

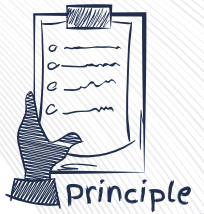
**Mains 2025-26**

# Ethics Foundation Program 2025

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**Batch - 01**

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Principle



Behavior



Relations

## Ethics



Protections



Honesty



Choice

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# ABOUT PROGRAM

## The Importance of Ethics (GS IV) Paper:

The Ethics Paper is one of the key determinants of cracking the UPSC Civil Services Mains Examination or for that matter even getting in the top 100 of the final lists. This paper has the potential of scores ranging from an average of 125 to a high of 160 marks, as opposed to papers such as GS Papers 1 where the average hovers from 80-90 marks to a high of around 120 marks. Thus, its effective weightage in the total score is very high.

## Challenge with Ethics Paper:

The challenge with the GS IV Paper is the lack of a single source point or reference book to comprehensively cover the entire syllabus. Students often get confused with the dispersed material present in different reference books.

**Secondly**, it also has a very capacious boundary given that anything under the sun can be asked in the Ethics Paper. While most candidates do not spend more than 15 days to prepare for the Ethics Paper, the wise utilisation of a brief period like a fortnight is also challenging due to the lack of clarity on what and how to study for this Paper.

**Thirdly**, the ability to answer quote-based questions, which, to some extent, requires a wide reading base, creative thinking and conceptual understanding which may not materialize for most students immediately.

**Fourthly**, we have seen that a large majority of our own students of MGP do not do justice to the paper, despite Mains experience and do poorly in GS IV Tests. This course tries to offer a solution to that.

## About Ethics Foundation Program:

The Ethics+ Classes focus on the following aspects:

- Complete & Comprehensive Coverage of Ethics Terms & Terminologies
- Case Studies covered with scenarios of real life where a Civil Servant faces Ethical dilemma.
- Coverage of key issues and expected questions through Questions & Answers
- Quality Note Making & Answer Writing
- Previous Year question Papers solving

## Why Ethics Foundation Program:

We have guided several of our students through the MGP to approach the Ethics Paper in a manner that leads to good marks as scored by **Vedika Bansal** (Rank 96, 132 Marks in GS IV) **Natasha Goyal** (Rank 175, 133 Marks in GS IV), **Smriti Mishra** (Rank 4, 118 Marks in GS IV), **Neha Bhosle** (Rank 15, 147 Marks in GS IV) **Himanshu Gupta** (Rank 27, 139 Marks in GS IV), **Karnati Varun Reddy** (Rank 7, 121 Marks in GS IV) and **Minal Karanwal** (Rank 35, 114 Marks in GS IV). In CSE 2023, However, we have felt that with focus on answer writing, several students end up writing "**Man ki Baat**" in Ethics answers even where questions have a definite theoretical answer. Ethics+ aims to build this theoretical base which is necessary when one delves into answer writing.

## Schedule & Duration:

- 5 Classes will be held in a week on Monday to Friday.
- Duration of Classes will be of 2 hours.
- This module will also include the Case Studies.
- The course will consist of 20+ classes on Theories and 5+ classes on (Case Studies)

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### FEE STRUCTURE

Course	Fees (Inclusive of Taxes) Offline Only
Ethics Foundation Program 2025	₹ 10,000

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