



## Test Series Programme for Preliminary Examination – 2014

**General Studies**  
**Timing: 1-3 pm**

**CSAT**  
**Timing: 4-6 pm**

### Syllabus

G.S.	CSAT
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Current Events of National and International Importance.</li><li>• History of India and Indian National Movement.</li><li>• Indian and World Geography – Physical, Social, Economic Geography of India and the World.</li><li>• Indian Polity and Governance – Constitution, Political System, Panchayati Raj, Public policy, Rights Issues etc.</li><li>• Economic and Social Development, Sustainable Development, Poverty, Inclusion, Demographics, Social Sector Initiatives etc.</li><li>• General Issues on Environmental Ecology, Bio-diversity and Climate Change – that do not require subject specialization.</li><li>• General Science</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Comprehension (Bilingual)</li><li>• Decision Making, Problem Solving &amp; Inter-personal Communication Skills</li><li>• General Mental Ability</li><li>• Basic Numeracy</li><li>• Data Interpretation</li><li>• Data Sufficiency</li><li>• Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability</li><li>• Graph Representation</li><li>• English Language Comprehension Skills</li></ul>

### Key-Features

- Total 15 Tests in both General Studies & CSAT papers.
- Each test is on OMR sheet in accordance with All India Ranking.
- Questions truly on the changing pattern of Prelims Exam of UPSC.
- In General Studies papers focus will be on all areas like traditional topics, contemporary issues and conceptual clarity questions.
- Different genre of comprehension passages in all test papers of CSAT.
- NCERT, India Year Book, Manorama Year Book, Economic Survey etc. will get special attention.
- In logical reasoning, questions will be from basic level to complex level and every paper will cover all the dimensions of aptitude building.
- Students will get a detailed solution of every question paper as well.

### ONLINE TEST SERIES ALSO AVAILABLE

- Question paper and solution cum explanation will be available in PDF Format
- Question paper will be set bilingually.
- Question paper will be easy to access and user friendly
- For more details visit : [www.drishtiias.com](http://www.drishtiias.com)

## Test Series Structure

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**CSAT**

### Test-1 (12<sup>th</sup> January, 2014)

#### Topics

- Ancient, Medieval & Modern India (80 Questions)
- Current Affairs (June-July, 2013) (20 Questions)

### Test-1 (12<sup>th</sup> January, 2014)

No. of Qs. – 80

#### Topics

- Comprehension (Bilingual)
- Logical Reasoning (Coding & Decoding, Direction sense Test, Logical Puzzle)
- Basic Numeracy (Number System, HCF/LCM, Remainder Theorem, Divisibility Rules)
- General Mental Ability
- Decision Making and Problem Solving
- English Language Comprehension Skills.

### Test-2 (2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2014)

#### Topics

- World Geography (80 Questions)
- Current Affairs (August-September, 2013) (20 Questions)

### Test-2 (2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2014)

No. of Qs. – 80

#### Topics

- Comprehension (Bilingual)
- Logical Reasoning & Analytical Ability (Arrangement, Conditionalities and Grouping, Ranking Order and Sequence)
- Basic Numeracy (Surds and Indices, Simplifications, Percentage, Average, Profit, Loss and Discount, Ratio and Proportion)
- Data Interpretation (Bar Graph and Pie-Chart)
- Data Sufficiency (Quantitative)
- Decision Making and Problem Solving

### Test-3 (16<sup>th</sup> February, 2014)

#### Topics

- Indian Polity & Governance (80 Questions)
- Current Affairs (October-November, 2013) (20 Questions)

### Test-3 (16<sup>th</sup> February, 2014)

No. of Qs. – 80

#### Topics

- Comprehension (Bilingual)
- Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability (Blood Relations and family Tree, Syllogism, Logical Puzzles, Quantitative Analysis)
- Basic Numeracy [Allegation or Mixture, Compound Interest and Simple Interest, Time, Speed and Distance, Trains, Boats and Streams, Race (Linear and Circular)]
- Inter-personal Communication Skills
- English Language Comprehension Skills

### Test-4 (2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2014)

#### Topics

- Indian Geography (80 Questions)
- Current Affairs (December, 2013 -January, 2014) (20 Questions)

### Test-4 (2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2014)

No. of Qs. – 80

#### Topics

- Comprehension (Bilingual)
- Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability (Non-verbal Reasoning, Syllogism, Conditionalities and Grouping, Arrangements)
- Critical Reasoning
- Decision Making and Problem Solving
- Graph Representation
- English Language Comprehension Skills

**Test-5 (23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2014)**
**Topics**

- Environment and Ecology (70 Questions)
- India Year Book (Chapter 4-7) (20 Questions)
- Current Affairs (February, 2014) (10 Questions)

**Test-6 (13<sup>th</sup> April, 2014)**
**Topics**

- General Science (70 Questions)
- India Year Book (Chapter 8-11) (20 Questions)
- Current Affairs (March, 2014) (10 Questions)

**Test-7 (27<sup>th</sup> April, 2014)**
**Topics**

- Indian Economy (70 Questions)
- India Year Book (Chapter 12,13,16,17) (20 Questions)
- Current Affairs (April, 2014) (10 Questions)

**Test-8 (11<sup>th</sup> May, 2014)**
**No. of Qs. – 100**

Full Length Paper-2

**Test-9 (25<sup>th</sup> May, 2014)**
**Topics**

- Modern India, Indian Polity & Governance (70 Questions)
- India Year Book (Chapter 20-23) (20 Questions)
- Current Affairs (May, 2014) (10 Questions)

**Test-5 (23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2014)**
**No. of Qs. – 80**
**Topics**

- Comprehension (Bilingual)
- Basic Numeracy (Time and Work, Work and Wages, Pipes and Cistern, Basic Algebra)
- Data Interpretation (Tabulation, Line Graph, Mixed Graph)
- Data Sufficiency (Logical Reasoning based)
- Inter-personal Communication Skills
- English Language Comprehension Skills

**Test-6 (13<sup>th</sup> April, 2014)**
**No. of Qs. – 80**
**Topics**

- Comprehension (Bilingual)
- Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability (Analytical Reasoning, Non-verbal Reasoning, Logical Puzzles, Arrangements)
- General Mental Ability
- Basic Numeracy ( Sequence and Series, Quadratic Equations, Permutation and Combination, Probability, Set Theory, Clocks and Calendars)
- Data Interpretation (Pie-Chart, Mixed Graph, Bar-Graph)
- Graph Representation
- Decision Making and Problem Solving.

**Test-7 (27<sup>th</sup> April, 2014)**
**No. of Qs. – 80**
**Topics**

- Comprehension (Bilingual)
- Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability (Analytical Reasoning, Syllogism, Logic based Venn Diagram and Set Theory, Logical Puzzles)
- Basic Numeracy [Geometry (Properties of Triangles, Quadrilaterals and Circles), Mensuration (Perimeter and Area)]
- General Mental Ability
- Inter-personal Communication Skills
- Data-Sufficiency (Logical Reasoning Based)
- English Language Comprehension Skills

**Test-8 (11<sup>th</sup> May, 2014)**
**No. of Qs. – 80**

Full Length Paper-2

**Test-9 (25<sup>th</sup> May, 2014)**
**No. of Qs. – 80**
**Topics**

- Comprehension (Bilingual)
- Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability (Ranking Order, Sequence, Conditionalities and Grouping, Complex Arrangement, Blood Relations and Family Tree)
- Basic Numeracy [Solid Figures, Trigonometry (Basic), Co-ordinate Geometry]
- General Mental Ability
- Graph Representation
- Decision Making and Problem Solving

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Test-10 (8 <sup>th</sup> June, 2014)
<b>Topics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indian Economy, Indian &amp; World Geography (80 Questions)</li> <li>India Year Book (Chapter 24,26,27,28) (20 Questions)</li> </ul>

Test-10 (8 <sup>th</sup> June, 2014)	No. of Qs. – 80
<b>Topics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comprehension (Bilingual)</li> <li>Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability (Syllogism, Analytical Reasoning, Non-verbal Reasoning)</li> <li>Critical Reasoning</li> <li>Basic Numeracy (Complete Arithmetic, Probability, Permutation and Combination)</li> <li>Graph Representation</li> <li>Inter-personal Communication Skills</li> <li>English Language Comprehension Skills</li> </ul>	

Test-11 (22 <sup>nd</sup> June, 2014)
<b>Topics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current Affairs (June, 2013 to June, 2014)</li> </ul>

Test-11 (22 <sup>nd</sup> June, 2014)	No. of Qs. – 80
<b>Topics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comprehension (Bilingual)</li> <li>Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability (Complete Verbal and Non-verbal Reasoning)</li> <li>Basic Numeracy (Complete Geometry and Algebra)</li> <li>General Mental Ability</li> <li>Data Interpretation and Data Sufficiency</li> <li>Decision Making and Problem Solving</li> <li>English Language Comprehension Skills</li> </ul>	

Test-12 (6 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014)	No. of Qs. – 100
Full Length Paper-3	

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Full Length Paper-3	

Test-13 (20 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014)	No. of Qs. – 100
Full Length Paper-4	

Test-13 (20 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014)	No. of Qs. – 80
Full Length Paper-4	

Test-14 (3 <sup>rd</sup> August, 2014)	No. of Qs. – 100
Full Length Paper-5	

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Full Length Paper-5	

**Offline**
**Fee structure for Test Series**

1. General Fee - 7500/-
2. Fee for Drishti's Students - 5000/-

**Online**
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1. General Studies Fee - 3500/-
2. CSAT Fee - 3500/-
3. Both (GS+CSAT) Fee- 6000/-