

SOCIOLOGY OPTIONAL TEST SERIES

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Test Schedule Batch 2 Mains - 2023



SOCIOLOGY TEST SERIES SCHEDULE 2023

DELIVERABLES

Question Paper	By 8 AM on the Test Date (online) By 9 AM on the Test Date (offline)
Answer Key	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• An indicative key will be uploaded on the student portal by 6 PM a day after the Test Date.• The indicative key will provide a broad idea to handle the question
Test Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• By the Faculty on the Test Date from Chennai centre• Students from other locations can interact online• Video of the same will be uploaded on the Student Portal by 6 PM two days after the Test Date.• Test discussions will be done for all test except mock test. However, for the mock tests answer key will be provided.
Evaluation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All test papers, including mock tests will be evaluated.• The evaluated papers will be provided within 10 days from the test submissions. All efforts will be taken to provide evaluated papers as soon as possible.• One to one feedback will be provided by the evaluator for all submitted tests either in-person or audio call or video call.
Grievances	Student Portal
Program Mode	Offline /Online Students can choose to write from our centres in Bengaluru, Chennai, Delhi, Thiruvananthapuram or online
Good answers	After 25 % enrolled students write the test
Value Addition	Faculty shall earnestly endeavor to personally interact either offline or online.
Courses	Batch 1 – Mains 2022 [Fulfillment by Sept 1,2022] Batch 2 – Mains 2023 [Fulfillment by Dec 20, 2022]
Note	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A Batch 2 candidate can submit a maximum of 2 tests in a week. Submission beyond 2 tests /week will not be entertained.• Course validity can be extended to a maximum of 30 days from the last test date of the respective batch. Further extension will not be entertained.

SOCIOLOGY OPTIONAL TEST SERIES - BATCH 2 for Mains 2023 – Tuesdays

Test No	Date	Test Time	Discussion Time	PAPER I		PAPER II	
				Units	Detailed Portions	Units	Detailed Portions
	14.06.2022 (Tuesday)	#	5:30 to 7:30 pm	Orientation towards current trends in sociology, answer writing and preparation strategies for Paper 1 and 2			
1	05.07.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00pm to 4:30 pm	1,2,3	Sociology - The Discipline Sociology as Science Research Methods & Analysis	Nil	
2	26.07.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00pm to 4:30 pm	Nil		A (i), A (ii), B(i), B(iii)	Perspectives on the Study of Indian Society Impact of Colonial rule on Indian Society Rural and Agrarian Social structure Tribal Communities in India
3	09.08.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	4	Sociological Thinkers	Nil	
4	23.08.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	5	Social Stratification and Mobility	B (ii), B(iv)	Caste System Social Classes in India
5	06.09.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	Revision Test - Test 1,2,3,4 portions			
6	20.09.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	6	Works and Economic life	C(ii), C (iii), C(vi)	Rural and Agrarian Social Transformation in India

						Industrialisation and Urbanisation in India
						Population Dynamics
7	11.10.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	7, 8	Politics and Society Religion and Society	C (iv), C (v), B(vi) Politics and Society in India Social Movements in Modern India Religion and Society In India
8	18.10.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	9,10	Systems of Kinship Social Change in Modern Society	B (v), C(i), C(vii) Systems of Kinship in India Visions of Social Change in India Challenges of Social Transformation
9	08.11.2022	9 am to 12 noon	2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	Full Test Portions on Paper I		Nil
10	22.11.2022	2 pm to 5 pm	5:30 pm to 8:00 pm	Nil		Full Test Portions on Paper II
11	06.12.2022	9 am to 12 noon	#	Mock Test (Full Portions) Paper I @ 9 am		Nil
12	20.12.2022	2 pm to 5 pm	#	Nil		Mock Test (Full Portions) Paper II @ 2 pm

FEES STRUCTURE:

Batch	Delhi / Thiruvananthapuram/Bengaluru/Online	
Batch 2 – Mains 2023	New students	Alumni
	Rs.10000/-	Rs.9200/-