

TNPSC GROUP – I

MAINS TEST SERIES

30 TESTS

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WHY ARAM IAS ACADEMY?

- ❖ **A Total of 30 Tests includes**
 - ✓ **19 split-up Tests**
 - ✓ **2 tests exclusively on current affairs**
 - ✓ **3 tests exclusively on general mental ability**
 - ✓ **3 revision tests**
 - ✓ **3 full mock tests**
- ❖ **For every test detailed explanation will be provided as a hard copy**
- ❖ **Exclusive focus given for each Paper (I, II & III)**
- ❖ **Each test will be evaluated by qualified evaluator and feedback will be provided for enriching answer writing.**
- ❖ **Parameters such as content of the answer paper Completion, Presentation, etc., have been taken into account for evaluation**
- ❖ **Special focus on Old & New Samacheer Books**
- ❖ **Split up based on Group I Prelims mains syllabus to equip students with basic and advanced level Books.**
- ❖ **Mock Tests will be based on TNPSC Pattern.**
- ❖ **“Aptitude Classes” with special focus on short-cuts will be conducted.**

MAINS TEST SCHEDULE - 2019

Timings: 10 AM to 1 PM

Marks: 250

PAPER - I			
Test No	Date	Test Name & Marks	Test Topics
1	20.03.2019	MODERN HISTORY OF INDIA AND INDIAN CULTURE 250 Marks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advent of European invasion - Expansion and consolidation of British rule - Early uprising against British rule - 1857 Revolt • Effect of British rule on socio-economic factors - National renaissance - Socio religious reform movements.
2	24.03.2019	MODERN HISTORY OF INDIA AND INDIAN CULTURE 250 Marks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian National Congress - Growth of militant movements - Different modes of agitations - Emergence of national leaders - Gandhi, Nehru, Tagore, Netaji, Moulana Abulkalam Azad, Ambedkar and Patel - Era of different Acts & Pacts - Second World War & final phase struggle Communalism led to partition.
3	28.03.2019	MODERN HISTORY OF INDIA AND INDIAN CULTURE 250 Marks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • India since independence - Characteristics of Indian culture - Unity in diversity - Race, Language, Religion Custom - India: a secular state - Organizations for fine arts, dance, drama and music. • Role of Tamil Nadu in freedom struggle - Bharathiar, VOC, Subramania Siva, Rajaji, Periyar and others - Political parties and Welfare schemes. • Latest diary of events: National and International - National symbols- Eminent personalities & places in news - Sports & Games - Books & Authors - Awards & Honours - Cultural panorama - Latest historical events - Latest terminology - Appointments - who is who?
4	01.04.2019	SOCIAL ISSUES IN INDIA AND TAMIL NADU 250 Marks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Population Explosion - Unemployment issues in India & Tamil Nadu - Child Abuse & Child Labour - Poverty - Rural and Urban Sanitation - Illiteracy. • Women Empowerment - Role of the Government in Women Empowerment - Social injustice to Women - Domestic violence, Dowry menace, Sexual assault - Role of women and women's organizations

5	05.04.2019	SOCIAL ISSUES IN INDIA AND TAMIL NADU 250 Marks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social changes in India - Urbanization and its impact on the society – Problems and remedies - Impact of violence on Society – Religious violence, Terrorism and Communal violence - Regional Disparities - Problems of Minorities - Human Rights issues. • Education – Linkage between Education and Social Development - Community Development Programmes - Employment Guarantee Schemes - Self Employment and Entrepreneurship Development - Role of N.G.Os in Social Welfare – Government Policy on Health. • Welfare Schemes for vulnerable sections of the population by the Central and State governments and their performance.
6	09.04.2019	GENERAL APTITUDE & MENTAL ABILITY (SSLC Standard)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conversion of information to data - Collection, compilation and presentation of data - Tables, Graphs, Diagrams - Parametric representation of data - Analytical interpretation of data - Percentage - Highest Common Factor (HCF) - Lowest Common Multiple (LCM) - Ratio and Proportion - Simple interest - Compound interest - Area - Volume- Time and Work - Probability.
7	13.04.2019	GENERAL APTITUDE & MENTAL ABILITY (SSLC Standard)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Percentage - Highest Common Factor (HCF) - Lowest Common Multiple (LCM) - Ratio and Proportion - Simple interest - Compound interest - Area - Volume- Time and Work - Probability.
8	17.04.2019	GENERAL APTITUDE & MENTAL ABILITY (SSLC Standard) 250 Marks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information technology - Basic terms, Communications - Application of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) - Decision making and problem solving - Basics in Computers / Computer terminology.
9	21.04.2019	REVISION TEST FOR PAPER – I	

PAPER - II

Test No	Date	Test Name & Marks	Test Topics
10	26.04.2019	INDIAN POLITY AND EMERGING POLITICAL TRENDS ACROSS THE WORLD AFFECTING INDIA (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constitution of India: Historical background - Making of the Indian Constitution - Preamble - Salient features of the Indian Constitution - Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties - Directive Principles of State Policy - Schedules to the Indian Constitution. • Union Executive: President, Vice - President, Prime Minister and Council of Ministers, Attorney General of India. • Union Legislature: Parliament: Lok - Sabha and Rajya - Sabha - Composition, Powers, Functions and Legislative procedures. • Union Judiciary: Structure, Powers and Functions of the Supreme Court - Judicial Review - Latest Verdicts.
11	30.04.2019	INDIAN POLITY AND EMERGING POLITICAL TRENDS ACROSS THE WORLD AFFECTING INDIA (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State Executive: Governor, Chief Minister - Speaker and Council of Ministers, Advocate General of the State. • State Legislature: State Legislative Assembly - Organization, Powers and Functions. • State Judiciary: Organisation, Powers and Functions of High Courts, District Courts and Subordinate Courts. • Local Government: Historical Development - Features and working of 73rd and 74th Constitutional Amendment Act, 1992. • Union Territories: Evolution of States and Union Territories - Administration of Union Territories. • Federalism in India: Centre - State Relations - Centre - State Administrative Relations - Centre - State Legislative Relations and Centre - State Financial Relations. • Civil Services in India: Historical background - Classification of Civil Services - Recruitment & Training of Civil Servants. State Services: Classification of State Services and Recruitment.
12	04.05.2019	INDIAN POLITY AND EMERGING POLITICAL TRENDS ACROSS THE WORLD AFFECTING INDIA (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Official Language: Constitutional provision - Official Language Act, VIII Schedule to the Constitution. • Amendments: Major Amendments to the Indian Constitution. Special Status to Jammu & Kashmir: Art 370. • Political Parties: National & Regional parties, Pressure Groups, Interest Groups, Public Opinion, Mass Media, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)

			<p>and their role.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Issue Areas in Indian Administration: Corruption in India - Anti - Corruption Measures - CVC - Lok Adalats - Ombudsman - RTI Act - Minister - Secretary Relationship - Generalist Vs. Specialist controversy. Constitutional and Non-Constitutional Bodies - Composition, Powers and Functions. Profile of States - Defence, National Security and Terrorism - World Organisations - Pacts and Summits. • India's Foreign Policy: Foreign Affairs with Special emphasis on India's relations with neighbouring countries and in the region - Security and defence related issues - Nuclear Policy - Issues and conflicts. The Indian Diaspora and its contribution to India and to the World
13	08.05.2019	Current Affairs (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • August 2018 to January 2019
14	12.05.2019	ROLE AND IMPACT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF INDIA (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Science and Technology – Role, Achievements and Developments - Their applications and effects in everyday life - Energy - Conventional and Non-conventional - Self sufficiency - Oil exploration - Defence Research Organizations and other science and technology institutions – Ocean Research and Development - Role and Functions. • Advancements in the fields of I.T., Space, Computers, Robotics, Nano-Technology - Mobile Communication - Remote sensing and its benefits.
15	16.05.2019	ROLE AND IMPACT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF INDIA (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and hygiene - Human diseases - Prevention and remedies - Communicable diseases and non-communicable diseases - Genetic Engineering - Organ transplantation - Stem cell Technology - Medical Tourism - Advancements in Horticulture & Agriculture. • Achievements of Indians in the fields of Science and Technology. • Latest inventions in science & technology.
16	20.05.2019	TAMIL SOCIETY - ITS CULTURE AND HERITAGE (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tamil Society : Origin and expansion. • Art and Culture : Literature, Music, Film, Drama, Architecture, Sculpture, Paintings and Folk Arts. • Socio - economic history of Tamil Nadu from Sangam age to till date.

17	24.05.2019	TAMIL SOCIETY - ITS CULTURE AND HERITAGE (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Growth of Rationalist, Dravidian movements in Tamil Nadu - Their role in the socio – economic development of Tamil Nadu. • Social and cultural life of contemporary Tamils : Caste, Religion, Women, Politics, Education, Economy, Trade and relationship with other countries. • Tamil and other Disciplines: Mass Media, Computer etc.
18	28.05.2019	REVISION TEST FOR PAPER – II	

PAPER - III

Test No	Date	Test Name & Marks	Test Topics
19	01.06.2019	GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO TAMILNADU (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Location - Physical features - Major Rivers - Weather & Climate - Monsoon, Rainfall - Natural resources:- Soil, Water, Forest, Minerals and Wild life - Agricultural pattern - Livestock - Fisheries - Industries; Major industries - Growth and Development - Social- Cultural geography - Population : Growth, Density and Distribution - Racial, linguistic and major tribes.
20	05.06.2019	GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO TAMILNADU (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oceanography - Bottom relief features of Indian Ocean, Arabian sea and Bay of Bengal. Basics of Geospatial Technology: Geographical Information System (GIS) and Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS). Map: Geographical landmarks - India and its neighbours.
21	09.06.2019	ENVIRONMENT, BIODIVERSITY AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ecology: Structure and function of Ecosystem - Ecological succession - Biodiversity conservation: Types - Biodiversity Hot Spots in India - Biodiversity : Significance and Threats - In situ and Ex situ conservation measures - Roles of Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES), International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) & Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD).
22	13.06.2019	ENVIRONMENT, BIODIVERSITY AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Environmental Pollution and Management: Air, Water, Soil, Thermal and Noise pollution and control strategies - Solid and Hazardous waste management - Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA): Steps in EIA process - Environmental Clearance - Environmental Auditing. Climate Change: Global Environmental Issues and Management - Changes in monsoon pattern in Tamil Nadu and India - Environmental consequences of climate change and mitigation measures - Clean and Green Energy - Environmental Sustainability. Environmental Laws, Policies & Treaties in India and Global scenario - Natural calamities and Disaster Management - Environmental Health and Sanitation.
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Features of Indian Economy - Demographical profile of India - National Income - Capital formation - NEP (New Economic Policy) - NITI AYOOG - National

23	17.06.2019	INDIAN ECONOMY - CURRENT ECONOMIC TRENDS AND IMPACT OF GLOBAL ECONOMY ON INDIA (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development Council. Agriculture – Role of Agriculture – Land reforms – New Agricultural Strategy – Green Revolution – Price Policy, Public Distribution System (PDS), Subsidy, Food Security– Agricultural Marketing, Crop Insurance, Labour – Rural credit & indebtedness – WTO & Agriculture. Industry - Growth - Policy – Role of public sector and disinvestment – Privatisation and Liberalization – Public Private Partnership (PPP) – SEZs. – MSMEs. – Make in India.
24	21.06.2019	INDIAN ECONOMY - CURRENT ECONOMIC TRENDS AND IMPACT OF GLOBAL ECONOMY ON INDIA (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Infrastructure in India – Transport System - Energy – Power – Communication - Social Infrastructure - Science & Technology - R&D. Banking & Finance – Banking, Money & Finance – Central Bank – Commercial Bank – NBFI's. - Stock Market – Financial Reforms – Financial Stability – Monetary Policy – RBI & Autonomy. Public Finance – Sources of Revenue – Tax & Non-Tax Revenue – Canons of taxation – GST – Public expenditure – Public debt – Finance Commission – Fiscal Policy.
25	25.06.2019	INDIAN ECONOMY - CURRENT ECONOMIC TRENDS AND IMPACT OF GLOBAL ECONOMY ON INDIA (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Issues in Indian Economy – Poverty & inequality – Poverty alleviation programmes – MGNREGA – New Welfare programmes for rural poverty – Unemployment – Inflation – Inflation targeting – Sustainable economic growth – Gender issues. India's Foreign Trade – BOP, EX-IM Policy, FOREX Market, FDI; Globalization & its impact – Global economic crisis & impact on Indian economy. International Agencies – IMF (International Monetary Fund) World Bank - BRICS - SAARC - ASEAN. Tamil Nadu Economy & Issues – Gross State Domestic Product – Trends in State's economic growth – Demographic profile of Tamil Nadu – Agriculture – Industry & entrepreneurship development in Tamil Nadu – Infrastructure – Power, Transportation systems – Social Infrastructure – SHGs. & Rural Women empowerment – Rural poverty & unemployment – Environmental issues – Regional economic disparities – Local Government - Recent government welfare programmes.
26	29.06.2019	REVISION TEST FOR PAPER - III	

27	03.07.2019	Current Affairs (250 Marks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 2019 to July 2019
28	10.07.2019	FULL MOCK TEST – PAPER – I	
29	11.07.2019	FULL MOCK TEST – PAPER – II	
30	12.07.2019	FULL MOCK TEST – PAPER – III	