

# ARUL IAS ACADEMY

## TNPSC - GROUP II/IIA/IV

#### TEST BATCH

TOTAL NUMBER OF GENERAL STUDIES QUESTIONS - 3175
TOTAL NUMBER OF GENERAL ENGLISH QUESTIONS - 1500

**TOTAL QUESTIONS** 

= 4675

GENERAL ENGLISH - 15 TEST
GENERAL STUDIES - 27 TEST
TOTAL TEST = 42 TEST

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#### TEST SCHEDULE FOR TNPSC

## TNPSC GROUP - II/IIA PRELIMS

# General English

{Revised & Updated Syllabus}

Part - (A) - Grammar	- 04
Part – (B) – Poetry	- 04
Part - (C) - Literary Works	- 04
Mock Test	- 03
Total Test	- 15

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#### Module - General English (Syllabus Based Test)

	Title	
TEST NO. 1	<ul> <li>Part - (A) - Grammar</li> <li>Match the following words and phrases given in Column A with their meanings in Column B.</li> <li>Choose the correct 'Synonym' for the underlined word from the options given.</li> <li>Choose the correct 'Antonym' for the underlined word from the options given.</li> <li>Identify the sentence (Simple, Compound, Complex Sentence).</li> <li>British English - American English.</li> </ul>	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 2	<ul> <li>Part - (A) - Grammar</li> <li>Fill in the blanks with suitable Article.</li> <li>Fill in the blanks with suitable Preposition.</li> <li>Select the correct Question Tag.</li> <li>Find out the Error (Articles, Preposition, Noun, Verb, Adjective, Adverb).</li> <li>Select the correct sentence.</li> <li>Select the correct Plural forms.</li> </ul>	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 3	<ul> <li>Part - (A) - Grammar</li> <li>Select the correct word (Prefix, Suffix).</li> <li>Fill in the blanks (Infinitive, Gerund, Participle).</li> <li>Fill in the blanks with correct Homophones.</li> <li>Form a new word by blending the words.</li> <li>Form compound words (eg.: Noun+Verb, Gerund+Noun).</li> </ul>	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 4	<ul> <li>Part - (A) - Grammar</li> <li>Select the correct Tense.</li> <li>Select the correct Voice.</li> <li>Identify the sentence pattern of the following sentence (Subject, Verb, Object).</li> <li>Find out the odd words (Verb, Noun, Adjective, Adverb).</li> <li>Identify the correct Degree.</li> </ul>	100 QUESTIONS



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TEST NO. 5	Part - (B) - Poetry  a) Figures of Speech (Alliteration - Simile - Metaphor - Personification - Onomatopoeia - Anaphora - Rhyme Scheme - Rhyming Words - Repetition, etc.)  b) Poetry Appreciation c) Important Lines	
	Reference: 7th Term 1&2, 6th Term 2&3, English Book  POEMS:  Your Space - David Bates  Sea Fever - John Masefield  Courage - Edgar Albert Guest  Team Work - Edgar Albert Guest  From a Railway Carriage - Robert Louis Stevenson  Indian Seasons - Nisha Dyrene  A Tragic Story - William Makepeace Thackeray	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 6	Part - (B) - Poetry  a) Figures of Speech (Alliteration - Simile - Metaphor - Personification - Onomatopoeia - Anaphora - Rhyme Scheme - Rhyming Words - Repetition, etc.)  b) Poetry Appreciation c) Important Lines  Reference: 8th English Book  POEMS: Special Hero - Christina M. Kerschen Making Life Worth While - George Elliot A Thing of Beauty - John Keats Lessons in Life - Brigette Bryant & Daniel Ho My Computer Needs a Break - Shanthini Govindan	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 7	Part - (B) - Poetry  a) Figures of Speech (Alliteration - Simile - Metaphor - Personification - Onomatopoeia - Anaphora - Rhyme Scheme - Rhyming Words - Repetition, etc.)  b) Poetry Appreciation c) Important Lines  Reference: 9th English Book  POEMS: Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening - Robert Frost A Poison Tree - William Blake On Killing a Tree - Gieve Patel The Spider and the Fly - Mary Botham Howitt The River - Caroline Ann Bowles The Comet - Norman Littleford The Stick-together Families - Edgar Albert Guest	100 QUESTIONS



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TEST NO. 8	Part - (B) - Poetry  a) Figures of Speech (Alliteration - Simile - Metaphor - Personification - Onomatopoeia - Anaphora - Rhyme Scheme - Rhyming Words - Repetition, etc.) b) Poetry Appreciation c) Important Lines	
	Reference: 10th English Book  POEMS:  Life - Henry Van Dyke  I am Every Woman - Rakhi Nariani Shirke  The Secret of the Machines - Rudyard Kipling  The Ant and The Cricket - Adapted from Aesop's fables  No Men are Foreign - James Falconer Kirkup  The House on Elm Street - Nadia Bush	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 9	Part - (C) - Literary Works  Reference: 10th English Book  I. LIST OF PROSE  Sir Isaac Newton - Nathaniel Hawthorne  My Reminiscence - Rabindranath Tagore  The Woman on Platform 8 - Ruskin Bond  The Nose Jewel - C.Rajagopalachari  III. General Comprehension	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 10	Part - (C) - Literary Works  Reference: 9th English Book  I. LIST OF PROSE  Learning the Game (Book Extract) - Sachin Tendulkar  The Cat and the Painkiller (An Extract from The Adventures of Tom Sawyer) - Mark Twain  Water - The Elixir of Life - Sir C.V.Raman  The Story of a Grizzly Cub - William Temple Hornaday  A Birthday Letter - Jawaharlal Nehru  III. General Comprehension	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 11	Part - (C) - Literary Works  Reference: 10th English Book  I. LIST OF PROSE  His First Flight - Liam O'Flaherty  The Tempest - Tales From Shakespeare  The Last Lesson - Alphonse Daudet  The Little Hero of Holland - Mary Mapes Dodge  III. General Comprehension	100 QUESTIONS

**General English** 

TEST NO. 12	Part - (C) - Literary Works  II. Biographies of -  Mahatma Gandhi - Jawaharlal Nehru - Subash Chandra Bose - Helen Keller - Kalpana Chawala - Dr.Salim Ali - Rani of Jhansi - Nelson Mandela - AbrahamLincoln	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 13	MOCK TEST - 1	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 14	MOCK TEST - 2	100 QUESTIONS
TEST NO. 15	MOCK TEST - 3	100 QUESTIONS



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#### TNPSC - GROUP II/IIAPRELIMS

#### **GENERAL STUDIES**

(BASED ON REVISED SCHEME OF EXAMINATION)

## TEST SCHEDULE

△ SCHOOL BOOK TEST : 10

△ SYLLABUS BASED : 10

▲ SUPPLEMENTARY TEST : 07

△ TOTAL TEST : 27



#### TEST SCHEDULE FOR TNPSC GROUP - II/IIA PRELIMS

#### MODULE 1: SCHOOL BOOK MANDATORY TEST SCHEDULE

TEST. NO	TITLE	NO.OF QUES
1.	CIVICS - 6 <sup>TH</sup> -8 <sup>TH</sup> STD	100
2.	CIVICS - 9 <sup>TH</sup> -10 <sup>TH</sup> STD	100
3.	POLITICAL SCIENCE - 11 <sup>TH</sup> AND 12 <sup>TH</sup>	150
4.	GEOGRAPHY - 6 <sup>TH</sup> TO 10 <sup>TH</sup>	150
5.	GEOGRAPHY - 11 <sup>TH</sup> AND 12 <sup>TH</sup>	100
6.	ECONOMICS - 6 <sup>TH</sup> TO 12 <sup>TH</sup>	150
7.	HISTORY - 6 <sup>TH</sup> TO 8 <sup>TH</sup> STD	150
8.	HISTORY - 9 <sup>TH</sup> TO 12 <sup>TH</sup> STD	150
9.	SCIENCE - 6 <sup>TH</sup> TO 10 <sup>TH</sup>	200
10.	SCIENCE - 11 <sup>TH</sup> AND 12 <sup>TH</sup>	150

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#### **MODULE 2: SYLLABUS BASED TEST**

DATE OF EXAM: Will Be Given Individually For Students Joining Test Batch

TEST	TITLE	NO.OF
NO	UNIT-VI: INDIAN ECONOMY	QUES
11.	(i) Nature of Indian economy - Five year plan models - an assessment - Planning Commission and Niti Ayog. (ii) Sources of revenue - Reserve Bank of India - Fiscal Policy and Monetary Policy - Finance Commission - Resource sharing between Union and State Governments - Goods and Services Tax. (iii) Structure of Indian Economy and Employment Generation, Land reforms and Agriculture - Application of Science and Technology in agriculture - Industrial growth - Rural welfare oriented programmes - Social problems - Population, education, health, employment, poverty.  APTITUDE  Highest Common Factor (HCF)  Lowest Common Multiple (LCM)  CURRENT AFFAIRS  JAN 2021	200 QUES
12.	UNIT-III: GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA  (i) Location - Physical features - Monsoon, rainfall, weather and climate - Water resources - Rivers in India - Soil, minerals and natural resources - Forest and wildlife - Agricultural pattern.  (ii) Transport - Communication.  (iii) Social geography - Population density and distribution - Racial, linguistic groups and major tribes.  (iv) Natural calamity - Disaster Management - Environmental pollution: Reasons and preventive measures - Climate change - Green energy.  APTITUDE  ✓ SIMPLIFICATION AND PERCENTAGE  CURRENT AFFAIRS  ✓ FEB 2021	150 QUES
13.	UNIT-VII: INDIAN NATIONAL MOVEMENT  (i) National renaissance – Early uprising against British rule – Indian National Congress - Emergence of leaders – B.R.Ambedkar, Bhagat Singh, Bharathiar, V.O.Chidambaranar, Jawaharlal Nehru, Kamarajar, Mahatma Gandhi, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Thanthai Periyar, Rajaji, Subash Chandra Bose and others.  (ii) Different modes of Agitation: Growth of Satyagraha and Militant movements.  (iii) Communalism and partition.  APTITUDE  ✓ RATIO and PROPORTION  CURRENT AFFAIRS  ✓ MARCH 2021	150 QUES



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	UNIT-V: INDIAN POLITY	
14.	(i) Constitution of India - Preamble to the Constitution - Salient features of the Constitution - Union, State and Union Territory.  (ii) Citizenship, Fundamental rights, Fundamental duties, Directive Principles of State Policy.  (iii) Union Executive, Union legislature - State Executive, State Legislature - Local governments, Panchayat Raj.  (iv) Spirit of Federalism: Centre - State Relationships.  (v) Election - Judiciary in India - Rule of law.  (vi) Corruption in public life - Anti-corruption measures - Lokpal and LokAyukta - Right to Information - Empowerment of women - Consumer protection forums, Human rights charter.  ✓ SIMPLE and COMPOUND INTEREST  CURRENT AFFAIRS  ✓ APRIL 2021	200 QUES
15.	(i) Indus valley civilization - Guptas, Delhi Sultans, Mughals and Marathas - Age of Vijayanagaram and Bahmani Kingdoms - South Indian history.  (ii) Change and Continuity in the Socio - Cultural History of India.  (iii) Characteristics of Indian culture, Unity in diversity - Race, language, custom.  (iv) India as a Secular State, Social Harmony.  UNIT- VIII : History, Culture, Heritage and Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu  (i) History of Tamil Society, related Archaeological discoveries, Tamil Literature from Sangam age till contemporary times.  (ii) Thirukkural :  (a) Significance as a Secular literature  (b) Relevance to Everyday Life  (c) Impact of Thirukkural on Humanity- (d) Thirukkural and Universal Values - Equality, Humanism, etc  (e) Relevance to Socio - Politico - Economic affairs  (f) Philosophical content in Thirukkural  (iii) Role of Tamil Nadu in freedom struggle - Early agitations against British Rule - Role of women in freedom struggle.  (iv) Evolution of 19th and 20th Century Socio-Political movements in Tamil Nadu - Justice Party, Growth of Rationalism - Self Respect Movement, Dravidian movement and Principles underlying both these movements, Contributions of Thanthai Periyar and Perarignar Anna.  APTITUDE  ✓ TIME AND WORK  ✓ MAY TO AUGUST 2021	175 QUES



(v) Geography of Tamil Nadu and its impact on Economic growth. (vi) Achievements of Tamil Nadu in various fields. (vii) e-governance in Tamil Nadu.  APTITUDE  ✓ AREA AND VOLUME  CURRENT AFFAIRS  ✓ SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER 2021  UNIT-1: GENERAL SCIENCE  (i) Scientific Knowledge and Scientific temper - Power of Reasoning - Rote Learning Vs Conceptual Learning - Science as a tool to understand the past, present and future.  (ii) Nature of Universe - General Scientific Laws - Mechanics - Properties of Matter, Force, Motion and Energy - Everyday application of the basic principles of Mechanics, Electricity and Magnetism, Light, Sound, Heat, Nuclear Physics, Laser, Electronics and Communications.  (iii) Elements and Compounds, Acids, Bases, Salts, Petroleum Products, Fertilizers, Pesticides.  (iv) Main concepts of Life Science, Classification of Living Organisms, Evolution, Genetics, Physiology, Nutrition, Health and Hygiene, Human diseases.  (v) Environment and Ecology.  APTITUDE  ✓ REASONING  CURRENT AFFAIRS  ✓ JAN AND APRIL - 2022  18.  MOCK TEST NO.1  MOCK TEST NO.2  MOCK TEST NO.2	16.	UNIT - IX: Development Administration in Tamil Nadu  (i) Human Development Indicators in Tamil Nadu and a comparative assessment across the Country - Impact of Social Reform movements in the Socio - Economic Development of Tamil Nadu.  (ii) Political parties and Welfare schemes for various sections of people - Rationale behind Reservation Policy and access to Social Resources - Economic trends in Tamil Nadu - Role and impact of social welfare schemes in the Socio - economic development of Tamil Nadu.  (iii) Social Justice and Social Harmony as the Cornerstones of Socio - Economic development.  (iv) Education and Health systems in Tamil Nadu.	150 QUES
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18.         MOCK TEST NO.1         200 QUES           19.         MOCK TEST NO.2         200 QUES           20.         QUES         200	17.	(i) Scientific Knowledge and Scientific temper - Power of Reasoning - Rote Learning Vs Conceptual Learning - Science as a tool to understand the past, present and future.  (ii) Nature of Universe - General Scientific Laws - Mechanics - Properties of Matter, Force, Motion and Energy - Everyday application of the basic principles of Mechanics, Electricity and Magnetism, Light, Sound, Heat, Nuclear Physics, Laser, Electronics and Communications.  (iii) Elements and Compounds, Acids, Bases, Salts, Petroleum Products, Fertilizers, Pesticides.  (iv) Main concepts of Life Science, Classification of Living Organisms, Evolution, Genetics, Physiology, Nutrition, Health and Hygiene, Human diseases.  (v) Environment and Ecology.  APTITUDE  ✓ REASONING  CURRENT AFFAIRS	
19. MOCK TEST NO.2 200 QUES 20 MOCK TEST NO.3 200	18.		
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\*Supplementary Test Will Be Given After Joining