

Section-III
SYLLABI FOR THE EXAMINATION
PART-A

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

The Examination shall comprise two compulsory papers of 200 marks each.

Paper I - (200 marks) Duration: Two hours

- + Current events of national and international importance.
- + History of India and Indian National Movement.
- + Indian and World Geography - Physical, Social, Economic Geography of India and the World.
- + Indian Polity and Governance - Constitution, Political System, Panchayati Raj, Public Policy, Rights Issues, etc.
- + Economic and Social Development Sustainable Development, Poverty, Inclusion, Demographics, Social Sector initiatives, etc.
- + General issues on Environmental Ecology, Bio-diversity and Climate Change - that do not require subject specialization.
- + General Science.

Paper II- (200 marks) Duration: Two hours

- + Comprehension
- + Interpersonal skills including communication skills;
- + Logical reasoning and analytical ability
- + Decision-making and problem-solving
- + General mental ability
- + Basic numeracy (numbers and their relations, orders of magnitude, etc.) (Class X level), Data interpretation (charts, graphs, tables, data sufficiency etc. - Class X level)
- + English Language Comprehension skills (Class X level).

Note 1: Questions relating to English Language Comprehension skills of Class X level (last item in the Syllabus of Paper II) will be tested through passages from English language only without providing Hindi translation thereof in the question paper.

Note 2: The questions will be of multiple choices, objective type.