

## **Main Text**

After years of experience and relentless service to the aspirants across various competitive exams, StudyIQ had set its foot in UPSC preparation in 2016. Over time we have been accepted widely with open arms and a lot of positivity. Our videos on YouTube and Pendrive modules have been massive successes.

After a lot of positivity on our videos on previous year papers' analysis, the experience of our faculty and the immense amount of skill and perseverance of the team, we promise a sizeable contribution in your dream of becoming a civil servant. As a matter of fact, the students that have kept a regular track of our videos have cleared prelims very comfortably.

With this confidence given to us by our students, we sought to formalize and unify our efforts in the form of a Test Series to help you all in the best possible manner last year. The response to our effort was warm and encouraging to say the least. Despite being our third year in the field of UPSC test-series, we are happy and proud to say that, taking our test series helped our subscribers handle over 50 question each, on an average, in the past years.

Taking our pursuit of assisting the aspirants forward, we are announcing the Test Series for CSE Prelims 2021.

The Test Series will start on October 13, 2020 and we have made significant changes based on the changing nature of the exams, the needs of the student in terms of providing a rounded experience of preparation, and feedback from various users. The framework for our test series this year will be a lot more nuanced than the past and our test schedule document will serve as an apt testament to this claim.

There will be 40 tests totally held every week starting 13<sup>th</sup> October, therefore comprehensively covering the length and breadth of the syllabus. The Test Series has been planned in a way to provide an opportunity to the students to duly revise periodically so as to stay in tune with the entire syllabus. Advice has also been taken from memory experts so as to deliver content to students so that they are able to remember points even if the exam focuses on applied-knowledge kind of questions like in the case of the 2019 Prelims Exam.

The 2019 Prelims Exam saw the question paper tending towards applied questions. Applied questions require one to completely understand a concept or topic and apply them appropriately to answer the question. Fortunately for our students, StudyIQ test series questions are tailored to tackle all types of questions and the answers to our test series are precise and elaborate.

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## Instructions & Important Information

1. In this Test Series, **40 MCQ Tests** available in **online mode**:
  - a. **Basic Testing**
    - i. **8 NCERT-based Tests**
  - b. **Advanced Testing** (will typically include 70% Static questions, 20% Current Affairs and 10% Previous Year Question (1999-2019))
    - i. **16 Subject-wise Tests** - to test subject-wise in-depth knowledge
    - ii. **6 Revision Tests** - to revise the full Syllabus of each Subject
    - iii. **5 Mock Tests – Full Length (GS)** - to test competence in actual exam-like Paper I
    - iv. **4 Mock Tests (CSAT)** - to test competence in actual exam-like Paper II
  - c. **1 Bonus Current Affairs Test**
2. Any Changes in Test Series Schedule / Date / Time/ Technological Issue or other Issue related all right reserved in Study IQ Education Pvt. Ltd.
3. Test answers and explanations will be made available after 2/3 day of the test date in PDF formats.

Test No (Code)	Subject	Topics	Current Affairs (if any)	Test Date
<b>NCERT Tests</b>				
1 (B01)	Polity 1	Polity NCERT (All Class)		13-Oct-20
2 (B02)	Polity 2	Polity NCERT (All Class)		20-Oct-20
3 (B03)	Geography	Geography (New + Old) NCERT (All Class)		27-Oct-20
4 (B04)	Economic	Economic NCERT (All class)		03-Nov-20
5 (B05)	Environment & Ecology	NCERT (All Class)		10-Nov-20
6 (B06)	History 1	History (New + Old) NCERT		17-Nov-20
7 (B07)	History 2	History (New + Old) NCERT		24-Nov-20
8 (B08)	Science and Tech	Science and Technology NCERT (All Class)		01-Dec-20
<b>Subject-wise Tests</b>				
9 (S01)	Polity-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Constitutional Framework:</b> Historical Background</li> <li>• Making of the Constitution, Salient Features of the Constitution</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 1 August 2020 to 15 August 2020</li> </ul>	08-Dec-20

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preamble</li> <li>• FRs, DPSPs, FDs,</li> <li>• Amendments to the Constitution</li> <li>• Basic Structure</li> <li>• Working of the Constitution NCRWC</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous year Questions</li> </ul>		
10 (S02)	Polity-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Central Government:</b></li> <li>• President</li> <li>• Vice-President</li> <li>• PM &amp; Central COM</li> <li>• Cabinet Committees</li> <li>• Parliament</li> <li>• <b>Judiciary</b></li> <li>• Supreme Court, High Court, Subordinate Court, PIL, Judicial Activism, etc.</li> <li>• <b>State Government</b></li> <li>• Governor</li> <li>• CM &amp; State COM</li> <li>• State Legislature</li> <li>• <b>Local Government</b></li> <li>• Panchayati Raj</li> <li>• Municipalities</li> <li>• <b>Union Territories and Special Areas</b></li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 16 August 2020 to 31 August 2020</li> </ul>	15-Dec-20
11 (S03)	Polity-3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Constitutional Bodies</b></li> <li>• CAG, Attorney General</li> <li>• Advocate General, Election Commission, Union/State Public Service Commission, Finance Commission,</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 1 September 2020 to 15 September 2020</li> </ul>	22-Dec-20

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>etc.</li> <li>• <b>Non-Constitutional Bodies:</b> Planning Commission and NDC (Comparative Perspective), NITI Aayog, CVC, CBI, etc.</li> <li>• <b>Other Constitutional Dimensions:</b> Emergency Provisions, Official Language, Special Provisions for Some states, Cooperative Societies, etc.</li> <li>• <b>Political Dynamics:</b> Elections, Anti Defection Law, Pressure Groups, Voting Behaviour, etc.</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous year Questions</li> </ul>		
12 (S04)	Geography-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Geomorphology:</b> Universe, Origin of Earth, Continental Drift Theory, Plate tectonics Theory, Earthquakes, Tsunami, etc.</li> <li>• <b>Oceanography:</b> Ocean Reliefs, Waves, Tides, Currents, etc.</li> <li>• <b>Climatology:</b> Atmosphere, Temperature, Heat Budget, Pressure, Winds, Evaporation &amp; Condensation, Clouds, etc.</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 16 September 2020 to 30 September 2020</li> </ul>	29-Dec-20

		Year Questions		
13 (S05)	Geography-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Indian Economic Geography:</b> Mineral Resources, Energy Resources, Land Resources, Water resources, etc.</li> <li>• <b>Indian Physical Geography:</b> Mountains, Plains, Peninsula, Ghats, Plains, Vegetation, etc.</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 1 October 2020 to 15 October 2020</li> </ul>	05-Jan-21
14 (S06)	Economy-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to Economics: Basic Concepts</li> <li>• Structure of the Indian Economy</li> <li>• Economic Planning</li> <li>• Economic Reforms</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous year questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 16 October 2020 to 31 October 2020</li> </ul>	12-Jan-21
15 (S07)	Economy-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Banking &amp; Financial Sector</li> <li>• External Sector</li> <li>• Public Finance</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous year questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 1 November 2021 to 15 November 2021</li> </ul>	19-Jan-21
16 (S08)	Economy- 3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 16 November 2021 to 30 November</li> </ul>	26-Jan-21

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Infrastructure:</b> Transportation, Communication, Housing, Drinking Water &amp; Sanitation</li> <li>• Agriculture</li> <li>• Industries</li> <li>• Services</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous year Questions</li> </ul>	2021	
17 (S09)	History-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ancient History</li> <li>• Medieval History</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 1 December 2021 to 15 December 2021</li> </ul>	02-Feb-21
18 (S10)	History-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Modern History- I</b></li> <li>• Company Rule in India</li> <li>• Economic Exploitation of India</li> <li>• Revenue, Educational, Religious, Media, Civil Services, Police, Military, Judicial policies of the British</li> <li>• <b>Mainstream Freedom Movement:</b> Revolt of 1857</li> <li>• Socio-Religious reform movements</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous year questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 16 December 2020 to 31 December 2020</li> </ul>	09-Feb-21
19 (S11)	History-3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mainstream Freedom Movement</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 1 January 2021 to 15 January 2021</li> </ul>	16-Feb-21

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Indian National Congress</li> <li>• Moderates, Extremists</li> <li>• Swadeshi Movement</li> <li>• NCM, CDM, Quit India Movement</li> <li>• Indian Independence Act</li> <li>• <b>Other movements:</b> Tribal, Peasant, Worker Class, Women, Zamindari movements, etc.</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>		
20 (S12)	Art & Culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Visual Arts</li> <li>• Performing Arts</li> <li>• Culture of India</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 16 January 2021 to 31 January 2021</li> </ul>	23-Feb-21
21 (S13)	Environment & Ecology-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environment and Ecology</li> <li>• Biodiversity</li> <li>• Climate Change</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 1 February 2021 to 15 February 2021</li> </ul>	02-Mar-21
22 (S14)	Environment & Ecology-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environmental Governance: International Conventions and protocols</li> <li>• Environmental Governance: India –</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 16 February 2021 to 28 February 2021</li> </ul>	09-Mar-21

		<p>Acts, Policies, Bodies and Rules</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Geography &amp; Environment</li> <li>• Environmental Movements in the World</li> <li>• Water scarcity in India</li> <li>• Eco Tourism in India</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>		
23 (S15)	Science & Tech-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Biotechnology</li> <li>• Defence</li> <li>• Energy Resources</li> <li>• ICT</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Revision Current Affairs August 2020</li> </ul>	16-Mar-21
24 (S16)	Science & Tech-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nanotechnology</li> <li>• Particle Physics</li> <li>• Space</li> <li>• Fourth Industrial Revolution</li> <li>• Achievements of Indians Chemistry</li> <li>• Physics</li> <li>• Biology</li> <li>• Health &amp; Medicine</li> <li>• 10% UPSC Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Revision Current Affairs September 2020</li> </ul>	23-Mar-21
<b>Revision Tests</b>				



25 (R01)	Polity Revision Test	<b>Syllabus: -</b> 1. Polity 1 & 2 NCERT Test 2. Subject Test 9, 10 & 11 3. 10% Previous Year Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision Current Affairs September 2020</li> <li>July 2020:- Yojana, Kurukshtra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	30-Mar-21
26 (R02)	History Revision Test (Art & Culture)	<b>Syllabus: -</b> 1. History 6 & 7 NCERT Test 2. Subject Test 17, 18 & 19 3. 10% Previous Year Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision Current Affairs October 2020</li> <li>August 2020:- Yojana, Kurukshtra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	03-Apr-21
27 (R03)	Economic Revision Test	<b>Syllabus: -</b> 1. Economic 4 NCERT Test 2. Subject Test 14, 15 & 16 3. 10% Previous Year Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision Current Affairs November 2020</li> <li>September 2020:- Yojana, Kurukshtra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	06-Apr-21
28 (R04)	Geography Revision Test	<b>Syllabus: -</b> 1. Geography 3 NCERT Test 2. Subject Test 12 & 13 3. 10% Previous Year Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision Current Affairs December 2020</li> <li>October 2020:- Yojana, Kurukshtra &amp; Down to earth</li> <li></li> </ul>	10-Apr-21
29 (R05)	Science and Tech Revision Test	<b>Syllabus: -</b> 1. Science & Tech 8 NCERT Test 2. Subject Test 22 & 23 3. 10% Previous Year Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision Current Affairs January 2021</li> <li>November 2020:- Yojana, Kurukshtra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	13-Apr-21
30 (R06)	Environment & Ecology	<b>Syllabus: -</b> 1. Environment & Ecology 5 NCERT Test 2. Subject Test 20 & 21 3. 10% Previous Year Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision Current Affairs February 2021</li> <li>December 2020:- Yojana, Kurukshtra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	17-Apr-21
<b>Mock Tests (&amp; one Current Affairs Test)</b>				
31 (M1 GS-I)	Mock-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All Syllabus</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current Affairs 1 March 2021 to 15 March 2021</li> </ul>	20-Apr-21

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10% Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>January 2021:- Yojana, Kurukshetra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	
32 (M2 GS-II)	Mock-2	CSAT-1		24-Apr-21
33 (M3 GS-I)	Mock-3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All Syllabus</li> <li>10% Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current Affairs 16 March 2021 to 31 March 2021</li> <li>February 2021:- Yojana, Kurukshetra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	27-Apr-21
34 (M4 GS-II)	Mock-4	CSAT-2		01-May-21
35 (M5 GS-I)	Mock-5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All Syllabus</li> <li>10% Previous Year Questions</li> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current Affairs 1 April 2021 to 15 April 2021</li> <li>March 2021:- Yojana, Kurukshetra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	04-May-21
36 (M6 GS-II)	Mock-6	CSAT-3		08-May-21
37 (Current)	Current Affairs Test	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 August 2020 to 31 March 2021 All Current Affairs</li> <li>Social Development</li> <li>Budget 21-22</li> <li>Economy Survey 20-21</li> <li>India Year Book 2021</li> <li>Government Schemes</li> <li><b>Human Development:</b> Concept of Development, Poverty, Inequality, Hunger, etc.</li> <li><b>Vulnerable Sections:</b> Women, Children, Elderly, Disabled, etc.</li> <li><b>Other Topics:</b> Corruption</li> <li>, Good Governance, E-Governance, Citizens'</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 August 2020 to 31 March 2021 All Current Affairs</li> </ul>	11-May-21

		Charter, etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 % UPSC Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>		
38 (M7 GS-I)	Mock-7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All Syllabus</li> <li>• 10% Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 16 April 2021 to 30 April 2021</li> <li>• April 2021:- Yojana, Kurukshtra &amp; Down to earth</li> </ul>	15-May-21
39 (M8 GS-II)	Mock-8	CSAT-4		18-May-21
40 (M9 GS-I)	Mock-9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All Syllabus</li> <li>• 10% Previous Year Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Affairs 1 May 2021 to 15 May 2021</li> </ul>	22-May-21