ecology and ecosystem	 Aquatic ecosystems 		1
		 Global warming, Climate change and 	Environmental problems		10
		Ozone depletion	 Climate Change 	-	٧
		Environmental Issues and Pollution	Acidification		E
		Biodiversity, flora and fauna	Eutrophication	•	C
		 Conservation efforts - India and World 	 Ozone Depletion 		
		 Sustainable Development 	 Mitigation Strategies 		
		 Environmental Monitoring and Impact 	 India and Climate Change 		
		Assessment	Environmental pollution		
		+ Current Affairs (May 2023)	Pollutants		
			Air pollution		
			 Water Pollution 		
			Soil Pollution		
			Noise Pollution		
			 Radioactive pollution 		
			■ E-Waste		
			Solid Waste		
			Bioremediation		
			Biodiversity		
			Basic Concepts		
			Plant and Animal Diversity		
			 Marine Organisms 		
			■ Threat to Biodiversity		
			Protected Area Network: National parks, Wildlife sanctuaries,		
			Biosphere reserves, Reserved and protected forests,		
			Conservation and community reserves, Village and panchayat		
			Forests, Private protected areas, Conservation areas		
			Biodiversity Conservation efforts		
			 Indian Biodiversity ad conservation efforts 		
			Bioprospecting, Biosafety, Biopiracy		
			Conservation efforts: India and World		
			Institutional and Organizational mechanisms		
			Environmental Acts and Policies		
			Environmental conventions		
			Sustainable development		
			 Environmental Monitoring and Impact Assessment 	1	

 NCERT Biology 12th – Unit 10 (chapter 13, 14, 15 & 16)

NCERT Chemistry 11th (Part II) – Chapter
 14

ICSE Environmental Education 9th & 10th

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QRM Environment

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Test 9 [4134]	SEPTEMBER 17, 2023	Political systems: concepts, forms and types Political system as established by the Constitution Indian Constitution: Historical Underpinnings, Evolution & Making of the Constitution, Features, Significant Provisions The Preamble The Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles & Fundamental Duties Amendment of Constitution Judiciary: Supreme Court, High Courts, Subordinate Courts + Current Affairs (Jan.+Feb. 2023)	Monarchy etc. Constitutionalism Historical Underpinnings Evolution & Making of the Constitution Features and Significant Provisions The Preamble The Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights Directive Principles Fundamental Duties Amendment of Constitution	 Class IX and X NCERT: Democratic Politics 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth Vision IAS Value Addition Material Polity and Governance Quick Revision Module (QRM) Polity 	 Introduction to the Constitution of India: D D Basu Our Political System: Subhash Kashyap 	 The Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in 	 TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.
Test 10 [4135]	OCTOBER 1, 2023	 Working of Indian Constitution and System of the government Central Government: President, Vice President, Prime minister, Central Council of Ministers Parliament and State Legislature State Government: Governor, Chief Minister, State Council of Ministers Indian Federalism and Centre-State Relations Emergency Provisions 	committees Posts like Cabinet Secretary, Chief Secretary, etc	 Vision IAS Value Addition Material Polity and Governance 	 Introduction to the Constitution of India: D D Basu Our Political System: Subhash Kashyap 2nd ARC Report – 13th 	 The Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in prsindia.or g 	 TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.

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		 Local Government: Panchayati Raj, Local Urban Government Structure, organization and functioning of the Executive; Ministries and Departments of the Government. + Current Affairs (March - April 2023) 	 Parliament, Parliamentary Forums Governor Chief Minister State Council of Minister 				
Test 11 [4136]	OCTOBER 15, 2023	 Constitutional & Non Constitutional Bodies Elections and political parties: problems and processes Electoral politics Working of the political system since independence Governance Good Governance, e-Governance Transparency & Accountability RTI, Citizen's Charter & Anti-Corruption Civil Society, People participation Reforms: Police Reform,	 Constitutional Bodies Election Commission Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) State Public Service Commission (SPSC) Finance Commission CAG Attorney general of India Advocate general of India Special officer for Linguistic Minorities National Commission for Scheduled Castes (NCSC) National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) National Commission for Backward Castes (NCBC) Non-Constitutional Bodies NITI Aayog NHRC, Governing Council, SHRC, CIC, SIC, CVC, CBI, Lokpal, Lokayukta, NCPCR etc. Other Constitutional Dimensions Provisions related to Language Rights and Liabilities of the government National Commission to Review the Working of the Constitution Co-operative societies 	 Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth Governance in India by M Laxmikanth Class 12th NCERT: Politics in India since Independence Vision IAS Value Addition Material Governance QRM Polity 	12 th , 14 th &	■ The Hindu, Indian Express ■ Yojana, Kurukshe tra ■ PIB: www.pib. nic.in	■ TOI, Livemint, etc. ■ Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.

Test 12 [4137]	OCTOBER 29, 2023	Rights Issues- Forest Rights Act, Consumer Protection Act, etc. + Current Affairs (May - June 2023) Ancient Indian History, Art and Culture and Medieval India: Ancient History Prehistoric period Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization Vedic Age Mahajanapadas Religious Reforms Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age Sangam Age Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age Art & Culture	 Tribunals Elections and political parties Problems and processes Electoral politics Representation of People's Act Working of the political system since independence Good Governance e-Governance Transparency & Accountability RTI, Citizen's Charter & Anti-Corruption Civil Society, People participation Reforms: Police Reform, Administrative Reform, Judicial Reform, Political Reform etc. Social Audit Public Policy: Making, Implementation, Evaluation and monitoring Public Sector Management, Regulatory framework Public-private partnerships (PPP) Rights Issues etc. Ancient History Prehistoric period Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization Vedic Age Mahajanapadas Religious Reforms Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age Sangam Age Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age (Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above) Art & Culture 	 Old NCERT: Ancient India Old NCERT: Medieval India Class XI NCERT – Introduction to Fine Art (part 1) Class XII New NCERT - Themes in Indian History Part -1 and Part 2 A History of 	 TN BOARD HISTORY, Class XI NIOS Art & Culture AL Basham's "The Wonder That Was India"(specific chapters- like "The Harappa 	 The Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in 	■ TOI, Livemint, etc. ■ Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.
		 Religious Reforms Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age Sangam Age Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age 	 Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age (Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above) 	NCERT - Themes in Indian History Part -1 and Part 2	That Was India"(specific chapters- like	www.pib.	Frontline, India

■ Indian Theatres	Sculpture: Indian Sculpture and	Upinder Singh	Metaphysics;	
■ Indian cinema	Different schools of Art	CCRT website:	The Arts:	
■ Indian Language & Literature	 Indian Paintings: Historical 	http://ccrtindia.	Architecture,	
Arts & Crafts	development - Wall Paintings, Cave and	gov.in/index.php	Sculpture,	
 Science and Technology in Ancient India 	Mural Paintings, Miniature Paintings,	QRM Ancient &	Painting,	
■ Indo- Islamic Culture	Mughal Paintings, Rajput Paintings, Folk	Medieval and	Music and The	
Medieval India	Paintings, Other Paintings, Modern	Art & Culture	Dance &	
■ Early Medieval Period	Indian Paintings & Personalities		Language and	
■ North India	Religion and Philosophy		Literature	
■ South India	 Religion: Hinduism, Jainism, Buddhism, 			
Sultanate Period	Islam, Christianity, Zoroastrianism,			
■ The Delhi Sultanate	Judaism Philosophy: Six Schools of			
Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms	Philosophy, Ajivika, Lokayata etc.			
Religious Movements	 Indian Music: Classical Music, 			
Bhakti Movement	Hindustani Music, Carnatic Music, Folk			
Sufi Movement	Music Tradition			
 Mughal Period 	 Indian Dance: Classical Dance forms in 			
Maratha Confederacy	India, Folk Dances, Modern Dance in India			
+ Current Affairs (July 2023)				
	of Puppetry in India, Theatres in India:			
	Folk Theatre, Modern Theatre, People			
	Associated with Theatres, Indian Cinema	1		
	and Circus			
	 Language & Literature: Indian 			
	Language, Indian Literature			
	■ Fairs, Festivals and Craft: Religious			
	Festivals, Secular Festivals (States &			
	UT's), Art & Crafts			
	Science & Technology, Ancient, Science Technology, Madiaval Science			
	& Technology, Medieval Science &			
	Technology, Famous Personalities in Ancient and Medieval India			
	 Promotion and Preservation of Indian 			
	Heritage: Indian Word Heritage Sites, Cultural Heritage Sites, Natural Heritage			
	Sites, Important Institutions			
	Medieval India			
	 Early Medieval Period: North India and 			
	South India			

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Test 13		n India (I) (Mid 18 th Century-1904)	 Sultanate Period: The Delhi Sultanate, Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms, Religious Movements, Bhakti Movement, Sufi Movement Mughal Period (Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above) India under East India Company's Rule 	Old NCERT: Made and ladio has	■ "A Brief	■ The	■ TOI,
[4138]	■ The A Conq ■ The B Reform Gover ■ Social 20th Freedom ■ The B Mode Miscella Century ■ Reform Session	Advent of the Europeans and British quest of India British Administrative Structure, rm, Impact and Organization of ernment of India al – Religious Movements in 19th – centuries m Struggle Revolt of 1857 & change after 1857 Ferate Phase (1885 – 1905) Faneous & Other Dimensions (18 th 7-1904) rms / Acts / Committee, Congress ion, Governor –General Viceroys, cies, Tribal & Peasant Movements + Current Affairs (August 2023)	 Administration Struggle among European powers in India Regulating Acts and Charter Acts: Regulating Act of 1773, Pitt's India Act 1773 and Charter acts of 1784, 1793, 1813,1833, 1853 Indian Kingdoms in 18th century: Marathas, Punjab, Mysore, Hyderabad etc. British Expansion policy: Doctrine of lapse, Subordinate alliance etc. Economic policies and their impact Education Policies Works of British Governor Generals Socio - Religious Reform Movements in the 19th century India: Brahmo Samaj, Arya Samaj, Theosophical Society, Ramakrishna Movement, Muslim reform movements, Parsi reform movements, Sikh Reform Movements etc. The Great Revolt of 1857 Changes in Indian Administration after 1858- GOI ACT 1858, Councils Act, 1861, 1892 Growth of Political Ideas and Political Organisations (up to 1885) Foundation of the Indian National Congress Moderate Phase (1885 – 1904) 	Modern India by Bipin Chandra New NCERT: Themes in Indian History – Part III India's struggle for Independence – Bipin Chandra QRM Modern Indian History	History of Modern India" — Spectrum Pub. From Plassey to Partition: Shekhar Bandyopadhy aya BL Grover Modern Indian History	Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib.nic .in	Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.

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Test 14 [4139]	NOVEMBER 17, 2023	Modern India (II) Freedom Struggle: Extremist Phase (1905 –	 Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions (18th Century-1904) Tribal Movements Peasants Movement Working Class Movement Dalit Movements Women movements Role of Press and Publications Role of Business groups Foreign policies of British India Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Sessions, Governor —General Viceroys etc. The rise of Extremism or Neo-Nationalism 	Old NCERT: Modern India by	• "A Brief History of	■ The Hindu,	■ TOI, Livemint,
• •		 17) Emergence of Extremist & Leaders The Partition of Bengal Morley-Minto Reforms Swadeshi Movement, Home Rule Movement etc. Freedom Struggle: The Gandhian Era till partition (1917–47) Gandhi – Advent and Achievement Rowlatt Act, Jallianawala Bagh Massacre and Khilafat Movement Non- Cooperation, Civil Disobedience and Quit India Movement British Response and Negotiations INA and Subhash Chandra Bose Events leading upto partition Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions (1905-1947) Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Session, Governor —General Viceroys, Policies, Tribal & Peasant Movements etc. + Current Affairs (July - August 2023) 	 The first phase of Revolutionary Terrorism Partition of Bengal and the Swadeshi Movement The Surat Split The Foundation of All-India Muslim League The Morley-Minto Reforms or the Indian Councils Act, 1909 The Delhi Durbar and the Annulment of Partition of Bengal (1911) The Lucknow Pact (1916) The Home Rule Movement Montague Declaration (1917) Montague-Chelmsford Reforms or the Government of India Act, 1919 The Beginning of the Gandhian Era The Khilafat Movement (1920-22) and Non Cooperation Movement The Swarajya Party The Left Movement The second phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement 	Bipin Chandra New NCERT: Themes in Indian History — Part III India's struggle for Independence — Bipin Chandra QRM Modern Indian History	Modern India" – Spectrum Pub. • From Plassey to Partition: Shekhar Bandyopadhy aya • BL Grover Modern Indian History	Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in	etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.

Nehru Report, 1928
Fourteen Points of Jinnah
■ The Lahore Session, 1929
■ The Civil Disobedience Movement (The
first phase)
■ The Dandi March, March 12, 1930 —
March 5, 1931
Gandhi-Irwin Pact, 1931
Second Round Table Conference, 1931
Second Phase of Civil Disobedience
Movement
■ Third Round Table Conference, 1932
■ The Government of India Act, 1935
Provincial Elections and Formation of
popular Ministries in Provinces, 1937
Other Political Developments, 1934-39
■ The Struggle in the Princely States: The
Praja Mandal Movement -
Communalism: Different phases and
forms of communalism in British India
■ The Second World War and the National
Movement
■ The August Offer 1940
■ The Individual Satyagraha 1940-41
■ The Cripps Proposal, 1942
■ The Quit India Movement, 1942
Subhas Bose and Indian National Army Subhas Bose and Indian National Army
Rajagopalachari Formula & Deasi Liaqat
plan
Wavell Plan and Simla Conference 1945
General Elections in India, 1945 General Elections in India, 1945
Naval Mutiny: 1946
■ The Constituent Assembly
Attlee's Declaration
■ The Indian Independence Act, 1947
Partition
Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions (1905-
1947)
■ Tribal Movements

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Test 15 [4140]	NOVEMBER 24, 2023	REVISION TEST 1: Indian	 Peasants Movement Working Class Movement Dalit Movements Women movements Role of Press and Publications Role of Business groups Foreign policies of British India Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Sessions, Governor –General Viceroys etc. Constitution & Political System + Working of	Indian Constitution a	nd System of the go	overnment	
			+				
			: Modern India (I) + Moderr	n India (II)			
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Test 16 [4141]	3, 2023	 Geography – I Physical Geography of the world Solar System & the Earth and basics of latitude and longitude Geomorphology Climatology Oceanography Soils Natural Hazards and Disasters Continents (Land, Climate, Resources etc.): Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Antarctica, Europe, and Australia Physical Geography of India Introduction: Location, Area and Boundaries Structure and Relief: Physiographic Divisions Drainage System Weather, Climate and Seasons Soils Natural Vegetation, Plant and Animal Life + Current Affairs (September 2023) 		 11th NCERT: Fundamental of Physical Geography 11th NCERT: Geography - India Physical Environment Certificate physical and human geography - Goh Cheng Leong ICSE 9th and 10th Total Geography Orient Longman Atlas or Oxford Atlas Vision IAS value addition material Geography QRM Geography 	 Old NCERT Books of Geography (Class 6, 7, 8) Down To earth Magazine Website of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Ministry of Earth Sciences – reports, etc 	 The Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in 	 TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc

	External forces & their impact -		
	Weathering, Erosion & landforms thus		
	developed		
	 Climatology - Structure, Composition of 		
	atmosphere		
	Weather & Climate		
	Insolation, Heat Budget, Distribution of		
	temperature, Temperature Inversion		
	Pressure and Pressure belts		
	Winds - Planetary, Seasonal and Local;		
	Jet Streams		
	Precipitation- Forms & Types,		
	Distribution of rainfall		
	Air Masses, Cyclones and anti-cyclones		
	 World Climatic regions 		
	 Oceanography - Features, Ocean waves, 		
	currents, tides & Tsunamis,		
	Temperature & Salinity distribution,		
	marine resources		
	 Soils - Classification, distribution, 		
	erosion & Conservation		
	 Continents - Major physical features 		
	and ladforms		
	 Map based questions from world (rivers, 		
	lakes, city, oceans etc.)		
	Physical Geography of India Location: Latitude, Longitude		
	Location: Latitude, LongitudeNorthern Mountains, Plains of India,		
	Peninsular Plateau and Islands of India.		
	 Himalayan and Peninsular Drainage 		
	System		
	 Spatial and temporal distribution of 		
	temperature, pressure, winds and		
	rainfall		
	 Indian Monsoon: mechanism, onset and 		
	variability; spatial and temporal		
	variations		
	Climatic Regions of India		
	Classification of Soils		

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Test 17 [4142]	DECEMBER 10, 2023	Geography - II Economic and Human Geography - World Economic Geography of the world: primary, secondary, tertiary, quaternary and quinary activities Human Geography of world World Population, Distribution & Density, Races & Tribes, Settlement & Migration Economic and Human Geography - India Agriculture Land Resources Water Resources Mineral and Energy Resources	 Problems of Soil and Conservation Forests and their distribution, Forest Conservation Map Based Questions from India (Location of state, city, river, lakes, important places including Ramsar sites, Biosphere Reserves, Wildlife Sanctuaries and National Parks) World Economic and Human Geography: Natural resources and mineral resources and distribution of key natural resources across the world Agriculture and agro-climatic regions Industry and location factors Infrastructure World Population, density & distribution, races & tribes, settlements & migration Map Based Questions from World (Location of state, city, minerals, industries etc.) Indian Geography Agriculture typology and major Crops 	Economy 12th NCERT: Fundamental of Human Geography Certificate Physical and Human Geography - Goh Cheng (Class Down earth Maga Environ Fores Clima Chang	Hindu, Indian Express To
		 Transport and Communication Foreign Trade Population, Migration, Settlements + Current Affairs (October 2023) 	 Agro-Climatic Regions Land Reforms and Land use pattern Animal Husbandry, Fisheries and Aquaculture Water Resources- Availability and potential: Lakes, rivers, dams, power and irrigation projects, wetlands and inter-linking of rivers Mineral Resources- classification and distribution Energy Resources- conventional and non-conventional resources Population and Growth trends - density, sex ratio, literacy, tribes and racial groups in India 	Total Geography Orient Longman Atlas or Oxford Atlas Vision IAS Value Addition Material Geography (Distribution of key natural resources across the world) QRM Geography	

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Test 18	DECEMBER 17, 2023	Ecology & Environment (Basic Concepts & Biodiversity and its conservation)	 Rural and Urban Settlements- types and patterns Industries- types and their locational factors Transport and Communication-railways, highways, inland water transport, shipping and sea-ports, air transport Map Based Questions from India (Location of state, city, minerals, industries etc.) Environment and its components 	 Our Ecology: Unit X – Class 12th 	■ The ■ TOI, Hindu: Livemint,
[4143]	17, 2023	Biodiversity and its conservation) Basic Concepts & Components of the Environment Understanding of the Environment and Ecology Biodiversity, Flora and Fauna Initiative related to Biodiversity and its Conservation + Current Affairs (November 2023)	 Terrestrial ecosystem Aquatic ecosystem Biodiversity Basic Concepts Plant and Animal Diversity Marine Organisms Threat to Biodiversity Protected Area Network: National parks, Wildlife sanctuaries, Biosphere reserves, Reserved and protected forests, Conservation and community reserves, Village and panchayat Forests, Private protected areas, Conservation areas Bioprospecting, Biosafety, Biopiracy, etc. Initiative related to Biodiversity and its Conservation Biodiversity- Laws, treaties, conventions, etc domestic and international. 	ROUTONIMENT - NCERT (VII) Ecology and Environment - ICSE books 9th to 12th Ecology & Environment Chapter (India Year Book) Class 11 th NCERT Chemistry: Ch 14: Environmental Chemistry Vision IAS Value Addition Material Environment QRM Environment QRM Environment X - Class 12 th Biology NCERT Ecology & Environment Chapter (India Year Book) Nebsite of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Ministry of Earth Sciences - reports, etc	Hindu: Business Line, Indian Express Magazine s like Yojana & Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.
Test 19 [4144]	DECEMBER 24, 2023	Ecology and Environment (Environmental Acts, Policies, Conservation and Mitigation Strategies) Environmental Monitoring and Impact Assessment Environmental laws and policies Sustainable Development Natural Resource conservation	 Environmental laws and policies other than biodiversity related (Domestic and International) Institutional and Organizational mechanisms Environmental Acts and Policies, Conventions, Treaties and Alliances, etc. Environmental conventions Mitigation Strategies 	 Our Environment – NCERT (VII) Ecology and Environment – ICSE books 9th to 12th Environment – Chapter (India Year Book) Official website of UN, MOEFCC, 	 The Hindu: Livemint, etc. Line, Magazines like Express Magazine & Political Weekly, Yojana & TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Weekly, Frontline,

		Environmental Problems	■ India & Climate Change	Voor Pools	otc	Kuruksha	India
			India & Climate Change Environmental Manitoring and Impact	Year Book)	etc • Disastor	Kurukshe	India Today etc
		 Energy Crisis and Non-Conventional 	Environmental Monitoring and Impact	 Vision IAS Value 	Disaster	tra	Today, etc.
		Source.	Assessment	Addition	Management	■ PIB:	
		+ Current Affairs (Oct.+Nov. 2023)	-	Material	Act, policies,	www.pib.	
			Pollutants	Environment	etc	<u>nic.in</u>	
			Air pollution	QRM	■ India & UN –	Websites	
			Water Pollution	Environment	Climate	of	
			Soil Pollution		Change	importan	
			Noise Pollution		Initiatives, etc	t	
			 Radioactive pollution 			internati	
			■ E-Waste			onal	
			Solid Waste			organizat	
			Environmental Concepts related to:			ions	
			Climate Change			involved	
			Acidification			in	
			Eutrophication			conservat	
			Ozone Depletion			ion	
			Energy Resources			efforts.	
			■ Non-Renewable			Ciroits.	
			Renewable: Solar, Wind, Hydel,				
			Geothermal, Biomass, Others				
			Energy Conservation				
Test 20	JANUARY						
[4145]	7, 2024		REVISION TEST 2: Geography (I)	F Geography (II)			
[4145]	7, 2024		+				
		Ecology & Environ	ment (Basic Concepts) +Ecology and Environn	nent (Acts, Policies and	d Mitigations Strate	gies)	
					+ Cı	irrent Affairs (S	eptDec. 2023)
Test 21	JANUARY	India Economy (I)	National Income Accounting:	■ 11 th NCERT:	Indian	■ The	The
[4146]	14, 2024	National Income Accounting	Definition	Economics:	Economy Dutt	Hindu:	Economic
		Definition	Concepts: GDP, GNP, Market Price and	Indian Economic	and	Business	Times,
		Concepts: GDP, GNP etc.	Factor Cost, NNP, NDP, transfer	Development	Sundaram	Line,	Business
		 Measurement of national income 	payments, National income at FC,	■ 12 th NCERT:	Websites of	Indian	Standard,
		Money and Banking	Personal Income, disposable income,	Economics:	regulatory	Express	Livemint,
		 Function of Money, Evolution of Money 	factors affecting national income, net	Macroeconomic	bodies like	Magazine	Financial
		etc.	foreign facto income	S	RBI, SEBI, etc.	s like	Times,
		Banking: Need of Banks, Functions,	 Measurement of national income: value 	■ 12 th NCERT	Websites like	Yojana &	Economic
		Types, Banking Reforms, Central Bank	added method, income method,	Economics:	Arthapedia,	Kurukshe	& Political
		and its role	expenditure method, Application of	Microeconomics	Ministry of	tra	Weekly
		Inflation and Employment	various methods, Base year, GDP deflator	Vision IAS Value	Finance etc.	■ PIB:	magazine
		 Definition, types etc. 	 Debates around GDP and other indices 	Addition	i mance etc.	www.pib.	magazine
		Definition, types etc.		Addition		<u> </u>	24
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Government Budgeting and Fiscal Policy	Money and Banking	Material	nic.in
 Budgeting, types, its evolution in India, 	Money: Definition, Functions and	Economy	
Process, Component etc.	significance, Evolution of Money, Money	QRM Economy	
 Public finance, Revenue and Expenditure, 		,	
Deficits, Taxes, Debts etc.	■ Banking:		
Capital Market	Need of banks, Function, Commercial		
Terms and Concepts	Banks		
+ Current Affairs (December 2023)	 Central Bank: Importance, functions, 		
,	Structure, Policy tools, Monetary		
	Policy (CRR, SLR, OMO, Repo and Rev		
	Repo, MSF etc.)		
	 Banking Reforms 		
	Inflation and Employment		
	 Inflation: Definition, Inflationary Gap 		
	and Inflationary Process, Inflation		
	Cycles: Demand Pull Inflation, Cost Push		
	Inflation, Causes of Inflation, Inflation		
	Control measures		
	Unemployment: Types of		
	Unemployment: Structural, Seasonal,		
	Frictional, Cyclical, Nature of		
	Unemployment in India		
	Government budgeting and Fiscal Policy		
	 Budgeting: Evolution of Budgeting, 		
	Institutions and Laws, The Union		
	Budget: Components - Revenue		
	Account, Capital Account, Measures of		
	Government Deficit etc., Weaknesses in		
	the Budgetary Process		
	Fiscal Policy: Public Finance - Role and		
	Importance, Public Expenditure -		
	Revenue and Capital, Development and		
	Non-Development, Public Revenue -		
	Sources of Revenue, Taxes:		
	Classification, Direct and Indirect,		
	Specific and Ad Valorem, Social and		
	Economic Objectives of Taxes,		
	Objectives of Taxation, GST, d.) Public		
	Debt, Deficit Financing		

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Test 22	JANUARY Indian Economy (II)	Capital Markets ■ Basic Terms and Concepts, Equity and debt Instruments, Primary market and Secondary markets etc. Agriculture	■ 11 th NCERT:	Websites like	■ The	■ Economic
[4147]	 Agriculture Industry Services Infrastructure and Communication Five year Plans Economic Reforms since 1991 Foreign Trade India and IMF, WTO, WIPO India and International Institutions IPRs External Sector and Currency Exchange rates BoP, BoT, International trade, IMF, WTO, Trade policies, issues and challenges etc. + Current Affairs (January 2024) 	 Recent trends in Agriculture Sector, Cropping System and Pattern; Agricultural Marketing and Reforms; Agricultural Research; Sustainable Agriculture; Animal Husbandry PDS Farm distress and government initiatives Industrial Sector Industrial Policies, Licensing MSME Labour Reforms Companies Act Make in India, Skill India 	Economics: Indian Economic Development www.arthapedia in Official websites of WTO, IMF, WIPO Other websites: www.ipindia.nic. in www.copyright.g ov.in Vision IAS Value Addition Material Economy QRM Economy	Arthapedia, Ministry of Finance etc Websites of regulatory bodies like RBI, SEBI, etc.	Hindu: Business Line, Indian Express Magazine s like Yojana & Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in	Times, TOI, Livemint, etc Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc

			 Foreign Trade of India: Trade Policy, Product wise trade, Region wise trade, Subsidy boxes, WTO related issues and India Intellectual Property Rights External Sector and Currency Exchange rate Balance of Payments: Definition, Current and Capital Accounts, Convertibility, Items Included in BoP, BoP and BoT. International Trade and Bodies: IMF: Purpose and Objectives, Organization and Functions, Working and Evaluation, IMF and Underdeveloped Countries, SDR's, Reforms etc., World Bank, Bilateral and Regional Cooperation. 			
Test 23 [4148]	JANUARY 28, 2024	Basic Science and Technology Physics Standards and units Mechanics and properties of matter Heat Sound Optics Electricity and Magnetism Atomic and Nuclear physics Modern Physics Astronomy and Space Science Chemistry Matters and its nature Chemical Reactions and Equations Structure of the Atom Periodic classification of elements Chemical Bonding Carbon and its compound Acid, Bases and Salts Metals and Non-metals Thermodynamics Nanotechnology Agricultural Chemistry	Physics Standards and units Mechanics and properties of matter Heat Sound Optics Electricity and Magnetism Atomic and Nuclear physics Modern Physics Astronomy and Space Science Chemistry Matters and its nature Chemical Reactions and Equations Structure of the Atom Periodic classification of elements Chemical Bonding Carbon and its compound Acid, Bases and Salts Metals and Nonmetals Thermodynamics Nanotechnology Agricultural Chemistry Medicinal Chemistry	 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th NCERT: Science Class 12th Biology NCERT (Read Chapters according to syllabus) Websites like ISRO, DST, DRDO, DAE etc. Science Reporter Magazine 	 The Hindu: Science News, Indian Express Magazine s like Yojana & Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in 	■ TOI, Livemint, etc. ■ Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc

		Medicinal Chemistry	■ Food Chemistry
		Food Chemistry	■ Bio Chemistry
		■ Bio Chemistry	Polymers and Plastics
		Polymers and Plastics	Biology:
		Biology	■ Introduction
		Introduction	■ Cell Biology
		Cell Biology	■ Life processes - Nutrition, Respiration,
		Life processes	Muscle movement, skeletal system,
		Biocommunication	circulatory system, excretion.
		 Diseases and Defence Mechanism 	■ Biocommunication
		Nutrition	■ Genetics - The science of heredity
		 Origin and Evolution of life 	■ Diseases and Defence Mechanisms
		Genetics	Origin and Evolution of life
		Plant Biology	■ Plant Biology - Plant Growth and
		+ Applied Science and Modern Day	Development
		Technology /	+ Applied Science and Modern Day
		Latest Research	Technology / Latest Research
		+ Current Affairs (January 2024)	
Test 24 [4149]	FEBRUARY 4, 2024		S): Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Ecology & Environment + General Science + Current Affairs
Test 25 [4150]	FEBRUARY 11, 2024		S): Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Ecology & Environment + General Science + Current Affairs
Test 26 [4151]	FEBRUARY 18, 2024		S): Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Ecology & Environment + General Science + Current Affairs
Test 27 [4152]	FEBRUARY	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABU	S): Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social

Test 28 [4153]	MARCH 3, 2024		6): Indian Constitution, Political System and Development + Ecology & Environment + Ge		ry of India + Indian Economy & Social
Test 29 [4154]	MARCH 10, 2024	■ Economic Survey 2023-24 ■ Budget 2024-25 + Current Affairs	Primary (Essential) References Economic Survey 2023-24 Budget 2024-25	Primary (Essential) News Papers/Magazines/Websites The Hindu: Business Line, Indian Express Magazines like Yojana & Kurukshetra PIB: www.pib.nic.in	Secondary (Additional) News Papers/Magazines/Websites TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.
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