

PSIR



OGP 2027

OPTIONAL GUIDANCE PROGRAM

Answer Writing Based *Mentorship Program* to Cover PSIR Optional Through
400+ Questions & Answers

ForumIAS PSIR Toppers are among India's PSIR Toppers

Rakhi, Rank 65 (269 Marks)

Program Highlights

- **Study Modules** covering PSIR syllabus with **self-assessment worksheet**.
- **35 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.
- **8 Revision Tests + 2 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.
- **Crisp & Concise** study material.

Who Should Join

those who...

- For the aspirant who wants to be taught, not just tested.
- Beyond test series, this adds 35 AWSM teaching classes that build PSIR concepts, frameworks, and contemporary linkages — paired with 35 DAWTs and 2 FLTs.
- Ideal if you want a mentor to walk you through how to think and write PSIR, then practise it immediately under guidance.
- Learn it, write it, master it — with guidance at every step.

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ONLINE & OFFLINE

Program Details

1 Study Modules

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



2 35 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 learn in classes and worksheets.



4 Revision & Full Length Tests

8 Revision Tests & 2 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 Personalised 1-1 Mentorship

8 Revision Tests & 2 Full Length Tests assess cumulative understanding and simulate actual UPSC pattern, includes evaluation, discussion, model answers.



7 Hybrid Mode

Program will be contact in both Offline and Online mode



Fees Structure

Course	Deliverables	Fees (for both Online & Offline)
PSIR OGP	35 AWSM Classes + 35 DAWT + 2 FLT	Rs. 29,500/- (inclusive of all taxes)
PSIR OGP Prime	35 AWSM Classes + 35 DAWT + 8 Revision tests + 2 FLT + 2 Optional Simulator	Rs. 32,500/- (inclusive of all taxes)

Concessions:

The program is available at a concession of **Rs. 3,500/- for Optional foundation students and GS foundation students**. The program is available at a concession of **Rs. 2,000/- for ForumIAS courses other than mentioned above**.

Fee Payment & Enrollment

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

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- By doing a NEFT / Cash Deposit in HDFC bank Accounts. For this Option, please email us at admissions@forumias.academy
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Terms & Condition

- 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.
- All fees once paid are non-refundable in nature. The course is also non-transferable in nature to another person.
- The course will be valid till **30 September, 2027**.
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PSIR OGP SCHEDULE

S.No	DAY DATE	TEST TYPE	SYLLABUS
PAPER - I			
1	6 July Monday	AWSM CLASS 1	Western Political Thought: Plato, Aristotle, Machiavelli, Hobbes, Locke.
	7 July Tuesday	181401	DAWT 1
2	10 July Friday	AWSM CLASS 2	Western Political Thought: John S. Mill, Marx, Gramsci, Hannah Arendt.
	11 July Saturday	181402	DAWT 2
3	14 July Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 3	Political Ideologies: Liberalism, Socialism, Marxism, Fascism, Gandhism, and Feminism.
	15 July Wednesday	181403	DAWT 3
4	18 July Saturday	AWSM CLASS 4	Political Theory: meaning and approaches.
	20 July Monday	181404	DAWT 4
5	23 July Thursday	AWSM CLASS 5	Theories of state: Liberal, Neo-liberal, Marxist, Pluralist, post-colonial, and Feminist.
	24 July Friday	181405	DAWT 5
	27 July Monday	Revision Test HLT-1 (134211)	TOPICS FROM TEST 1 - 5
6	28 July Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 6	Justice: Conceptions of justice with special reference to Rawls's theory of justice and its communitarian critiques.
	29 July Wednesday	181406	DAWT 6
7	1 August Saturday	AWSM CLASS 7	Equality: Social, political, and economic; relationship between equality and freedom; Affirmative action. Rights: Meaning and theories; different kinds of rights; Concept of Human Rights.
	3 August Monday	181407	DAWT 7
8	7 August Friday	AWSM CLASS 8	Concept of power: hegemony, ideology, and legitimacy. Democracy: Classical and contemporary theories; different models of democracy—representative, participatory, and deliberative.
	8 August Saturday	181408	DAWT 8
9	11 August Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 9	Indian Political Thought: Dharamshastra, Arthashastra, and Buddhist Traditions; Sir Syed Ahmed Khan.
	12 August Wednesday	181409	DAWT 9
10	17 August Monday	AWSM CLASS 10	Indian Political Thought: Sri Aurobindo, M. K. Gandhi, B. R. Ambedkar, M. N. Roy.
	18 August Tuesday	181410	DAWT 10
	22 August Saturday	Revision Test HLT-2 (134212)	TOPICS FROM TEST 6 - 10

11	23 August Sunday	AWSM CLASS 11	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.
	26 August Wednesday	181411	DAWT 11
12	27 August Thursday	AWSM CLASS 12	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.
	30 August Sunday	181412	DAWT 12
13	1 September Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 13	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.
	2 September Wednesday	181413	DAWT 13
14	4 September Friday	AWSM CLASS 14	Grassroots Democracy: Panchayati Raj and Municipal Government; Significance of 73rd and 74th Amendments; Grassroot movements.
	5 September Saturday	181414	DAWT 14
	8 September Tuesday	Revision Test HLT-3 (134213)	TOPICS FROM TEST 11 - 14
15	9 September Wednesday	AWSM CLASS 15	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.
	12 September Saturday	181415	DAWT 15
16	14 September Monday	AWSM CLASS 16	Federalism: Constitutional provisions; changing nature of centre-state relations; integrationist tendencies and regional aspirations; inter-state disputes.
	17 September Thursday	181416	DAWT 16
17	18 September Friday	AWSM CLASS 17	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.
	21 September Monday	181417	DAWT 17
18	22 September Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 18	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.

	24 September Thursday	DAWT 181418	DAWT 18
19	26 September Saturday	AWSM CLASS 19	Social Movement: Civil liberties and human rights movements; women's movements; environmentalist movements.
	28 September Monday	181419	DAWT 19
	29 September Tuesday	Revision Test HLT-4 (134214)	TOPICS FROM TEST 15 - 19
	1 October Thursday	FLT-1 (134205)	PAPER-1 Political Science and International Relations
PAPER - II			
20	3 October Saturday	AWSM CLASS 20	Comparative Politics: Nature and major approaches; Political economy and political sociology perspectives; Limitations of the comparative method.
	5 October Monday	181420	DAWT 20
21	6 October Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 21	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.
	9 October Friday	181421	DAWT 21
22	10 October Saturday	AWSM CLASS 22	Globalisation: Responses from developed and developing societies. Approaches to the Study of International Relations: Idealist, Realist, Marxist, Functionalist, and Systems theory.
	12 October Monday	181422	DAWT 22
23	13 October Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 23	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.
	15 October Thursday	181423	DAWT 23
	16 October Friday	Revision Test HLT-5 (134215)	TOPICS FROM TEST 20 - 23
24	18 October Sunday	AWSM CLASS 24	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.
	22 October Thursday	181424	DAWT 24
25	23 October Friday	AWSM CLASS 25	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.
	26 October Monday	181425	DAWT 25

26	27 October Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 26	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.
	30 October Friday	181426	DAWT 26
27	31 October Saturday	AWSM CLASS 27	Contemporary Global Concerns: Democracy, human rights, environment, gender justice, terrorism, nuclear proliferation.
	3 November Tuesday	181427	DAWT 27
	4 November Wednesday	Revision Test HLT-6 (134216)	TOPICS FROM TEST 24 - 27
28	6 November Friday	AWSM CLASS 28	Indian Foreign Policy: Determinants of foreign policy; the institutions of policy-making; Continuity and change.
	7 November Saturday	181428	DAWT 28
29	10 November Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 29	India's Contribution to the Non-Alignment Movement Different phases; Current role.
	11 November Wednesday	181429	DAWT 29
30	13 November Friday	AWSM CLASS 30	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.
	14 November Saturday	181430	DAWT 30
31	15 November Sunday	AWSM CLASS 31	India and the Global South: Relations with Africa and Latin America; Leadership role in the demand for NIEO and WTO negotiations.
	17 November Tuesday	181431	DAWT 31
	18 November Wednesday	Revision Test HLT-7 (134217)	TOPICS FROM TEST 28 - 31
32	20 November Friday	AWSM CLASS 32	India and the Global Centres of Power: USA, EU, Japan, China, and Russia.
	21 November Saturday	181432	DAWT 32
33	23 November Monday	AWSM CLASS 33	India and the UN System: Role in UN Peace-keeping; Demand for Permanent Seat in the Security Council.
	24 November Tuesday	181433	DAWT 33

34	26 November Thursday	AWSM CLASS 34	India and the Nuclear Question: Changing perceptions and policy.
	27 November Friday	DAWT 181434	DAWT 34
35	30 November Monday	AWSM CLASS 35	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.
	1 December Tuesday	181435	DAWT 35
	3 December Thursday	Revision Test HLT-8 (134218)	TOPICS FROM TEST 32 - 35
	6 December Sunday	FLT-2 (134210)	PAPER-2 Political Science and International Relations
	Optional Simulators	FLT-3	PAPER-1 Political Science and International Relations
		FLT-4	PAPER-2 Political Science and International Relations