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## UPSC PRELIMS TEST SERIES – 2026

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**Duration:** 08<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026 – 10<sup>th</sup> May 2026

**Total Tests:** 36 (GS + Revision Tests + CSAT + CA)

TABLE (PHASE 1)

| Date                             | Test No. | Paper Type               | Syllabus   |
|----------------------------------|----------|--------------------------|--|
| 08 Jan 2026<br>(Morning Shift)   | Test 1   | Sectional-1: Polity – I  | Historical Background, Making of the Constitution, Salient Features, Preamble, Union & Its Territory, Citizenship, Schedules, Amendments, FR, DPSPs, FD, Basic Structure, Union Govt (President, VP, PM, CoM, Cabinet), Parliament, Judiciary, Federal System, Emergency Provisions. |
| 08 Jan 2026<br>(Afternoon Shift) | Test 2   | Sectional-2: Polity – II | State Govt – Governor, CM, Legislature; Local Govt (PRIs, ULBs); Constitutional, Statutory & Non-Constitutional Bodies; Elections, RPA, Governance (RTI, e-Gov, Transparency), Welfare Institutions, Lokpal, Committees & Commissions.   |
| 15 Jan 2026                      | Test 3   | Sectional-3: History – I | Prehistoric Cultures, Indus Valley, Vedic Age, Mahajanapadas, Jainism/Buddhism, Mauryan  |

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| <b>(Morning Shift)</b>                   |         |   | & Post-Mauryan, Gupta Age, Post-Gupta, Sangam Age, Ancient Art, Architecture, Culture, Literature, Philosophy.   |
| <b>15 Jan 2026<br/>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 4  | Sectional-4: History – II               | Regional Kingdoms, Delhi Sultanate, Bhakti & Sufi, Vijayanagara, Mughal Empire, Marathas, Medieval Society, Economy, Art, Architecture & Culture.  |
| <b>18 Jan 2026<br/>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 5  | Sectional-5: History – III (Modern)     | Advent of Europeans, Colonial Expansion, British Policies, Impact on Economy/Society, Reform Movements, Revolt 1857, National Movement (1885–1947), Gandhian Movements, Revolutionaries, Left Movement, Modern Art & Architecture. |
| <b>25 Jan 2026<br/>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 6  | Sectional-6: Economy – I                | Concepts, GDP/GNP, Inflation, WPI/CPI, Monetary Policy, Fiscal Policy, Taxes, GST, BoP, Forex, Trade, IMF/WB/ADB/AIIB, NITI, Poverty, Inequality, Inclusive Growth.  |
| <b>25 Jan 2026<br/>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 7  | Sectional-7: Economy – II               | Agriculture, Industry, Infrastructure, Services, Financial Markets, SEBI, Insurance, Banking Reforms, NPAs, IBC, Trade Policy, Export Schemes, Govt Schemes, Sustainable Development, Budget, Economic Survey, CA-linked concepts. |
| <b>01 Feb 2026<br/>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 8  | Sectional-8: Geography – I              | Earth Evolution, Earthquakes, Volcanoes, Geomorphology, Climatology, Oceanography, Soils, Natural Vegetation, Biomes, World Geography, Climate Regions, Maps.  |
| <b>01 Feb 2026<br/>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 9  | Sectional-9: Geography – II             | Indian Physiography, Rivers, Climate, Soils, Forests, Agriculture, Minerals, Energy, Industries, Transport, Infrastructure, Census, Population, Disaster Geography, Map-based topics.  |
| <b>08 Feb 2026<br/>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 10 | Current Affairs Test – 1 (Jan–Feb 2025) | National + International CA (Jan–Feb 2025): Economy, Polity, Environment, S&T, Reports, Indices, Govt Schemes.   |
| <b>08 Feb 2026<br/>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 11 | Current Affairs Test – 2 (Mar–Apr 2025) | National + International CA (Mar–Apr 2025).  |
| <b>15 Feb 2026<br/>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 12 | Revision Test – 01                      | Polity + Economy + History (Complete Syllabus).  |

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| <b>15 Feb 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 13 | Sectional-10:<br>Environment & Ecology | Ecology, Biodiversity, PAs, Climate Change, Pollution, Intl Agreements, Govt Schemes. |
| <b>22 Feb 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 14 | Sectional-11: Science & Tech           | Space, Defence, IT, AI, Robotics, Biotech, Nanotech, Nuclear, New-Age Tech.           |

**PHASE 2 – PRACTICE & INTEGRATION**

*(Tests 15 to 31)*

**Feb 2026 – April 2026**

| Date   | Test No. | Paper Type               | Syllabus  |
|--|----------|--------------------------|---|
| <b>22 Feb 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 15  | Revision Test – 02       | Geography + Environment + S&T (Complete).         |
| <b>01 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 16  | Current Affairs Test – 3 | CA (May–Jun 2025).                                |
| <b>08 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 17  | Full-Length GS Test – 1  | Complete GS Syllabus.                             |
| <b>08 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 18  | CSAT – 1                 | Complete CSAT<br>(Maths/Reasoning/Comprehension). |
| <b>15 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 19  | Full-Length GS Test – 2  | Complete GS Syllabus.                             |
| <b>15 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 20  | Current Affairs Test – 4 | CA (Jul–Aug 2025).                                |
| <b>22 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 21  | Full-Length GS Test – 3  | Complete GS Syllabus.                             |
| <b>22 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 22  | CSAT – 2                 | Complete Syllabus.                                |
| <b>29 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 23  | Full-Length GS Test – 4  | Complete GS Syllabus.                             |
| <b>29 Mar 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 24  | Current Affairs Test – 5 | CA (Sep–Oct 2025).                                |

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| <b>05 April 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 25 | Full-Length GS Test – 5  | Complete GS Syllabus. |
| <b>05 April 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 26 | CSAT – 3                 | Complete Paper.       |
| <b>12 April 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 27 | Full-Length GS Test – 6  | Complete GS Syllabus. |
| <b>12 April 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 28 | Current Affairs Test – 6 | CA (Nov–Dec 2025).    |
| <b>19 April 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 29 | Full-Length GS Test – 7  | Complete GS.          |
| <b>19 April 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 30 | Current Affairs Test – 7 | CA (Jan–Feb 2026).    |
| <b>26 April 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>   | Test 31 | Full-Length GS Test – 8  | Complete GS.          |

**PHASE 3 – REVISION & REAL SIMULATION***(Tests 32 to 36)***April – May 2026**

| <b>Date</b>                                      | <b>Test No.</b> | <b>Paper Type</b>        | <b>Syllabus</b>         |
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| <b>26 April 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b> | Test 32         | CSAT – 4                 | Complete Paper.         |
| <b>03 May 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>     | Test 33         | Full-Length GS Test – 9  | Complete GS.            |
| <b>03 May 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b>   | Test 34         | CSAT – 5                 | Full-Length CSAT Paper. |
| <b>10 May 2026</b><br><b>(Morning Shift)</b>     | Test 35         | Full-Length GS Test – 10 | Complete GS Syllabus.   |
| <b>10 May 2026</b><br><b>(Afternoon Shift)</b>   | Test 36         | Current Affairs Test – 8 | CA (Mar–Apr 2026)       |

**Coverage Summary**

| Category                  | No. of Tests | Duration  |
|---------------------------|--------------|---|
| Sectional (GS) & Revision | 11 & 2       | Jan – Feb   |
| Current Affairs           | 8            | Feb 2026 – May 2026 ( <i>Covers Jan 2025 – Apr 2026</i> ) |
| Full-Length GS            | 10           | March – May 2026  |
| CSAT                      | 5            | March – May 2026  |

**Key Highlights of the Test Series**

- **Total 36 Tests (GS + CSAT + CA) covering UPSC trend topics (2021–2026)**
- **Bilingual Papers (English & Hindi)**
- **Detailed Explanations with Sources (PIB, ARC, Economic Survey, NCERTs, etc.)**
- **Smart Scheduling:** Slow start → double practice in core months → full simulation before UPSC
- **CA Coverage:** Jan 2025 – Apr 2026 (16 months)
- **Answer keys & model discussion sheets available.**

