

TEST SERIES &

QUALITY IMPROVEMENT
PROGRAM 2024

- PRELIMS**
- MAINS**
- PRELIMS & MAINS**
INTEGRATED



PERSONAL MENTORSHIP
and **GUIDANCE** to get a
TOP RANK in **UPSC CSE**

EXAM	PRELIMS TEST SERIES & QIP 2024					MAINS TEST SERIES & QIP 2024					INTEGRATED
COURSES & INCLUSIONS	PT15	PT37	PT57	PQ	PT57Q	MT15	MT30	MQ	MT15Q	MT30Q	PMI-QIP
	Tests Only	Tests Only	Tests Only	QIP Classes Only	Tests + QIP Classes	Tests Only	Tests Only	QIP Classes Only	Tests + QIP Classes	Tests + QIP Classes	Tests + QIP Classes
	15 FLT's	37 Tests	57 Tests	100 Hrs. QIP	57 Tests + 200 Hrs. QIP	15 FLT's	30 Tests	150 Hrs. QIP	15 FLT's + 150 Hrs. QIP	30 Tests + 250 Hrs. QIP	87 Tests + 450 Hrs. Classes + Personal Mentorship
Fee	INR 3,000	INR 6,000	INR 8,000	INR 8,000	INR 16,000	INR 8,000	INR 15,000	INR 18,000	INR 22,000	INR 30,000	INR 45,000
Old Student Discount	25%	25%	25%	25%	25%	25%	25%	25%	25%	25%	33.3%
Prelims Tests											
Monthly Current Affairs (15)	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
Thematic Tests (20)	✗	✗	✓	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
Subject tests (6)	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
Budget & Economic Survey (1)	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
FLT's - GS (8) + CSAT (4)	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
Pre-Pareekshan Tests (3)	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
Mains Tests											
Thematic Tests GS (13) + Essay (2)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓
FLT's GS (8) + Essay (2)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓

EXAM	PRELIMS TEST SERIES & QIP 2024					MAINS TEST SERIES & QIP 2024					INTEGRATED
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Mains-Pareekshan tests GS (4) + Essay (1)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓
QIP Classes											
Current Affairs ≈ 100 Hrs. (Online only)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
Prelims Strategy & Test Discussions ≈ 100 Hrs.. (Online only)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
Mains Strategy & Test Discussions ≈ 100 Hrs. (Online only)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓
Prelims Revision Classes ≈ 100 Hrs.. (Online/Offline)	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓
Mains Revision Classes ≈ 150 Hrs.. (Online/Offline)	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓

EXAM	PRELIMS TEST SERIES & QIP 2024					MAINS TEST SERIES & QIP 2024					INTEGRATED
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Video Back up till exam	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓
Offline Classes from ORN Campus	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓
AIR including performance analytics	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓
Detailed Explanation / Sample Answers	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓

WHAT IS GENERAL STUDIES INTEGRATED (GSI) – QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (QIP)?

GSI – QIP is a **Prelims and Mains Integrated KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM** to enable you to get **TOP RANK in CSE**. Its main components are:

- KNOWLEDGE**
- 500 hours of QIP Classes**
 - Current Affairs
 - Strategy Classes to discuss study approach via PYQ discussion
 - Prelims Revision via MCQs.
 - Mains Revision via Answer Writing.
 - ++ Exam oriented study material*

- SKILL**
- 87 Prelims & Mains Tests (UPSC Standard)**
 - 57 Prelims tests,
 - 30 Mains tests,
 - Comprehensive Test Discussions
 - AIR, Comparative Analysis, detailed solutions, Sample Answers
 - Evaluation & Feedback after every test

- * **IAS Compass – Study Material**
- Foundation Books (PRINT + DIGITAL)
 - Current Affairs Compilation, Prelims (DIGITAL)
 - Current Affairs Compilation, Mains (DIGITAL)
 - Focus Current Affairs Magazine (Digital)

GSI-QIP is **NOT a Foundation Course**. It will not help you study the basics from standard reference books. GSI-QIP is an **ADVANCED** General Studies course **SUITABLE** only for such aspirants who have thoroughly covered their basics either through a GS Foundation course or through self-study and those who have taken attempt(s) at the exam but couldn't crack it or get the desired rank.

It is aimed to make their self-study time **disciplined** and **structured**, while **enhancing their knowledge and skill levels** so that they can figure in the **TOP 100 RANKS** in their forthcoming attempt at the Civil Services Exam.



PERSONAL MENTORSHIP

HYBRID CLASSES

Classes can be attended in Interactive-Online mode or from Rau's IAS Campus in old Rajender Nagar.



ETHICS & ESSAY

Due weightage will be given to the above papers to enable students improve their marks substantially.

VIDEO BACKUP

All QIP classes will be available as videos which can be watched unlimited times till Mains.



FLEXIBILITY

Tests will be released according to a schedule but can be attempted with 100% flexibility.

COURSE VAILIDITY

Till Mains 2024.



FEE 45,000

inclusive of GST

PEDAGOGY: HOW WILL GSI-QIP HELP YOU SCORE TOP RANK?

Majority of the UPSC aspirants who fail to crack the exam or get a top rank, struggle with one or more of the following problems:

- They fail to prepare in accordance with Prelims and Mains demand.
- They have completed the syllabus but are not being able to answer the questions.
- They have the confidence of cracking Mains but are unable to clear Prelims.
- Not able to improve their Mains score even after repeated attempts.
- Lack Multi-dimensional perspective and approach towards GS Answer & Essay writing.
- Waste time in gathering information from scattered sources.
- Struggle with systematic and targeted revision before Prelims and Mains.

This course will follow an **APPLIED APPROACH** through:

1. **TEACHING & INTEGRATED TESTING** – Our focus will be on **improving the quality of your knowledge and its application** in Civil Services Pre and Mains Exam.
- For **Current Affairs and contemporary issues**:
 - Classes will follow an **interdisciplinary approach** to cover all contemporary issues from Prelims and Mains perspective.
 - The focus will be on **multidimensional understanding** of important issues (for Mains) and associated facts (for Prelims).
- For **PRELIMS**, our approach will be to:
 - Give you ample practice through **well designed tests covering all important themes for Prelims exam**, and
 - Conduct **theme-wise strategy and (comprehensive) test discussion classes**, the focus of which will be:
 - ✓ Upgrade and update your knowledge
 - ✓ To improve your test taking skills

STRUCTURE OF PRELIMS TEST SERIES

1. **Thematic Tests (20 tests | 1000 Qs)**: First, the test series will guide students to **exhaustively cover** the concepts and knowledge nuggets required by the UPSC syllabus from all important sources – **NCERTs (old and new) + Key Reference books**
 - **Focus area of MCQs** – to check clarity of concepts from static topics given in the Test plan.
 - **Nature of MCQs** – Conceptual
2. **SUBJECT Tests (Subject – 6 tests | 600 Qs + 1 Test of Budget & Economic survey | 50 Qs)**: Then, it will lead students to narrow their focus and revise all the important concepts and information across the syllabus along with related recent developments
 - **Focus area of MCQs** – Reinforcement of concepts from static portion + awareness of related current affairs
 - **Nature of MCQs** – Conceptual, Current & Conceptual-Current
3. **FLTS (8 tests | 800 Qs) & CSAT (4 tests | 320 Qs)**: Finally, it will train students to attempt full length tests in simulated UPSC environment.
 - **Focus area of MCQs** – UPSC simulation
 - **Nature of MCQs** – UPSC pattern
4. **Monthly Current Affairs (15 tests | 750 Qs)**: All through-out (on a monthly basis) it will enable students to cover all important current affairs, across all dynamic sections of the syllabus

- **Focus area of MCQs** – Awareness of all important current affairs
- **Nature of MCQs** – Current & Conceptual-Current

5. **All India (OPEN) Pre-Pareekshan Tests (3 tests | 300 Qs.):** All India Free Mock Tests for UPSC Prelims 2024. The purpose of these tests is to provide common nationwide platform to all UPSC aspirants appearing for Prelims where they could access their performance vis-a-vis the real competition.

- **Focus area of MCQs** – UPSC simulation
- **Nature of MCQs** – UPSC pattern

○ Finally, conduct **Prelims Revision classes** and provide **Prelims current affairs compilations**, just before the Prelims exam, to help you revise and update.

• For **MAINS**, our approach will be to:

- Give you **ample answer writing practice** through **well designed tests covering all important themes for Mains exam**, and
- Conduct **subject wise strategy, test discussion & answer writing classes**, the focus of which will be:
 - ✓ Arm you with relevant knowledge about those themes, and
 - ✓ Improve your answer writing skills

STRUCTURE OF MAINS TEST SERIES

1. **Thematic Tests (15 tests):** First, the test series will guide students to **exhaustively cover** the concepts required by the UPSC syllabus. These Tests will be theme wise and will help students to revise & practice answer writing for most important themes from the perspective of Mains Exam.
2. **FLTS (15 tests):** Finally, it will train students to attempt full length tests in simulated UPSC environment. These tests will help students to revise and practice answer writing test before Mains exam. The quality of questions in these tests are similar to UPSC Mains exam.

○ Finally, conduct **Revision & Answer Writing classes** and provide **Mains compilations**, between Prelims and Mains:

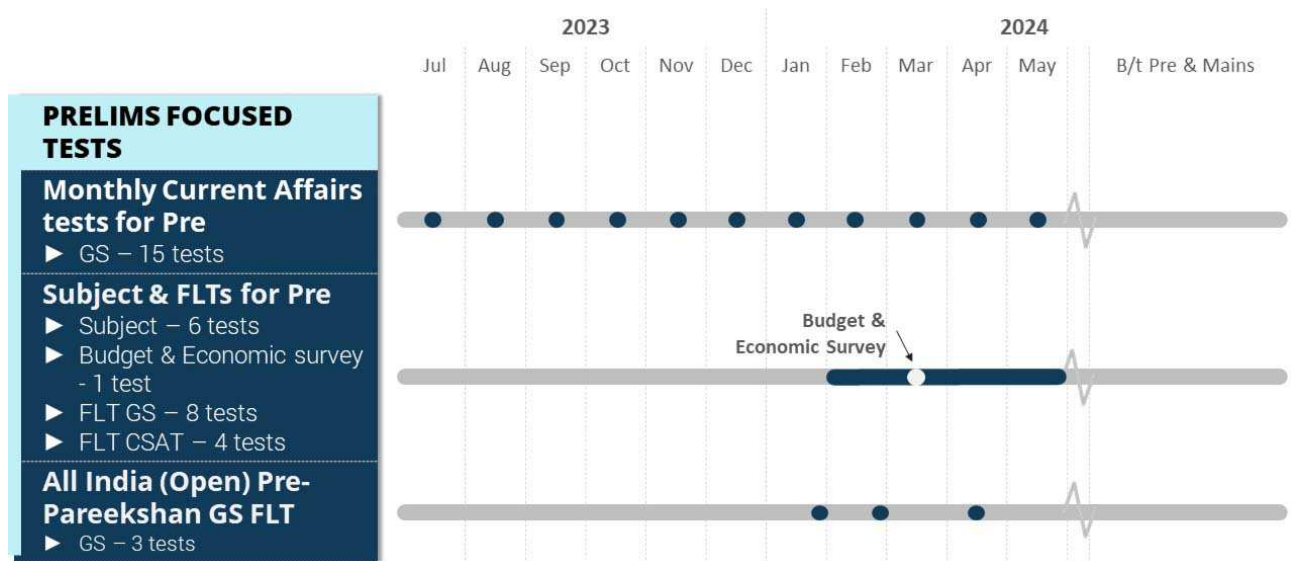
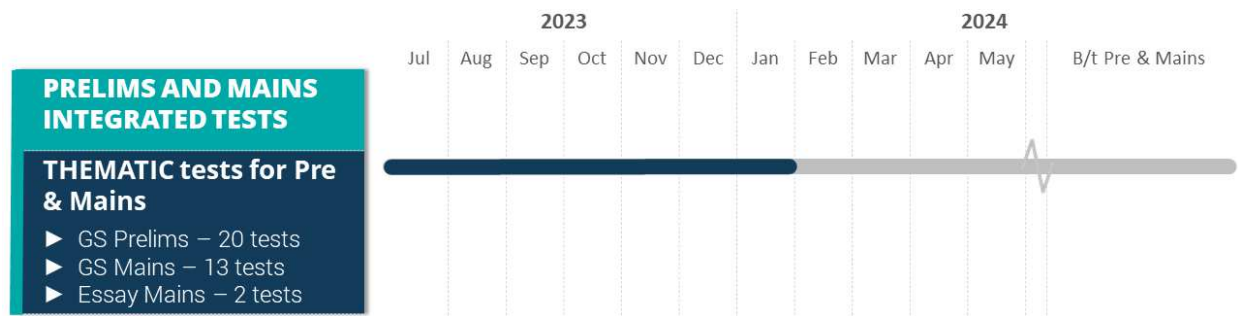
2. **PERSONAL MENTORING** – Throughout the duration of this course, Rau's IAS will guide you to continuously improve by providing timely feedback and mentoring.

TIMELINES & SCHEDULE

A. QIP CLASSES ≈ 500+ hours



B. PRELIMS & MAINS TEST SERIES = 87 tests



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INTEGRATED TEST SERIES 2024

A. PRELIMS & MAINS INTEGRATED (THEMATIC) TESTS

≡ **GS Prelims – 57 tests**

≡ **GS Mains – 25 tests**

≡ **Essay Mains – 5 tests**

#	TEST		Qs	SYLLABUS (detailed theme wise SOURCES included in the adjoining addendum)	Date of Release
1.	PRELIMS	CA: Feb 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazines of February 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	17/06/2023
2.	PRELIMS	CA: Mar 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazines of March 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	17/06/2023
3.	PRELIMS	CA: April 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazines of April 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	17/06/2023
4.	PRELIMS	CA: May 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazines of May 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	17/06/2023
5.	PRELIMS	Ancient India	50	Sources and historical Construction, Neolithic Culture, Chalcolithic Culture, Indus valley civilization, Vedic age & Buddha age, Maurya empire, Gupta empire, Harsha empire, and Historical & cultural development in South India	24/06/2023
6.	PRELIMS	Medieval India	50	Chola empire, Vijaya Nagar empire, Bahmani Kingdom & other South Indian kingdoms, Delhi Sultanate, Mughal empire, Bhakti & Sufi movement	24/06/2023
7.	PRELIMS	Art & Culture	50	Indian Languages, Literature, Religion & Philosophy and education system & Science and Technology, Painting, Performing Arts, Architecture & Sculpture	01/07/2023
8.	PRELIMS	Modern India - 1	50	From the decline of the Mughal Empire till formation of Indian National Congress	01/07/2023
9.	PRELIMS	CA: June 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazines of June 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	08/07/2023
10.	MAINS	Ancient, Medieval, Art & culture	20	Indian culture will cover the salient aspects of ArtForms, literature and Architecture from ancient to modern times.	09/07/2023
11.	PRELIMS	Modern India - 2	50	From the formation of Indian National Congress till the Civil Disobedience Movement	15/07/2023
12.	PRELIMS	Modern India – 3	50	Developments after the Civil Disobedience Movement till Independence; along with History of Education, Press, Social Movements –	15/07/2023

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				Women, Dalit, Labour, Peasant. Constitutional Developments during British Rule	
13.	MAINS	Modern History, Post Modern	20	<p>Modern Indian History from about the middle of the eighteenth century until the present-significant events, personalities, issues.</p> <p>The Freedom Struggle — its various stages and important contributors/contributions from different parts of the country.</p> <p>Post-independence Consolidation and Reorganization within the country.</p>	16/07/2023
14.	PRELIMS	Indian Polity & Governance - 1	50	Constitutional development, Preamble, Concept of political theory, Union and its territory, citizenship	22/07/2023
15.	PRELIMS	Indian Polity & Governance - 2	50	Fundamental rights, Fundamental duties, DPSP, Amendment, Basic structure	22/07/2023
16.	PRELIMS	Indian Polity & Governance - 3	50	Judiciary, Executive, federalism, Centre-state relations	29/07/2023
17.	PRELIMS	Indian Polity & Governance - 4	50	Legislature, Panchayati Raj & Schedule, Constitutional bodies & non-constitutional bodies & other constitutional dimensions	29/07/2023
18.	MAINS	Polity & Governance-1	20	<p>Indian Constitution—Historical Underpinnings, Evolution, Features, Amendments, Significant Provisions and Basic Structure.</p> <p>Functions and Responsibilities of the Union and the States, Issues and Challenges Pertaining to the Federal Structure, Devolution of Powers and Finances up to Local Levels and Challenges Therein.</p> <p>Separation of Powers between various organs Dispute Redressal Mechanisms and Institutions.</p> <p>Comparison of the Indian Constitutional Scheme with that of Other Countries.</p> <p>Parliament and State Legislatures—Structure, Functioning, Conduct of Business, Powers & Privileges and Issues Arising out of these.</p>	30/07/2023
19.	PRELIMS	Economic & Social Development - 1	50	Economic overview, planning & national income, Inclusive growth & SDG	05/08/2023
20.	PRELIMS	Economic & Social Development - 2	50	Banking, finance & inflation, Planning & Government budget	05/08/2023
21.	MAINS	Polity & Governance-2	20	Structure, Organization and Functioning of the Executive and the Judiciary—Ministries and Departments of the Government; Pressure Groups and Formal/Informal Associations and	06/08/2023

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				<p>their Role in the Polity.</p> <p>Salient Features of the Representation of People's Act.</p> <p>Appointment to various Constitutional Posts, Powers, Functions and Responsibilities of various Constitutional Bodies.</p> <p>Statutory, Regulatory and various Quasi-judicial Bodies.</p> <p>Government Policies and Interventions for Development in various sectors and Issues arising out of their Design and Implementation.</p> <p>Development Processes and the Development Industry — the Role of NGOs, SHGs, various groups and associations, donors, charities, institutional and other stakeholders.</p>	
22.	PRELIMS	CA: July 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazines of July 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	12/08/2023
23.	PRELIMS	Economic & Social Development - 3	50	Agriculture & Industry, External sectors & international organizations	19/08/2023
24.	MAINS	Essay-I	08	Indian Heritage and Culture, History, International Relations, Geography of the World, Bio diversity, Environment, and Disaster Management	20/08/2023
25.	PRELIMS	Indian Geography - 1	50	Geological Structure, Physiography & Drainage system & map	26/08/2023
26.	PRELIMS	Indian Geography - 2	50	Climate, Natural Vegetation, Soils, Agriculture, resources, population composition & census, Transport & map, Natural Hazards & disasters & Multipurpose projects & map	26/08/2023
27.	PRELIMS	World Geography - 1	50	Geomorphology & Hydrosphere & map	02/09/2023
28.	PRELIMS	World Geography - 2	50	Climatology, Biogeography and Social & economic geography & map	02/09/2023
29.	MAINS	Ethics-I	13	Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude	03/09/2023
30.	PRELIMS	CA: August 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazines of August 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	09/09/2023
31.	PRELIMS	Env, Eco, Bio & Climate Change - 1	50	Organisms and Populations & Ecosystem	16/09/2023
32.	PRELIMS	Env, Eco, Bio & Climate Change - 2	50	Environment, Environmental issues, Climate change	16/09/2023
33.	MAINS	Economy-1	20	Indian Economy and issues relating to Planning,	17/09/2023

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				<p>Mobilization of Resources, Growth, Development and Employment.</p> <p>Inclusive Growth and issues arising from it.</p> <p>Government Budgeting.</p> <p>Major Crops - Cropping Patterns in various parts of the country, - Different Types of Irrigation and Irrigation Systems; Storage, Transport and Marketing of Agricultural Produce and Issues and Related Constraints; E-technology in the aid of farmers.</p>	
34.	PRELIMS	Env, Eco, Bio & Climate Change -3	50	Biodiversity & Conservation	23/09/2023
35.	MAINS	Economy-2	20	<p>Issues related to Direct and Indirect Farm Subsidies and Minimum Support Prices; Public Distribution System - Objectives, Functioning, Limitations, Revamping; Issues of Buffer Stocks and Food Security; Technology Missions; Economics of Animal-Rearing.</p> <p>Food Processing and Related Industries in India- Scope' and Significance, Location, Upstream and Downstream Requirements, Supply Chain Management.</p> <p>Land Reforms in India.</p> <p>Effects of Liberalization on the Economy, Changes in Industrial Policy and their Effects on Industrial Growth.</p> <p>Infrastructure: Energy, Ports, Roads, Airports, Railways etc.</p> <p>Investment Models.</p>	24/09/2023
36.	PRELIMS	Subject: History	100	All Themes + Related Current Affairs	30/09/2023
37.	PRELIMS	Subject: Polity	100	All Themes + Related Current Affairs	07/10/2023
38.	MAINS	Geography	20	<p>Salient features of World's Physical Geography.</p> <p>Distribution of Key Natural Resources across the world (including South Asia and the Indian sub-continent); factors responsible for the location of primary, secondary, and tertiary sector industries in various parts of the world (including India).</p> <p>Important Geophysical Phenomena such as earthquakes, Tsunami, Volcanic activity, cyclone etc., geographical features and their location-changes in critical geographical features (including water-bodies and ice-caps) and in flora and fauna and the effects of such</p>	08/10/2023

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39.	PRELIMS	CA: Sept 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazine of Sept 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	14/10/2023
40.	MAINS	Environment and Disaster Management	20	Conservation, Environmental Pollution and Degradation, Environmental Impact Assessment. Disaster and Disaster Management.	15/10/2023
41.	PRELIMS	Subject: Geography	100	All Themes + Related Current Affairs	21/10/2023
42.	MAINS	World History and International Relations	20	History of the World will include events from 18th century such as Industrial Revolution, world wars, Redrawing of National Boundaries, Colonization, Decolonization, political philosophies like Communism, Capitalism, Socialism etc.— their forms and effect on the society. India and its Neighborhood- Relations. Bilateral, Regional and Global Groupings and Agreements involving India and/or affecting India's interests. Effect of Policies and Politics of Developed and Developing Countries on India's interests, Indian Diaspora. Important International Institutions, agencies and fora - their Structure, Mandate.	29/10/2023
43.	MAINS	Science & Technology, Security	20	Science and Technology - Developments and their Applications and Effects in Everyday Life. Achievements of Indians in Science & Technology; Indigenization of Technology and Developing New Technology. Awareness in the fields of IT, Space, Computers, Robotics, Nano-technology, Bio-technology and issues relating to Intellectual Property Rights. Linkages between Development and Spread of Extremism. Role of External State and Non-state Actors in creating challenges to Internal Security. Challenges to Internal Security through Communication Networks, Role of Media and Social Networking Sites in Internal Security Challenges, Basics of Cyber Security; Money-Laundering and its prevention. Security Challenges and their Management in Border Areas - Linkages of Organized Crime with Terrorism.	05/11/2023

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				Various Security Forces and Agencies and their Mandate.	
44.	PRELIMS	CA: Oct 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazine of Oct 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	11/11/2023
45.	PRELIMS	Subject: Env, Eco, Bio & Climate Change	100	All Themes + Related Current Affairs	18/11/2023
46.	MAINS	Society & Social Justice	20	<p>Salient features of Indian Society, Diversity of India.</p> <p>Role of Women and Women's Organization, Population and Associated Issues, Poverty and Developmental issues, Urbanization, their problems and their remedies.</p> <p>Effects of Globalization on Indian society.</p> <p>Social Empowerment, Communalism, Regionalism & Secularism.</p> <p>Welfare Schemes for Vulnerable Sections of the population by the Centre and States and the Performance of these Schemes; Mechanisms, Laws, Institutions and Bodies constituted for the Protection and Betterment of these Vulnerable Sections.</p> <p>Issues Relating to Development and Management of Social Sector/Services relating to Health, Education, Human Resources.</p> <p>Issues relating to Poverty and Hunger.</p>	19/11/2023
47.	PRELIMS	Subject: General Science & Tech	100	All Themes + Related Current Affairs (Weightage-Biology + Tech)	25/11/2023
48.	MAINS	Essay	08	Economic Development, Security, Science & Technology, Society, Social Justice and Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude	26/12/2023
49.	MAINS	Ethics-II	13	Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude	03/12/2023
50.	PRELIMS	CA: Nov 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazine of Nov 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	09/12/2023
51.	PRELIMS	Subject: Economy-Social Dev	100	All Themes + Related Current Affairs	23/12/2023
52.	PRELIMS	GS: FLT-1	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	30/12/2023
53.	PRELIMS	GS: FLT-2	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	06/01/2024
54.	PRELIMS	CA: Dec 2023	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazine of Dec 2023, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	13/01/2024
55.	PRELIMS	GS: FLT-3	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	20/01/2024
56.	PRELIMS	GS: FLT-4	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	27/01/2024

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57.	PRELIMS	Pre-Pareekshan-1 - Pre 2024	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	28/01/2024
58.	PRELIMS	CA: Jan 2024	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazine of Jan 2024, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	10/02/2024
59.	PRELIMS	Pre-Pareekshan-2 - Pre 2024	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	To be announced
60.	PRELIMS	GS: FLT-5	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	24/02/2024
61.	PRELIMS	CSAT FLT-1	80	Full Syllabus of UPSC	24/02/2024
62.	PRELIMS	Supplementary Test	50	Budget & economic Survey	02/03/2024
63.	PRELIMS	CA: Feb 2024	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazine of Feb 2024, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	09/03/2024
64.	PRELIMS	Pre-Pareekshan-3 - Pre 2024	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	To be announced
65.	PRELIMS	GS: FLT-6	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	30/03/2024
66.	PRELIMS	CSAT FLT-2	80	Full Syllabus of UPSC	30/03/2024
67.	PRELIMS	CA: March 2024	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazine of March 2024, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	13/04/2024
68.	PRELIMS	GS:FLT-7	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	27/04/2024
69.	PRELIMS	CSAT FLT-3	80	Full Syllabus of UPSC	27/04/2024
70.	PRELIMS	CA: April 2024	50	From DNS, DPP + Focus magazine of April 2024, Current affairs from IAS Compass Website	04/05/2024
71.	PRELIMS	GS: FLT-8	100	Full Syllabus of UPSC	11/05/2024
72.	PRELIMS	CSAT FLT-4	80	Full Syllabus of UPSC	11/05/2024

BREAK FOR 2024 PRELIMS EXAM PREPARATION

B. MAINS FLT_s

≡ GS - 12 tests

≡ Essay - 3 tests

#	TEST	# Qs	SYLLABUS	Date of Release
73	Essay	8	General Studies + Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude	22-06-2024
74	GS 1	20	Indian Heritage and Culture, History and Geography of the World and Society	29-06-2024
75	GS 2	20	Governance, Constitution, Polity, Social Justice and International	06-07-2024

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<p>A. Old NCERT (Class 11) - Ancient India by R S Sharma</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chapter 5 to Chapter 10 dealing with Stone Copper Phase, Harappan Civilisation (Indus valley civilization), Advent of Aryans and the Age of Rig Veda, Later Vedic Phase, Jainism and Buddhism, Territorial States and the First Magadhan Empire • Chapter 12 to Chapter 20 dealing with State and Varna Society in the Age of Buddha, Age of Mauryas, Significance of Maurya Rule, Central Asian Contacts and their Results, Age of Satavahanas, Dawn of History in Deep South, Crafts, Trade and Towns in Post Maurya Age, Rise and Growth of the Gupta Empire, Life in the Gupta Age. • Chapter 22 to Chapter 27 dealing with Harsha and his Times, Formation of New States and Rural Expansion in the Peninsula, India's Cultural Contacts with the Asian Countries, Transformation of the Ancient Phase, Sequence of Social Changes, Legacy in Science and Civilisation. <p>B. Themes in Indian History-I (New NCERT)</p> <p>C. IAS COMPASS OF HISTORY & CULTURE OF ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL INDIA</p> <p><i>Note: The emphasis of the questions will be on Social, Economic and Cultural aspects.</i></p>			
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<p>A. Old NCERT (Class 11) - Medieval India by Satish Chandra</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chapter 3 to chapter 4 dealing with the Chola empire, Economic and Social Life, Education and Religious Beliefs • Chapter 6 to Chapter 9 dealing with the Delhi Sultanate-I, Delhi Sultanate-II, Government and economic and social life under the Delhi Sultanate, the Age of Vijayanagara and Bahamanis and the coming of Portuguese • Chapter 11: Cultural Development in India • Chapter 12: (<i>Only one Section</i>-Contribution of Sher Shah) • Chapter 13: Consolidation of the Mughal empire • Chapter 14: The Decan and South India • Chapter 15: India in the First Half of 17th century (<i>only two section</i>- Political and Administrative Developments in India, Growth of Administration: Mansabdari system and Mughal army) • Chapter 16 to chapter 19 dealing with Economic and social life under the Mughals, Cultural and religious developments, Climax and disintegration of Mughal Empire-I & II <p>B. Themes in Indian History-II (New NCERT)</p> <p>C. IAS COMPASS OF HISTORY & CULTURE OF ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL INDIA</p> <p><i>Note: The emphasis of the questions will be on Social, Economic and Cultural aspects.</i></p>			

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A. An introduction to art, Part-I (New NCERT) B. An introduction to art, Part-II (New NCERT) C. IAS COMPASS OF HISTORY & CULTURE OF ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL INDIA D. Indian Art & Culture by Nitin Singhanian			
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A. Old NCERT (Class 11) – Modern India by Bipan Chandra <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chapter 1: The Decline of the Mughal Empire • Chapter 2: Indian States and Society in the 18th Century • Chapter 3: The Beginnings of European Settlements • Chapter 4: The British Conquest of India • Chapter 5: The Structure of the Government and the Economic Policies of the British Empire in India, 1757-1857 • Chapter 8: The Revolt of 1857 • Chapter 9: Administrative changes after 1858 • Chapter 10: India and her Neighbours • Chapter 11: Economic impact of British rule • Chapter 12: Growth of New India—The Nationalist Movement 1858-1905 B. IAS COMPASS OF MODERN HISTORY C. Spectrum - A Brief History of Modern India			
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A. NCERT (Class 12) - Introductory Macroeconomics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 3: Money and Banking Chapter 5: Government Budget and the Economy B. IAS COMPASS OF ECONOMY			

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C. Planning Chapter of India Year Book			
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A. NCERT (Class 11) - India Economic Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 8: Infrastructure B. Chapters on Agriculture and Industry in Prelims Compass 2021 – Budget & Economic Survey C. NCERT (Class 12) - Introductory Macroeconomics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 6: Open economy macroeconomics D. IAS COMPASS OF ECONOMY			
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B. IAS COMPASS OF GEOGRAPHY			
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A. NCERT (Class 12) – Biology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 13: Organisms and Populations Chapter 14: Ecosystem 			
B. Environment & Ecology: A Complete Guide by R Rajagopalan			
C. IAS COMPASS OF ENVIRONMENT			
D. Current Affairs from Rau’s Current Affairs Classes & Videos + Focus magazine			
19.	PRELIMS	Env, Eco, Bio & Climate Change -2	Environment, Environmental issues & Climate change
A. NCERT (Class 12) – Biology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chapter 16: Environmental Issues 			
B. Environment & Ecology: A Complete Guide by R Rajagopalan			
C. IAS COMPASS OF ENVIRONMENT			
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B. Environment & Ecology: A Complete Guide by R Rajagopalan			
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B. MODERN INDIA			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Old NCERT: Modern India by Bipin Chandra “A Brief History of Modern India” –Spectrum Rau’s IAS Compass & Focus magazines 			
C. POST-INDEPENDENCE INDIA CONSOLIDATION			
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- Rau's IAS compass Website
- Mastering Modern World History by Norman Lowe

E. GEOGRAPHY

- 11th NCERT: Fundamentals of Physical Geography
- 11th NCERT Geography - India Physical Environment
- 12th NCERT: Fundamentals of Human geography
- 12th NCERT: Geography - India People and Economy Geography
- Chapters 22nd, 24th and 25th of (India a comprehensive geography by Khullar)
- Rau's IAS Compass and Focus magazines

F. SOCIETY

- Rau's IAS Mains Compass and Focus magazines

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A. POLITY AND GOVERNANCE

- Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth
- Rau's IAS Compass and Focus magazines
- 2nd ARC reports – 1,5,6,11,12,13
- Chapters 36, 37 and 38 of NITI aayog "strategy for new India@75"

B. SOCIAL JUSTICE

- Rau's IAS Mains Compass and Focus magazines
- NITI aayog report "Strategy for India@75"- (23rd to 34th chapters)

C. INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

- Rau's IAS Mains Compass and Focus Magazines

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- Rau's IAS Mains Compass & Focus magazines
- Economic survey
- Budget
- NITI aayog report on strategy for New India@75

B. INTERNAL SECURITY

- Rau's' IAS Mains Compass and Focus magazines

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- Ch:8-Natural Hazards and Disasters (India a comprehensive geography by Khullar)

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