

Date	Day	General Studies I	Subjects	Syllabus
28-Jun	Sunday	GS 2	Polity	<p>Polity</p> <p>Indian Constitution – historical underpinnings, evolution, features, amendments, significant provisions and basic structure.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. • Separation of powers between various organs dispute redressal mechanisms and institutions. • Comparison of the Indian constitutional scheme with that of other countries. • Parliament and State legislatures – structure, functioning, conduct of business, powers & privileges and issues arising out of these. .
5-Jul	Sunday	GS 2	Governance and IR	<p>Governance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statutory, regulatory and various quasi-judicial bodies. • Government policies and interventions for development in various sectors and issues arising out of their design and implementation. • Development processes and the development industry – the role of NGOs, SHGs, various groups and associations, donors, charities, institutional and other stakeholders. • 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 • Issues relating to development and management of Social Sector/Services relating to Health, Education, Human Resources. • Issues relating to poverty and hunger. • Important aspects of governance, transparency and accountability, e-governance- applications, models, successes, limitations, and potential; citizens charters, transparency & accountability and institutional and other measures. • Role of civil services in a democracy <p>International Relations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.
12-Jul	Sunday	GS 3	Economy & AGRI	<p>Economy and Agriculture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian Economy and issues relating to planning, mobilization, of resources, growth, development and employment. • Inclusive growth and issues arising from it. • Government Budgeting. • 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. • 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. • Food processing and related industries in India- scope' and significance, location, upstream and downstream requirements, supply chain management. • Land reforms in India. • Effects of liberalization on the economy, changes in industrial policy and their effects on industrial growth. • Infrastructure: Energy, Ports, Roads, Airports, Railways etc. • Investment models.
19-Jul	Sunday	GS 3	Environment, ST & Internal Security	<p>Science and Technology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. <p>Environment + DM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conservation, environmental pollution and degradation, environmental impact assessment. • Disaster and disaster management. <p>Security</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. • Various Security forces and agencies and their mandate.
26-Jul	Sunday	GS 4	Ethics and Society	<p>Ethics Theory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ethics and Human Interface: Essence, determinants and consequences of Ethics in-human actions; dimensions of ethics; ethics - in private and public relationships. Human Values - lessons from the lives and teachings of great leaders, reformers and administrators; role of family society and educational institutions in inculcating values. • Attitude: content, structure, function; its influence and relation with thought and behaviour; moral and political attitudes; social influence and persuasion. • Aptitude and foundational values for Civil Service, integrity, impartiality and non-partisanship, objectivity, dedication to public service, empathy, tolerance and compassion towards the weaker-sections. • Emotional intelligence-concepts, and their utilities and application in administration and governance. • Contributions of moral thinkers and philosophers from India and world. <p>Indian Society and Social Issues</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Salient features of Indian Society, Diversity of India. • Role of women and women's organization, population and associated issues, poverty and developmental issues, urbanization, their problems and their remedies. • Effects of globalization on Indian society. • Social empowerment, communalism, regionalism & secularism.
3-Aug	Monday	GS 4	Ethics Test 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public/ Civil service values and Ethics in Public administration: Status and problems; ethical concerns and dilemmas in governance; Public Service Values and Ethics: Concept of public service; Philosophical basis of governance and probity; Information security and Data Protection; Ethical issues in AI and IT.
10-Aug	Monday	GS 1	Geography and History	<p>Geography Salient features of world's physical geography."</p> <p>Physical Features of South Asia and the Indian subcontinent); factors responsible for the location of primary, secondary, and tertiary activities; geographical features and their location-changes in critical geographical features (including water-bodies and landmasses) and the impact of climate change on global physical features.</p> <p>Indian culture will cover the salient aspects of Art Forms, literature and Architecture from ancient to modern times. History will cover the salient aspects of Indian history from about the middle of the eighteenth century until the present- significant events, personalities and movements; contributions/contributions from different parts of the country. Post-independence India: Foreign Policy, Diplomacy and International Relations; Redefinition of India's identity as a major power; Globalization and its impact on India's foreign policy, world wars, redrawing of national boundaries, colonization, decolonization, political philosophies like communism, capitalism, socialism etc., – Intellectual movements and reform movements in various parts of the world.</p>
12-Aug	Wednesday		GS1 and 2	Full Syllabus
13-Aug	Thursday		GS 3 and 4	Full Syllabus