

PSIR



OGP 2026

OPTIONAL GUIDANCE PROGRAM

**Answer Writing Based *Mentorship Program* To Cover
PSIR Optional Through *600+ Questions & Answers***

Program Highlights

- Comprehensive **Study Modules** covering **full PSIR syllabus** with **self-assessment worksheet**.
- **25 AWSM classes (Answer Writing Structure & Methodology)** that turn topics into probable questions & teach step wise answer framework with answer scripts.
- **35 DAWT mini test** (Consist of 7 Questions) to build exam-speed writing with evaluation, discussion, & model answers.
- **4 Sectional Tests+ 4 Full Length Tests** simulating UPSC pattern with evaluation, discussion, & model answers.
- Comprehensive PYQ integration through **classes, worksheets, Tests**.
- **Personalised mentorship** based on each worksheet & test.
- **#Complimentary access** to PSIR Dynamics Course (Weekly PSIR Current Affair Classes)
- Compact 4.5 Months timeline & limited to **100 seats** for individual attention

Who should Join

Those Who...

- have **attempted** UPSC CSE with PSIR Optional at least once.
- want to finish the entire PSIR syllabus through disciplined, structured Answer Writing with right Guidance.
- seek strong **Conceptual clarity** and depth in PSIR Optional and need time bound coverage of **PYQs** with **model answers**.
- are aiming for **300+ score** in PSIR Optional

BATCH STARTS

05 SEP 2025

Only for first
100 Students

Learning Journey

1 25 Study Modules



Topic wise concise **notes** with self assessment **worksheets** covering entire syllabus of PSIR.

2 25 AWSM Classes



Worksheet based classes convert topics into **probable UPSC Questions** and teach **step by step answer writing** with answer scripts. **Personalised mentorship** on each worksheet.

3 DAWT Mini Tests



Total **35 Mini Tests** with **evaluation discussion & model answers** to build exam speed writing & consolidate what was learned in classes and worksheets.

4 Sectional & Full Length Tests



4 Sectional Tests & 4 Full Length Tests assess cumulative understanding and simulate actual UPSC pattern, includes **evaluation, discussion, model answers**.

5 PYQ Integration



Previous Year Questions are discussed in class, appear across worksheets and mini-tests with **detailed model answers**.

6 PSIR Dynamics Integration



Current issues are integrated through weekly **PSIR Dynamics Classes** keeping the notes updated. **\$(Free access to year long PSIR Dynamics Course)**

7 Personalised 1-1 Mentorship



Directly led by Faculty, worksheet and evaluation based mentorship with doubt sessions-delivering actionable feedback, answer-improvement strategies, note making guidance and addressing conceptual gaps.



PSIR OGP by ForumIAS for Mains 2026

Course	Deliverables	Fees (for both Online & Offline)
PSIR OGP(Annexure-I)	25 AWSM Classes & Worksheets 35 OAWFG Mini Tests 4 Sectional & 4 Full Length Tests	Rs. 25,000 + GST(18%) Total Fees- 29,500/-

Concessions:

The program is available at a concession of **Rs.3,500/- for optional foundation, MGP Infinity and GS foundation students**. The program is available at a concession of **Rs. 2,500/- for ForumIAS MGP and Current Affairs students**. The program is available at a concession of **Rs. 1,000/- for ForumIAS students from courses other than mentioned above**.

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- By doing a NEFT / Cash Deposit in HDFC bank Accounts. For this Option, please email us at admissions@forumias.academy
- By Visiting the Offline Guidance Center* and making payment through Credit Card / Debit Card / Cheque / DD

For any query you can call us at +91 – 93117 40900 | + 91 – 93117 40400 or write to us at admissions@forumias.academy.

Terms & Conditions

- 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.
- Your test copies will be evaluated within 10 working days of copy submission.
- Copies must be submitted within three weeks of the test release for timely evaluation. We recommend that you stick to the timetable and write tests on designated days. The commitment of 10 working days evaluation is valid only for copies submitted in this time period.
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Annexure – I (OGP Calendar)

S.no	DAY DATE	TEST TYPE	TOPICS
PAPER - I			
1	05 September, 2025 Friday	AWSM Class 1	Topics - Test - 1
2	07 September, 2025 Sunday	DAWT 1 (981501)	Western Political Thought: Plato, Aristotle, Machiavelli, Hobbes, Locke.
3	09 September, 2025 Tuesday	AWSM Class 2	Topics - Test - 2
4	11 September, 2025 Thursday	DAWT 2 981502	Western Political Thought: John S. Mill, Marx, Gramsci, Hannah Arendt.
5	13 September, 2025 Saturday	AWSM Class 3	Topics - Test - 3
6	15 September, 2025 Monday	DAWT 3 981503	Political Ideologies: Liberalism, Socialism, Marxism, Fascism, Gandhism, and Feminism.
7	17 September, 2025 Wednesday	AWSM Class 4	Topics - Test - 4, 5
8	19 September, 2025 Friday	DAWT 4 981504	Political Theory: meaning and approaches.
9	21 September, 2025 Sunday	DAWT 5 981505	Theories of state: Liberal, Neo-liberal, Marxist. Pluralist, post-colonial, and Feminist.
10	23 September, 2025 Tuesday	AWSM Class 5	Topics - Test - 6, 7
11	25 September, 2025 Thursday	DAWT 6 981506	Justice: Conceptions of justice with special reference to Rawl's theory of justice and its communitarian critiques.
12	27 September, 2025 Saturday	DAWT 7 981507	Equality: Social, political, and economic; relationship between equality and freedom; Affirmative action. Rights: Meaning and theories; different kinds of rights; Concept of Human Rights.
13	29 September, 2025 Monday	AWSM Class 6	Topics - Test - 8
14	01 October, 2025 Wednesday	DAWT 8 981508	Concept of power: hegemony, ideology, and legitimacy. Democracy: Classical and contemporary theories; different models of democracy—representative, participatory, and deliberative.
15	03 October, 2025 Friday	AWSM Class 7	Topics - Test - 9
16	05 October, 2025 Sunday	DAWT 9 981509	Indian Political Thought: Dharamshastra, Arthashastra, and Buddhist Traditions; Sir Syed Ahmed Khan.
17	07 October, 2025 Tuesday	AWSM Class 8	Topics - Test - 10
18	09 October, 2025 Thursday	DAWT 10 981510	Indian Political Thought: Sri Aurobindo, M. K. Gandhi, B. R. Ambedkar, M. N. Roy.
	11 October, 2025 Saturday	SECTIONAL TEST 1 (934215)	TOPICS – COMPLETE PAPER – 1 SECTION - A
19	13 October, 2025 Monday	AWSM Class 9	Topics - Test – 11, 12

18	15 October, 2025 Wednesday	DAWT 11 981511	Indian Nationalism: Political Strategies of India's Freedom Struggle; Perspectives on Indian National Movement: Liberal, Socialist, and Marxist; Radical Humanist and Dalit. Making of the Indian Constitution: Legacies of the British rule; different social and political perspectives.
19	17 October, 2025 Friday	DAWT 12 981512	Salient Features of the Indian Constitution: The Preamble, Fundamental Rights and Duties, Directive Principles, Parliamentary System and Amendment Procedures; Judicial Review and Basic Structure doctrine.
20	19 October, 2025 Sunday	AWSM Class 10	Topics - Test – 13
21	24 October, 2025 Friday	DAWT 13 981513	Principal Organs of the Union Government: Envisaged role and actual working of the Executive, Legislature, and Supreme Court. Principal Organs of the State Government: Envisaged role and actual working of the Executive, Legislature, and High Courts.
22	26 October, 2025 Sunday	AWSM Class 11	Topics - Test – 14, 15
23	28 October, 2025 Tuesday	DAWT 14 981514	Grassroots Democracy: Panchayati Raj and Municipal Government; Significance of 73rd and 74th Amendments; Grassroot movements.
24	30 October, 2025 Thursday	DAWT 15 981515	Statutory Institutions/Commissions: Election Commission, Comptroller and Auditor General, Finance Commission, Union Public Service Commission, National Commission for Scheduled Castes, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, National Commission for Women, National Human Rights Commission, National Commission for Minorities, National Backward Classes Commission.
25	01 November, 2025 Saturday	AWSM Class 12	Topics - Test – 16, 17
26	03 November, 2025 Monday	DAWT 16 981516	Federalism: Constitutional provisions; changing nature of centre-state relations; integrationist tendencies and regional aspirations; inter-state disputes.
27	05 November, 2025 Wednesday	DAWT 17 981517	Planning and Economic development: Nehruvian and Gandhian perspectives; Role of planning and public sector; Green Revolution, land reforms and agrarian relations; liberalization and economic reforms.
28	07 November, 2025 Friday	AWSM Class 13	Topics - Test – 18, 19
29	09 November, 2025 Friday	DAWT 18 981518	Caste, Religion and Ethnicity in Indian Politics. Party System: National and regional political parties, ideological and social bases of parties; Patterns of coalition politics; Pressure groups, trends in electoral behaviour; changing socio-economic profile of Legislators.
30	11 November, 2025 Tuesday	DAWT 19 981519	Social Movement: Civil liberties and human rights movements; women's movements; environmentalist movements.
	13 November, 2025 Thursday	SECTIONAL TEST 2 (934216)	TOPICS – COMPLETE PAPER – 1 SECTION - B
	14 November, 2025	FLT - 1	
PAPER - II			
31	15 November, 2025 Saturday	AWSM Class 14	Topics - Test – 20, 21

32	17 November, 2025 Monday	DAWT 20 981520	Comparative Politics: Nature and major approaches; Political economy and political sociology perspectives; Limitations of the comparative method.
33	19 November, 2025 Wednesday	DAWT 21 981521	State in Comparative Perspective: Characteristics and changing nature of the State in capitalist and socialist economies, and advanced industrial and developing societies. Politics of Representation and Participation: Political parties, pressure groups, and social movements in advanced industrial and developing societies.
34	21 November, 2025 Friday	AWSM Class 15	Topics - Test – 22
35	23 November, 2025 Sunday	DAWT 22 981522	Globalisation: Responses from developed and developing societies. Approaches to the Study of International Relations: Idealist, Realist, Marxist, Functionalist, and Systems theory.
36	25 November, 2025 Tuesday	AWSM Class 16	Topics - Test – 23
37	27 November, 2025 Thursday	DAWT 23 981523	Key Concepts in International Relations: National interest, security and power; Balance of power and deterrence; Transnational actors and collective security; World capitalist economy and globalisation.
38	29 November, 2025 Saturday	AWSM Class 17	Topics - Test – 24
39	01 December, 2025 Monday	DAWT 24 981524	Changing International Political Order: Rise of super powers; Strategic and ideological Bipolarity, arms race, and cold war; Nuclear threat; Non-aligned Movement: Aims and achievements; Collapse of the Soviet Union; Unipolarity and American hegemony; Relevance of non-alignment in the contemporary world.
40	03 December, 2025 Wednesday	AWSM Class 18	Topics - Test – 25
41	05 December, 2025 Friday	DAWT 25 981525	Evolution of the International Economic System: From Brettonwoods to WTO; Socialist economies and the CMEA (Council for Mutual Economic Assistance); Third World demand for new international economic order; Globalisation of the world economy.
42	07 December, 2025 Sunday	AWSM Class 19	Topics - Test – 26, 27
43	09 December, 2025 Tuesday	DAWT 26 981526	United Nations: Envisaged role and actual record; Specialized UN agencies—aims and functioning; need for UN reforms. Regionalisation of World Politics: EU, ASEAN, APEC, SAARC, NAFTA.
44	11 December, 2025 Thursday	DAWT 27 981527	Contemporary Global Concerns: Democracy, human rights, environment, gender justice, terrorism, nuclear proliferation.
	13 December, 2025 Saturday	SECTIONAL TEST 3 (934217)	TOPICS COMPLETE PAPER - 2 SECTION -A
45	15 December 2025 Monday	AWSM Class 20	Topics - Test – 28, 29
46	17 December, 2025 Wednesday	DAWT 28 981528	Indian Foreign Policy: Determinants of foreign policy; the institutions of policy-making; Continuity and change.
47	19 December, 2025 Friday	DAWT 29 981529	India's Contribution to the Non-Alignment Movement Different phases; Current role.
48	21 December, 2025 Sunday	AWSM Class 21	Topics - Test – 30

49	23 December, 2025 Tuesday	DAWT 30 981530	India and South Asia: Regional Co-operation: SAARC- past performance and future prospects; South Asia as a Free Trade Area; India's "Look East" policy; Impediments to regional cooperation: River water disputes; illegal cross border migration; Ethnic conflicts and insurgencies; Border disputes.
50	26 December, 2025 Friday	AWSM Class 22	Topics - Test – 31
51	28 December, 2025 Sunday	DAWT 31 981531	India and the Global South: Relations with Africa and Latin America; Leadership role in the demand for NIEO and WTO negotiations.
52	30 December, 2025 Tuesday	AWSM Class 23	Topics - Test – 32
53	02 January, 2026 Friday	DAWT 32 981532	India and the Global Centres of Power: USA, EU, Japan, China, and Russia.
54	04 January, 2026 Sunday	AWSM Class 24	Topics - Test – 33,34
55	06 January, 2026 Tuesday	DAWT 33 981533	India and the UN System: Role in UN Peace-keeping; Demand for Permanent Seat in the Security Council.
56	08 January, 2026 Thursday	DAWT 34 981534	India and the Nuclear Question: Changing perceptions and policy.
57	10 January, 2026 Saturday	AWSM Class 25	Topics - Test – 35
58	12 January, 2026 Monday	DAWT 35 981535	Recent developments in Indian Foreign Policy: India's position on the recent crises in Afghanistan, Iraq, and West Asia; growing relations with US and Israel; Vision of a new world order.
	15 January, 2026 Thursday	SECTIONAL TEST 4 (934218)	TOPICS COMPLETE PAPER - 2 SECTION -B
	17 January, 2026 Saturday	FLT-2	
	After Prelims	FLT-1	Full length Paper-1
		FLT-2	Full length Paper-2