

Topper's Talk by Jatin Jain Rank 91

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TOPPER'S TALK - JATIN JAIN

INTRODUCTION (1:41 PM)

- UPSC is just an exam.
- Accept the failure and don't cry over your failures, learn from the mistakes.

STRATEGY (1:43 PM)

- Follows the basic resources i.e. standard resources and Ncerts.
- Analyse the PYQs diligently, and try to analyse the pattern of question framing.
- CSAT:
- Do not take CSAT lightly, start preparing it from day one.
- Practise the quant: especially repeated topics such as Permutation & combination and Number system etc.

MAIN'S STRATEGY (2:00 PM)

- Mains syllabus is predefined, try to study all the topics thoroughly.
- Analyse the main syllabus, UPSC ask questions from the repeated theme.
- **GS1:**
- **History:** Can make short notes on the dynasty by highlighting literature & architecture wise.
- **Society:** smriti shah mam's lecture & mains 365 for current affairs issue & topper's copies.
- **Geography:** NCERT, and prepare notes as per the syllabus and VisionIAS sectional test and model answer.
- **GS2:**
- Can refer to Visionlas value-added materials & this year and previous pt 365.
- **Governance:**
- Implementation of policies & E-governance such questions are asked every year.
- Can refer to Topics copies & Mains 365.
- Used schemes and diagrams and keywords such as bottom-up approach or Sabka Sath Vikas.
- SHGs, Pressure groups and NGOs.
- **IR:**
- Can refer to Mains 365.
- **GS3:**
- **Internal Security and Disasters:** can refer to class notes
- **Economy :**
- **Agriculture:** can refer to Ashok Gulati's editorial and there will be one question on food processing.
- Can refer to mains 365 and class notes.
- **Environment:**
- It is current affairs oriented and Mains 365 and Topper's copy.
- **S&T :**
- It is not a predictable section
- Best what you can do, follows current affairs diligently.
- Can refer to Mains 365.
- **GS 4:**
- Prepare an Excel sheet: syllabus value, definition and examples: personal life, civil servant e.g. , quotes and Diagram.
- Decode ethics: PYQs and prepare a chart by seeing topper copies.
- Prepare a list of Sanskrit quotes.
- Can refer to Mehak Jain's topper's notes.

- **Essay:**
- Can prepare Sanskrit quotes.
- The philosophical essay comes from the repeated theme.
- Mehak Jain's essay notes and Shubam sir's essay notes.
- Try to see Topper's essay.
- Do not use flowery language, the most important is the flow of the essay and try to give a counter-narrative.

ANSWER WRITING (3:04 PM)

- Try to address the demand of the question first
- Secondly, try to structure your answer well.
- Thirdly, your presentation should be good.
- One can write in Pointwise Form.
- Time management is crucial, practise daily.
- Try to brainstorm, and try to prepare a rough answer to PYQs.

INTERVIEW PREPARATION (3:18 PM)

- Confidence is important in Interview.

SOCIOLOGY OPTIONAL (3:20 PM)

- Nitin Sanghwan - essential sociology
- class notes
- Topper's copy.
- Visionlas test series.
- Prepare e.g. from newspaper and Telegram channel.
- Prepare a list of Marxist and feminist scholars.
- Can add family, marriage, caste, gender, religion and tribals perspective in all of the answers.

QUESTION & ANSWER SESSION (3:35 PM)

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