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Integrated Test Series 2026 with Mentorship (September Batch)

	Mains Tests Schedule						
Sr. No	Date	Test/Activity	Syllabus/Details				
		A	Answer Writing Activities				
Activity 01	08 Sep 2025	Activity - start writing	Activity pages will be given for you to start writing something by your own. Rather than starting UPSC level answer writing on day 1, we will have some warm up activities				
Activity 02	10 Sep 2025	Activity - summary writing	Write summary of the paragraphs provided. Detailed instructions will be given in the summary sheets				
Activity 03	12 Sep 2025	Activity - Rewrite in simple words	In this activity, the activity sheet will consist a paragraph - you need to rewrite the same paragraph in simple language - ensure that the core meaning of the text is not changed				
Activity 04	14 Sep 2025	Brainstorming - brainstorm of given keywords	You will be provided with activity sheet consisting of 10 keywords. You have to write 2 pages explaining given keyword. You can use internet/books to complete this activity				
Activity 05	16 Sep 2025	Write Introductions	In this activity, you will be given a worksheet. In the worksheet, first few pages will be dedicated for guiding you in writing good introductions. Then, there will be questions of which you have to write the introductions only. Here, you don't need to write whole answers, just write the introductions of these questions.				
Activity 06	16 Sep 2025	Write Conclusions	In this activity, you will be given a worksheet. In the worksheet, first few pages will be dedicated for guiding you in writing good conclusions. Then, there will be questions of which you have to write the conclusions only. Here, you don't need to write whole answers, just write the conclusion of these questions.				
Activity 07	18 Sep 2025	Creating questions	In this activity, you should create a questions of UPSC standard based on the UPSC Syllabus				
Activity 08	20 Sep 2025	Essay Outline	In this activity, you will be given essay topics - just prepare a structure of these topics (brainstorm)				
			Mains Sectional Tests				
Mains Test 01	22 Sep 2025	Sectional Test 01 (GS 1 - Part 1)	GS 1 (Part 1) 1. Indian culture will cover the salient aspects of Art Forms, literature and Architecture from ancient to modern times. 2. Modern Indian history from about the middle of the eighteenth century until the present-significant events, personalities, issues. 3. The Freedom Struggle — its various stages and important contributors/contributions from different parts of the country. 4. Post-independence consolidation and reorganization within the country.				
Mains Test 02	29 Sep 2025	Sectional Test 02 (GS 1 - Part 2)	GS 1 (Part 2) 1. History of the world will include events from 18th century such as industrial revolution, world wars, redrawal of national boundaries, colonization, decolonization, political philosophies like communism, capitalism, socialism etc.— their forms and effect on the society. 2. Salient features of Indian Society, Diversity of India. 3. Role of women and women's organization, population and associated issues, poverty and developmental issues, urbanization, their problems and their remedies. 4. Effects of globalization on Indian society. 5. Social empowerment, communalism, regionalism & secularism				
Mains Test 03	06 Oct 2025	Sectional Test 03 (GS 1 - Part 3)	GS 1 (Part 3) 1. Salient features of world's physical geography. 2. Distribution of key natural resources across the world (including South Asia and the Indian subcontinent); factors responsible for the location of primary, secondary, and tertiary sector industries in various parts of the world (including India). 3. 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 changes.				
Mains Test 04	13 Oct 2025	Sectional Test 04 (GS 2 - Part 1)	GS 2 (Part 1) 1. Indian Constitution—historical underpinnings, evolution, features, amendments, significant provisions and basic structure. 2. 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. 3. Separation of powers between various organs dispute redressal mechanisms and institutions. 4. Comparison of the Indian constitutional scheme with that of other countries. 5. Parliament and State legislatures—structure, functioning, conduct of business, powers & privileges and issues arising out of these. 6. Structure, organization and functioning of the Executive and the Judiciary—Ministries and Departments of the Government; pressure groups and formal/informal associations and their role in the Polity. 7. Salient features of the Representation of People's Act.				

Mains Test 05	20 Oct 2025	Sectional Test 05 (GS 2 - Part 2)	GS 2 (Part 2) 1. Appointment to various Constitutional posts, powers, functions and responsibilities of various Constitutional Bodies. 2. Statutory, regulatory and various quasi-judicial bodies. 3. Government policies and interventions for development in various sectors and issues arising out of their design and implementation. 4. Development processes and the development industry —the role of NGOs, SHGs, various groups and associations, donors, charities, institutional and other stakeholders. 5. 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. 6. Issues relating to development and management of Social Sector/Services relating to Health, Education, Human Resources. 7. Issues relating to poverty and hunger.
Mains Test 06	27 Oct 2025	Sectional Test 06 (GS 2 - Part 3)	GS 2 (Part 3) 1. Important aspects of governance, transparency and accountability, e-governance-applications, models, successes, limitations, and potential; citizens charters, transparency & accountability and institutional and other measures. 2. Role of civil services in a democracy. 3. India and its neighborhood- relations. 4. Bilateral, regional and global groupings and agreements involving India and/or affecting India's interests. 5. Effect of policies and politics of developed and developing countries on India's interests, Indian diaspora. 6. Important International institutions, agencies and fora- their structure, mandate.
Mains Test 07	03 Nov 2025	Sectional Test 07 (GS 3 - Part 1)	GS 3 (Part 1) 1. Indian Economy and issues relating to planning, mobilization, of resources, growth, development and employment. 2. Inclusive growth and issues arising from it. 3. Government Budgeting. 4. 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. 5. 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. 6. Food processing and related industries in India- scope' and significance, location, upstream and downstream requirements, supply chain management. 7. Land reforms in India.
Mains Test 08	10 Nov 2025	Sectional Test 08 (GS 3 - Part 2)	GS 3 (Part 2) 1. Effects of liberalization on the economy, changes in industrial policy and their effects on industrial growth. 2. Infrastructure: Energy, Ports, Roads, Airports, Railways etc. 3. Investment models. 4. Science and Technology- developments and their applications and effects in everyday life. 5. Achievements of Indians in science & technology; indigenization of technology and developing new technology. 6. Awareness in the fields of IT, Space, Computers, robotics, nanotechnology, bio-technology and issues relating to intellectual property rights.
Mains Test 09	17 Nov 2025	Sectional Test 09 (GS 3 - Part 3)	GS 3 (Part 3) 1. Conservation, environmental pollution and degradation, environmental impact assessment. 2. Disaster and disaster management. 3. Linkages between development and spread of extremism. 4. Role of external state and non-state actors in creating challenges to internal security. 5. 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. 6. Security challenges and their management in border areas - linkages of organized crime with terrorism. 7. Various Security forces and agencies and their mandate.
Mains Test 10	24 Nov 2025	Sectional Test 10 (GS 4 - Theory)	GS 4 (Theory) 1. Ethics and Human Interface 2. Attitude 3. Aptitude and Foundational Values for Civil Service 4. Contributions of Moral Thinkers and Philosophers 5. Public/Civil Service Values and Ethics in Public Administration 6. Probity in Governance
Mains Test 11	01 Dec 2025	Sectional Test 11 (GS 4 - Case Studies)	GS 4 (Case Studies) Case Studies on the above issues.
		M	Iains Full Length Tests
Mains Test 12	08 Dec 2025	Full Length Test 01 - Essav	2 Essays in two sections
Mains Test 12 Mains Test 13	08 Dec 2025 15 Dec 2025	Full Length Test 01 - Essay Full Length Test 02 - GS 1	2 Essays in two sections Full Syllabus - GS 1 (Indian Heritage and Culture, History and Geography of the World and Society)

Mains Test 15	29 Dec 2025	Full Length Test 04 - GS 3	Full Syllabus - GS 3 (Technology, Economic Development, Biodiversity, Environment, Security and Disaster Management)
Mains Test 16	05 Jan 2026	Full Length Test 05 - GS 4	Full Syllabus - GS 4 (Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude)
Mains Test 17	09 Jan 2026	Full Length Test 06 - Essay	2 Essays in two sections
Mains Test 18	10 Jan 2026	Full Length Test 07 - GS 1	Full Syllabus - GS 1 (Indian Heritage and Culture, History and Geography of the World and Society)
Mains Test 19	10 Jan 2026	Full Length Test 08 - GS 2	Full Syllabus - GS 2 (Governance, Constitution, Polity, Social Justice and International Relations)
Mains Test 20	11 Jan 2026	Full Length Test 09 - GS 3	Full Syllabus - GS 3 (Technology, Economic Development, Biodiversity, Environment, Security and Disaster Management)
Mains Test 21	11 Jan 2026	Full Length Test 10 - GS 4	Full Syllabus - GS 4 (Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude)
Mains Test 22	15 Jun 2026	Full Length Test 11 - Essay	2 Essays in two sections
Mains Test 23	22 Jun 2026	Full Length Test 12 - GS 1	Full Syllabus - GS 1 (Indian Heritage and Culture, History and Geography of the World and Society)
Mains Test 24	29 Jun 2026	Full Length Test 13 - GS 2	Full Syllabus - GS 2 (Governance, Constitution, Polity, Social Justice and International Relations)
Mains Test 25	06 Jul 2026	Full Length Test 14 - GS 3	Full Syllabus - GS 3 (Technology, Economic Development, Biodiversity, Environment, Security and Disaster Management)
Mains Test 26	13 Jul 2026	Full Length Test 15 - GS 4	Full Syllabus - GS 4 (Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude)
Mains Test 27	24 Jul 2026	Full Length Test 16 - Essay	2 Essays in two sections
Mains Test 28	25 Jul 2026	Full Length Test 17 - GS 1	Full Syllabus - GS 1 (Indian Heritage and Culture, History and Geography of the World and Society)
Mains Test 29	25 Jul 2026	Full Length Test 18 - GS 2	Full Syllabus - GS 2 (Governance, Constitution, Polity, Social Justice and International Relations)
Mains Test 30	26 Jul 2026	Full Length Test 19 - GS 3	Full Syllabus - GS 3 (Technology, Economic Development, Biodiversity, Environment, Security and Disaster Management)
Mains Test 31	26 Jul 2026	Full Length Test 20 - GS 4	Full Syllabus - GS 4 (Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude)