

## UPSC Preliminary Examination Syllabus

### Paper I - 200 marks

Administration Theory

- ◆ Current Events of National and International Importance.
- ◆ History of India and Indian National Movement.
- ◆ Indian and World Geography-Physical, Social, Economic Geography of India and the World.
- ◆ Indian Polity and Governance-Constitution, Political System, Panchayati Raj, Public Policy, Rights Issues, etc.
- ◆ Economic and Social Development-Sustainable Development, Poverty, Inclusion, Demographics, Social Sector Initiatives, etc.
- ◆ General issues on Environmental ecology, Bio-diversity and Climate Change - that do not require subject specialization.
- ◆ General Science.

### Paper II - 200 marks

- ◆ Comprehension; Interpersonal Skills including Communication Skills.
- ◆ Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability.
- ◆ Decision Making and Problem Solving.
- ◆ General Mental Ability.
- ◆ Basic Numeracy (Numbers and their Relations, Orders of Magnitude, etc.) (Class X level).
- ◆ Data Interpretation (charts, graphs, tables, data sufficiency etc. — Class X level).

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Note 1: Paper-II of the Civil Services (Preliminary) Examination will be a qualifying paper with minimum qualifying marks fixed at 33%.

Note 2: The questions will be of multiple choice, objective type.