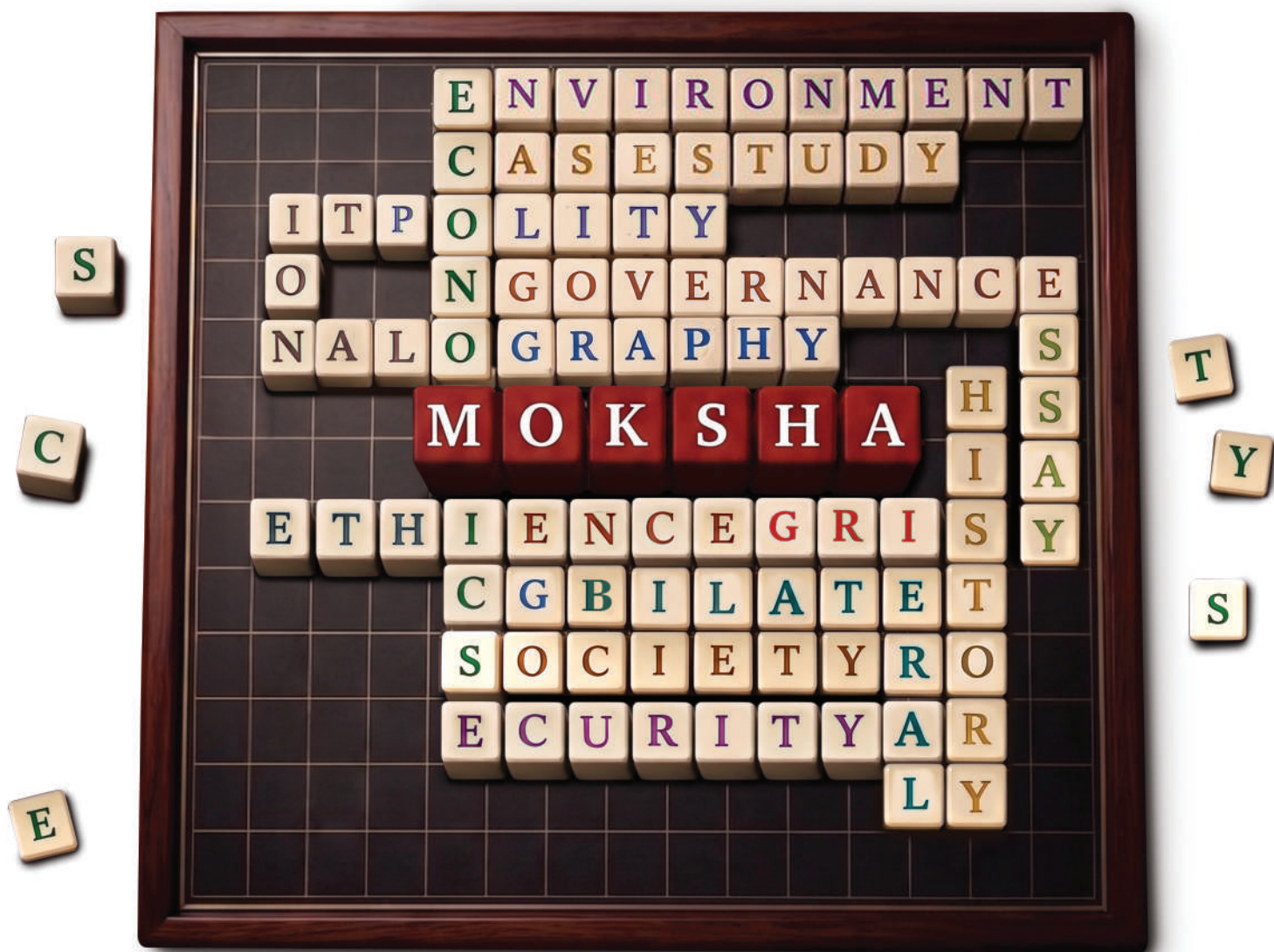




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UPSC MAINS TEST SERIES 2026



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UPSC MAINS

GS TEST SERIES - 2027
(BEGINNER)
(Offline/Online)

MAINS WRITING PRACTICE ON
PRELIMS CUM MAINS SUBJECTS

Admissions From

17th Sept 2026

Orientation on

04th Oct 2026

Tests Start From

09th Oct 2026

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1100+ Ranks in 10 consecutive years from our **Mains Test Series**

GS Pan India Scores

Our students have consistently scored All India highest in GS and Essay

10 Ranks in Top 100

Our Mains test series is the most preferred choice of aspirants across various segments freshers, experienced students to secure/improve their ranks.

HIGH ACADEMIC STANDARDS

A healthy % of questions from our Mains test series have been reflected in Mains exams

Some of our successful candidates from Mains Test Series over the years

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Sivachandran B (Rank 23)*
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Pranav Jain (Rank 150)
Rajath R (Rank 169)
Apsara N (Rank 192)*
Akshay Dileep (Rank 246)
Vishnoi Dinesh Hapuram (Rank 265)
Sanjay Srinivasan R (Rank 268)*
S Saikiran (Rank 298)

• CSE 2022

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Abhinav Siwach (Rank 12)
Kritika Goyal (Rank 14)
Priyansha Garg (Rank 31)
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Vishnu Sasikumar (Rank 31)
Archana P P (Rank 40)
T Bhuvaneshram (Rank 41)
Khode Sameer Prakash (Rank 42)
Vinothini C (Rank 64)
Fabi Rasheed (Rank 71)
Eshani Anand (Rank 79)
Divyanshi Singla (Rank 108)
Manoj Kumar (Rank 120)

• CSE 2021

Yaksh Chaudhary (Rank 6)
Abhinav Jain (Rank 14)
Avinash V (Rank 31)
V Sanjana Simha (Rank 37)
Kushal Jain (Rank 40)
Swathi Sree T (Rank 42)
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Arpit Sangal (Rank 53)

WHY MOKSHA?

TRACK RECORD

10+ Students in Top 100 consistently

ACADEMIC RIGOUR

35-40% of our test questions reflected in UPSC Mains every year

PROGRAM DESIGN

Sequential design of test schedule helps build confidence & momentum in candidates to face the Mains exam

PROGRAM BREAKUP

Orientation

WHAT to study ?
HOW to study ?
From **WHERE** to study ?

Daily Targets

Structurized Completion of syllabus with daily answer writing

Weekly Tests

Apply & test your preparation level

Discussions

Understand the question paper & its expectations

Evaluation

WHAT you got right?
WHAT went wrong?
Evaluation in **7 - 10 days**

Feedback | Mentorship

(In-person | Online)
HOW to improve ?
WHERE to improve?

TEAM

One of the best Mains Test Series team in India to guide you!

Senior Faculty

CSE Toppers

Experienced Mentors

Subject Matter Experts

MOKSHA 2027 – GS

TEST SCHEDULE (BEGINNERS)

Half Tests – 10 Qns in 90 mins

Test #	Date	Day	Time	Paper	Subject
1	9th Oct 2026	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS I	Geography Part (I) – Physical Geography
2	16th Oct 2026	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS II	Polity Part (I) – Indian Constitution
3	23rd Oct 2026	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	Essay	Essay HT
4	30th Oct 2026	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS I	History Part (I) – Modern India
5	13th Nov 2026	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS III	Economics Part (I) – Core Economics
6	27th Nov 2026	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	Essay	Essay HT
7	3rd Dec 2026	Thu	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS I	Geography Part (II) – Resources and Industries
8	11th Dec 2026	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS II	Polity Part (II) – Indian Parliament and others
9	18th Dec 2026	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	Essay	Essay HT
10	24th Dec 2026	Thu	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS I	History Part (II) – Art and Culture
11	2nd Jan 2027	Sat	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS III	Economics Part (II) – Economic Development
12	8th Jan 2027	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	Essay	Essay HT
13	22nd Jan 2027	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS I	Geography Part (I&II) – Full Syllabus
14	29th Jan 2027	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS II	Polity Part (I&II) – Full Syllabus
15	5th Feb 2027	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS I	History Part (I&II) – Modern India, Art and Culture
16	12th Feb 2027	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS III	Economics Part (I&II) – Full Syllabus
17	19th Feb 2027	Fri	2:30 pm to 4:00 pm	GS III	Environment, Science & Technology

- ▶ Only recorded discussion videos will be provided
- ▶ All tests are Half Length Test (10 Questions – 5 x 10 (+) 5 x 15)

OUR TOPPERS' TESTIMONIALS



RAJESHWARI SUVE M
AIR 2 - CSE 2025

Securing AIR 2 in UPSC CSE 2025 was greatly supported by the mentorship at Shankar IAS Academy. Essay guidance transformed my approach to writing — from structuring introductions to developing multi-dimensional perspectives and effective paragraph flow through detailed weekly feedback. Their guidance played a crucial role in my Mains preparation.



DR. A. R. RAJAH MOHAIDEEN
AIR 7 - CSE 2025

Shankar IAS Academy took me from having zero knowledge of UPSC to AIR 7. The GPCM foundation batch made my base strong. I am incredibly grateful for their suggestions and support.



S. RESHMA
AIR 181 - CSE 2025

My journey to AIR 181 began at Shankar IAS Academy through the 2022–23 Foundational Batch. I am deeply grateful for the constant mentorship and support throughout my preparation. With consistent revisions, monthly targets, and focused preparation I was able to secure AIR 181 in my third attempt.



MALAVIKA.G.NAIR
AIR 45 - CSE 2024

I have been a student of Moksha test series of Shankar IAS. I found the program very useful in covering the syllabus in a systematic manner. I use the answer keys because they were very comprehensive in nature. Then there was a constant way in which you could track the level of your paper and the staff was also very responsive and you could comfortably complete the papers as well as your preparation within the schedule mentioned.



AKSHAY DILEEP
AIR 246 - CSE 2024

Moksha test series by Shankar IAS Academy has helped me to constantly improve and test my writing skills during my UPSC Mains preparation. Special regards to their Sociology test series which helped me to boost my optional score from last year.



S SAIKIRAN
AIR 298 - CSE 2024

I had enrolled in Moksha test series for General studies and I must say it is a wonderful answer writing initiative . The nature of questions are thought provoking and relate to those asked in actual UPSC exam . Followed by test , detailed answer key and answer review in personalised manner are enriching that helped in creating a good feedback loop .



VISHNU SASIKUMAR
AIR 31 - CSE 2023

I have enrolled in the GS and optional test series at Shankar IAS Academy. Timely evaluation and thorough reviews have significantly strengthened my mains preparation and boosted my confidence. Therefore, I would like to extend a big thank you to Shankar IAS Academy for assisting me in reaching this stage.

OUR TOPPERS' TESTIMONIALS



VINOTHINI C
AIR 64 - CSE 2023

For mains, I have opted for the test series from Shankar IAS Academy, and it was really helpful.



VENKATESHWARAN R
AIR 152 - CSE 2023

I have enrolled in Shankar IAS Academy mains test series. Feedback from experienced mentors and teachers has not only helped me improve my scores but has also played a significant role in shaping my personality.



ANIRUDDH YADAV
AIR 8 - CSE 2022

I enrolled in the Shankar Mainstorming test series for CSE 2022. The tests were comprehensive, covering the syllabus well and questions were also repeated in the actual UPSC papers. I'm grateful to Shankar IAS Academy for their support and guidance.



RAMAKRISHNASAMY R
AIR 117 - CSE 2022

This year (2022), I scored 824 marks in the Mains and 168 in the interview. This is one of the highest marks in Tamil Nadu. Consistent support from Shankar IAS Academy by providing inputs to improve marks in both the optional subjects and General Studies helped me to arrive at this marks.



MEERA P R
AIR 160 - CSE 2022

Throughout my preparation, Shankar IAS Academy has been of great help. Starting from mains subject experts, faculty as well as individuals in service provided targeted nuanced feedback on answers who offered comprehensive and constructive feedback.



YAKSH CHAUDHARY
AIR 6 - CSE 2021

I have secured AIR 6 in CSE 2021. I was part of the Mains test series and interview programme of Shankar IAS, which was very useful for my preparation.



V SANJANA SIMHA
AIR 37 - CSE 2021

I secured AIR 37 in CSE 2021. I was a part of Shankar IAS Academy's Mains test series programme, which helped me to improve my rank from AIR 207 to AIR 37.

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Tests	13 General Studies 4 Essays	16 General Studies 5 Essays
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