

## **Bihar PSC Syllabus**

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## 1. STRUCTURE OF EXAMINATION

• The following table clearly illustrates the structure of Madhya Pradesh Public Service Commission (UPPSC) Exam:

Туре	Description		Marks
Preliminary Test (PT)	General Studies	Objective Type	150
	Paper - I	General Studies - I	200
Main Examination	Paper – II	General Studies -II	200
(Written Test) Note: eligible ONLY	Paper - III	Optional Paper - I	200
after passing PT	Paper - IV	Optional Paper - II	200
	Paper - V	Indian Language (Hindi)	100
Total (Mains) Marks			900
<b>Personality Test</b> Note: eligible ONLY after passing Main Exam	Interview		150
<b>Grand Total</b> (PT Marks did not include)			1050

#### Note:

- The Preliminary Examination (PT) consists of one paper carrying 150 marks.
- The Preliminary Examination is of Objective Type (having multiple choice questions) and it carries 150 (objective type) questions.



- Only PT qualifying candidates are allowed for the Main Exam.
- This paper will be of two hours duration.
- Marks obtained in PT are just qualifying and hence no role in final selection or ranking.
- Written Exam consists of five papers i.e. General Studies Paper I, General Studies Paper II, Option Paper I, Optional Paper II, & Hindi language.



### 2. ELIGIBILITY

• Following are the major eligibility criteria required to appear in Bihar civil services exam:

Criteria		Explanation
Nationality		Applicant must be the citizen of India
	Minimum Age	Applicants of all categories must have attained the age of <b>21</b> years
		For Bihar Police Service – <b>20</b> years
Age Limit		For general category – <b>37</b> years
	Maximum Age	For Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe – 42 years
		For OBC- <b>40</b> years
Educational Qualifications	Minimum Ed. Qualification	The applicant must hold a <b>Bachelor's</b> <b>Degree</b> from a recognized University

#### **Physical Standards**

• A candidate must be in a good mental and physical health and free from any physical defect likely to interfere with the discharge of his duties as an officer of a particular service.



## 3. HOW TO APPLY

#### **Mode of Application**

- Online
  - Candidates are required to apply online through the official website i.e. http://www.bpsc.bih.nic.in/Application.htm

#### Fee

- For General & OBC Category The application fee is 650 INR
- For SC/ST/PWD The application fee is 200 INR (Only for the Jharkhand Native Candidate)

#### **Mode of Payment**

• Candidates can also pay fee by using Visa/MasterCard Credit/Debit Card.



## 4. EXAMINATION CENTERS

SI. No.	PT Center
1	Araria
2	Aurangabad
3	Banka
4	Bhagalpur
5	Buxar
6	Darbhanga
7	Motihari
8	Gaya
9	Khagaria
10	Madhubani
11	Muzaffarpur
12	Bihar Sharif
13	Patna
14	Samastipur
15	Siwan
16	Chhapra
20	Sahebganj

• The following table illustrates the BPSC Preliminary Exam center:



## 5. CATEGORIES OF SERVICES

• The following table illustrates the major categories of Bihar Public Service Commission:

Category
Bihar Administrative Service
Bihar Police Service
Bihar Sub-Registrar
Bihar Employment Service
Bihar Jail Service
Product Inspection
Bihar Labor Service
Sugarcane officer
Bihar Commerce Commissioner
Jila Akeynchan Padadhikari
Sahkarita Vibhag



## 6. BPSC SYLLABUS FOR PRELIMINARY EXAM

- BPSC preliminary exam has only one paper carrying objective type 150 questions.
- The following table illustrates the detailed syllabus of BPSC Preliminary Exam:

Paper I: General Studies	
Subject	Торіс
	Ancient India
History of India	Medieval India
	Modern India
	General Geography
Coography of India	Physical Geography
Geography of India	Economic Geography
	Social & Demographic Geography
	Constitution of India
Indian Polity and Governance	Public Administration and Good Governance
	Decentralization: Panchayats & Municipalities
	Basic features of Indian Economy
Economic and Sustainable Development	Sustainable Development and Economic issues
	Economic Reforms and Globalization
Science & Technology	General Science
Science & Technology	Agriculture & Technology Development



	Information & Communication Technology
Mathematics & Reasoning	
Bihar Specific Questions	General Awareness of its History, Society, Culture & Heritage
	Human Rights
	Environmental Protection, Bio-diversity & Climate Change
	Urbanization
General Question o Miscellaneous nature, no	SDOFTS
requiring subject specialization, such as:	Disaster Management
	Poverty and Un-employment
	Awards
	United Nations and other International Agencies
National & International Current	·



## 7. BPSC SYLLABUS FOR WRITTEN EXAM

- BPSC Main Exam consists of five papers i.e.
  - > General Studies Paper I
  - > General Studies Paper II
  - > Option Paper I
  - > Optional Paper II
  - Hindi Language

Written Exam Syllabus	
	Modern History of India
	Indian Culture
General Studies Paper I	Statistical Analysis, Graphs, and Diagrams
	Current Events of National and International Importance
	Indian Polity
	Indian Economy
General Studies Paper II	Geography of India
	The Role and Impact of Science and Technology in the Development of India
Option Paper	Candidate has to choose one subject from the given list (given below)
Hindi Language	Grammar and Literature



#### **List of Optional Paper**

• The following table illustrates the list of optional paper; candidate has to choose one for the written exam:

Subjects
Agricultural
Animal Husbandry &Veterinary Science
Anthropology
Botany
Chemistry
Civil Engineering
Commerce & Accountancy
Economics
Electrical Engineering
Geography
Geology
Indian History
Management
Mathematics
Mechanical Engineering
Medical Science
Philosophy
Physics
Political Science & International Relations



Psychology
Public Administration
Sociology
Law
Statistics
Zoology

