

# RACE 2 IAS 5.0 Exam

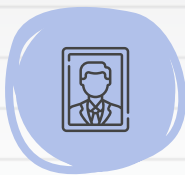
NATIONAL LEVEL  
MODEL CIVIL SERVICE EXAM FOR  
SCHOOL & COLLEGE STUDENTS

## SYLLABUS CATEGORY 1 & 2



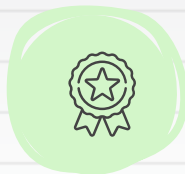
# Levels of Exam

(As UPSC Civil Service Exam)



## Level 1

**Preliminary**  
(Objective exam)



## Level 02

**Mains**  
(Descriptive exam)



## Level 03

**Personality test**  
(Interview)

Eventhough we follow the pattern of UPSC Syllabus, the questions will be framed age-appropriately

### Level 1 Preliminary Exam

2 Objective type exams having multiple-choice questions in OMR format.

**Paper 1 : General Studies**

**Duration : 1 hour | Total Marks : 100**

**Paper 2 : CSAT (Civil Service Aptitude Test)**

**Duration : 1 hour | Total Marks : 100**

NB: Paper 2 is of qualifying in nature i.e.; Candidates need to secure only 33% + marks to clear this paper. The marks secured in Paper 2 is not taken into account while preparing Mains merit list.

### Level 2 Mains Exam

Those who qualify the Prelims will be able to appear in a descriptive-type examination. The exam consists of 2 papers:

**General Studies Paper 1 & General Studies Paper 2**

**Duration of each paper : 90 minutes. Total Marks : 100 each**

### Level 3 Personality test (Interview)

Students shortlisted based on rank achieved in the Main Exam will be invited for the Personality test (interview). This will be similar to an actual UPSC interview. They will have an opportunity to interact with eminent Civil Servants whose guidance and right direction would boost the confidence of students.

# Syllabus

## Prelims . Paper 1

### History

#### British Conquest of India

- Advent of Europeans
- Resistance of Indian powers and causes of failure

#### Early resistance to British rule

- The Revolt of 1857 and personalities associated

#### Nationalism in India

- Indian National Congress
- Home Rule league
- Militant and revolutionaries

#### Indian Freedom struggle under Gandhi

- Non-Cooperation Movement
- Civil Disobedience Movement
- Round Table Conference
- Poona Pact
- August Offer
- Individual Satyagraha
- Quit India Movement

#### Social reformers in India

### Polity

#### Constitution : An outlook

- Making of the Constitution
- Salient Features of the Constitution
- Preamble of the Constitution
- Union and its Territory
- Citizenship
- Fundamental Rights
- Directive Principles of States Policy

#### Structure, Organization and functions of executive.

#### Constitutional bodies

- Election Commission of India
- Finance Commission
- CAG
- UPSC
- National Commission for SCs and STs

### Geography

#### Physical Geography of India

- The Himalayas
- Northern Plains
- The Peninsular Plateau
- The Indian Desert
- The Coastal Plains of India
- The Islands
- Drainage System
- Drainage Pattern
- Important River Systems

#### Geomorphology

- Internal Structure of Earth
- The Theory of Continental Drift
- Plate Tectonics theory
- Rocks
- Classification of forces affecting the landforms

#### Climatology

- Earth's atmosphere
- Weather and Climate

#### Important Geophysical phenomenon

- Earthquakes
- Tsunami
- Volcanic activity

#### Location Mapping

- Important National Parks
- Important places in news

### Economy

- Indian economy- an overview
- National Income
- Reserve Bank of India & Credit Control
- Banking in India
- Industry in India
- Economic Planning

### Current Affairs

- Current Affairs from October 2021-March 2022  
(Refer Race2IAS Current Affairs Shorts)

# Syllabus

## Prelims . Paper 1

### Environment & Ecology

- Basic Concepts of Ecology
- Ecosystem functions
- Issues and concerns related to environment, its legal aspects.
- Policies and treaties for the protection of environment at the National and the International level
- Environment protection
- Biodiversity - its importance and concerns
- Climate Change
- International initiatives (Policies, Protocols)
- Important conservation initiatives

### Science & Technology

#### Space

- Application of Space technology
- Space Research Program, Orbits and Launch
- Satellites, Launch Vehicles and Indian Satellite Programs
- ISRO and its functions

#### IT & Communication

- Computer & its applications
- Cyber security threats
- Government initiatives
- Digital India campaign

#### Recent Advancements

- Internet of Things
- Block chain
- 3D Printing
- Crypto currency

# Syllabus

## Prelims. Paper 2

(Qualifying Paper)

### Comprehension

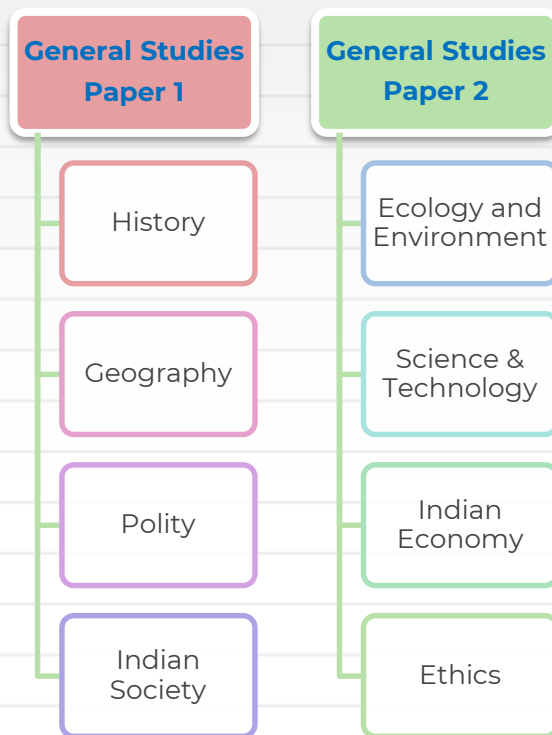
- English Paragraph Comprehension

*(Passage will be given. Candidates should read the passage and give answer to the questions based on the passage)*

### Logical Reasoning and Analytical ability

- Logical Reasoning based on Arrangement
- Sequences and Series
- Blood Relation
- Direction Test
- General mental ability
- Syllogisms
- Logical Deductions
- Statement and Conclusions
- Basic numeracy (numbers and their relations, orders of magnitude, etc.)
- Number System and Number Series
- HCF and LCM of Numbers
- Fraction
- Simplification
- Percentage
- Average
- Ratio and Proportion
- Time, Work and Wages
- Profit, Loss and Discount
- Simple Interest
- Time and Distance

# Level 2 Mains Exam



## Indian Society

### Salient features of Indian Society

- Diversity of India.
- Role of women and women's organisation, population and associated issues
- Poverty and developmental issues.
- Effects of globalisation on Indian society.
- Social empowerment,
- Communalism, regionalism & secularism
- Covid 19 pandemic and its effects on Indian society
- Recent major Government schemes for vulnerable section in India .

## Ethics

### Basics

- Meaning of ethics
- Important features and determinants of ethics
- Role of family, society educational institutions ,media and films in inculcating values

### Indian Thinkers.

- Mahatma Gandhi
- S Radhakrishnan
- Rabindranath Tagore
- Swami Vivekananda
- Mother Teresa

Prelims and Mains share the same syllabus except **Indian Society** and **Ethics**