



# GIAS

# MAINSPECTIVE

# 2017

# Details

| Workshops & Practice Tests               | Centre    | Date & Day |            | Number of Tests | Investment |
|--|-----------|------------|------------|-----------------|------------|
|  |           | Start      | Completion |                 |            |
| <b>General Studies</b>                   | Annanagar | 09-Feb-17  | 18-Sep-17  | 24              | Rs. 10000  |
| <b>Public Admin / History/ Geography</b> | Annanagar | 09-Feb-17  | 08-Sep-17  | 20              | Rs. 10000  |
| <b>GS &amp; Optional Combine</b>         | Annanagar | 09-Feb-17  | 18-Sep-17  | 44              | Rs. 15000  |

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| 14  | 19-Apr-17 | Wed | Practice Test 7                                |  |
| 15  | 26-Apr-17 | Wed | Practice Test 8                                |  |
| 16  | 03-May-17 | Wed | Practice Test 9                                |  |
| 17  | 10-May-17 | Wed | Practice Test 10                               |  |
| <b>IAS PRELIMS STUDY HOLIDAYS</b>                                 |           |     |  |  |
| <b>Mains Test (10.30 to 1.30 pm) Discussion (2.30 to 4.30 pm)</b> |           |     |  |  |
| 18  | 03-Jul-17 | Mon | Test 1   | History of Modern India, Indian Culture, Post Independent India & World History                                  |
| 19  | 10-Jul-17 | Mon | Test 2   | Constitution of India & Indian Polity/ Governance (Statutory bodies to welfare schemes)                          |
| 20  | 17-Jul-17 | Mon | Test 3   | Indian Economic Development  |
| 21  | 24-Jul-17 | Mon | Test 4   | Ethics, Integrity, and Aptitude  |
| 22  | 07-Aug-17 | Mon | Test 5   | Society & Geography  |
| 23  | 14-Aug-17 | Mon | Test 6   | Governance (Developmental issues to civil society) & International Relations                                     |
| 24  | 21-Aug-17 | Mon | Test 7   | Science & Technology, Biodiversity & Security Issues   |
| 25  | 28-Aug-17 | Mon | Test 8   | Essay - (9 am to 12 pm)  |
| 26  |           | Mon | Test 9   | English (Compulsory Paper) - (2 pm to 5 pm)  |
| 27  | 04-Sep-17 | Mon | Test 10  | Full Test 1: GS Paper 1 - (9 am to 12 pm)  |
| 28  |           | Mon | Test 11  | Full Test 2: GS Paper 2 - (2 pm to 5 pm)   |
| 29  | 11-Sep-17 | Mon | Test 12  | Full Test 3: GS Paper 3 - (9 am to 12 pm)  |
| 30  |           | Mon | Test 13  | Full Test 4: GS Paper 4 - (2 pm to 5 pm)   |
| 31  | 18-Sep-17 | Mon | Test 14  | Tamil (Compulsory Paper) - (9 am to 12 pm)   |

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| 18  | 07-Jul-17   | Friday     | Test 1   | †Introduction & Administrative Thoughts, Administrative Behaviour   |
| 19  | 14-Jul-17   | Fri        | Test 2   | Organizations, Accountability & Control, Public Sector Undertakings<br>Plans and Priorities, Rural development programmes: foci and strategies;<br>Regulatory Commissions |

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| <b>20</b> | 21-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 3  | Evolution of Indian Administration, Philosophical & Constitutional Framework<br>National Human Rights Commission;<br>Problems of administration in coalition regimes<br>Union Government & State Government |
| <b>21</b> | 28-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 4  | District Administration, Rural Development (Except programmes), Urban Local Government<br>Disaster management   |
| <b>22</b> | 04-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 5  | Personnel Administration & Civil Services<br>Financial Administration & Financial Management<br>Values in public service; Citizen-administration interface; Corruption and administration                   |
| <b>23</b> | 11-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 6  | Techniques of Administrative improvement, Administrative Reforms since Independence<br>Comparative Public Administration & Development Administration   |
| <b>24</b> | 18-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 7  | Law & Order Administration & Signification Issues in Indian Administration<br>Administrative law, Public Policy   |
| <b>25</b> | 25-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 8  | † Combined Test 1: Paper 1 (Unit 1 to 6), Paper 2 (Unit 1 to 7)   |
| <b>26</b> | 01-Sep-17 | Fri | Test 9  | † Combined Test 2: Paper 1 (Unit 7 to 12), Paper 2 (Unit 8 to 14)   |
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### IAS PRELIMS STUDY HOLIDAYS

#### Mains Test (10.30 to 1.30 pm) Discussion (2.30 to 4.30 pm)

|    |           |     |        |   |
|----|-----------|-----|--------|---|
| 18 | 07-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 1 | Sources, Pre-history and Proto-history, Indus Valley Civilization, Megalithic Cultures<br>Aryans and Vedic Period, Period of Mahajanapadas, Mauryan Empire  |
| 19 | 14-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 2 | Post-Mauryan Period, Early State and Society in Eastern India, Deccan & South India<br>Guptas, Vakatakas and Vardhanas, Regional States during Gupta Era<br>Themes in Early Indian Cultural History |
| 20 | 21-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 3 | Early Medieval India, 750-1200, Cultural Traditions in India, 750-1200<br>The 13th Century to 16th Century - Polity, Society, Culture & Economy   |

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| <b>21</b> | 28-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 4  | Foundation of Mughal Empire, Akbar, Economy and Society in the 16th and 17th Centuries, Culture in the Mughal Empire & The 18th Century   |
| <b>22</b> | 04-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 5  | European Penetration into India, British Expansion in India<br>Early Structure of the British Raj, Economic Impact of British Colonial Rule<br>Social and Cultural Developments, Social and Religious Reform movements<br>Indian Response to British Rule & Constitutional Developments 1858 and 1935   |
| <b>23</b> | 11-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 6  | Indian Nationalism (1885-1947), Rise of Gandhi Peasant Movements, Nationalism & Working Class Movements, Women & Indian youth & students in Indian Politics, Other strands in the National Movement<br>Politics of Separatism; the Muslim League; the Hindu Mahasabha; Communalism & the politics of partition; Transfer of power; Independence. Consolidation as a Nation; Caste and Ethnicity after 1947; Economic development & political change |
| <b>24</b> | 18-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 7  | Enlightenment and Modern ideas, Origins of Modern Politics, Industrialization, Nation-State System, Imperialism and Colonialism, Revolution and Counter-Revolution  |
| <b>25</b> | 25-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 8  | World Wars I & II: The World after World War II<br>Liberation from Colonial Rule, Decolonization and Underdevelopment:<br>Unification of Europe, Disintegration of Soviet Union & Rise of the Unipolar World  |
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| 19  | 14-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 2   | ☑ Climatology & Oceanography   |
| 20  | 21-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 3   | ☑ Physical Geography (including Biogeography & Environmental Geography)  |
| 21  | 28-Jul-17 | Fri | Test 4   | ☑ Model Theories & Laws in Human Geography, Population & Settlement Geography                                    |
| 22  | 04-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 5   | Perspectives in Human Geography & Economic Geography<br>Regional Planning  |
| 23  | 11-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 6   | ☑ Physical Setting (Geography of India) & Resources  |
| 24  | 18-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 7   | ☑ Agriculture & Industry & Transport, Communication & Trade  |

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| <b>25</b> | 25-Aug-17 | Fri | Test 8  | ☒ Cultural Setting & Political Aspect & Settlements, Regional Development & Planning & Contemporary Issues |
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