



# MAINS GUIDANCE PROGRAM 2027

Under the guidance of Ayush Sinha, Founder, ForumIAS

# The Most Powerful

# MGP

# *ever*

MGP Masterclass

MGP Blueprints

Regular Tests

COHORT - 10

15

JULY 2026

Master PYQs

CA Classes

Mentorship

# 65%



of IAS toppers\*

under *rank 10* and *20* in **CSE 2025**

*final* list have been students of

**Mains Guidance Program (MGP)**

by **ForumIAS Academy.**

*Including Rank 4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,14,16,17,19*

\*2 out of top 25 ranks in CSE 2025 have been students of Forum Residential Coaching including AIR 6 & 25.

# How did we build an academy which has sent 2 out of every 3 students selected in Civil Services Examination 2022, 2023 and 2024 – including Rank 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 with near zero Quora reviews, a dull social media presence, and a disinterested marketing plan?

It's *simple*

We focused on our students. And cut the *noise*.

And they gave us Top ranks!

At ForumIAS, our USP lies in being thought leaders in Civil services Preparation, identifying what works and what does not, and make changes every year. We attract the best and the most sincere aspirants and turn them into officers without diluting our course quality to attract the masses.

## Toppers chose ForumIAS

ForumIAS Mains Guidance Program has been the choice of the sincere aspirant – right from first attempters [1] - to students with who are seeking continuous improvement [2] - to those seeking a rank and career improvement [3]. With more than 47 students selected in CSE 2024 in Top 100, being students of Mains Guidance program 2024, we have built an impeccable program that enables you to succeed like no other.

This year MGP is even more powerful, covering almost all relevant concepts of previous year questions (framed differently), handholding you from the very beginning till the end of the program.

The new MGP program is tailored in a way that aspirants ranging from absolute beginners with zero answer-writing experience and skills to students who have already secured ranks but are looking to improve their scores can benefit from it.

Every year since we started **MGP**.

[1] Donuru Ananya Reddy ( IAS Rank 3 ), Shah Margi Chirag (IAS Rank 4), Komal Punia (IAS Rank 6), Aayushi Bansal ( IAS Rank 7), Ettaboyina Sai Shivani (IAS Rank 11), Sanskriti Trivedy (IAS Rank 17), Saumya Mishra (IAS Rank 18) Pratyush Pandey ( IAS Rank 21 ), Saurabh Sharma ( IAS Rank 23 ), Chandrajyoti ( IAS Rank 25 )

[2] Aditya Srivastava ( IAS Rank 1 ), Ishita Kishore ( IAS Rank 1 ), Shruti Sharma ( IAS Rank 1 ), Ruhani ( IAS Rank 5), Varun Reddy ( IAS Rank 7 )

[3] Anudeep Durishetty ( IAS Rank 1 ), Waseem ( IAS Rank 7 )

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I enrolled myself in the Forum Mains Guidance Program+ for GS and Essay Test series. The answer writing practice and written feedback from ForumIAS helped me improve my answers and get a high score in my General Studies papers.

**Shruti Sharma**  
IAS Rank – 1, CSE 2021

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Mains Guidance Program (MGP) helped me in simulating Mains and the feedback was helpful too. Thank you for so much efficiency in paper checking and the elaborate feedback. Mentorship session by Ayush Sir was very helpful.

**Ishita Kishore**  
IAS Rank - 1, CSE 2022

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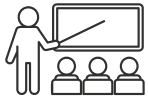
I joined MGP in my CSE 2022 attempt and got benefitted from the detailed evaluation and timely query resolution of ForumIAS. Thanks to ForumIAS.

**Aditya Srivastava**  
IAS Rank - 1, CSE 2023

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Each year, ForumIAS *learns* from its own experiences and success of its students to further strengthen and refine the Mains Guidance Program, ensuring rigorous and *exam-aligned* preparation.

## INTRODUCING



### **MGP Masterclass\***

Cover important static concepts through byte size live and recorded lectures



### **MGP Blueprints**

Complete content consolidation through up to date, super crisp and ultra relevant docs



### **CA Classes\***

Prepare Current Affairs Like No Other with theme wise classes based on relevance, recall, retention philosophy



### **Master PYQs**

Comprehensive Analysis and Relevant Learning through complete decoding of last 15 Years Mains PYQ's

## UPGRADING



### **Test Feedback**

Making test feedback more interactive and Intuitive



### **Mentorship**

Expanding the scope to move from passive to a more active mentorship

\* Available only in MGP Prime.

\* The class are available only on ForumIAS desktop app (Mac/Windows).

\* All deliverables of above mentioned programs are in digital format.

# MGP Masterclass & MGP Blueprints

**MGP Masterclasses** are byte size explanatory videos ensuring comprehensive coverage of different concepts from static part of syllabus.

These are **focused, efficient,** and **exam-oriented** and integrates **MGP worksheets** for self practice.

Each topic is broken down logically and explained with clarity to ensure strong conceptual understanding without unnecessary overload.

MGP Masterclass is available both in live and recorded format allowing aspirants to learn at their own pace while staying consistent.

This structured approach **improves retention, speeds up revision,** and helps aspirants convert static subjects into reliable scoring areas.

**MGP Blueprints** are designed to eliminate content chaos by bringing everything important into one place. They focus on **complete content** consolidation through documents that are **up-to-date, super crisp,** and **strictly exam-relevant.**

Each Blueprint filters current affairs and static linkages to retain only what matters for Prelims and Mains. No excess theory, no outdated references—just sharp points aligned with PYQs and evolving UPSC trends.

The documents are structured for **quick reading, easy revision,** and **high recall.** They reduce dependence on multiple sources and repeated note-making.

With MGP Blueprints, aspirants gain clarity, confidence, and control over the syllabus—turning scattered information into a single, reliable, scoring-ready resource

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“Dear Forum,  
I am very grateful to Ayush sir and team for being instrumental in my preparation. I took SFG and MGP tests. MGP tests boosted my rank and GS scores. Also thankful for Ayush sir’s YouTube strategy videos.  
Thank you!”

A. R. Rajah Mohaideen  
Rank - 7, CSE 2025

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# Impeccable Mentors that our students vouch for.

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“Forum IAS has been an integral part of my test series journey. The MGP 2023 and MGP 2025 have been a game changer in completing my paper on time with good structure. I am grateful towards the entire team and mentors for their support and guidance. Forum IAS has been the backbone which provided me the confidence and support throughout my UPSC journey.”

Ujjwal Priyank  
IAS Rank - 10, CSE 2025

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The best mentor you can get is an elder sibling who is in service.

The *second-best* mentors are at ForumIAS.

At the **core** of Mains Guidance Program is Mentorship. At ForumIAS, you have access to the best team of mentors who have the relevant experience of guiding the *Crème de la crème* of Civil Services aspirants.

ForumIAS mentors follows an **active mentorship** approach, where mentorship is not passive or optional, but a continuous and structured academic engagement.

They have the experience of **handholding students** who are complete beginners – who are beginning their Civil Services preparation with very little experience to students who have come after 3–4 failed attempts.

As part of **active mentorship**, they reach out to students after the evaluation of every answer copy, ensuring **focused guidance, course correction, and academic clarity**.

Our mentorship has enabled them to realise their true potential by securing their name in the final list. This process is further strengthened through continuous **mentor townhalls** / group mentorship sessions, where students learn from the queries, discussions, and common mistakes of fellow aspirants.

ForumIAS boasts of the best tribe of mentors who have mentored – and continue to mentor – hundreds – if not thousands – of selected candidates.

In fact, if you have heard of the term *mentorship* in Civil Services preparation – remember it *all began with* the MGP Mentorship program.

# High Quality Questions & Answers that make you think and open your mind. Period.

Mains Guidance Program is no *ordinary* test series. They are also not a *bunch of questions* pooled together and dumped on the students.

One of the *key* differences between the Civil Services Examination conducted by the Union Public Service Commission vis-à-vis other State Services Examinations and University Examinations is that the Civil Services Mains Examination is a *thinking* paper.

This means that you cannot simply mug up notes and vomit them in the paper.

Questions often require deeper understanding, conceptual awareness and a thinking and open mind that can *quickly* collate *opinions* and facts to answer questions asked on the go.

With the increasing difficulty level of the Civil Services Examination, MGP makes you *think* - opens your mind to new ideas and dimensions – and prepares you for the real exam like no other.

Which is why the largest number of selected students\* and interview appeared candidates choose the Mains Guidance Program over and over again.

\*for rank improvement and mentorship guidance

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“I was part of MGP, SFG (Level 1, 2) and AWFG

MGP helped me attain one of the highest scores in GS (450 marks). I also followed Ayush Sinha sir’s strategy videos. Grateful to the entire Forum IAS team.”

Monika Srivastava  
IAS Rank - 16, CSE 2025

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**Start as an aspirant.**

**End up becoming officer with the year-long MGP.**

**Compete with India's best.**

**In fact, *become* India's best.**

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“For the journey may be long, but it is full of experiences, knowledge and it assures a change of life & self. Many thanks to Forum IAS for building a community, delivering exceptional content, tests and making the preparation aligned to what UPSC demands from us.

Simulator and MGP offer a chance to examine ourselves before the exam tests us.

Wish everyone all the best!!”

Dishant A. Nisar  
IAS Rank - 19, CSE 2025

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Do you know that IAS Toppers of CSE 2023, CSE 2022 and CSE 2021 Aditya, Ishita and Shruti were first part of MGP Year Long program?

A lot of students think that they must join MGP after the prelims.

Some students are also misguided into thinking that they must complete the syllabus first then write answers.

Given the nature of humanities, the syllabus completion day never comes, while the exam does.

We don't blame them. A lot of noise on the Internet and for attention—in an age of attention economy—separates the serious and sincere, well-aware student from the masses.

MGP is a self-paced, flexible, self-study plan with answer writing for the sake of accountability at regular intervals, with mentorship support that has worked for thousands of students since we launched the program in 2016.

The Year Long MGP makes sure that you take the slow, but small steps to writing answers, before being thrown into the competition.

There is no substitute for answer writing.

# Prepare Current Affairs with India's Best:

## Based on Relevance, Retention & Recall

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“I was part of SFG, current affairs and MGP at Forum IAS. Discipline instilled through SFG during prelims is very helpful. Current affairs courses helped in holistic mains topic coverage.

I was also part of interview guidance program at Forum. I thank Ayush sir for his valuable insights during one-to-one sessions in interview. I thank the entire Forum IAS team for all the support and guidance.”

Prachi Honey  
IAS Rank - 28, CSE 2025

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Current Affairs Classes are designed to help aspirants prepare dynamically, not mechanically. Instead of daily information overload, preparation is organised through **theme-wise classes** that reflect how UPSC actually frames questions.

Each theme is curated using the **Relevance, Recall, and Retention philosophy**—filtering news through exam value, linking it with static syllabus, and reinforcing it through repeated conceptual anchoring.

Classes focus on issue-based **understanding, interlinkages, and PYQ orientation** rather than headline memorisation. This ensures deeper comprehension and sharper application in both Prelims and Mains.

By structuring current affairs around themes, these classes transform scattered news into coherent, recall-friendly knowledge—helping aspirants prepare **current affairs like no other.**

ForumIAS conducts Year Long Current Affairs (Dynamic Issues – GS Paper 2 & 3 & Certain parts of GS 1 & 4) in 3 phases.

**In the first phase**, one of the challenges with other Current Affairs Classes is that Prelims is completely ignored in phase 1 and is left for last moment. However, we cover the pre-cum-mains syllabus of GS Papers through issue-based classes. Current Affairs for Prelims will be regularly covered alongside mains. Classes are held twice a week till the last week of January.

**In Phase 2**, the focus is completely on Prelims. We sum up current affairs of the past 2 years in about 18-20 classes across Polity, Economy, Geography, Environment, Science & Tech, with mapping and other miscellaneous topics. Classes are held 3 days a week.

**In Phase 3**, which commences 2 weeks after the Prelims gets over, about 20 - 22 classes are conducted focusing on the most important mains issues of that year. Any updates to topics previously covered are also provided.

# Making test feedback more interactive and intuitive.

Test Feedback is designed to go beyond marks and ranks, focusing on **interactive** and **intuitive evaluation** that actually improves performance. Instead of generic comments, **feedback** highlights **why an answer worked or failed**.

Each response is analysed for **content relevance, structure, articulation, and demand** of the question. This helps aspirants clearly identify gaps in understanding rather than guessing their mistakes.

The feedback process encourages two-way engagement, allowing aspirants to **reflect, refine, and realign** their approach. Actionable pointers replace vague suggestions.

By making feedback intuitive, aspirants learn how to think, structure, and write better with every test. This transforms evaluation into a learning tool—turning every mistake into a step closer to Mains success.

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“I would like to thank Forum IAS for being an important part of my journey. I was part of MGP, AWFG & Prelims Test Series. The tests improved my answer writing and model answers provided value addition.”

Aryan Yadav  
IAS Rank - 31, CSE 2025

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# Now cover all relevant questions from Previous Year Questions ( PYQs ) in MGP 2027 with Master PYQ Classes & brilliantly written solutions.

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“I was part of Forum IAS MGP programme. I wrote almost all the tests and they helped me complete the paper on time with good value addition to my notes.”

Mayank Purohit  
IAS Rank - 33, CSE 2025

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**Master PYQ Classes** are anchored in the understanding that the UPSC question paper is the most reliable guide for Civil Services preparation. The programme systematically analyses the last 15 years of Mains PYQs to cover **thematic priorities**, and understand the **evolving nature** of UPSC’s demands.

With MGP 2027, rest assured that you will not only cover all well-curated, important / non-outdated\* concepts from Previous Year Questions through MGP tests – you will also find solutions to some of those questions.

Over the course of almost 12 to 18 months, we will make sure your minds are seeded with previous years questions, so that you not only move in the right direction – you also develop the much-needed confidence in solving previous year questions.

And you will also not waste time solving PYQs that are no longer relevant (due to change in dynamic issues, and some issues becoming dead) – nor waste time researching their solutions.

But that’s not all, with MGP 2027, you will be exposed to the most cutting edge and relevant dynamic questions, that make you think, that open your minds, and train you to face the actual Civil Services Mains paper.

\*A large number of PYQs lose relevance over a period of time given the dynamic nature of current happenings and emergence of new factors. Due to lack of experience, a lot of students waste time solving questions that have lost relevance.

# Take the Handholding Steps.

With MGP 2027, rest assured that you will be provided with handholding features that ease your academic journey as well as easy access to mentors and deliverables from the institution.

For academic journey the tests plan has been curated so that you do a) read the basic books and MGP Blueprint docs, b) Watch MGP Master Class, c) write the self-assessment test and d) finally write the evaluated MGP tests.

The syllabus has been planned in a way that at the beginning you are reading the syllabus which is foundational and common for both Prelims and Mains examination.

A new feature of SPOC (single point of contact) is being introduced which will help you seamlessly connect for mentor interactions. The SPOC will be readily available for your interactions and deliverables with the organization.

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**“Dear Forum IAS,  
I am grateful to Ayush sir and his team for their support. I practiced SFG tests and was part of MGP. The alignment of questions with PYQs is commendable.  
Thank you, Forum IAS.”**

**Nancy Singh  
IAS Rank - 34, CSE 2025**

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## HOW TO ENROLL?

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

Visit website:

<https://academy.forumias.com>



- Net Banking
- Debit Card
- Credit Card
- UPI
- By Visiting the Offline Center (Credit Card / Debit Card / Cheque / DD)
- By doing a NEFT / Cash Deposit in ICICI account.

Please note that you must retain the payment proof in case of Cash deposit / NEFT and send it to **admissions@forumias.academy** within 48 hours of making the payment for your course to be activated. While sharing screenshot do share your ForumIAS roll no. along with course paid for.

For any query you can call us at

+91 – 9311740400, 9311740404 or write to us at **admissions@forumias.academy**

## FEE STRUCTURE

Course	Total Fees
<b>MGP 2027 Cohort - 10</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• LEVEL - I : BASIC (8 GS Half Length Tests)</li><li>• LEVEL - II : PLUS (15 GS Half Length Tests + 4 GS Full Length Tests)</li><li>• LEVEL - III : Revisions (4 GS Full Length Tests)</li><li>• LEVEL - IV : Simulator (8 GS Full Length Tests)</li></ul>	₹ 26,500/-
<b>MGP+ 2027 Cohort - 10</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Includes MGP 2027 &amp; Essay Guidance Program 2027 (EGP)*</li></ul>	₹ 36,940/-
<b>MGP Prime 2027 Cohort - 10</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• MGP 2027</li><li>• OnlineYearlong Pre-Cum Mains Current Affairs Classes.</li><li>• 300+ Concept Classes</li></ul>	₹ 43,520/-
<b>MGP Prime+ 2027 Cohort - 10</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• MGP 2027</li><li>• OnlineYearlong Pre-Cum Mains Current Affairs Classes.</li><li>• 300+ Concept Classes.</li><li>• Essay Guidance Program 2027</li></ul>	₹ 52,960/-

### \*EGP Deliverables (Calendar to be shared in June/July 2026)

- 7 Sectional Tests (HLT) (1 Essay and 1.5 Hours)
- 4 Full Length Tests (FLT)
- Test Discussions
- 7 Thematic classes
- 2 Mentor's Townhall

EGP will start in June/July 2026 all enrolled students will be provided the program schedule before the commencement.

## TERMS AND 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 12 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 12 working days evaluation is valid only for copies submitted in this time period.
- This program is non-refundable and non-transferable. There is no difference between the online and offline mode – candidates can come and write the test at Test Centre or remotely and send us scanned copies.
- Each program of ForumIAS is linked to a ForumIAS Account with a fixed mobile number. No sharing of any programs is allowed. If candidates are found sharing programs, ForumIAS shall be free to terminate that or all program access to the candidate without any refund to the candidate.
- ForumIAS shall have full rights to close admissions as per its capacity. ForumIAS shall be free to amend its schedule in case of any exigencies that may arise.
- All fees once paid are non-refundable in nature. The course is also non-transferable in nature to another person. By subscribing to the course, you agree to the terms and conditions mentioned above.

Feature	MGP	MGP+	MGP PRIME	MGP PRIME+
Half Length Test	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Full Length Test	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mentorship (Active)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Discussion Videos	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Detailed Evaluation	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Essay Guidance Program (EGP)	No	Yes	No	Yes
Master PYQ Classes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
MGP Masterclass (Concept Classes)	No	No	Yes	Yes
MGP Blueprints (Docs)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Yearlong Pre + Mains Current Affairs Classes	No	No	Yes	Yes

- Masterclasses are accompanied by worksheets/assignments for revision and note-making.
- The blueprint will be available only in PDF format.
- Discussion videos will be made available in recorded form only.
- PYQs will be made available in recorded form and will be available after test.
- Masterclasses will be made available in recorded form and will be available after test.



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TOPPPER COPIES



SCAN TO SEE  
SAMPLE MGP  
BLUEPRINTS



SCAN TO SEE  
TEST WISE PYQS



SCAN TO SEE KEYWORD  
BREAKDOWN FOR  
MAINS SYLLABUS

# Detailed Test Calendar for MGP / MGP+ 2027

#	Date and Day Test / Activity Code	Activity Name Time / Questions / Duration	Topic Syllabus	Primary References	Secondary References
<b>LEVEL I : BASIC (8 GS HALF LENGTH TESTS)</b>					
1	"Wednesday, July 15, 2026  Test Code- I12201"	"MGP Half Length Test #1  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 2 / Topic 1, 2, 3 Topic 1: Indian Constitution— historical underpinnings, evolution, features, amendments, significant provisions and basic structure. Topic 2: Functions and responsibilities of the Union and the States, issues and challenges pertaining to the federal structure, devolution of powers and finances up to local levels and challenges therein. Topic 3: Separation of powers between various organs dispute redressal mechanisms and institutions."	"Sources: Mastering Indian Polity by ForumIAS MGP Blueprints EPIC-MGP Essential magazine Newspaper – The Hindu/ The Indian Express"	"11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work 12th NCERT: Politics in India since Independence 2nd ARC Reports (6th Report – Local Governance) Punchi Commission Report"
2	"Monday, July 20, 2026  Test Code- I12202"	"MGP Half Length Test #2  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 2 / Topic 4, 5, 6 Topic 4: Comparison of the Indian Constitutional Scheme with that of other Countries. Topic 5: Parliament and State legislatures—structure, functioning, conduct of business, powers & privileges and issues arising out of these. Topic 6: Structure, organization and functioning of the Executive and the Judiciary—Ministries and Departments of the Government."	"Sources: Mastering Indian Polity by ForumIAS 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express EPIC-MGP Essential magazine MGP Blueprints"	"Introduction to Constitution of India – DD Basu 2nd ARC Reports [13th Report – Organisation structure of Government of India] Punchi Commission Report"
3	"Saturday, July 25, 2026  Test Code- I12203"	"MGP Half Length Test #3  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 2 / Topic 6, 8, 9 Topic 6: Pressure groups and formal/informal associations and their role in the Polity Topic 8: Appointment to various Constitutional posts, powers, functions and responsibilities of various Constitutional Bodies Topic 9: Statutory, regulatory and various quasi- judicial bodies"	"Sources: Mastering Indian Governance by ForumIAS 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express EPIC-MGP Essential magazine MGP Blueprints"	"Indian Polity by M Laxmikant Subhash Kashyap - Our Constitution, Our Parliament Introduction to Constitution of India – DD Basu 2nd ARC Reports"
4	"Friday, July 31, 2026  Test Code- I13204"	"MGP Half Length Test #4  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 3 / Topic 1, 2, 8 Topic 1: Indian Economy and issues relating to planning, mobilization, of resources, growth, development and employment. Topic 2: Inclusive growth and issues arising from it. Topic 8: Effects of liberalization on the economy, changes in industrial policy and their effects on industrial growth."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Indian Economy MGP Blueprints EPIC-MGP Essential magazine Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express "	

5	"Thursday, August 6, 2026  Test Code- 111205"	"MGP Half Length Test #5  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper I / Topic 6, 8 Topic 6: Physical Geography: Salient features of world's physical geography. Topic 8: Important Geophysical phenomena such as earthquakes, Tsunami, Volcanic activity, cyclone etc., geographical features and their location- changes in critical geographical features (including water- bodies and ice-caps) and in flora and fauna and the effects of such changes"	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Geography 11th NCERT: Physical Geography EPIC-MGP Essential magazine MGP Blueprints"	"Certificate Physical and Human Geography by Goh Cheng Leong Atlas: Orient Blackswan "
6	"Wednesday, August 12, 2026  Test Code- 111206"	"MGP Half Length Test #6  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper I / Topic 7: Human and Economic Geography: Distribution of key natural resources across the world (including South Asia and the Indian sub-continent); factors responsible for the location of primary, secondary, and tertiary sector industries in various parts of the world (including India)."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Geography 11th NCERT: Physical Geography 12th NCERT: Human geography. MGP Blueprints "	"Certificate Physical and Human Geography by Goh Cheng Leong Atlas: Orient Blackswan"
7	"Tuesday, August 18, 2026  Test Code- 111207"	"MGP Half Length Test #7  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper I / Topic 2: Modern History: Modern Indian history from about the middle of the eighteenth century until the present- significant events, personalities, issues. The Freedom Struggle — its various stages and important contributors/ contributions from different parts of the country. Modern Indian history from about 1905 until independence."	"Sources: ForumIAS - A Summary of History of Modern India Bipin Chandra –Old NCERT"	"A Brief History of Modern India" – Spectrum
8	"Monday, August 24, 2026  Test Code- 111208"	"MGP Half Length Test #8  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS paper I / Topic 1: Art & Culture: Indian culture will cover the salient aspects of Art Forms, literature and Architecture from ancient to modern times."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Art & Culture A summary of: History of Ancient and Medieval India 11th History book of Tamil Nadu board "	"Text Book on Fine Arts Class XI NCERT CCRT Website or compilation Indian Culture and Heritage -NIOS: www. nios.ac.in"

## LEVEL II : 15 GS HALF LENGTH TESTS + 4 GS FULL LENGTH TESTS

9	"Sunday, August 30, 2026  Test Code- 112209"	"MGP Half Length Test #9  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 2 / Topic 7, 11, 15, 16 Topic 7: Salient features of the Representation of People's Act Topic 11: Development processes and the development industry — the role of NGOs, SHGs, various groups and associations, donors, charities, institutional and other stakeholders. Topic 15: Important aspects of governance, transparency and accountability, e- governance applications, models, successes, limitations, and potential; citizen's charters, transparency & accountability and institutional and other measures. Topic 16: Role of civil services in a democracy."	"Sources: Mastering Indian Governance by ForumIAS 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian express EPIC-MGP Essential magazine MGP Blueprints"	"Indian Polity by M Laxmikant Introduction to Constitution of India – DD Basu 2nd ARC Reports "
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10	"Saturday, September 05, 2026  Test Code- 112210"	"MGP Half Length Test #10  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 2 / Topic 10, 12, 13, 14 Topic 10: Government policies and interventions for development in various sectors and issues arising out of their design and implementation Topic 12: Welfare schemes for vulnerable sections of the population by the Centre and States and the performance of these schemes; mechanisms, laws, institutions and Bodies constituted for the protection and betterment of these vulnerable sections Topic 13: Issues relating to development and management of Social Sector/Services relating to Health, Education, Human Resources Topic 14: Issues relating to poverty and hunger"	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Indian Society and Social Issues Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express EPIC-MGP Essential magazine MGP Blueprints"	"India Year Book for Government Schemes Annual Reports of Ministries such as Women and Child Development / HRD Ministry/ Health Ministry etc. "
11	"Friday, September 11, 2026  Test Code- 112211"	"MGP Half Length Test #11  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 2 / Topic 17,18,19, 20 Topic 17: India and its neighbourhood- relations. Topic 18: Bilateral, regional and global groupings and agreements involving India and/or affecting India's interests Topic 19: Effect of policies and politics of developed and developing countries on India's interests, Indian diaspora Topic 20: Important International institutions, agencies and for-a-their structure, mandate"	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – International Relation Book - Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express EPIC-MGP Essential magazine MGP Blueprints"	"Websites such as – Ministry of External Affairs, IDSA, ORF, Gateway House Challenge and Strategy: Rethinking India's Foreign Policy by Rajiv Sikri Class 12 NCERT – Political Science: Contemporary World Politics "
12	"Sunday, September 13, 2026  Test Code- 112401"	"MGP Full Length Test #1  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours "	<b>GS Paper 2 Full Syllabus</b>		
13	"Saturday, September 19, 2026  Test Code- 113212"	"MGP Half Length Test #12  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 3 / Topic 3,7,9,10 Topic 3: Government Budgeting. Topic 7: Land Reforms in India Topic 9: Infrastructure: Energy, Ports, Roads, Airports, Railways etc. Topic 10: Investment Models"	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Indian Economy Economic Survey of India Selective reading of Indian Economy Since Independence - Uma Kapila 2nd ARC Report (Strengthening Financial Management Systems) Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express EPIC-MGP Essential magazine MGP Blueprints"	"11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development 12th NCERT: Macroeconomics Economic Survey of India Selective reading of Indian Economy Since Independence - Uma Kapila 2nd ARC Report (Strengthening Financial Management Systems)"

14	<b>"Friday, September 25, 2026 Test Code- I13213"</b>	<b>"MGP Half Length Test #13 9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"</b>	"GS Paper 3 / Topic 4, 5, 6 Topic 4: Major crops-cropping patterns in various parts of the country, – different types of irrigation and irrigation systems storage, transport and marketing of agricultural produce and issues and related constraints; e-technology in the aid of farmers. Topic 5: Issues related to direct and indirect farm subsidies and minimum support prices; Public Distribution System- objectives, functioning, limitations, revamping; issues of buffer stocks and food security;Technology missions; economics of animal-rearing. Topic 6: Food processing and related industries in India-scope' and significance, location, upstream and downstream requirements, supply chain management."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Agriculture Economic Survey and Union Budget Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express EPIC-MGP Essential magazine MGP Blueprints"	NITI Aayog reports on Agriculture Yojana and Kurukshetra Selective reading of Book – Indian Economy Since Independence by Uma Kapila
15	<b>"Thursday, October 01, 2026 Test Code- I13214"</b>	<b>"MGP Half Length Test #14 9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"</b>	"GS Paper 3 / Topic 11, 12, 13 Topic 11: Science and Technology- developments and their applications and effects in everyday life Topic 12: Achievements of Indians in science & technology; indigenization of technology and developing new technology. Topic 13: Awareness in the fields of IT, Space, Computers, robotics, Nanotechnology, biotechnology and issues relating to intellectual property rights."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Science & Technology Newspapers – The Hindu (S&T section) / The Indian Express Forum IAS EPIC Magazine MGP Blueprints"	The Science Reporter magazine
16	<b>"Wednesday, October 07, 2026 Test Code- I13215"</b>	<b>"MGP Half Length Test #15 9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"</b>	"GS Paper 3 / Topic 14, 15 Conservation, environmental pollution and degradation, environmental impact assessment Disaster and disaster management"	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Environment ForumIAS Redbook – Disaster Management Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express Yojana Forum IAS EPIC Magazine MGP Blueprints"	"NCERT: Class 12 Biology (Chapter 10: Ecology) 2nd ARC Report [3rd Report – Crisis management] IGNOU – MPA – 018 Disaster management CBSE – XI book – Natural Hazards and Disaster Management"
17	<b>"Tuesday, October 13, 2026 Test Code- I13216"</b>	<b>"MGP Half Length Test #16 9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"</b>	"GS Paper 3 / Topic 16,17,18,19, 20 Topic 16: Linkages between development and spread of extremism Topic 17: Role of external state and non-state actors in creating challenges to internal security Topic 18: Challenges to internal security through communication networks, role of media and social networking sites in internal security challenges, basics of cyber security; money-laundering and its prevention Topic 19: Security challenges and their management in border areas – linkages of organized crime with terrorism Topic 20: Various Security forces and agencies and their mandate"	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Internal Security NCERT Class 12 – Contemporary World Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express Forum IAS EPIC Magazine MGP Blueprints"	"2nd ARC (7th Report Capacity Building for Conflict Resolution) 2nd ARC (8th Report Combating Terrorism - Protecting by Righteousness) IDSA reports The Oxford's Handbook of India's National Security"

18	"Sunday, October 18, 2026  Test Code- 113402"	"MGP Full Length Test #2  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours "	<b>GS Paper 3 Full Syllabus</b>		
19	"Saturday, October 24, 2026  Test Code- 114217"	"MGP Half Length Test #17  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 4 / Topic 1, 5, 8 Topic 1: Ethics and Human Interface: Essence, determinants and consequences of Ethics in human actions, Dimensions of ethics, Ethics in private and public relationships, Human Values – lessons from the lives and teachings of great leaders, reformers and administrators, Role of family, society and educational institutions in inculcating values. Topic 5: Contribution of Moral Thinkers and Philosophers: Western & Indian. Topic 8: Case Studies on above issues."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Ethics Integrity and Aptitude Selective Study from G. Subbarao Newspaper and internet. The Monthly Ethics Magazine by Forum IAS MGP Blueprints"	2nd ARC Reports – Ethics in Governance
20	"Friday, October 30, 2026  Test Code - 114218 "	"MGP Half Length Test #18  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 4 / Topic 2, 4, 8 Topic 2: Attitude: content, structure, function; its influence and relation with thought and behaviour; moral and political attitudes; social influence and persuasion. Topic 4: Emotional intelligence-concepts, and their utilities and application in administration and governance. Topic 8: Case Studies on above issues."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Ethics Integrity and Aptitude Selective Study from G. Subbarao Newspaper and internet. The Monthly Ethics Magazine by Forum IAS MGP Blueprints"	2nd ARC Reports – Ethics in Governance

21	"Thursday, November 05, 2026  Test Code- 114219"	"MGP Half Length Test #19  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 4 / Topic 3, 6, 8 Topic 3:Aptitude and foundational values for Civil Service, integrity, impartiality and non- partisanship, objectivity, dedication to public service, empathy, tolerance and compassion towards the weaker sections Topic 6: Public/Civil service values and Ethics in Public administration: Status and problems; ethical concerns and dilemmas in government and private institutions; laws, rules, regulations and conscience as sources of ethical guidance; accountability and ethical governance; strengthening of ethical and moral values in governance. Topic 8: Case Studies on above issues. "	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Ethics Integrity and Aptitude Selective Study from G. Subbarao Newspaper and internet. The Monthly Ethics Magazine by Forum IAS MGP Blueprints"	"2ndARC Reports (Citizen Centric Administration, Refurbishing Personnel Administration, RTI: Master Key to Good Governance) 2nd ARC Reports – Ethics in Governance"
22	"Wednesday, November 11, 2026  Test Code- 114220"	"MGP Half Length Test #20  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper 4/Topic 6,7,8 Topic 6: Ethical issues in international relations and funding; corporate governance. Topic 7: Probity in Governance: Concept of public service; Philosophical basis of governance and probity; Information sharing and transparency in government, Right to Information, Codes of Ethics, Codes of Conduct, Citizen's Charters, Work culture, Quality of service delivery, Utilization of public funds, challenges of corruption. Topic 8: Case Studies on above issues."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Ethics Integrity and Aptitude Selective Study from G. Subbarao Newspaper and internet. The Monthly Ethics Magazine by Forum IAS MGP Blueprints "	"2nd ARC Reports – Ethics in Governance 2ndARC Reports (Citizen Centric Administration, Refurbishing Personnel Administration, RTI: Master Key to Good Governance) "
23	"Sunday, November 15, 2026  Test Code- 114403"	"MGP Full Length Test #3  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours "	<b>GS Paper 4 Full Syllabus</b>		

24	"Saturday, November 21, 2026  Test Code- 111221"	"MGP Half Length Test #21  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper I / Topic 3, 4 Topic 3: Post-Independence: Post- independence consolidation and reorganization within the country. Topic 4:World History: History of the world will include events from 18th century such as industrial revolution, world wars, redrawal of national boundaries, colonization, decolonization, political philosophies like communism, capitalism, socialism etc.- their forms and effect on the society."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – World History ForumIAS Redbook – Post Independence. ForumIAS Academy - Handouts / Booklet "	"Mastering Modern World History by Norman Lowe John Green Crash Course:World History World History NCERT by Arjun Dev Politics in India since Independence- 12th NCERT"
25	"Friday, November 27, 2026  Test Code- 111222"	"MGP Half Length Test #22  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper I / Topic 5: Salient features of Indian Society, Diversity of India. Social empowerment, communalism, regionalism & secularism."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Indian Society and Social Issues EPIC-MGP Essential magazine Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express MGP Blueprints"	"NCERT -12th– Indian Society NCERT -12th- Social Change and Development in India IGNOU –ESO -12 Society in India IGNOU –ESO -16: Social Problems in India"
26	"Thursday, December 03, 2026  Test Code- 111223"	"MGP Half Length Test #23  9:30 AM / 10 Questions / 1.5 Hours"	"GS Paper I / Topic 5 Role of women and women’s organization population and associated issues, poverty and developmental issues, urbanization, their problems and their remedies. Effects of globalization on Indian society."	"Sources: ForumIAS Redbook – Indian Society and Social Issues MGP Blueprints EPIC-MGP Essential magazine Newspapers – The Hindu/ The Indian Express"	"NCERT -12th– Indian Society NCERT -12th- Social Change and Development in India IGNOU –ESO -12 Society in India IGNOU –ESO -16: Social Problems in India"
27	"Sunday, December 06, 2026  Test Code- 111404"	"MGP Full Length Test #4  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours "	<b>GS Paper I Full Syllabus</b>		
<b>LEVEL III : REVISIONS (4 GS FULL LENGTH TESTS)</b>					
28	"Sunday, December 13, 2026  Test Code- 111405"	"MGP Full Length Test #5  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours "	<b>GS Paper I</b>		

29	"Sunday, December 20, 2026  Test Code- I12406"	"MGP Full Length Test #6  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours "	GS Paper 2
30	"Sunday, December 27, 2026  Test Code- I13407"	"MGP Full Length Test #7  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours "	GS Paper 3
31	"Sunday, January 03, 2027  Test Code- I14408"	"MGP Full Length Test #8  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours "	GS Paper 4

### LEVEL IV: SIMULATORS (8 GS FULL LENGTH TESTS)

32	3 - 7 weeks after prelims	MGP Full Length Test # 9  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 1
33	3 - 7 weeks after prelims	MGP Full Length Test # 10  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 2
34	3 - 7 weeks after prelims	MGP Full Length Test # 11  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 3
35	3 - 7 weeks after prelims	MGP Full Length Test # 12  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 4
36	8 - 12 weeks after prelims	MGP Full Length Test # 13  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 1
37	8 - 12 weeks after prelims	MGP Full Length Test # 14  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 2
38	8 - 12 weeks after prelims	MGP Full Length Test # 15  9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 3

39	8 - 12 weeks after prelims	MGP Full Length Test # 16 9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 4
<b>LEVEL V: ALL INDIA MAINS OPEN SIMULATORS (REGISTRATION MANDATORY) (THESE TESTS ARE NOT EVALUATED)</b>			
40	2 Weeks before Mains Exam	Essay Full Length Test #1 9:30 AM / 8 Questions / 3 Hours	Essay
41	2 Weeks before Mains Exam	MGP Full Length Test #17 9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 1
42	2 Weeks before Mains Exam	MGP Full Length Test #18 9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 2
43	2 Weeks before Mains Exam	MGP Full Length Test #19 9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 3
44	2 Weeks before Mains Exam	MGP Full Length Test #20 9:30 AM / 20 Questions / 3 Hours	GS Paper 4