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INNOVATIVE ASSESSMENT SYSTEM™



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ALL INDIA GENERAL STUDIES PRELIM TEST SERIES 2013: MODULE 24FEB (20 MOCK TESTS + Current Affairs Notes)

ONLINE

CLASSROOM

DISTANCE LEARNING

(Experts Support: Telephonic Discussion / Email Interaction)

-Team Vision IAS

+ Value Addition material & Comprehensive Current Affairs Notes

Program Objective

: This is a comprehensive and intensive 'interactive' distance learning program focusing on sincere IAS Aspirants who will appear in Civil Service Exam 2013. Our experts provide step by step guidance to aspirants for understanding the concepts of General Studies and preparing them for scoring good marks.

Approach & Strategy

: Our simple, practical and focused approach will help aspirants understand the demand of UPSC exam effectively. Our strategy is to constantly innovate to keep the preparation process dynamic and give personalized attention to individual aspirants based on factors like core competence, availability of time and resource and the requirement of Civil Service Exam. Our Interactive Learning approach (Email / Telephonic Discussion: Experts with Aspirants) will continuously improve aspirant's performance and move their preparation in the right direction.

Number of Mock Tests

: 20

Fee

: Rs 6000

Nature

: **Flexible** -Date of Mock Test: Reschedule on the demand of the aspirants [schedule A & Schedule B (Personalized scheduling)]

-Mode of dispatch: Printed material via airmail or PDF material via email / download material from Vision IAS Prelim test Series Platform (Login/ password)

What you will get:

- Login id & Password for performance analysis of aspirants (Innovative Assessment System)
- 20 Mock Test papers & Comprehensive Current Affairs Notes (May 2012 to April 2013)
- Analysis of Mock Test papers based on difficulty level & nature of questions.
- Comprehensive analysis of previous year question Papers

ADMISSION OPEN

Aspirants can also join Previous Modules: "30 Mock tests" or "25 Mock Tests" + Current Affairs Notes Program based on their Plan.

STARTING ON (Online - Distance Learning / Classroom)

Plan A (Schedule A: February 24 , 2013)

Plan B (Schedule B: Personalized Scheduling)

- Note: 1. Aspirants can reschedule the test date based on their plan.
 2. Classroom Tests (flexible) : Every day of the week, 10 AM & 2 PM
 3. We have Class Room Test Series center in Dr.Mukherjee Nagar , New Delhi only . We have no branch in Rajendra Nagar , New Delhi.

INNOVATIVE ASSESSMENT SYSTEM:

Static & dynamic Potential of Mock test papers (Scoring Potential) , Macro & Micro performance Analysis of aspirants ,Section wise analysis , Difficulty Analysis , All India Rank, comparison with toppers, Geographical Analysis , Integrated Score Card , Analysis of Mock Test papers based on difficulty level & nature of questions etc.

SCHEDULE, CONTENT & REFERENCE

TEST No.	Date of Mock Test Schedule A Schedule B	Topics covered	Primary (Essential) References	Secondary (Additional) References	Primary (Essential) News Paper / Magazines/ website	Secondary (Additional) News Paper / Magazines/ website
Test 1	February 24, 2013	Indian Constitution ◆ Constitutional Development , Features & Philosophy ◆ The Union and its Territory	- 11 th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work	- Constitution of India by PM Bakshi	- The Hindu	- The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in

	<p>Schedule B (Personalized scheduling : reschedule the date of Mock tests based on aspirant's plan)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Citizenship ◆ Fundamental Rights , Directive Principles & Fundamental Duties ◆ Central Government : President , Vice President , Prime minister , Central Council of Minister , Parliament ◆ State Government : Governor, Chief Minister , State Council of Minister, State Legislature ◆ Emergency Provision , Amendment of Constitution ◆ Political systems: concepts, forms and types ◆ Political system: as established by the constitution ◆ Elections and political parties: problems and processes ◆ Working of the political system <p style="text-align: right;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>- Indian Polity by M Laxmikant</p> <p>- 12th NCERT : Politics in India since Independence</p>	<p>- Introduction to the Constitution of India : D D Basu</p> <p>- Our Political System : Subhash Kashyap</p>	<p>- Yojana</p>	<p>- Economic Political Weekly</p> <p>- Frontline</p>
<p>Test 2 February 27, 2013</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Indian Constitution & Political System</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Local Government : Panchayati Raj , Local Urban Government ◆ Judiciary : Supreme Court , High Court , District Court ◆ Indian Federalism and center State Relations ◆ Constitutional & Non Constitutional Bodies ◆ Governance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Good Governance , e-Governance - Local Governance: Panchayati Raj , Urban Governance ◆ Transparency & Accountability <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RTI , Citizen's Charter & Anti-Corruption ◆ Empowerment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Civil Society , People participation - Reform: Police Reform, Administrative Reform, Judicial Reform, Political Reform etc. ◆ Social Audit ◆ Public Policy : Making , Implementation , Evaluation and monitoring ◆ Strengthening Leadership in Government Organizations , Public Sector Management ◆ Public-private partnerships (PPP) ◆ Rights Issues etc <p style="text-align: right;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>- 12th NCERT : Politics in India since Independence</p> <p>- Governance in India - By Laxmikant</p>	<p>- Our Political System : Subhash Kashyap</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>- Economic Political Weekly</p> <p>- Frontline</p>

General Awareness (General Knowledge)

- India Year Book
- Manorama Year Book

<p>Test 3</p>	<p>March 3, 2013</p>	<p>Indian Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduction: Location, Area and Boundaries ▪ Structure and Physiography ▪ Drainage System ▪ Climate ▪ Soils ▪ Natural Vegetation, Plant and Animal Life ▪ Land Resources and Agriculture ▪ Water Resources ▪ Mineral and Energy Resources ▪ Population, Migration, Settlements, Human Development ▪ Manufacturing Industries ▪ Transport and Communication ▪ Foreign Trade <p style="text-align: right;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 11th NCERT: Geography India Physical Environment - 12th NCERT: Geography India People and Economy - Orient Longman Atlas 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 10th & 9th NCERT: Social Science: Contemporary India: Geography 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in
<p>Test 4</p>	<p>March 6, 2013</p>	<p>Economic Geography (World) :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Agriculture , Industry , Mineral , Infrastructure , Forestry , Power , Industrial Product and Leading Producer , Major product of various natural region , Important Boundary line , Important cities etc. <p>Human Geography :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ World Population , Distribution & Density , Races & Tribes , Settlement & Migration <p>Physical Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Earth : Solar System , Latitude & Longitude , Motions ▪ The Atmosphere : Structure , Weather & Climate , Solar Radiation , Heat Balance & Temperature , Pressure & Wind , Water in the Atmosphere ▪ The Hydrosphere : Ocean water and their circulation ▪ The Lithosphere : Inside the Earth, Land Form , Volcanoes , Earthquakes , Erosion , Soil ▪ World : Rivers and lakes , Mountain and Peaks , Plateaus ▪ Natural Hazards and Disasters ▪ Continents (Land , Climate , Resources etc): Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Antarctica, Europe, and Australia <p style="text-align: right;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Certificate physical and human geography - Goh, Cheng Leong - 12th NCERT : Fundamental of Human Geography 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Old NCERT Books of Geography (Class 6 , 7 , 8 , 9) - Geography Through Map : K. Siddhartha 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu -Yojana 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in

<p>Test 5</p>	<p>March 9, 2013</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Ancient India</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Prehistoric ◆ Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization ◆ Vedic Age ◆ Mahajanapadas ◆ Religious Reforms ◆ Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan ◆ Guptas & Post Guptas / Vardhana ◆ Sangam Age <p style="text-align: right;">+ Medieval India</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Early Medieval Period <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - North India (Rajput Period) - South India (Cholas & Others) ◆ Sultanate Period <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Delhi Sultanate - Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms ◆ Religious Movements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bhakti Movement - Sufi Movement ◆ Mughal Period ◆ Maratha State and Maratha Confederacy <p style="text-align: right;">+ Modern India</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ India in the late Eighteenth Century ◆ The Advent of the Europeans and British Conquest of India ◆ The British Administrative Structure, Reform , Impact and Organization of Government of India ◆ Social – Religious Movements in 19th – 20th centuries ◆ Freedom Struggle <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Revolt of 1857 & change after 1857 - Moderate Phase (1885 – 1905) ◆ Freedom Struggle : Extremist Phase (1905 – 17) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reason for the emergence of Extremist & Leaders - The Partition of Bengal - Montey-Minto Reform - Swadeshi Movement, Home Rule Movement etc. ◆ Freedom Struggle : The Gandhian Era (1917– 47) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Gandhi – Advent and Achievement - Rowllat Act , Jalianawala Bagh Massacre and Khilapat Movement - Non- Cooperation, Civil Disobedience and Quit India Movement - British Response and Negotiations 	<p>-NCERT Book : Ancient India</p> <p>-NCERT Book : Medieval India</p> <p>-Indian Freedom Struggle of independence - Bipin Chandra</p> <p>-“A Brief History of Modern India” – Spectrum Pub.</p>	<p>-NCERT - Modern India</p> <p>-Modern Indian history - B.L Grover</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p>
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Test 6	March 13, 2013	<p>India Economy</p> <p>◆ Understanding Economics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Income, Economic Growth and Development, ▪ Fiscal Development & Public Finance, ▪ Prices & Monetary management, ▪ Financial Intermediation & Markets , ▪ BOP & International Trade , ▪ FDI <p>◆ Planning and Development Strategies till 1991</p> <p>◆ Economic Reforms since 1991</p> <p>◆ Five Year Plans</p> <p>◆ Agriculture</p> <p>◆ Industry</p> <p>◆ Services</p> <p>+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>-11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development</p> <p>- 12th NCERT: Economics: Macroeconomics</p> <p>-Indian Economy (Special Issue) - Pratiyogita Darpan</p> <p>-Economic Survey of India</p>	<p>Indian Economy: Mishra & Puri (</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Indian Economy: R. Dutt and Sundaram</p> <p>- Indian Economy Since Independence - Uma Kapila</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p>	<p>-The Economic Times</p> <p>-PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>-Economic & Political Weekly</p>
Test 7	March 17, 2013	<p>India Economy</p> <p>◆ Energy , Infrastructure and Communication</p> <p>◆ Foreign Trade Relations</p> <p>◆ India and IMF, WTO , WIPO</p> <p>◆ India and International Institution</p> <p>Social Development</p> <p>◆ Human Capital Development</p> <p>◆ Poverty & Unemployment</p> <p>◆ Inclusion</p> <p>◆ Sustainable Development</p> <p>◆ Rural Development</p> <p>◆ Health , Literacy and Education</p> <p>◆ Demographics</p> <p>◆ Women & Child</p> <p>◆ Social Security</p> <p>Social Sectors Initiatives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Poverty alleviation Programme ▪ Employment Generation Programme 	<p>-11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development</p> <p>-Indian Economy (Special Issue) - Pratiyogita Darpan</p> <p>-Economic Survey of India</p> <p>-India Year Book</p>	<p>Indian Economy: Mishra & Puri (</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Indian Economy: R. Dutt and Sundaram</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p>	<p>-The Economic Times</p> <p>-PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>-Economic & Political Weekly</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Basic Amenities : Housing / Drinking Waters / Sanitations ▪ Health and Family Welfare ▪ Women and Child Development ▪ Social Welfare etc. <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>				
Test 8	March 20 2013	<p style="text-align: center;">Ecology & Environment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Basic Concepts & Components of the Environment ◆ Understanding of the Environment and Ecology ◆ Natural Resource conservation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Forest Conservation - Wildlife Conservation ◆ Biodiversity ◆ Environmental Problems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Water and Air Pollution - Acid Rain - Soil Degradation ◆ Environmental Problems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ozone Depletion - Global Warming - Climate Change - Hazardous waste - Oil Spills etc. ◆ Environmental Monitoring and Impact Assessment ◆ Energy Crisis and Non conventional Source ◆ Environment Education & Environmental Law <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Our Environment – NCERT (VII) - Ecology: Unit X – Class 12th Biology NCERT -Ecology & Environment (India Year Book) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Ecology and Environment – P D Sharma 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu - Yojana - Down to Earth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in - Frontline -The Hindu Survey of the Environment
Test 9	March 24 2013	<p style="text-align: right;">Physics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Mechanics ◆ Heat ◆ Sound ◆ Optics ◆ Electricity ◆ Modern Physics <p style="text-align: right;">Chemistry</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 9th NCERT : Science - 10 NCERT : Science 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Manorama Year Book 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu -Science Reporter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in - The Economic Times - Frontline - Wikipedia -International Journals & Magazines

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Inorganic Chemistry ◆ Organic Chemistry ◆ Physical Chemistry ◆ Bio-Chemistry <p style="text-align: center;">Biology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Introduction ◆ Cell Biology ◆ Gene ◆ Human System ◆ Disease ◆ Nutrition ◆ Biological Diversity ◆ Discoveries ◆ Plant Biology <p style="text-align: center;">+ Applied Science and Modern Day Technology / Latest Research</p> <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>			
Test 10	March 28 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Economic Survey 2012-13 ◆ Budget 2013 ◆ Current Affairs sections of India Year Book 2013 & Manorama Year Book 2013 			
Test 11	March 31 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS) : Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Ecology & Environment + General Science + Current Affairs & General Awareness			
Test 12	April 4 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)			

Test 13	April 8 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 14	April 12 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 15	April 16 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 16	April 19 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 17	April 23 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 18	April 26 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)

Test 19	April 28 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 20	April 30	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)

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