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Combined test Series 2021 starts from 3rd August 2020

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A perfect plan and a great start do 50% of the work. In this regard, INSTA Preparatory classes will be given to all subscribers to gain an edge of early & worthy start of your preparation

	Date	Topic	Overview
Class 1	1 st June 2020	Strategy for UPSC CSE 2021	You will get a great insight on the UPSC Journey, what should be the overall strategy, what would help in becoming toppers, How to make a customised plan for each individual and how to evaluate the plan and stick to it.
Class 2	5 th June 2020	How to read books for INSIGHTS Prelims Tests?	Considering the vast syllabus and also stack of study materials available, it is very important to choose the right books and also read them the right way. In this class, you will get to know how to study extensively as well as



			selectively from different sources available.
Class 3	8 th June 2020	How to read Current Affairs?	UPSC has time and again shown the width & depth of current affairs that it can go into. With the growing importance of Current Affairs, it is equally important to study current affairs with UPSC Exam perspective. This class throws a light on how to link current affairs to the Prelims, to GS answers as well as in Optional Subject.
Class 4	12 th June 2020	How to make notes for Prelims 2021?	Effective notes making strategy is utmost important. An aspirant should learn to make customised notes for quick revision. One should not waste most of the time in making notes, at the same time should not ignore making important notes for quick revision.
Class 5	20 th July 2020	Strategy Class and Tricks to score high in Insights Prelims Tests as well as in Prelims 2021	This class will deal with different techniques and tricks through which you can commit less mistakes, increase accuracy and score high in prelims.

Note:

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Test No	Date	Test topics and sources
TEST – 1 (Textbook Based Test 1)	3 rd August 2020 Monday	NCERT (class VI and VII) <ol style="list-style-type: none">History – Our Past - Class VIThe Earth Our Habitat - Class VISocial and Political Life – ISocial and Political Life – IIOur Environment - Class VIIScience - Class VI and VII <p>Current Events (1st June 2020 – 2nd August 2020) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: India</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers - CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p>
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TEST – 2 (Subject- wise Test 1)	7 th August 2020 Friday	



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Indo-Greeks○ Parthians○ Shaka○ Kushanas○ Indo-Sassanian▪ Sungas▪ Kanvas▪ Satavahanas● Guptas Age● Sangam Age● Regional Kingdoms● Post Guptas Age<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Harshavardhana➤ Pallava➤ Chalukya <p><u>Medieval History</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Triparty Struggle Pratiharas Palas● Chola Empire● Turkish conquest of India Ghaznavid Muhammad Ghuri● Rajput states● Delhi sultanate<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Slave dynasty➤ The Khaljis➤ The Tughlaqs➤ The Sayyids➤ The Lodhis● Mughal empire (Including later Mughals)● Maratha Confederacy● Southern Dynasties<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Hoysalas➤ Yadavas➤ Kakatiyas● Vijaynagara● Bahmani Kingdom● Regional kingdoms● Religious Movements<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Bhakti Movement➤ Sufi Movement <p>(Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above)</p>	<p>Current Events (1st June 2020 – 6th August 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>● <u>I-CAN</u>● <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>● <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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		Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics	
TEST – 3 (Textbook Based Test 2)	13th August 2020 Thursday	NCERT (Class VII and VIII)	
		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Resource and Development - Class VIII2. Social and Political Life - Class VIII3. Our Pasts – II - Class VII4. Our Pasts - III (Part - I) - Class VIII <p>Current Events (3rd August 2020 – 12th August 2020) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: South Asia</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers - CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 4 (Subject-wise Test 2)	18th August 2020 Tuesday	ART & CULTURE	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Architecture<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Cave Architecture➤ Temple Architecture➤ Indo-Islamic Architecture➤ Modern Architecture <p>(Under Indus Valley Civilization, The Mauryan Architecture, The Sungas, Kushanas, Satavahanas & Guptas, Post Guptas, Delhi-Sultanate, Mughals etc)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sculpture -- Indian Sculpture and Different schools of Art• Indian Paintings<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Pre historic painting & Cave paintings➤ Mural Paintings➤ Miniature Paintings - Pala School, Rajput Paintings, Mughal Paintings, Hill paintings etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction to Indian art (NCERT class 11th)• Living Craft Traditions of India (NCERT class 12th)• Indian Culture by Nitin Singhania• CCRT - Art and Culture <p>Current Events (7th August 2020 – 17th August 2020)</p>



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Folk Paintings➤ Modern Indian Paintings➤ Personalities Associated• <u>Religion</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Hinduism➤ Jainism➤ Buddhism➤ Islam➤ Christianity➤ Zoroastrianism➤ Judaism• <u>Philosophy</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Six Schools of Philosophy➤ Ajivika➤ Lokayata etc.• <u>Indian Music</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Classical Music<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Hindustani Music○ Carnatic Music➤ Folk Music Tradition➤ Modern Music➤ Personalities• <u>Indian Dance</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Classical Dance forms in India – Odissi, Kathak, Kathakali, Mohiniattay, Sattriya, Manipuri, Bharatanatyam, Kuchipudi➤ Folk Dances➤ Modern Dance in India• <u>Theatre</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Sanskrit Theatre➤ Folk Theatre➤ Modern Theatre➤ Personalities• <u>Puppetry</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ History➤ Different forms of Puppetry in➤ People Associated with Theatres• <u>Indian Cinema and Circus</u>• <u>Bhakti & Sufi Movement</u>• <u>Language & Literature</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Indian Language<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Classical Languages○ Scheduled Languages➤ Indian Literature<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Religious Literature	<p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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TEST – 5 (Textbook Based Test 3)	24th August 2020 Monday	<p style="text-align: center;">NCERT (Class VIII and IX)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Science – Class VIII2. Democratic Politics – IX3. Contemporary India – I – Class IX4. Our Pasts – III (Part – 2) – Class VIII <p>Current Events (13th August 2020 – 23rd August 2020) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> I-CAN <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions – Region: West Asia (Middle-east)</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p>	



		Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics	
TEST – 6 (Subject-wise Test 3)	28 th August 2020 Friday	MODERN INDIA (PRE-CONGRESS PHASE)	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fall of Mughals • <u>Advent of Europeans</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Coming of Europeans ➤ Struggle among Europeans ➤ Rise of East India Company • <u>India under East India Company's Rule</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Administration ➤ Political policies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Regulating Act of 1773 ○ Pitt's India Act 1784 ○ Charter acts of 1784, 1793, 1813, 1833, 1853 ➤ British Expansion policy: Doctrine of lapse, Subordinate alliance etc. ➤ Economic policies and their impact <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Agricultural policies ○ Famine policy ➤ Foreign Policies ➤ Social Policies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Education Policies ○ Religious policies • <u>Indian Kingdoms in 18th century:</u> Marathas, Punjab, Mysore, Hyderabad etc. • <u>Socio - Religious Reform Movements in the 19th and 20th CE India</u> – Arya Samaj, Brahmo Samaj , etc. • The Great Revolt of 1857 • Changes in Indian Administration after 1858 - GOI ACT 1858, Councils Act, 1861, 1892. • Growth of Political Ideas and Political Organisations (up to 1885) <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our past III (Both part 1 & part 2 -- NCERT class VIII) • Themes in Indian History – III (NCERT Class XII) • A brief History of Modern India – Spectrum Publication • Struggle for India's Independence – Bipin Chandra <p>Current Events (18th August 2020 – 27th August 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> • <u>I-CAN</u> • <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> • <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
TEST – 7	3 rd September 2020	NCERT (Class IX and Class X)	
		1. Science - Class IX	



(Textbook Based Test 4)	Thursday	<p>2. Contemporary India - II - Class X 3. Economics - Class IX 4. Understanding Economic Development - Class X</p> <p>Current Events (24th August 2020 – 2nd September 2020) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions – Region: East and South-east Asia</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
CSAT TEST - 1			
CSAT TEST - 1	3rd September 2020 Thursday	<p>1. Comprehension 2. Basic numeracy & General mental ability</p> <p>(a) Numbers (b) HCF & LCM (c) Averages (d) Ratio & Proportion (e) Percentage (f) Profit & Loss (g) Simple interest & Compound interest (h) Problems on ages (i) Problems on clock (j) Partnership (k) Pipes & cistern</p>	
TEST – 8 (Subject-wise Test 4)	8th September 2020 Tuesday	MODERN INDIA (NATIONAL MOVEMENT)	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Foundation of the Indian National Congress• <u>National movement (1885 - 1919)</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our past III (Both part 1 & part 2 -- NCERT class VIII)



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Moderate Phase (1885 – 1905)➤ Partition of Bengal and the Swadeshi Movement➤ The first phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement➤ The Morley-Minto Reforms or the Indian Councils Act, 1909➤ The Lucknow Pact (1916)➤ The Home Rule Movement <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>National movement (1919 - 1939)</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Montague-Chelmsford Reforms or the Government of India act, 1919➤ The Khilafat Movement (1920-22) and Non Cooperation Movement➤ The Left Movement➤ The second phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement➤ Anti-Simon Commission Agitation (1928-29)➤ Nehru Report, 1928➤ The Lahore Session, 1929➤ The Civil Disobedience Movement➤ The Government of India Act, 1935➤ Provincial Elections and Formation of popular Ministries in Provinces, 1937• <u>Freedom to Partition (1939 - 1947)</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ The Second World War and the National Movement➤ The August Offer 1940➤ The Individual Satyagraha 1940-41➤ The Cripps Proposal, 1942➤ The Quit India Movement, 1942➤ Subhash Bose and Indian National Army➤ Rajagopalachari Formula & Desai Liaqat Plan➤ Wavell Plan and Simla Conference 1945➤ General Elections in India, 1945➤ Naval Mutiny: 1946➤ The Indian Independence Act, 1947• <u>Other Dimensions</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Tribal Movements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Themes in Indian History – III (NCERT Class XII)• A brief History of Modern India – Spectrum Publication• Struggle for India's Independence – Bipin Chandra <p>Current Events (28th August 2020 – 7th September 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Peasants Movement➤ Dalit Movements➤ Women movement➤ Role of Press and Publications➤ Role of Business groups <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Sessions, Governor –General Viceroy etc. <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 9 (Textbook Based Test 5)	14th September 2020 Monday	NCERT (Class X and XI)	
		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. An Introduction to Indian Art - Class XI2. Democratic Politics - X3. Science - Class X <p>Current Events (3rd September 2020 – 13th September 2020) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: Central and Northern Asia</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 10 (Subject-wise Test 5)	17th September 2020 Thursday	GEOGRAPHY (WORLD GEOGRAPHY)	
		<p>Physical Geography of the world</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Origin and evolution of Universe Solar system</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Geological History of the Earth➤ Geological Time scale Latitude and Longitude including important Parallels and Meridians	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fundamentals of Physical Geography (NCERT Class XI)• Fundamentals of Human Geography (NCERT Class XII)



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Motions of the Earth and their effects Inclination of the Earth's Axis and its effects➤ Local and Standard Time and the International Date Line, Calendar➤ Eclipses - Solar, Lunar• <u>Geomorphology</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Interior structure of the earth➤ Rock➤ Landform Development➤ First order (continental drift theory, sea floor spreading, plate tectonics theory)➤ Second order (Mountains, Plateaus, Plains & other landforms)➤ Internal forces & their impact - Volcanoes, Earthquakes,➤ Folding, Faulting, Isostasy➤ External forces & their impact - Weathering, Erosion & landforms thus developed• <u>Climatology</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Structure, Composition of atmosphere➤ Weather & Climate➤ Heat & temperature<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Insolation○ Heat Budget○ Distribution of temperature○ Temperature Inversion➤ Pressure and Pressure belts➤ Winds<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Planetary winds○ Seasonal winds○ Local winds• Precipitation-Forms & Types, Distribution of rainfall• Air Masses• Cyclones and anti-cyclones• World Climatic regions• <u>Oceanography</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom relief Features• Ocean waves, currents, tides & Tsunamis	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Goh Cheng Leong - Certificate Physical and Human Geography• Mapping - World <p>Current Events (8th September 2020 – 16th September 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temperature distribution • Salinity distribution • Marine resources • Biogeography <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Soils <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Classification ○ Distribution ○ Erosion & Conservation ➤ Biomes <p><u>World Economic and Human Geography:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Natural resources and mineral resources and distribution of key natural resources across the world • Agriculture and agro-climatic regions • Industry and location factors • Infrastructure • World Population, density & distribution, races & tribes, • settlements & migration <p>Continents - Major physical features, natural resources</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
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REVISION TEST (Revision of previous all Textbook based GS Tests)

TEST – 11 (Textbook Based Test 6)	21st September 2020 Monday	<p>Test 1- 5 Syllabus</p> <p>Current Events (1st June 2020 – 20th September 2020)</p> <p>Current Events Sources: INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</p> <p>I-CAN</p> <p>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</p> <p>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</p>
TEST – 12 (Textbook Based Test - 7)	1st October 2020 Thursday	<p>NCERT Class XI</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chemistry - Chapter 14 2. Biology - Chapters 11-22 (under Unit 4 and 5) 3. Fundamentals of Physical Geography <p>Current Events (21st September 2020 – 30th September 2020)</p> <p>Sources: INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</p> <p>I-CAN</p> <p>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</p>

		<p align="center"><u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: Europe</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
<p align="center">TEST – 13 (Subject-wise Test 6)</p>	<p align="center">12th October 2020 Monday</p>	<p align="center">GEOGRAPHY (INDIAN GEOGRAPHY)</p> <p><u>Physical Geography of India</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Location</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Latitude ➤ Longitude ➤ Physiographic division of India <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Northern Mountains ○ Plains of India ○ Peninsular Plateau ○ Islands of India ➤ Drainage System <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Himalayan Drainage System ○ Peninsular Drainage System ○ Other small river system • <u>Indian Climate</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Spatial and temporal distribution of temperature & pressure ➤ Winds ➤ Rainfall <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Indian Monsoon <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mechanism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • India Physical Environment (NCERT Class XI) • India - People and Economy (NCERT Class XII) • Mapping – India <p>Current Events (17th September 2020 – 11th October 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> • <u>I-CAN</u> • <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <p align="center"><u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p>	



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Onset▪ Variability○ Rainfall distribution➤ Climatic Regions of India <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Soils</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Classification of Soils➤ Problems of Soil and Conservation• <u>Indian Flora & Faun</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Forests and their distribution➤ Forest Conservation➤ Fauna <p><u>Indian Economic and Human Geography</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Agriculture typology and major Crops grown in India• Agro-Climatic Regions• Land Reforms and Land use pattern• Animal Husbandry, Fisheries and Aquaculture• Water Resources- Availability and potential: Lakes, rivers, dams, power and irrigation projects, wetlands and interlinking of rivers• Mineral Resources- classification and distribution• Energy Resources- conventional and non-conventional resources• Population and Growth trends - density, sex ratio, literacy, tribes and racial groups in India• Rural and Urban Settlements- types and patterns	
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Industries- types and their locational factorsTransport and Communication -railways, highways, inlandwater transport, shipping and sea-ports, air transport <p>Map Based Questions from India (Location of state, city, river, lakes, important places including Ramsar sites, Biosphere Reserves, Wildlife Sanctuaries and National Parks)</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 14 (Textbook Based Test 8)	14th October 2020 Wednesday	NCERT (Class XI)	
		<ol style="list-style-type: none">India Physical EnvironmentIndian Constitution at WorkLiving Craft Traditions of India - Chapters 9 and 10 (Class XI) <p>Current Events (1st October 2020 – 13th October 2020) Sources: INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS I-CAN INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</p> <p>Map based questions - Region: Africa</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
CSAT TEST - 2			
	14th October 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none">ComprehensionBasic numeracy & General mental ability	



CSAT TEST - 2	Wednesday	(a) Time & work (b) Time & Distance (c) Boats & streams (d) Problems on trains (e) Permutation & combination (f) Probability (g) charts, graphs, tables etc.	
TEST – 15 (Subject wise Test 7)	19th October 2020 Monday	FULL GS 1 PRELIMS (Revision of Subject wise GS Tests 1 to 6) Revision of Subject wise GS Tests 1 to 6 Sources Mentioned for GS Tests 1 – 6 Current Events (1 st June 2020 – 18 th October 2020) Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS• I-CAN• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs	
TEST – 16 (Textbook Based Test 9)	22nd October 2020 Thursday	NCERT (Class XI and XII) <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Indian Economic Development – Class XI2. Themes in Indian History – I3. Biology – Class XII – Chapters 1-7 (Under Units 5 and 6) Current events (14 th October 2020 – 21 st October 2020) Sources: INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS I-CAN INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs	



		<p>Map based questions – Region: North America</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 17 (Subject-wise Test 8)	28th October 2020 Wednesday	POLITY	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Constitutionalism• Historical Underpinnings• Evolution & Making of the Constitution• Features and Significant Provisions• Political systems• Democratic & Non-Democratic• Parliamentary & Presidential• Unitary & Federal• Direct and Representative• Republic and Monarchy etc.• The Preamble• The Union and its Territory• Citizenship• Fundamental Rights• Directive Principles• Fundamental Duties• Amendment of Constitution• Basic Structure of the Constitution• Emergency Provisions• <u>Central Government</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ President of India➤ Vice President of India➤ Prime minister➤ Central Council of Ministers, Parliament• <u>State Government</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Governor➤ Chief Minister➤ State Council of Ministers➤ State Legislature• <u>Judiciary</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Supreme Court➤ High Courts➤ Subordinate Courts• <u>Indian Federalism</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Constitution at Work (NCERT Class XI)• LAXMIKANTH – Indian Polity <p>Current Events (19th October 2020 – 27th October 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Centre-State Relations➤ Inter-state Relations• <u>Local Government</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Panchayati Raj➤ Local Urban Government <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 18 (Textbook Based Test 10)	2nd November 2020 Monday	NCERT (Class XII)	
		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Chemistry - Chapter 16 - Class XII2. Biology - Class XII - Chapters 8-16 (Under Units 8, 9 and 10)3. Physics - Class XI - Chapter 5, 8 (Laws of Motion and Gravitation)4. Physics - Class XII - Chapter 15 (Communication Satellites)5. Fundamentals of Human Geography <p>Current Events (22nd October 2020 – 1st November 2020) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions – Region: South America</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 19 (Subject-wise Test 9)	7th November 2020 Saturday	POLITY	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Other Dimensions</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Official Language➤ Public Services➤ Tribunals➤ Special provisions for SCs, STs, BCs, Minorities & Anglo-Indians	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Constitution at Work (NCERT Class XI)• LAXMIKANTH – Indian Polity



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Rights and liabilities of the Government➤ Authoritative text in Hindi Language➤ Anti-defection law• <u>Political dimensions</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Ministries and Departments of the Government➤ Pressure groups➤ Elections & political parties➤ Representation of People's Act➤ Election Process➤ Governance➤ Transparency & Accountability➤ RTI➤ Citizen's Charter➤ e-Governance• <u>Constitutional Bodies</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Election Commission➤ Union Public Service Commission (UPSC)➤ State Public Service Commission (SPSC)➤ Finance Commission➤ CAG➤ Attorney general of India➤ Advocate general of India➤ Special officer for Linguistic Minorities➤ National Commission for Scheduled Castes (NCSC)➤ National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST)➤ National Commission for Backward Castes (NCBC) etc.• <u>Non-Constitutional Bodies</u><p>NITI Aayog, NHRC, SHRC, CIC, SIC, CVC, CBI, Lokpal, Lokayukta, NCPCR etc.</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	<p>Current Events (28th October 2020 –6th November 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
TEST – 20	12th November 2020	NCERT (Class XII)	
		1. India - People and Economy	



(Textbook Based Test 11)	Thursday	<p>2. Themes in Indian History - II & III</p> <p>Current Events (2nd November 2020 – 11th November 2020)</p> <p>Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u></p> <p><u>I-CAN</u></p> <p><u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u></p> <p><u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: Antarctica & Australia</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 21 (Subject-wise Test 10)	17th November 2020 Tuesday	<p style="text-align: center;">POLITY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>International Institutions</u> UN, World Bank, IMF, WIPO, ADB, BRICS etc.• Government Schemes <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Constitution at Work (NCERT Class XI)• LAXMIKANTH – Indian Polity <p>Current Events (7th November 2020 – 16th November 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>	

REVISION TEST (Revision of Textbook Based GS Tests 1- 11)



TEST – 22 (Textbook Based Test 12)	23rd November 2020 Monday	Textbook Based GS Tests 1- 11 Syllabus Current Events (1 st June 2020 – 22 nd November 2020) Current Events Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS• I-CAN• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs
CSAT TEST - 3		
CSAT TEST - 3	23rd November 2020 Monday	Revision test of Test 1 & Test 2 syllabus
		FULL GS 2 PRELIMS (Revision of Subject-wise GS Tests 8-10)
TEST – 23 (Subject- wise Test 11)	24th November 2020 Tuesday	Revision of Subject-wise GS Tests 8-10 Sources Mentioned for GS Tests 8-10 Current Events (19 th October 2020 – 23 rd November 2020) Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS• I-CAN• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs
TEST – 24		STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES



<p>(Textbook Based Test 13)</p>	<p>2nd December 2020 Wednesday</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. LAXMIKANTH –5th edition - Indian Polity- Chapters 1 to 72. Introductory Macroeconomics3. Tamilnadu History Textbook - Class XI - Chapters 1-34. India’s struggle for independence – Bipin Chandra – Chapters 1 to 6 <p>Current Events (23rd November 2020 – 1st December 2020)</p> <p>Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: Arctic</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>		
<p>TEST – 25 (Subject-wise Test 12)</p>	<p>4th December 2020 Friday</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ECONOMY</p> <table border="1"><tr><td data-bbox="561 1339 1171 2074"><ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>National Income Accounting:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Definition➤ Concepts: GDP, GNP, Market Price and Factor Cost, NNP, NDP, transfer payments, National income at FC, Personal Income, disposable income, factors affecting national income, net foreign facto income➤ Measurement of national income: value added method, income method, expenditure method, Application of various methods, Base year, GDP deflator➤ Debates around GDP and other indices• <u>Money and Banking</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Money<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Definition○ Functions and significance</td><td data-bbox="1171 1339 1501 2074"><ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Economic Development (NCERT Class XI)• RAMESH SINGH – Indian Economy<p>Current Events (24th November 2020 – 3rd December 2020)</p><p>Sources:</p><ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u></td></tr></table>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>National Income Accounting:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Definition➤ Concepts: GDP, GNP, Market Price and Factor Cost, NNP, NDP, transfer payments, National income at FC, Personal Income, disposable income, factors affecting national income, net foreign facto income➤ Measurement of national income: value added method, income method, expenditure method, Application of various methods, Base year, GDP deflator➤ Debates around GDP and other indices• <u>Money and Banking</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Money<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Definition○ Functions and significance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Economic Development (NCERT Class XI)• RAMESH SINGH – Indian Economy <p>Current Events (24th November 2020 – 3rd December 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>National Income Accounting:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Definition➤ Concepts: GDP, GNP, Market Price and Factor Cost, NNP, NDP, transfer payments, National income at FC, Personal Income, disposable income, factors affecting national income, net foreign facto income➤ Measurement of national income: value added method, income method, expenditure method, Application of various methods, Base year, GDP deflator➤ Debates around GDP and other indices• <u>Money and Banking</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Money<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Definition○ Functions and significance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Economic Development (NCERT Class XI)• RAMESH SINGH – Indian Economy <p>Current Events (24th November 2020 – 3rd December 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>			



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Evolution of Money○ Money supply in India and factors affecting it➤ Banking<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Need of banks○ Function○ Commercial Banks➤ Central Bank:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Importance○ Functions○ Structure○ Monetary Policy○ Policy tools, (CRR, SLR, OMO, Repo and Rev Repo, MSF etc.)➤ Banking Reforms• <u>Capital Markets & Money Markets</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Basic Terms and Concepts, Equity and debt Instruments➤ Primary market and Secondary markets etc.• <u>Inflation and Employment</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Inflation<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Definition○ Inflationary Gap and Inflationary process○ Inflation Cycles: Demand Pull Inflation, Cost Push Inflation,○ Causes of Inflation○ Inflation Control measures➤ Unemployment<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Types of Unemployment: Structural, Seasonal, Frictional, Cyclical○ Nature of Unemployment in India• <u>Government budgeting and Fiscal Policy</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Budgeting<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Evolution of Budgeting○ Institutions and Laws○ The Union Budget: Components - Revenue Account,○ Capital Account, Measures of Government Deficit etc.,○ Weaknesses in the Budgetary Process➤ Fiscal Policy<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Public Finance - Role and Importance,	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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TEST – 26 (Textbook Based Test 14)	12th December 2020 Saturday	STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES	
		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. LAXMIKANTH – 5th edition - Indian Polity - Chapters 8 to 162. RAMESH SINGH 10th edition: Ch 1-5: Introduction; Growth, Development and Happiness; Evolution of the Indian Economy; Economic Planning; Planning in India3. Tamil Nadu History Textbook - Class XI - Chapters 4-84. Contemporary World Politics5. India's struggle for independence – Bipin Chandra – Chapters 7 to 10 <p>Current Events (2nd December 2020 – 11th December 2020)</p> <p>Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: India</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p>	

		Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics	
		ECONOMY	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>External Sector and Currency Exchange rate</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Balance of Payments: Definition, Current and Capital Accounts, Convertibility ➤ FDI, FII -- issues, challenges etc. ➤ Foreign Trade of India ➤ Trade Policy ➤ Product wise trade ➤ Region wise trade ➤ Subsidy boxes ➤ WTO related issues ➤ and India ➤ Intellectual Property Rights • <u>International Trade and Bodies:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ IMF: Purpose and ➤ Objectives, Organization and Functions, Working and ➤ Evaluation, IMF and Underdeveloped Countries, SDR's, ➤ Reforms etc., ➤ World Bank ➤ Bilateral and Regional Cooperation • <u>Agriculture:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Recent trends in Agriculture Sector ➤ Cropping System and Pattern; ➤ Agricultural Marketing and Reforms ➤ Agricultural Research; ➤ Sustainable Agriculture; ➤ Animal Husbandry ➤ PDS ➤ Farm distress and government initiatives • <u>Industrial Sector:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Industrial Policies ➤ Licensing ➤ MSME ➤ Labour Reforms ➤ Companies Act ➤ Make in India, Skill India 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian Economic Development (NCERT Class XI) • RAMESH SINGH – Indian Economy <p>Current Events (4th December 2020 – 14th December 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> • <u>I-CAN</u> • <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> • <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
TEST – 27 (Subject-wise Test 13)	15th December 2020 Tuesday		



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Challenges in Industrial development➤ Organised and unorganised sector➤ PPP➤ Investment models <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Initiatives by the govt.</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Government policies➤ Five year Plans: Priorities and Performance, Issues related to planning➤ Economic Policies till 1991➤ Economic Reforms since 1991: End of license Raj, Liberalization, Privatisation and Globalisation• <u>Infrastructure:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ IT, Communication, Urbanisation, Transport, Mining, etc. <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 28 (Subject-wise Test 14)	24th December 2020 Thursday	ECOLOGY & ENVIRONMENT	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Ecology and Functions of an ecosystem</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Terrestrial ecosystems➤ Aquatic ecosystems• <u>Environmental pollution</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Pollutants➤ Air pollution➤ Water Pollution➤ Soil Pollution➤ Noise Pollution➤ Radioactive pollution➤ E-Waste➤ Solid Waste➤ Bioremediation• <u>Biodiversity</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Basic Concepts➤ Plant and Animal Diversity➤ Marine Organisms➤ Threat to Biodiversity➤ Protected Area Network: National parks, Wildlife sanctuaries,	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ICSE Environmental Studies - Class X (2018 edition – S.Chand Publications)• Biology – NCERT 12th – Unit 4• Shankar IAS – Environment <p>Current Events (15th December 2020 – 23rd December 2020)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>



		<p>Biosphere reserves, Reserved and protected forests, Conservation and community reserves, Village and panchayat Forests, Private protected areas, Conservation areas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Biodiversity Conservation efforts➤ Indian Biodiversity ad conservation efforts➤ Bioprospecting➤ Biosafety➤ Biopiracy <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
<p>TEST – 29 (Textbook Based Test 15)</p>	<p>26th December 2020 Saturday</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. LAXMIKANTH – 5th edition - Indian Polity - Chapters 17 to 262. RAMESH SINGH 10th Edition: Ch 6-9: Economic Reforms; Inflation and Business Cycle; Agriculture and Food Management; Industry and Infrastructure3. Tamil Nadu History Textbook - Class XI - Chapters 9-134. India’s struggle for independence – Bipin Chandra – Chapters 11 to 14 <p>Current Events (12th December 2020 – 25th December 2020)</p> <p>Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: South Asia</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	



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TEST – 30 (Subject-wise Test 15)	4th January 2021 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Environmental problems:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Climate Change➤ Acidification➤ Eutrophication➤ Ozone Depletion➤ Mitigation Strategies➤ India and Climate Change • <u>Conservation efforts: India and World</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Institutional and Organizational mechanisms➤ Environmental Acts and Policies➤ Environmental conventions➤ Sustainable development➤ Environmental Monitoring and Impact Assessment <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ICSE Environmental Studies - Class X (2018 edition – S.Chand Publications)• Biology – NCERT 12th – Unit 4• Shankar IAS – Environment <p>Current Events (24th December 2020 – 3rd January 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
		STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES	
TEST – 31 (Textbook Based Test 16)	5th January 2021 Tuesday	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. LAXMIKANTH – 5th edition - Indian Polity - Chapters 27 to 352. RAMESH SINGH 10th Edition : Ch 10-15: Services Sector; Financial Market; Banking in India; Insurance in India; Security Market in India (avoid over-detailed terminologies and jargon); External Sector in India (Very important)3. TamilNadu History Textbook - Class XI - Chapters 13-174. India’s struggle for independence – Bipin Chandra – Chapters 15 to 18 <p>Current Events (26th December 2020 – 4th January 2021)</p> <p>Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u></p>	



		<p><u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: West Asia (Middle-east)</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>
CSAT TEST - 4		
CSAT TEST - 4	5th January 2021 Tuesday	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Comprehension2. General mental ability<ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Series completion(b) Coding — Decoding(c) Blood Relations(d) Puzzle Test(e) Sequential Output Tracing(f) Direction Sense Test(g) Logical Venn diagrams(h) Alphabet Test(i) Number, Ranking & Time Sequence Test(j) Logical Sequence of Words(k) Arithmetical Reasoning(l) Inserting the Missing Character(m) Data Sufficiency(n) Decision Making(o) Assertion and Reason(p) Situation Reaction Test(q) Verification of Truth of the Statement
TEST – 32		SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY



<p>(Subject wise Test 16)</p>	<p>13th January 2021 Wednesday</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• S&T in India<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Historical Perspective➤ Science and Planning➤ S&T Policies in Independent India➤ S&T Infrastructure in India➤ Department of Science and Technology• Earth Sciences<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Weather Forecasting and Climate Research in India➤ Seismology Research➤ Ocean Development➤ Natural Disasters• Energy<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Types of Energy Resources➤ Fossil Fuels➤ Renewable Sources and their Development in India• Nuclear Science<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Radioactivity➤ Radioisotopes➤ Nuclear Power➤ Applications of Nuclear S&T➤ Safety Issues➤ Nuclear Weapons➤ India's Nuclear Science Programme➤ Particle Physics• Information Technology<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Electronics➤ Computers➤ The Internet➤ Computer Security➤ Telecommunication➤ India and Info-Tech➤ Artificial Intelligence➤ Robots and Robotics➤ Fibre Optics➤ Computer- and IT-Related Terms and Products• Lasers<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Principles and Types➤ Applications➤ Basic Science➤ Industry➤ Defence➤ Nuclear Energy➤ Health and Medical Care	<p><u>NCERTs:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Class VI to Class X• Class XI – Chemistry: Unit 14• Class XI – Biology: Units 4 & 5• Class XII – Chemistry: Unit 16• Class XII – Biology: Units 8, 9 & 10 <p>Current Affairs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Science reporter• News papers <p>Current Events (4th January 2021 – 12th January 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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 - Environment-Friendly Agriculture
 - ◆ Sustainable Agriculture
 - ◆ S&T Advancements in Agricultural Produce in India
 - ◆ Genetically Modified Crops: Biosafety and Regulation
 - ◆ Animal Husbandry
 - ◆ Agriculture in Special Areas
 - ◆ Climate-Smart Agriculture
 - ◆ Research, Education, Transfer of Technology in India
 - ◆ S&T and Rural Development in India
 - Industry
 - ◆ Major R&D Infrastructure in India
 - ◆ Contribution of CSIR
 - ◆ Intellectual Property Rights
 - ◆ Comments on the National IPR Policy

Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions)
- Based on Above Topics



		STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES	
TEST – 33 (Textbook Based Test 17)	15th January 2021 Friday	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. LAXMIKANTH – 5th edition - Indian Polity - Chapters 35 to 422. RAMESH SINGH 10th Edition : Ch 16-21: International Economic Organizations and India; Tax Structure in India; Public Finance in India; Sustainability and Climate Change; Human Development in India, Burning Socio-economic issues3. TamilNadu History Textbook - Class XI - Chapters 19-234. India's struggle for independence – Bipin Chandra – Chapters 19 to 23	
		<p>Current Events (5th January 2021 – 14th January 2021) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Map based questions - Region: East and South-east Asia</p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 34 (Subject wise Test 17)	20th January 2021 Wednesday	FULL GS 3 PRELIMS (Revision of Subject-wise GS Tests 14-18)	
		Revision of Subject-wise GS Tests 12 - 16	Sources mentioned for GS Tests 12-16 Current Events (24 th November 2020 – 19 th January 2021) Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>



			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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REVISION TEST (Revision of Textbook Based Test 13-17)

TEST – 35 (Textbook Based Test 18)	25th January 2021 Monday	Textbook Based Test 13-17 Syllabus Current Events (23 rd November 2020 – 24 th January 2021) Current Event Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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TEST – 36 (Textbook Based Test 19)	5th February 2021 Friday	STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES
		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. LAXMIKANTH – 5th edition – Indian Polity – Chapters 43 to 512. Goh Cheng Leong-Certificate Physical and Human Geography – Chapters 1 to 43. India’s struggle for independence – Bipin Chandra – Chapters 24 to 294. CCRT – Art and Culture (Visual Arts – http://www.ccrindia.gov.in/visualarts.php) <p>Current Events (25th January 2021– 4th February 2021) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>Map based questions – Region: Central and Northern Asia</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) – Based on Above Topics</p>



STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES		
TEST – 37 (Textbook Based Test 20)	15th February 2021 Monday	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. LAXMIKANTH – 5th edition - Indian Polity - Chapters 52 to 612. India’s struggle for independence – Bipin Chandra – Chapters 30 to 343. Goh Cheng Leong-Certificate Physical & Human Geography - Chapters 5 to 104. CCRT - Art and Culture (Literary Arts - http://www.ccrindia.gov.in/literaryarts.php) <p>Current Events (5th February 2021 – 14th February 2021) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>Map based questions - Region: Europe</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>
CSAT TEST - 5		
CSAT TEST - 5	15th February 2021 Monday	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Comprehension2. Logical reasoning & Analytical ability<ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Logic(b) Statement - Arguments(c) Statement - Assumptions(d) Statement - Courses of Action(e) Statement – Conclusions(f) Syllogism
STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES		
TEST – 38 (Textbook Based Test 21)	25th February 2021 Thursday	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. India’s struggle for independence – Bipin Chandra – Chapters 35 to 392. Goh Cheng Leong-Certificate Physical & Human Geography - Chapters 11 to 15



		<p>3. ICSE Environmental Studies - Class IX (2018 edition – S.Chand Publications)</p> <p>Current Events (15th February 2021 – 24th February 2021) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>Map based questions - Region: North America</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 39 (Subject wise Test 18)	26th February 2021 Friday	ANCIENT & MEDIEVAL INDIA and ART & CULTURE	
		<p><u>Ancient History</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prehistoric period<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Paleolithic▪ Mesolithic▪ Neolithic▪ Chalcolithic• Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization• Vedic Age<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Early Vedic period▪ Later Vedic period• Mahajanapadas & Rise of Magadh• Religious Reforms• Iranian & Macedonian Invasion• Mauryan Age• Post Mauryan Age<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Indo Greek Invasion<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Indo-Greeks○ Parthians○ Shaka○ Kushanas○ Indo-Sassanian▪ Sungas▪ Kanvas	<p><u>Ancient History</u></p> <p><u>Old NCERT</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ancient India – R S Sharma• Medieval India – Satish Chandra <p><u>New NCERT</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our pasts – I• Our pasts – II• Themes – I• Themes – II <p>TamilNadu History Textbook - Class XI</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Art & Culture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction to Indian art (NCERT class 11th)• Living Craft Traditions of India



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Satavahanas• Guptas Age• Sangam Age• Regional Kingdoms• Post Guptas Age<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Harshavardhana➤ Pallava➤ Chalukya <p><u>Medieval History</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Triparty Struggle Pratiharas Palas• Chola Empire• Turkish conquest of India Ghaznavid Muhammad Ghuri• Rajput states• Delhi sultanate<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Slave dynasty➤ The Khaljis➤ The Tughlaqs➤ The Sayyids➤ The Lodhis• Mughal empire (Including later Mughals)• Maratha Confederacy• Southern Dynasties<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Hoysalas➤ Yadavas➤ Kakatiyas• Vijaynagara• Bahmani Kingdom• Regional kingdoms• Religious Movements<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Bhakti Movement➤ Sufi Movement <p>(Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above)</p> <p><u>Art & Culture</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Architecture</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Cave Architecture➤ Temple Architecture➤ Indo-Islamic Architecture➤ Modern Architecture	<p>(NCERT class 12th)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Culture by Nitin Singhanian• CCRT - Art and Culture <p>Current Events (20th January 2021 – 25th February 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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(Under Indus Valley Civilization, The Mauryan Architecture, The Sungas, Kushanas, Satavahanas & Guptas, Post Guptas, Delhi-Sultanate, Mughals etc)

- **Sculpture** -- Indian Sculpture and Different schools of Art

- **Indian Paintings**
 - Pre historic painting & Cave paintings
 - Mural Paintings
 - Miniature Paintings - Pala School, Rajput Paintings, Mughal Paintings, Hill paintings etc.
 - Folk Paintings
 - Modern Indian Paintings
 - Personalities Associated

- **Religion**
 - Hinduism
 - Jainism
 - Buddhism
 - Islam
 - Christianity
 - Zoroastrianism
 - Judaism

- **Philosophy**
 - Six Schools of Philosophy
 - Ajivika
 - Lokayata etc.

- **Indian Music**
 - Classical Music
 - Hindustani Music
 - Carnatic Music
 - Folk Music Tradition
 - Modern Music
 - Personalities

- **Indian Dance**
 - Classical Dance forms in India – Odissi, Kathak, Kathakali, Mohiniattay, Sattriya, Manipuri, Bharatanatyam, Kuchipudi
 - Folk Dances
 - Modern Dance in India

- **Theatre**



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Sanskrit Theatre➤ Folk Theatre➤ Modern Theatre➤ Personalities <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Puppetry<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ History➤ Different forms of Puppetry in➤ People Associated with Theatres• Indian Cinema and Circus• Bhakti & Sufi Movement• <u>Language & Literature</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Indian Language<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Classical Languages○ Scheduled Languages➤ Indian Literature<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Religious Literature○ Secular Literature• <u>Fairs, Festivals and Craft</u> -Religious Festivals, Secular Festivals (States & UT's), Art & Crafts• <u>Science & Technology</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Ancient, Science & Technology➤ Medieval Science & Technology➤ Famous Personalities in➤ Ancient and Medieval India• <u>Promotion and Preservation of Indian Heritage</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Indian World Heritage Sites – Tangible & non-tangible heritage, Tentative list➤ Cultural Heritage Sites➤ Natural Heritage Sites➤ Important Institutions <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 40 (Subject wise Test 19)	5th March 2021 Friday	MODERN INDIA	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fall of Mughals• <u>Advent of Europeans</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Coming of Europeans➤ Struggle among Europeans➤ Rise of East India Company• <u>India under East India Company's Rule</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our past III (Both part 1 & part 2 -- NCERT class VIII)• Themes in Indian History – III (NCERT Class XII)• A brief History Of Modern India –



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Administration➤ Political policies<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Regulating Act of 1773○ Pitt's India Act 1784○ Charter acts of 1784, 1793, 1813, 1833, 1853➤ British Expansion policy: Doctrine of lapse, Subordinate alliance etc.➤ Economic policies and their impact<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Agricultural policies○ Famine policy➤ Foreign Policies➤ Social Policies<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Education Policies○ Religious policies● <u>Indian Kingdoms in 18th century:</u> Marathas, Punjab, Mysore, Hyderabad etc.● <u>Socio - Religious Reform Movements in the 19th and 20th CE India</u> – Arya Samaj, Brahmo Samaj, etc.● The Great Revolt of 1857● Changes in Indian Administration after 1858 - GOI ACT 1858, Councils Act, 1861, 1892.● Growth of Political Ideas and Political Organisations (up to 1885)● Foundation of the Indian National Congress● <u>National movement (1885 - 1919)</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Moderate Phase (1885 – 1905)➤ Partition of Bengal and the Swadeshi Movement➤ The first phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement➤ The Morley-Minto Reforms or the Indian Councils Act, 1909➤ The Lucknow Pact (1916)➤ The Home Rule Movement● <u>National movement (1919 - 1939)</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Montague-Chelmsford Reforms or the Government of India act, 1919	<p>Spectrum Publication Struggle for India's Independence – Bipin Chandra</p> <p>Current Events (26th February 2021 – 4th March 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>● <u>I-CAN</u>● <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>● <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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- The Khilafat Movement (1920-22) and Non Cooperation Movement
- The Left Movement
- The second phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement
- Anti-Simon Commission Agitation (1928-29)
- Nehru Report, 1928
- The Lahore Session, 1929
- The Civil Disobedience Movement
- The Government of India Act, 1935
- Provincial Elections and Formation of popular Ministries in Provinces, 1937

• **Freedom to Partition (1939 - 1947)**

- The Second World War and the National Movement
- The August Offer 1940
- The Individual Satyagraha 1940-41
- The Cripps Proposal, 1942
- The Quit India Movement, 1942
- Subhash Bose and Indian National Army
- Rajagopalachari Formula & Desai Liaqat Plan
- Wavell Plan and Simla Conference 1945
- General Elections in India, 1945
- Naval Mutiny: 1946
- The Indian Independence Act, 1947

• **Other Dimensions**

- Tribal Movements
- Peasants Movement
- Dalit Movements
- Women movement
- Role of Press and Publications
- Role of Business groups

Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Sessions, Governor –General Viceroy etc.

Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions)
- Based on Above Topics



		STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES	
TEST – 41 (Textbook Based Test 22)	8th March 2021 Monday	STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES	
		<p>1. LAXMIKANTH – 5th edition - Indian Polity - All Appendices</p> <p>2. Goh Cheng Leong - Certificate Physical and Human Geography - Chapters 16 to 20</p> <p>3. ICSE Environmental Studies - Class X (2018 edition – S.Chand Publications)</p> <p>Current Events (25th February 2021 – 7th March 2021) Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>Map based questions - Region: South America</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 42 (Subject wise Test 20)	13th March 2021 Saturday	GEOGRAPHY	
		<p><u>Physical Geography of the world</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Origin and evolution of Universe Solar system</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Geological History of the Earth➤ Geological Time scale Latitude and Longitude including important Parallels and Meridians➤ Motions of the Earth and their effects Inclination of the Earth’s Axis and its effects➤ Local and Standard Time and the International Date Line, Calendar➤ Eclipses - Solar, Lunar• <u>Geomorphology</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Interior structure of the earth➤ Rock➤ Landform Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fundamentals of Physical Geography (NCERT Class XI)• Fundamentals of Human Geography (NCERT Class XII)• Goh Cheng Leong - Certificate Physical and Human Geography• India Physical Environment (NCERT Class XI)• India - People and Economy (NCERT Class XII)• Mapping – India & World



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ First order (continental drift theory, sea floor spreading, plate tectonics theory)➤ Second order (Mountains, Plateaus, Plains & other landforms)➤ Internal forces & their impact - Volcanoes, Earthquakes,➤ Folding, Faulting, Isostasy➤ External forces & their impact - Weathering, Erosion & landforms thus developed• <u>Climatology</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Structure, Composition of atmosphere➤ Weather & Climate➤ Heat & temperature<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Insolation○ Heat Budget○ Distribution of temperature○ Temperature Inversion➤ Pressure and Pressure belts➤ Winds<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Planetary winds○ Seasonal winds○ Local winds• Precipitation-Forms & Types, Distribution of rainfall• Air Masses• Cyclones and anti-cyclones• World Climatic regions• <u>Oceanography</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom relief Features• Ocean waves, currents, tides & Tsunamis• Temperature distribution• Salinity distribution• Marine resources• <u>Biogeography</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Soils<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Classification○ Distribution○ Erosion & Conservation➤ Biomes <p><u>World Economic and Human Geography:</u></p>	<p>Current Events (5th March 2021 – 12th March 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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- Natural resources and mineral resources and distribution of key natural resources across the world
- Agriculture and agro-climatic regions
- Industry and location factors
- Infrastructure
- World Population, density & distribution, races & tribes,
- settlements & migration

Continents - Major physical features, natural resources

Physical Geography of India

• **Location**

- Latitude
- Longitude
- Physiographic division of India
 - Northern Mountains
 - Plains of India
 - Peninsular Plateau
 - Islands of India
- Drainage System
 - Himalayan Drainage System
 - Peninsular Drainage System
 - Other small river system

• **Indian Climate**

- Spatial and temporal distribution of temperature & pressure
- Winds
- Rainfall
 - Indian Monsoon
 - Mechanism
 - Onset
 - Variability
 - Rainfall distribution
- Climatic Regions of India

• **Soils**

- Classification of Soils
- Problems of Soil and Conservation

• **Indian Flora & Faun**

- Forests and their distribution
- Forest Conservation
- Fauna

Indian Economic and Human Geography

- Agriculture typology and major Crops grown in India
- Agro-Climatic Regions



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Land Reforms and Land use pattern• Animal Husbandry, Fisheries and Aquaculture• Water Resources- Availability and potential: Lakes, rivers, dams, power and irrigation projects, wetlands and interlinking of rivers• Mineral Resources- classification and distribution• Energy Resources- conventional and non-conventional resources• Population and Growth trends - density, sex ratio, literacy, tribes and racial groups in India• Rural and Urban Settlements- types and patterns• Industries- types and their locational factors• Transport and Communication - railways, highways, inland• water transport, shipping and sea-ports, air transport <p>Map Based Questions from India (Location of state, city, river, lakes, important places including Ramsar sites, Biosphere Reserves, Wildlife Sanctuaries and National Parks)</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 43		STANDARD BOOKS/SOURCES	



<p>(Textbook Based Test 23)</p>	<p>15th March 2021 Monday</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Goh Cheng Leong - Certificate Physical and Human Geography - Chapters 21 to 252. ICSE Environmental Studies - Class X (2018 edition – S.Chand Publications)3. CCRT - Art and Culture (Performing Arts - http://www.ccrindia.gov.in/performingart.php) <p>Current Events (8th March 2021 – 14th March 2021)</p> <p>Sources: <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> <u>I-CAN</u> <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p> <p>Questions based on UPSC past year papers – CSP and topics from CS(M), CDS, CAPF etc. (related to topics mentioned in the above sources)</p> <p>Map based questions - Region: Artic, Antarctic & Australia</p> <p>10% Qs based on topics covered in any of the previous tests</p> <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>
<p>TEST – 44 (Subject wise Test 21)</p>	<p>20th March 2021 Saturday</p>	<p>FULL GS 1 PRELIMS (Revision of Subject wise GS Tests 18-20)</p> <p>Revision of Subject wise GS Tests (18-20)</p> <p>Sources Mentioned for GS Tests 18-20</p> <p>Current Events (20th January 2021 – 19th March 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>



			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs
REVISION TEST (Revision of Textbook Based Tests 1-23)			
TEST – 45 (Textbook Based Test 24)	22nd March 2021 Monday	Textbook Based Tests 1-23 Syllabus Current Events (1 st June 2020 – 21 st March 2021) Current Events Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS• I-CAN• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs	
CSAT TEST - 6			
CSAT TEST - 6	22nd March 2021 Monday	Revision test of Test 4 & Test 5 syllabus	
TEST – 46 (Subject wise Test 22)	27th March 2021 Saturday	POLITY	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Constitutionalism• Historical Underpinnings• Evolution & Making of the Constitution• Features and Significant Provisions• Political systems• Democratic & Non-Democratic• Parliamentary & Presidential• Unitary & Federal• Direct and Representative• Republic and Monarchy etc.• The Preamble• The Union and its Territory• Citizenship• Fundamental Rights• Directive Principles• Fundamental Duties• Amendment of Constitution• Basic Structure of the Constitution• Emergency Provisions• Central Government<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ President of India➤ Vice President of India	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Constitution at Work (NCERT Class XI)• LAXMIKANTH – Indian Polity Current Events (20 th March 2021 – 26 th March 2021) Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS• I-CAN• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Prime minister➤ Central Council of Ministers, Parliament• <u>State Government</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Governor➤ Chief Minister➤ State Council of Ministers➤ State Legislature• <u>Judiciary</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Supreme Court➤ High Courts➤ Subordinate Courts <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 47 (Textbook Based 25)	1st April 2021 Thursday	Complete Syllabus	
		POLITY	
TEST – 48 (Subject wise Test 23)	3rd April 2021 Saturday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Central Government</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ President of India➤ Vice President of India➤ Prime minister➤ Central Council of Ministers, Parliament• <u>State Government</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Governor➤ Chief Minister➤ State Council of Ministers➤ State Legislature• <u>Judiciary</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Supreme Court➤ High Courts➤ Subordinate Courts• <u>Indian Federalism</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Centre-State Relations➤ Inter-state Relations• <u>Local Government</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Panchayati Raj➤ Local Urban Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Constitution at Work (NCERT Class XI)• LAXMIKANTH – Indian Polity <p>Current Events (27th March 2021 – 2nd April 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>



- **Other Dimensions**
 - Official Language
 - Public Services
 - Tribunals
 - Special provisions for SCs, STs, BCs, Minorities & Anglo-Indians
 - Rights and liabilities of the Government
 - Authoritative text in Hindi Language
 - Anti-defection law

- **Political dimensions**
 - Ministries and Departments of the Government
 - Pressure groups
 - Elections & political parties
 - Representation of People's Act
 - Election Process
 - Governance
 - Transparency & Accountability
 - RTI
 - Citizen's Charter
 - e-Governance

- **Constitutional Bodies**
 - Election Commission
 - Union Public Service Commission (UPSC)
 - State Public Service Commission (SPSC)
 - Finance Commission
 - CAG
 - Attorney general of India
 - Advocate general of India
 - Special officer for Linguistic Minorities
 - National Commission for Scheduled Castes (NCSC)
 - National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST)
 - National Commission for Backward Castes (NCBC) etc.

- **Non-Constitutional Bodies**

NITI Aayog, NHRC, SHRC, CIC, SIC, CVC, CBI, Lokpal, Lokayukta, NCPCR etc.



		International Institutions UN, World Bank, IMF, WIPO, ADB, BRICS etc. Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics	
TEST – 49 (Textbook Based 26)	8th April 2021 Thursday	Complete Syllabus	
TEST – 50 (Subject wise Test 24)	9th April 2021 Friday	FULL GS 2 PRELIMS (Revision of Subject wise GS Tests 22 & 23)	
		Revision of Subject wise GS Tests 22 & 23	Sources Mentioned for GS Tests 22 & 23 Current Events (20 th March 2021 – 8 th April 2021) Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS• I-CAN• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs
TEST – 51 (Textbook Based Test 27)	15th April 2021 Thursday	Complete Syllabus	
TEST – 52 (Subject wise Test 25)	16th April 2021 Friday	ECONOMY	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>National Income Accounting:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Definition➤ Concepts: GDP, GNP, Market Price and Factor Cost, NNP, NDP, transfer	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Economic Development (NCERT Class XI)• RAMESH SINGH – Indian Economy



		<p>payments, National income at FC, Personal Income, disposable income, factors affecting national income, net foreign fact income</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Measurement of national income: value added method, income method, expenditure method, Application of various methods, Base year, GDP deflator➤ Debates around GDP and other indices <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Money and Banking</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Money<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Definition○ Functions and significance○ Evolution of Money○ Money supply in India and factors affecting it➤ Banking<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Need of banks○ Function○ Commercial Banks➤ Central Bank:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Importance○ Functions○ Structure○ Monetary Policy○ Policy tools, (CRR, SLR, OMO, Repo and Rev Repo, MSF etc.)➤ Banking Reforms• <u>Capital Markets & Money Markets</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Basic Terms and Concepts, Equity and debt Instruments➤ Primary market and Secondary markets etc.• <u>Inflation and Employment</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Inflation<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Definition○ Inflationary Gap and Inflationary process○ Inflation Cycles: Demand Pull Inflation, Cost Push Inflation,○ Causes of Inflation○ Inflation Control measures	<p>Current Events (9th April 2021 –15th April 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u>• <u>I-CAN</u>• <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u>• <u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u>
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➤ **Unemployment**

- Types of Unemployment: Structural, Seasonal, Frictional, Cyclical
- Nature of Unemployment in India

• **Government budgeting and Fiscal Policy**

➤ **Budgeting**

- Evolution of Budgeting
- Institutions and Laws
- The Union Budget: Components - Revenue Account, Capital Account, Measures of Government Deficit etc.,
- Weaknesses in the Budgetary Process

➤ **Fiscal Policy**

- Public Finance - Role and Importance,
- Public Expenditure - Revenue and Capital, Development and Non-Development
- Public Revenue
 - Sources of Revenue
 - Taxes
 - ✓ Classification - Direct and Indirect, Specific and Ad Valorem
 - ✓ Social and Economic Objectives of Taxes

➤ **Public Debt**

➤ **Deficit Financing**

• **6. External Sector and Currency**

Exchange rate

- Balance of Payments: Definition, Current and Capital Accounts, Convertibility
- FDI, FII -- issues, challenges etc.
- Foreign Trade of India
- Trade Policy
- Product wise trade
- Region wise trade
- Subsidy boxes
- WTO related issues
- and India



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Intellectual Property Rights• <u>7. International Trade and Bodies:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ IMF:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Purpose and Objectives, Organization and Functions, Working and Evaluation, IMF and Underdeveloped Countries, SDR's, Reforms etc.,➤ World Bank➤ Bilateral and Regional Cooperation• <u>Agriculture:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Recent trends in Agriculture Sector➤ Cropping System and Pattern;➤ Agricultural Marketing and Reforms➤ Agricultural Research;➤ Sustainable Agriculture;➤ Animal Husbandry➤ PDS➤ Farm distress and government initiatives• <u>Industrial Sector:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Industrial Policies➤ Licensing➤ MSME➤ Labour Reforms➤ Companies Act➤ Make in India, Skill India➤ Challenges in Industrial development➤ Organised and unorganised sector➤ PPP➤ Investment models• <u>Initiatives by the govt.</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Government policies➤ Five year Plans: Priorities and Performance, Issues➤ related to planning➤ Economic Policies till 1991➤ Economic Reforms since 1991: End of license Raj, Liberalization, Privatisation and Globalisation• <u>Infrastructure:</u> IT, Communication, Urbanisation, Transport, Mining, etc.	
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		Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics	
TEST – 53 (Textbook Based 28)	22nd April 2021 Thursday	Complete Syllabus	
CSAT TEST - 7			
CSAT TEST - 7	22nd April 2021 Thursday	Complete Syllabus	
		ECOLOGY & ENVIRONMENT	
TEST – 54 (Subject wise Test 26)	23rd April 2021 Friday	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>Ecology and Functions of an ecosystem</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Terrestrial ecosystems ➤ Aquatic ecosystems 2. <u>Environmental problems:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Climate Change ➤ Acidification ➤ Eutrophication ➤ Ozone Depletion ➤ Mitigation Strategies ➤ India and Climate Change 3. <u>Environmental pollution</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Pollutants ➤ Air pollution ➤ Water Pollution ➤ Soil Pollution ➤ Noise Pollution ➤ Radioactive pollution ➤ E-Waste ➤ Solid Waste ➤ Bioremediation 4. <u>Biodiversity</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Basic Concepts ➤ Plant and Animal Diversity ➤ Marine Organisms ➤ Threat to Biodiversity ➤ Protected Area Network: National parks, Wildlife sanctuaries, Biosphere reserves, Reserved and protected forests, Conservation and community reserves, Village and panchayat Forests, Private protected areas, Conservation areas ➤ Biodiversity Conservation efforts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ICSE Environmental Studies - Class X (2018 edition – S.Chand Publications) • Biology – NCERT 12th – Unit 4 • Shankar IAS – Environment <p>Current Events (16th April 2021 – 22nd April 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS • I-CAN • INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ • INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Indian Biodiversity ad conservation efforts➤ Bioprospecting➤ Biosafety➤ Biopiracy <p>5. Conservation efforts: India and World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Institutional and Organizational mechanisms➤ Environmental Acts and Policies➤ Environmental conventions➤ Sustainable development➤ Environmental Monitoring and Impact Assessment <p>Mains Self Study Test (10 Questions) - Based on Above Topics</p>	
TEST – 55 (Subject wise Test 27)	30th April 2021 Friday	SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• S&T in India<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Historical Perspective➤ Science and Planning➤ S&T Policies in Independent India➤ S&T Infrastructure in India➤ Department of Science and Technology• Earth Sciences<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Weather Forecasting and Climate Research in India➤ Seismology Research➤ Ocean Development➤ Natural Disasters• Energy<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Types of Energy Resources➤ Fossil Fuels➤ Renewable Sources and their Development in India• Nuclear Science<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Radioactivity➤ Radioisotopes➤ Nuclear Power➤ Applications of Nuclear S&T➤ Safety Issues➤ Nuclear Weapons➤ India's Nuclear Science Programme➤ Particle Physics• Information Technology<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Electronics➤ Computers	<p>NCERT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Class VI to Class X• Class XI – Chemistry: Unit 14• Class XI – Biology: Units 4 & 5• Class XII – Chemistry: Unit 16• Class XII – Biology: Units 8, 9 & 10 <p>Current Affairs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Science reporter• News papers <p>Current Events (23rd April 2021 – 29th April 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS• I-CAN• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs



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- Telecommunication
- India and Info-Tech
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 - India's Space Programme
 - India's Space Ventures
 - Space Applications
 - Milestones in India's Space Ventures



		<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Space-Industry Partnership in India➤ Export Promotion➤ International Cooperation in Space➤ Space Garbage and Dealing with it• Defence Research and Technology<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Weapon Innovations of Note➤ Defence R&D in India• Health and Medicine<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Disease-Causing Agents➤ Infectious Diseases➤ Non-Infectious or Degenerative Diseases➤ Deficiency Diseases➤ Allergies➤ Cancer➤ Recent Life Style Concerns➤ Health Policies and Programmes in India➤ Indian Systems of Medicine and Homoeopathy• Genetics<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ What is Genetics?➤ Physical Basis of Heredity➤ Chemical Basis of Heredity➤ Gene Mapping➤ Genome Analysis and Human Genetics• Biotechnology<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ What is Biotechnology➤ Biotechnology Techniques➤ Genetic Engineering➤ DNA Fingerprinting➤ Cloning➤ Artificial Insemination and Embryo➤ Stem Cell Technology➤ Applications of Biotechnology➤ Biotech Research in India➤ Patents and Biotechnology• Applications of S&T<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Agriculture and Rural Development<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Basic Resources of Agriculture○ Environment-Friendly Agriculture○ Sustainable Agriculture○ S&T Advancements in Agricultural Produce in India	
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CSAT TEST - 8

CSAT TEST - 8	3rd May 2021 Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete Syllabus
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		FULL GS 3 PRELIMS (Revision of Subject wise GS Tests 25-27)	
TEST – 56 (Subject wise Test 28)	8th May 2021 Saturday	Revision of Subject wise GS Tests 25-27	<p>Sources mentioned for Subject-wise GS Tests 25-27</p> <p>Current Events (9th April 2021 – 7th May 2021)</p> <p>Sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS</u> • <u>I-CAN</u> • <u>INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ</u> <p><u>INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs</u></p>
TEST-57			



(TEXTBOOK BASED TEST – 29)	12th May 2021 Wednesday	India Year Book 2021 (Current Affairs: June 2020 – 11 th May 2021)
ECONOMIC SURVEY 2020-21, BUDGET 2021-22, YEARLONG CURRENT AFFAIRS		
TEST – 58 (Textbook Based 30)	17th May 2021 Monday	Economic Survey 2020-21, Budget 2021-22, Yearlong Current Affairs (Current Affairs: June 2020 – 16 th May 2021) Current Affairs Sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS• I-CAN• INSIGHTS DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ• INSIGHTS REVISION THROUGH MCQs
SIMULATION TESTS		
TEST – 59 (Textbook Based 31)	24th May 2021 Monday	Complete Syllabus
TEST – 60 (Textbook Based 32)	30th May 2021 Sunday	Complete Syllabus
CSAT TEST - 9		
CSAT TEST - 9	30th May 2021 Sunday	Complete Syllabus
TEST – 61 (Textbook Based 33)	5th June 2021 Saturday	Complete Syllabus
TEST – 62 (Textbook Based 34)	10th June 2021 Thursday	Complete Syllabus



CSAT TEST - 10		
CSAT TEST - 10	10th June 2021 Thursday	Complete Syllabus
TEST – 63 (Textbook Based 35)	15th June 2021 Tuesday	Complete Syllabus
TEST – 64 (Textbook Based 36)	20th June 2021 Sunday	Complete Syllabus
CSAT TEST - 11		
CSAT TEST 11	20th June 2021 Sunday	Complete Syllabus
TEST – 65 (Textbook Based 37)	25th June 2021 Friday	Complete Syllabus
TEST – 66 (Textbook Based 38)	30th June 2021 Wednesday	Complete Syllabus
CSAT TEST - 12		
CSAT TEST - 12	30th June 2021 Wednesday	Complete Syllabus

Total Number of Tests: 78

66 GS Prelims Mock Tests and 12 CSAT

Total Number of Tests from Textbook Based Test Series :

- 12 tests (2 Revision Tests)– based on NCERTs
- 12 tests (2 Revision Tests)– based on standard textbooks & references
- 1 Test – Economic Survey 2020 -21 & Budget 2021
- 1 Test – India Year Book 2021



- 12 full length tests covering comprehensive syllabus

Total Number of Tests from Subject wise Test Series:

- **Essential round (GS Tests 1 to 17) Revision Tests [GS Tests 7, 11 & 17]**
- **Breakthrough round (GS Tests 18 to 30) Revision Tests [GS Tests 21,24,28]**

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2. Apart from the sources mentioned above, we will also be setting questions from the REFERENCE Books listed below.
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4. You can also use Old NCERT Modern History-Bipin Chandra OR Spectrum-Modern India, in place of India's Struggle for Independence.
5. In place of ICSE Environmental Studies, you can also use standard coaching material like Shankar IAS Environment.

SOURCES



1) History

1. Sumit Sarkar - Modern India
2. Bipin Chandra - India's Struggle for Independence
3. Tamilnadu Board - 12th Standard History Textbook
4. RS Sharma - Ancient India - Old NCERT
5. Satish Chandra - Modern India - Old NCERT
6. Spectrum – Modern India

2) Art & Culture

1. Indian Culture – Nitin Singhanian
2. Indian Culture – Spectrum
3. Indian culture – NIOS material

3) Geography

1. ICSE 8th-10th Geography
2. Atlas - Oxford Student Atlas (NOT School Atlas)

4) Polity

1. Parliament Website - Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha, Speaker
2. Cabinet Secretariat and other official websites
3. PRS

5) Biology, Ecology and Environment

1. Shankar IAS Environment Material
2. Old NCERT - Biology - 12th Std

6) Dynamic Sources

1. Yojana
2. Ministry Websites
3. Space.com
4. agritech.tnau.ac.in
5. Websites of ISRO & NASA
6. <http://www.downtoearth.org.in/Reference Books/>

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