

The Most Simplified Preparations for Judicial Services Examination

HARYANA JUDICIARY SYLLABUS

The Examination shall be conducted in three stages:

- Preliminary Examination (objective type)
- Main Examination (descriptive)
- Viva voce/Personal Interview

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

- The Preliminary Examination will be of objective type and it is of **2 hours**.
- There will be 125 questions and each question will carry 4 marks, with negative marking for every wrong answer 0.80 mark will be deducted.
- There will, however, be no negative marking in respect of un-attempted (un-answered) questions.
- Questions will be asked from Current Affairs, Indian Legal History, Constitutional Development, and Acts mentioned under Civil Law-I, Civil Law-II, and Criminal Law indicated for the Main Examination (See the details below)
- To be shortlisted for the main exam, a candidate has to secure a minimum of 150 marks (100 marks for all reserved category candidates) out of the total 500 marks in the Preliminary Examination. (I.e. The minimum eligibility marks will be 30% for general category and 20% for the reserved category students.)

MAINS EXAMINATION

The Main Exam will consist of five written papers with descriptive or narrative / essay type questions. Each written paper will be of **3 hours** duration. The standard of the language paper will be that of Matriculation Examination of the Board of School Education, Haryana. The syllabus for each paper is given below -

Paper-1 – Civil Law-1 – 200 Marks

- Code of Civil procedure, (also touching upon the Limitation act.)
- Punjab Courts Act, (As applicable to Haryana)
- Indian Contract Act,
- Indian partnership Act,
- Sale of Goods Act,
- Specific Relief Act,
- Indian Evidence Act,
- Haryana Urban (control of rent and eviction) Act, 1973.



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Paper-II - Civil Law-II- 200 Marks

- Hindu Law (Marriage, Adoption, Inheritance & other personal, family laws)
- Mohammedan Law and Customary Law, (Marriage, Adoption, Inheritance & other personal, family laws)
- Law of Registration and Limitation.

Paper-III – Criminal Law – 200 Marks

- Indian Penal Code, (IPC)
- Criminal Procedure Code (CrPC)
- Indian Evidence Act,

Paper-IV - English - 200 Marks

- English Essay on a given topic (1000-1100 words) 100 marks
- Precis Writing- 25 marks
- Words and Phrases (Making sentences with the given words and Phrases) 25 marks
- Comprehension 25 marks
- Corrections (Language, Sentence, Spelling corrections)- 25 marks

Paper-V - Language - Hindi (in Devnagri Script) 100 Marks

- Translation of an English passage into Hindi: 20 Marks
- Explanation of Hindi passage in prose and poetry in the same language: 30 Marks
- Composition (essay), idioms and corrections : 50 Marks

Note:

- Main Examination will be subjective/narrative type.
- The Main Examination will be conducted in English Medium except for language paper.
- Copy of Bare Acts of legislative enactments may be supplied. (*Candidates cannot carry any material into the exam hall.*)

No candidate will be called for the viva- voce unless he obtains at least **50%**qualifying marks in the aggregate of all the written papers. However, for the candidate belonging to the scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes, Physically Handicapped and Ex-Serviceman candidates only (but not dependents of ESM) the qualifying marks for this purpose will be 45%.

VIVA-VOCE/INTERVIEW

- The interview is of **200 Marks**. The purpose of the personal interview / viva-voce is to judge the personal qualities of the candidates. The viva-voce will relate to the matters of general interest and is intended to test the candidates' alertness, intelligence and general outlook. It will be conducted in English.
- The appearance in viva-voce is mandatory to be considered for the final selections.



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• Candidates will be eligible to be recruited as Civil Judges/Judicial Magistrates if they secure **50% or more marks** (read 45% for the scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes, Physically Handicapped and Ex-Serviceman candidates only, but not dependents of ESM) in aggregate of the marks secured in the main written examination and the viva voce.

Refer to the current year's official advertisement for complete details and instructions as applicable.