Smartcourse Prelims 2018

Concept Note

Abhimanu IAS announces a unique smart course for adding value to the preparation of hardworking and deserving candidates through Civil Services Prelims Smartcourse.

- 45 days intensive value addition course.
- 100% Targeted For UPSC Civil Services Prelims 2018
- 100% Section Wise and Topic Wise coverage with more than 400 MCQs for all major topic to ensure thorough revision.
- Daily 3 hour value addition lectures by **abhimanu faculty.**
- Dedicated course mentoring for strategy and guidance.
- Includes 30 sectional tests with 6 complete mocks

Features of Smart Course

- Includes coverage of all sections of GS from preliminary point of view. (Indian history, Indian Polity, Indian Economy, World and Indian geography, culture, Science including physics, chemistry and Biology, environment and ecology, Policies and programmes, national and international institutions, current affairs)
- Separate tests of Economic Survey, Budget and India Yearbook (2018)
- Regular practice of 100 MCQs along with explanation
- Special emphasis on current affairs with 15 questions in each sectional test.
- Repeated practice of art of attempting prelims paper.

Batch starting: 1st March 2018

Timing: 10am-1pm

Fee: 25000

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Note: scholarships upto 100% to be one through free mock test on 24th February. For registration in Mock test visit the following link:

https://abhimanuias.com/ST/12/IAS

Course syllabus:

Test code	Subject	Syllabus
1	History Test -1	 Pre historic developments , Indus Valley Civilization, Vedic Age, Magadha Empire, Buddhism, Jainism Mauryan Dynasty, Indo- Greeks, Sangam Age, Gupta Dynasty , Harsha Vardhan, Chalukyas, Gangas, Chola Empire, remaining Ancient factual questions Ghazni, Ghori, Delhi Sultanate, Vijaynagar Empire, Bahamani Kingdom, Bhakti & Sufi movements
2	History Test -2	 Mughal Empire, British conquest of India, Tribal revolts - Sanyasi, Santhal, Kol, Indigo, Munda, Deccan riots, Champaran, Kheda, Bardoli, Tebhaga, etc. Revolt of 1857, 1857 to Birth of Congress in 1885, Moderate Phase, Swadeshi Movement Extremist Phase, Gandhi ji arrival in 1915, Home Rule League
3	History Test -3	 Rowlatt, Khilafat, Non Cooperation Movement, Swaraj Party, Nehru Report, Simon Commission Civil Disobedience Movement, Round Table Conference, 1935 Act, 1937 elections, August offer, Individual Satyagraha, Cripps Mission, Quit India Movement, Cabinet Mission Plan
4	History Test -4	 Socio-religious reform movements, Local bodies, important personalities People's movement in princely states, Muslim League, Revolutionary movements including Ghadar Party, Communist Movement, Workers movement, Indian National Army, other relevant factual questions British Administration and related Reforms (Civil Service reforms, Police reforms, Education reforms, Censorship of press)
5	Culture Test -1	 Pre historic art; Harappan civilization; Religions (Hinduism +Jainism +Buddhism); Sufism and Bhakti movement; Basic Terminology; Rock- cut architecture under Mauryans (rock edicts, chaityas, viharas, and stupas) Post- Mauryan art (kushanas - sculpture under Gandhara and Mathura school of Art and Vengi school of are under Satvahanas); Gupta Art (sculptures); Pallavan sculptures (Mahabalipuram); chollas scuplture (Natraja)
6	Culture Test -2	 Cave architecture (ajanta,ellora, elephanta,others); Temple Architecture (Nagara, Vesara and Dravida); Temples under chollas, pallavas, hoysalas; Architecture Under Delhi Sultanate and Mughals; Colonial and post independent architecture. Paintings (Manuscripts + Texts); Miniature Art of Mughals; Rajasthani, pahari and deccani school of art; Cave paintings; Company school of paintings. Music; Dances ; Indian art Influenced outside art; Literature; Ministry of Culture; Cinema; Fairs and festivals; Craft (ivory, pottery, textiles, glass); Cultural institutions; Famous Exponents to Art; Tribes of India.
7	Economics Test-1	Growth and development- concepts, growth indicators, Human development indicators, Financial inclusion programmes, inclusive

		growth, challenges, regional disparities; National income
		 Financial sector and monetary policy- related terms; financial institutions and instruments; basic history of banking; important committees
8	Economics Test-2	 Fiscal sector – budget, its different types and related concepts, FRBM Act, direct and indirect taxes, GST, trade policy Planning- institutional structure- NDC, DLP ,BLP etc; 5 year plans - broad features and related concepts, New economic policies – LPG, Recent trends in planning – indicative, gender budgeting, performance budgeting, etc
9	Economics Test-3	 Agriculture- land reforms, agricultural policy; allied sectors- cattle, fisheries-schemes, statistics, irrigation schemes; fertilizer policy and issues; pesticide policy and issues; GM crops-facts, policy, institutional structure, issues; Food Processing industry Industry- corridors; Make in India; labour- issues, reforms, recommendations; MSME's- facts, new schemes, issues; Industrial policy, industrial finance, start up India
10	Economics Test-4	 Services Sector and infrastructure(Roads, railways, aviation, shipping, energy including both clean energy and conventional) Poverty and unemployment – concepts, various committees, poverty line, Philips curve, recent trends
11	Economics Test-5	 External sector- BOP, institutions- WTO,IMF,WTO - their history and evolution; types of unions with examples and new changes; international organisations like TPP;SEZ's EOU's; Foreign trade policy, FDI's ,FII, GAAR, Tax evasion; various international rankings Social sector schemes- evolution and current aspect.
12	Science Test- 1	 Bio molecules, Plant And Animal Kingdom, Evolution Human Physiology, Diseases, Cell Biology
13	Science Test- 2	 Space , Nuclear science, Defence - basic knowledge and current topics Energy and biotechnology, ICT, Ocean research
14	Science Test- 3	Basic physics
15	Science Test- 4	Basic Chemistry
16	Environment Test -1	 Introduction to Ecology Introduction to Ecosystem Functions of Ecosystem Terrestrial and Aquatic Ecosystem Environmental Pollution Environment Impact Assessment Biodiversity: The Concept Animal Diversity in India Plan Diversity in India Marine Organisms
17	Environment Test -2	 Protected Area Network Conservation Effort Climate Change: The Concept Acidification of Oceans Ozone Depletion Impact of Climate Change on India Mitigation Strategies

		 Climate Change and Indian Stand Climate Change Organisations Acts and Policies Institution and Measures Environmental Organisations. 13.International Conventions Environmental Issues and Health Effects
18	Indian Polity Test -1	 Evolution of The Constitution – Historical Background Nature of The Constitution – Philosophy and Features including basic features etc – also related current affairs
19	Indian Polity Test -2	 Nature of The Constitution – Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties, Directive Principle of State Policy Government of The Union – President, PM, VP, COM etc
20	Indian Polity Test	 Government of The State, UT – Governor, CM,COM etc Local Government – decentralization, PRIs, ULBs, MCs etc including constitutional provisions and recent developments
21	Indian Polity Test -4	 The Judicature – SC, HC, LC, Lokpal, tribunals etc The Federal System – Centre-state relations – all dimensions
22	Indian Polity Test -5	 Miscellaneous – Governance, Laws, Latest Amendments, Reports, Statutory Bodies, Current Affairs, Elections, Extra-Constitutional Bodies etc. Elections articles and schedules regulatory authorities
23	Geography Test- 1	 Geomorpholgy and its socio-economic impacts- tectonic plates, landforms, etc. Geology Climatology and its socio-economic impacts- el nino, la nina, climate models, satellites, current affairs related to recent climatic phenomenon
24	Geography Test- 2	 Indian Physical and climatic features (including drainage and soils) Oceanography- ecosystem dynamics; ocean currents, waves, and geophysical fluid dynamics; plate tectonics and the geology of the sea floor; and fluxes of various chemical substances and physical properties within the ocean and across its boundaries
25	Geography Test- 3	 Indian Physical and climatic features (including drainage and soils) II Indian Economic Geography (Agriculture, resources, industries, communication)
26	Geography Test- 4	 Indian Economic Geography (Agriculture, resources, industries, communication) demography and environment
27	Geography Test- 5	 Biogeography and environment including soil and vegetation World Human and economic geography -Distribution of resources (mapping and miscellaneous)
28	Indian Year Book	
29	Economic Survey Test 1	volume 1

30	Economic Survey Test 2	volume 2
31-36	6 complete mocks	