

**Prelims 2025**

# CSAT Classes for Prelims 2025

**Orientation Date**

**13** | Sep.  
2024

**Batch - 2**

**9:30 AM to 12:00 PM**  
**(Sat, Sun, Mon)**

**Starts**

**SEP. 14, 2024**  
**Saturday**

**(40+ Classes + 6 Module-wise Tests + 2 Full - Length Tests)**

**Available in Offline and Online**

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### Top Rankers of ForumIAS Academy, CSE 2023

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1. Aditya Srivastava (IAS Rank 1)
2. Donuru Ananya Reddy (IAS Rank 3)
3. Ruhani (IAS Rank 5)
4. Shristi Dabas (IAS Rank 6)
5. Anmol Rathore (IAS Rank 7)
6. Ashish Kumar (IAS Rank 8)
7. Kush Motwani (IAS Rank 11)
8. Medha Anand (IAS Rank 13)
9. Shaurya Arora (IAS Rank 14)
10. Kunal Rastogi (IAS Rank 15)

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### ForumIAS Academy Students Rankers from other years

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1. Anudeep Duraishetty (IAS Rank 1, 2017)
2. Sachin Gupta (IAS Rank 3, 2017)
3. Anubhav (IAS Rank 8, 2017)
4. Varnit Negi (IAS Rank 14, 2018)
5. Ankita Choudhary (IAS Rank 14, 2018)
6. Minal Karanwal (IAS Rank 35, 2018)
7. Pratibha Verma (IAS Rank 3, 2019)
8. Jivani Kartik Nagjibhai (IAS Rank 8, 2020)
9. Apala Mishra (IAS Rank 9, 2020)
10. Satyam Gandhi (IAS Rank 10, 2020)

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### Top Rankers of ForumIAS Academy, CSE 2021 & 2022

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1. Ishita Kishore (IAS Rank 1, 2022)
2. Shruti Sharma (IAS Rank 1, 2021)
3. Garima Lohia (IAS Rank 2, 2022)
4. Uma Harathi N (IAS Rank 3, 2022)
5. Smriti Mishra (IAS Rank 4, 2022)
6. Dr. Mayur Hazarika (IAS Rank 5, 2022)
7. Utkarsh Dwivedi (IAS Rank 5, 2021)
8. Waseem Ahmad Bhat (IAS Rank 7, 2021)
9. Ishita Rathi (IAS Rank 8, 2021)
10. Preetam Kumar (IAS Rank 9, 2021)

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### ForumIAS Academy Students have scored among the highest marks secured in General Studies

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1. Pratham Kaushik (IAS Rank 5, 2017) (501 marks)
2. K Varun Reedy (IAS Rank 7, 2018) (448 marks)
3. Sanjita Mohapatra (IAS Rank 9, 2019) (451 marks)
4. Mamta Yadav (IAS Rank 5, 2020) (418 marks)
5. Shruti Sharma (IAS Rank 1, 2021) (494 marks)
6. Garima Lohia (IAS Rank 2, 2022) (470 marks)

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### 5 Times Rank 1 in Indian Forest Service

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**IFoS Rank 1 – Vaibhav Srivastava (2017), M Naveen Reddy (2018), Rishi Kumar (2019), Shruti (2021), Kolluru Venkata Srikanth (2022)**

# ABOUT THE PROGRAM

## Why CSAT?

### Mastering the Changing Landscape

The CSAT paper is divided into **three sections: Reading Comprehension, Quantitative Aptitude, and Logical Reasoning**. The requirements of UPSC CSAT are different from any other aptitude exam. From last 4 to 5 years, UPSC has sent a clear message that path to LBSNAA can't be covered without acing this exam. It requires the strong fundamentals along with some short tricks. The pattern of CSAT is shifting, and the difficulty level of this paper has increased. You can't rely upon a single section be it Quantitative Aptitude, Logical Reasoning or Comprehension section. UPSC is known for giving surprises by varying the difficulty level. So, be prepared, save energy and your precious attempt. All serious aspirants who don't want to risk their attempt are invited to attend the CSAT program at Forum IAS under the guidance of our well experienced faculties.

### Stay Ahead with Effective Preparation

As the CSAT paper has become lengthier over the years, practicing CSAT papers has become more crucial than ever. The key to cracking CSAT lies in having a good grasp of the basic rules and formulas. At ForumIAS, we have observed that many aspirants comfortably clear the General Studies paper but struggle to achieve qualifying marks in CSAT. It is important not to underestimate the significance of CSAT and allocate sufficient time for its preparation. With our ten years of experience in competitive examinations, we understand the **common pitfalls students face**, such as **taking subjects for granted and neglecting known weak areas**. In UPSC CSE, it is risky to underestimate any area, and CSAT requires active and focused preparation, especially for those who haven't practiced aptitude subjects recently.

### Don't Let CSAT Be Your Achilles' Heel

Allocate the time, dedication, and focus that CSAT deserves. Prepare comprehensively, strengthen your weak areas, and practice diligently. Let us be your trusted companion on this journey, guiding you towards success in both the General Studies and CSAT papers.

## How ForumIAS Can Help: Practice, Guided Support, and Success

**Practice** - At Forum IAS, we prioritize providing ample practice opportunities for all three sections of the CSAT paper. Through **regular assignments and tests**, we ensure that you have sufficient practice to sharpen your skills and gain confidence in tackling the exam.

**Time-Bound Preparation** - With the guidance of our skilled teachers, you can significantly reduce your preparation time while increasing your chances of clearing the CSAT paper. Our experienced faculty will help you overcome known challenges and navigate the complexities of the CSAT effectively, ensuring that you are well-prepared within a specified time frame.

**PYQ Discussions** - We conduct regular discussions focused on previous year's questions (PYQs). These discussions, coupled with **two dedicated classes exclusively dedicated to PYQs**, will keep you updated with the recent trends and ensure that you are well-prepared for the CSAT paper.

**Mentorship and Personalized Assistance** - At Forum IAS, we understand that students may encounter difficulties or have specific queries while preparing for the CSAT paper. Faculty will be available to help students after class, offering guidance and support to overcome challenges and maximize their potential.

## Constituents

- A total of 40+ classes will be provided, starting from the absolute basics.
- Innovative techniques for solving comprehension questions will be taught.
- Faster methods and shortcut tricks for solving aptitude questions will be shared.
- Robust learning strategies for solving verbal and logical reasoning questions will be emphasized.
- The classes will be supplemented with reading materials and practice questions.
- A test will be given after completing each module (Aptitude, English, and Reasoning).
- Previous years' questions will be discussed.
- Two full CSAT tests will be administered upon completing the course.

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## Course Schedule

- The classes will be conducted 3 days a week, Saturday, Sunday and Monday starting from 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM with a duration of 2.5 hours.
- The classes will be available in both Online (LIVE) and Offline modes. Recorded lectures will be accessible on the portal after the completion of LIVE Classes.
- Each class will cover one concept and will be accompanied by practice questions and assignments.
- Following the discussion of each chapter, practice worksheets ranging from basic to advanced levels will be provided.
- Two classes will be dedicated to the discussion and practice of previous year questions.

## Fee Concession:

- Old/Existing Students of GS Foundation Program can avail fee concession of 30%.
- Old/Existing Students of Mains Guidance Program (MGP) can avail a fee concession of 30%.

**Note:** Fee concession can be availed by writing to [admissions@forumias.academy](mailto:admissions@forumias.academy). No other concession will be granted on any other ground.

## FEE STRUCTURE

Course	Total Fees (Including GST @18%)
CSAT Classes for Prelims 2025	₹ 18,000/-

## HOW TO ENROLL?

Students can enroll in the program by paying the fees through the below mentioned means:

Visit website:

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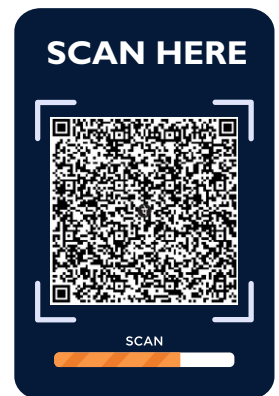


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- Students enrolled in any course of ForumIAS must get a physical ID card for availing services in the offline mode. A nominal fee of Rs. 30 will be payable for the same.
- The program is non-refundable and non-transferable.
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- Please create an account on <https://academy.forumias.com> before enrolling either offline or online.
- This program will be valid till Prelims 2025.
- By subscribing to the course, you agree to the terms and conditions mentioned above.

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# CSAT Lecture Plan of the Foundation 2025

Lecture No.	Topic
<b>(40+ Lectures of 2.5 Hrs + 6 Module Tests.)</b>	
1.	Basic Calculations and Unit Conversions
2.	Chain Rule + Time- Work-1
3.	Time- Work-2
4.	Ranking @ Comparison, Average- Mixture-Allegations-1
5.	Average- Mixture-Allegations-2
6.	Cubes @ Dice
7.	Clocks, Doubts of Module-1
<b>Module Test - 1</b>	
8.	Basic Class for <b>Non Engineers</b>
9.	Simple Equations
10.	Sitting+ Complex Arrangements
11.	Ratios-Proporions
12.	Direction Sense
13.	Numbers+ Letter Series, Module Test-2 Doubts
<b>Module Test - 2</b>	
14.	Basic Class for <b>Non Engineers</b>
15.	Percentages-1
16.	Percentages-2 , Profit- Loss
17.	Visual Reasoning , Coding
18.	Blood Relations
19.	Simple and Compound Interest, Module-3 Doubts
<b>Module Test - 3</b>	
20.	Number System-1
21.	Number System-2
22.	Number System-3
23.	Number System-4, LCM-HCF
24.	Data Sufficiency
25.	Calendars, Module-4 Doubts
<b>Module Test - 4</b>	
26.	Basic Class for <b>Non - Engineers</b>
27.	Trains, Time-Speed- Distance
28.	Average Speed & Races, Boats
29.	Venn Diagram
30.	Data Interpretations
31.	Syllogism, Module-5 Doubts

## Module Test - 5

32.	Permutation and Combinations-1
33.	Permutation and Combinations-2
34.	Probability, AP-GP
35.	Mensurations, Module-6 Doubts
36.	Reading Comprehensions-1
37.	Reading Comprehensions-2
38.	Reading Comprehensions-3
39.	Reading Comprehensions-4
40.	Reading Comprehensions-5

## Module Test - 6

### Full Length Tests - 1

### Full Length Tests - 2