

ALL YOU NEED IS A DREAM

WE WILL TAKE
CARE OF
THE REST.



OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY™
IAS ACADEMY BY IAS OFFICERS

**IF YOUR DESTINATION IS LBSNAA,
THEN YOUR JOURNEY BEGINS WITH US**



This is our new campus. We prefer to call it your "Gurukul", where thousands of aspirants like you, walk through the entrance everyday, in the hope of fulfilling their cherished dream. And everyone at this Gurukul does whatever it takes to make your dream come true. Welcome to the start of what will be an incredible journey.
#scriptyourlegend

Dear Civil Service aspirant

Sir Edmund Hillary who was the first to conquer the previously unconquerable Mount Everest said "You don't have to be a hero to accomplish great things. You can just be an ordinary chap, sufficiently motivated to reach challenging goals. My abilities have not been outstanding, but I have had sufficient strength and determination to meet my challenges and have usually managed success with them."

Looking back, I draw parallels with my own life. I graduated not as a University Gold medallist but as just another ordinary chap. For me, my ambition of clearing the IAS examination was akin to climbing Mount Everest – almost next to impossible, given my abilities which couldn't be called outstanding. And yet here I am, a former Civil Servant (IAS), who served with distinction and now founded one of India's most renowned UPSC coaching institute.

How did I get here? Through systematic hardwork, determination and a "fire in the belly".

Welcome to Officers IAS Academy. Like me, most of you may be ordinary youngsters with Himalayan dreams to conquer. I, along with a few Civil Services officers have teamed with a "Dream Team" of faculty, gurus of their subject with a passion for teaching students, to give you the best all-round UPSC coaching in the country. Every aspect of the pedagogy has been meticulously designed to not only cater to the changing analytical patterns of the question paper, but also keep abreast with the latest trends and developments.

We conduct weekly mock tests and frequent guest lectures by eminent personalities which will help you face the UPSC examination with confidence and give you a shot at clearing this highly competitive and prestigious exam on your very first attempt. Each and every one of you will be given highly personalised attention and guidance in accordance with your strengths and weakness.

Your IAS ambition may look like the unconquerable Mount Everest if you keep seeing rather than start climbing. Start climbing with us hand in hand and we will make you realise that it is like any other mountain if you climb systematically. I along with my team will make your journey to IAS as simple as possible

Wish you all success



R. A. Israel Jebasingh
(IAS, 2004 batch and All India Rank 59)
Founder and Director, Officers IAS Academy



CIVIL SERVICES EXAMINATION

The Civil Services Examination (CSE) conducted by the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) is one of India's prestigious and not surprisingly one of the toughest examinations. Aspirants who clear all three stages of this exam (Prelims, Mains and Interview) can become Civil Servants by joining the - **IAS, IFS, IPS, IAAS, IRS (C), IDAS, IRS (IT), IOFS, IPoS, IPTS, ICAS, IRTS, IRAS, IRPS, RPF, IDES, IIS, ITS, CSS, AFHQ, DANICS, DANIPS, PONDICS, PONDIPS, ICLS** services.

1. Eligibility Criteria

Education: Any graduate degree (distance education as well) recognised by UGC / AICTE

Age Limit & Number of Attempts:

CATEGORY	ASPIRANT AGE	# ATTEMPTS
General	21 to 32	6
OBC	21 to 35	9
SC/ST	21 to 37	Unlimited

2. Examination Schedule

FEBRUARY	Notification
JUNE	Prelims (Hurdle 1)
JULY / AUGUST	Results of the Prelims
SEPTEMBER	Mains (Hurdle 2)
JANUARY	Results of the Mains
FEBRUARY / MARCH	Personality Test/Interview (Hurdle 3)
APRIL / MAY	FINAL Result and Selection
POST 1 YEAR	Training at LBSNAA

3. Stages of the Examination – The Marathon

STAGE	# PAPERS	PAPER PATTERN	TOTAL MARKS
Stage 1 – Prelims	1 + 1*	Objective	200
Stage 2 – Mains	2* + 7	Descriptive	1750
Stage 3 – Personality Test	NA	Oral	275

Note: Those marked with * are qualifying papers only

CIVIL SERVICES EXAMINATION

4. Details of the Examination – The Strategy

NO	SUBJECTS	MARKS	DURATION	PAPER PATTERN	ATTENTION ASPIRANT
PRELIMS EXAMINATION					
1	Paper I General Studies	200 (100 questions)	2 hours	Objective	Negative marks (0.67)
2	Paper II CSAT (Qualifying) Minimum 33%	200 (80 questions)	2 hours	Objective	Negative marks (0.83)
MAINS EXAMINATION					
1	Paper I - Indian Language (Qualifying)	300	3 hours	Descriptive	Minimum 25%
2	Paper II English (Qualifying)	300	3 hours	Descriptive	Minimum 25%
1	Paper I Essay	250	3 hours	Descriptive	Deciding paper
2	Paper II General Studies I	250	3 hours	Descriptive	Deciding paper
3	Paper III General Studies II	250	3 hours	Descriptive	Deciding paper
4	Paper IV General Studies III	250	3 hours	Descriptive	Deciding paper
5	Paper V General Studies IV	250	3 hours	Descriptive	Deciding paper
6	Paper VI Optional Paper I	250	3 hours	Descriptive	Deciding paper
7	Paper VII Optional Paper II	250	3 hours	Descriptive	Deciding paper
PERSONALITY TEST / INTERVIEW					
1	Personality Test	275	15 to 45 mins	Oral	Compulsory

Optional subjects: Choose '1' for the Mains examination

Public Administration | Anthropology | Agriculture | Political Science and International Relations | Geography | History | Law | Sociology | Economics | Psychology | Philosophy | Tamil Literature | Commerce and Accountancy | Geology | English Literature | Mathematics | Medical Science | Engineering, Civil, Mechanical and Electrical | Sanskrit Literature

CRACKING THE EXAM



You have decided to pursue your dream of being an IAS Officer or equivalent Civil Servant. Congratulations. That was the easy part. The toughest journey is now ahead of you. Preparing and taking the Civil Services Exam conducted by the UPSC is nothing short of a marathon, with several challenges along the way, and many hurdles to cross (Prelims, Mains and Interview) before you join the elite Civil Service. Success requires planning, time management, a sound reading strategy among a number of other key ingredients. So what are they?

To know more about these ingredients and how to acquire them, ask for your FREE copy of the eBook '**the missing ingredients: 5 ancient secrets to crack the IAS exam**'.



ISRAEL JEBASINGH
IAS (All India Rank 59 – 2004 Batch)
Founder and Director

THE BRAINS BEHIND OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY

Israel has the distinction of having cleared all three stages of the UPSC exam twice, and as an IAS Officer was highly regarded for his out of the box thinking while serving in some of the toughest regions of India. He has a passion for teaching and has vast experience in the government and private sectors. Topper in the Optional subject – Public Administration

Teaches: Optional (Public Administration) and General Studies (Governance, Economy, Disaster Management)

ABOUT OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY

Officers IAS Academy is the only UPSC (Civil Services) coaching institute in India that is founded and run by a eight-member team of former Civil Servants (IAS, IRS and IRAS). Comprised of passionate and like-minded individuals, these highly accomplished and respected Civil Servants resigned from service to embark on a mission to teach and mentor UPSC aspirants and in the process nurture and create the next generation of Civil Servants.

What sets apart Officers IAS Academy from the numerous coaching institutes that have proliferated is the academic excellence that is fostered through a core faculty who have not only cleared all stages of the examination (Prelims, Mains and Interview), but have gone on to serve this nation with distinction. Teachers who are achievers themselves. This is backed by a highly relevant pedagogy, rigorous coaching schedule, a rhythm of preparation, evaluation and feedback, and personal mentoring.

Our teaching methods are rooted in certain time tested principles, which lead students to understand the basics and encourage them to question the facts and concepts, rather than just accepting them blindly. Our effort is not only to provide them with a roadmap to their dream of entering the Civil Services, but continuously supporting them along this marathon journey, tracking individual progress and making course corrections.

At Officers IAS Academy, our ultimate endeavour is to emulate the Gurukul System where the students are trained by the Gurus to achieve what the Gurus have themselves achieved.



Mr. Sylender Babu, DGP of TN
Teaching



Prof. Balagurusamy, Former Member of
UPSC, inaugurating our new Gurukul



Mock interview board in session



Our student Ms. Mittali Sethi, IAS
(Batch of 2016, AIR 56)



Mr. S.Nagarajan IAS, (AIR 1)
Teaching



Our guiding purpose is
"Create Better Civil
Servants".

UNIQUE TEACHING PEDAGOGY

Officers IAS Academy distinguishes itself from other UPSC coaching institutions through its pedigree, its investment, and focus on a number of aspects that ensures the student is at the epicentre of everything we teach and do. And thereby ensuring their success.



OFFICERS THEMSELVES TEACH

As the only UPSC coaching academy started by a group of like-minded former Civil Servants, our pedagogy is designed and delivered by experts who have not only cleared all stages of the UPSC examination and that too on many occasions, but have gone on to serve this nation with great distinction. Students are taught what is essential to pass each stage, each with its own expectations and nuance. In short students experience “Inside the Mind of the UPSC examiner”.



INDIVIDUAL ATTENTION & PRECISE DELIVERY

Given the vast amount of reading material that is readily accessible it becomes all too easy for a student to be swamped by the sheer volume of what to read. We instead focus on ‘Precision Delivery’ of the syllabus. Having coached thousands of students since inception, with a successful track record, we know exactly which portions matter, and what needs to be covered within that. Which means students are able to cover exactly what is needed for the examination without a feeling of incompleteness.



RIGOROUS TESTING, EVALUATION AND FEEDBACK

Many students (and their parents!) tell us that the rigorous schedule we follow at the academy is the biggest source of reassurance and confidence. Every Friday is Test Day (Weekly Tests), and students are expected to compulsorily take it as well as prepare for it. This is a shared responsibility as well – our “Dream Team” faculty diligently evaluate the answer papers and give personal feedback.

UNIQUE TEACHING PEDAGOGY



MENTORING PROGRAM

‘Hansei’ (Japanese for Mirror) is a unique mentoring program to help our students handle the preparation overload and guide them in this marathon. Each fortnight the mentor and mentee meet to uncover weaknesses, arrive at a plan to address it, review progress or simply have a heart-to-heart chat. Special sessions are conducted for students in areas such as Time Management, Stress Management, Focus and Essay Writing.



EXPERIENCED FACULTY

We are fortunate that our “Dream Team” of faculty are not only experts in their subjects and teach as per the syllabus, but they have the unique ability to predict the mind of the examiner. These are gurus who have not only cracked the UPSC exam but gone on to serve as Civil Servants - giving them unique insights and perspectives on what it takes to succeed and to serve. But most importantly they have a passion for teaching and go over and beyond to clarify the doubts and explain concepts so our students are confident about cracking the exam.



COURSE MATERIAL AND TESTS SERIES

The pedigree of the founders, and the highly experienced and passionate faculty, is reflected in the course material and the tests series and supporting guides that we provide to the students. But we go one step ahead through our unique ability to ‘predict’ based on the current events around us and past papers, the questions that are most likely to be asked in the UPSC examination. This, on top of everything that we teach and impart, is the icing on the cake.

While each of the points highlighted above is important by itself, taken together, they constitute the very nucleus of Officers IAS Academy. This nucleus (or “kendraka”) and the resulting experience that we impart to our students is through our pedagogy, the best in the industry faculty, a unique mentorship program that puts students on the right track through highly personalised guidance, passion for what we do, and great insight on what it takes to crack the IAS exam - something that can come only if one has experienced it.

OUR BACKBONE - OUR FACULTY



Mr. R.A.Israel Jebasingh (IAS - 2004 batch, AIR - 59)

Once a college lecturer, he succeeded twice in UPSC Civil Service Exam (First securing IRTS and then IAS.) He is available full-time in the academy to take classes, mentor students and also guide them in choosing optionals. He was also the Public Administration Optional topper in 2004.

Teaches: Public administration optional, Indian economy, basic economics and selected portions from the ethics paper.



Mr. R.Rangarajan (IAS - 2005 batch, AIR - 46)

A Chartered Accountant & Cost Accountant by profession, he cleared the Civil Service Exam in his first attempt, securing All India Rank of 46. After serving for a few years in the IAS, his passion for teaching brought him to our Academy.

Teaches : Anthropology Optional, Polity, Governance & selected portions of current affairs.



Mr. R. Satapathy (IAS-1972,Ex-Chief Secretary, Tamil Nadu)

Rose to the rank of Chief Secretary, Tamil Nadu and retired in 2008. Also served as Administrative Member, Central Administrative Tribunal, Chennai.

Teaches: General guidance for each students



Mr. Ashok Vardhan Shetty (IAS – 1983 batch)

An IAS officer of Tamil Nadu cadre, known for his honesty, Integrity, Boldness and other Ethical values, teaches the Ethics Paper(Paper 4, General Studies) for our students. Shetty Sir is also a regular columnist for The Hindu Newspaper and a guest faculty at LBSNAA, Mussoorie. His exam oriented teaching combined with interesting anecdotes from his Government Service, make his classes lively and interesting.



Mr. Ilanchezian Former Assistant Commandant CRPF

An entrepreneur who made the transition to service, where he was most recently the Asst. Commandant in the CRPF. He is both a teacher and a mentor to IAS aspirants relying on his experience of having cleared 17 competitive exams and attended 3 interviews

Teaches: Geography (Optional and General Studies), Internal Security and Disaster Management



Mr. V Monikandan

He is a true veteran legend in the field of civil services coaching. He has been guiding aspirants in Delhi and Chennai for over 16 years and at least a hundred successful candidates would vouch for his contribution. He has a prodigious reputation in the UPSC circle for geology optional and has helped scores of students clear the Indian Forest Services Examination, including the most recent toppers.
Teaches: Geology optional and General Studies areas of Science & Tech and Disaster Management.



Mr. Dharmaraj M Tamil Scholar

Appeared for the Mains examination on 8 occasions and consistently scored the top marks in Tamil. Also attended the final interview on 2 occasions. Has taught Tamil Optional for the past 10 years
Teaches: Tamil (Optional).



Mr. T. Velmurugan

He is a passionate teacher with 8 Years experience in coaching Civil Services aspirants. A lawyer by qualification, he is an expert at simplifying concepts and has the ability to deliver content in a manner that students will not forget

Teaches: In addition to Sociology (Optional), He will teach short portions from Polity and Economy.

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Mr. Guna Mathivanan

Mr. Gunasekar Mathivanan, a pianist turned teacher, heads the Research and Development team at Officers IAS Academy. He is much beloved as the current affairs faculty. As a student puts it- 'He relates the subjects with current affairs and we can learn how to approach the subject and relate current affairs from him'

Teaches: Current Affairs



Mr. Deepuk Sukumar

He holds a 5-Year Integrated Masters Degree in Humanities from IIT Madras. Has been teaching Public administration for more than 5 years. Known for his exam oriented approach in training aspirants, he has produced several toppers from Public Administration optional. He is quite popular amongst students not only for his teaching skill but also for his scientific approach in predicting Public administration questions every year.

Teaches: Public Administration



Mr. Aloysius Xavier Lopez

The Hindu's Special Correspondent segment has graciously joined the ranks of Officers IAS Academy. He has contributed thousands of articles spanning a career of 11 years. The expertise he possesses has led him to face the UPSC interview board twice.

Teaches: Current Affairs and History (Optional).



Dr. Chitra Ramesh

A Professor at the prestigious Madras Medical College (MMC) has designed and implemented health programmes for the National Health Mission and been a state level trainer for State health programmes. She is also a specialised coach for MBBS students for their PG Entrance. She will teach Medical Science optional for students of Officers IAS Academy. Additionally, she will also teach Health related areas of Science & Technology in General Studies.

Teaches: Medical Science Optional



Mr. Duraish Kumar M.V

A UGC-NET JRF scholar who teaches at the department of politics and public administration, University of Madras, in the capacity of Senior research fellow for the past five years. He has immense experience in mentoring civil service aspirants and has himself appeared in the Civil Service Mains examination and Civil service personality test multiple times.



Mr. Iden Public Prosecutor Govt of Tamilnadu

Public Prosecutor for the Government of Tamil Nadu. Qualified the written examination of District Judge (2013), Civil Judge (2014) and CBI Public Prosecutor (2014). He was also selected as an Assistant Commandant by UPSC. His ability to combine both his in-depth knowledge and the practical application makes his classes lively and entertaining

Teaches: Law Optional



Mr. Santhanam KLSM

He received his masters from Uppsala University, Sweden, in Biology and was one among the 3 Indians to receive the Uppsala IPK scholarship in 2012. In spite of his science background, his love for history triumphed over and today he is a beloved history faculty at Officers IAS Academy. He is well known among Officers IAS Academy students for his unique, logical approach towards learning history.

Teaches: History, Art & Culture, Biotechnology, Nanotechnology.



Mr. B. Devnath

Devnath is a Mechanical Engineer by qualification and has an experience of 7 years in the Civil Services Examination circuit. His USP is his ability to analyse patterns in the examination paper and present them as unique identifiable techniques. His Sharpshooter classes are a big draw amongst the students and has helped many of them clear the Preliminary Exam. He is also known for his story-like, lucid presentation of Art and Culture.

Teaches - Sharpshooter classes, Art and Culture, Current Affairs (Science and Technology)

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Ms. Priya

A Gold medallist in her graduation, she did her MSc in Biotechnology, MA in English Literature and M.Ed. Presently pursuing her PhD.



Mr. R. John Victor

He is a former IAS aspirant with experience of attending 3 interviews at UPSC. Possessing experience of more than 7 years in teaching for competitive exams, he specializes in delivering precise exam-oriented knowledge content to students. Has involved himself in participatory governance initiatives, and has provided inputs to government on several matters.

Teaches: Agriculture related topics of General Studies.



Mr. Yuvaraj

Yuvaraj is a Chemical Engineer by graduation, has almost a decade's experience in the Civil Services circuit. Coming from a farming family, his love for nature helped him specialise in Environmental studies. His earthy approach to the subjects and furnishing practical, real-life examples along with a strong exam orientation are his USPs. Yuvaraj has gone to UPSC Interview stage several times. He has a passion for teaching.

Teaches: Environment & Ecology



Ms. R. Praveena

M.E - Power System Gold Medalist

B.E - Electrical and Electronics Engineering

Teaching competitive examinations like GATE , IES and Civil Service Examinations for several years.

Teaches: Mathematics (Optional).



Mr.A. Palaniappan

A Chartered Accountant who has worked with Ernst & Young in the past and is presently an Associate Director with another 'Big 4' accounting firm.

Teaches: Commerce and Accountancy.



Mr. Satheesh S

His teaching career as the Faculty of English Literature in two universities and few colleges extends to 12 years and his passion for teaching literature has taken him to various parts of Tamilnadu and Kerala for teaching students of diverse background. Also he has been a Soft Skills, Placement Skills and Communication Skills trainer for the final year engineering students. He has been coaching Civil Services aspirants for several years. Besides these, he has published a good number of literary articles in leading journals and organized seminars and workshops.

Teaches: English (Optional).



Ms. Ramya

S. Ramya currently works as an Assistant Professor in the Psychology Department at Stella Maris College, Chennai. She has completed MSc HRD (Psychology) from University of Madras with a Gold Medal.

OUR BACKBONE – OUR FACULTY

Department of CSAT



Mr. Aakash V (Honorary Guest Faculty)

Aptitude Master, CAT cracker and Philosopher Mr Aakash having a logical and analytical mind does have a teaching experience of 17 years. His students are working as IAS, IPS, IRS and other Civil Servants in different parts of India. Mr Aakash teaches to students of Officers IAS Academy.

Teaches: CSAT and Philosophy (Optional).



Mr. Sivaraj M

A passionate and dynamic teacher with 9 years in training civil services aspirants. Have the experience of training the Students in top Indian universities and colleges all over India in Aptitude. An engineer in qualification and a good mathematician with an ability to solve the aptitude problem with shortcut methods. An expert in simplifying the aptitude concepts. A charismatic teacher who is well known and expected among the students.

Teaches: Aptitude (CSAT)



THE BRAINS BEHIND OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY

She takes care of the critical roles of Finance and Administration at the academy. Coming from humble economic means, and from the rural part of India, she ensures that extra care is given to students with similar background and that these are not impediments in the pursuit of their dreams. Prior to this she had extensive experience working as a Lecturer and Administrator in several Engineering colleges



ANANDI ISRAEL

Director – Finance & Administration

ONE GOAL - MANY OPTIONS

A unique aspect of the programs we conduct is the thoughtfulness that has gone into the curriculum design so as to optimise the number of sessions and the time spent by the students in preparation while ensuring the syllabus is covered in a balanced mix of comprehensive and foundational manner and thereby giving the students the confidence to attack all three stages of the exam, successfully, in the very first attempt.

General Studies – Prelims cum Mains



Covers the complete GS (General Studies) syllabus for both the preliminary and mains examination. In addition it includes crash course, test series and mock interview boards. Our most popular package. Duration is 17 months.

Optional Program



Exclusively focussed on the optional paper, the students have the opportunity to be coached on one of the following optional subjects – Public Administration, Anthropology, Sociology, Psychology, Law, History, Geography and Tamil literature.

CSAT Program



A programme designed to tackle basic numeracy, logical reasoning and reading comprehension with the easiest of short-cuts and time - saving techniques.

Crash Course Program



This specially designed program is meant for those who have taken the Prelims and Mains in the past or those who are already in service. The entire syllabus is covered on a war footing.

ONE GOAL - MANY OPTIONS

Interview Program



Another exclusive program, this helps the students prepare for the interview stage – the final hurdle before becoming a Civil Servant. Our mock interview boards are comprised of literally a who's who of Civil Servants (serving and former) and other well known personalities. This in-depth, and highly acclaimed program gives you the confidence it takes to appear in front of the board.

Test Series



This is a well thought of and highly predictive question bank, separately for the Prelims and Mains. These questions are on par with the UPSC format, and is followed by intensive test discussions. Our popular test series gives students the confidence they need to face the real exam successfully. Combination of both offline and online options.

Postal Coaching & Online Coaching



We offer this facility for aspirants who cannot come down to Chennai. Study material for both Prelims and Mains are made available to the students for General Studies, Current Affairs (via email) as well as Test Series.

Aside from covering the syllabus for the UPSC Prelims and Mains, separate classes are conducted to guide the aspirants on How to read “The Hindu”, note taking, essay writing, answer writing modules and more.



THE BRAINS BEHIND OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY

A Chartered Accountant and Cost Accountant, he decided to become a Civil Servant and secured AIR 46 in his very first attempt. He like Israel has a passion for teaching

Teaches: Optional (Anthropology), General Studies (Indian Constitution)

RANGARAJAN R

IAS (All India Rank 46 – 2005 Batch)
Associate Director

MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

A recent innovation has been the rollout of a well thought of mentoring program called 'Hansei' (Japanese for Mirror). We recognise that having a dream by itself is not enough for these students. Once they start their preparation it is easy to get overwhelmed with the vast syllabus that needs to be studied, the peer pressure and the time constraints. More often than not, most students are not aware of their areas of weakness nor how to overcome them. This becomes a self-fulfilling cycle that derails many a student. What makes this more than a placeholder is that we have identified a group of mentors who are either serving in the Civil Service or retired from it, and assigned to them students. The mentor and mentee meet according to a set calendar and the aspirant's progress is reviewed, weakness identified and a remedial program is put in place.



Mr. ISRAEL JEBASINGH (IAS - 2004)

By working closely with the IAS aspirant, and understanding their aspirations and preparation, we are better equipped to guide them truthfully and precisely. We do this quite literally by holding a mirror to them and pointing out their gaps so they can self-reflect, and then work with us to fix those weaknesses so their chance of success is assured. And they take the exam in a state of calmness and confidence.



Mr. ILANCHEZIAN (CRPF)

We do not merely prepare the students to crack the exam, instead it is our intent to produce officers who have compassion for the poor and the needy, possess integrity, act with impartiality and never waver from the path of what is right. In short make our students stand for something and make a difference.



Mr. RANGARAJAN (IAS - 2005)

STEEPLECHASE PROGRAM

If an aspirant walks into Officers IAS Academy, we take every possible effort to ensure that they get into their dream service IAS / IFS / IPS. Incase if an aspirant misses his/her first attempt, we do not send them out. Rather we handhold them for their next attempt without charging any fees through our STEEPLECHASE Program.

STEEPLECHASE is a 12 months intense training programme for both Prelims and Mains. It includes more than 55 Tests (Prelims and Mains) in total, backed by Test Discussion, Currents Affairs updating classes and exclusive prelims based “Sharp Shooter” Classes. The objective of the programme is to enhance the capacity of the students in handling both Prelims and Mains Exam. This programme is absolutely free for OIA's Previous year batch students.

Programme Duration: 12 months.

Course content:

1. 25+ Mains Test
2. 35+ Prelims test



OUR GURUKULAM



OUR TRACK RECORD - 10X

Cracking the IAS exam is not easy. Fortunately at Officers IAS Academy, we know very well what it takes. And with 10X your dream is now within reach.

10X? This is our success rate since inception. A remarkable achievement by itself, but even more special is we accomplished it in a few years, what others take decades to achieve.

But we aren't surprised. At the core of 10X is mentors and teachers who have not only passed the UPSC exam, but have served with distinction, best-in-industry faculty, a teaching pedagogy that is finely honed to what the examination expects and a rigorous class and test schedule.

Delivered by people who care for your success.
So take 10X. And Stay Energised.

UNIQUE
ONLY ACADEMY
BY IAS OFFICERS

PRECISE
STRATEGIES OF
TOPPERS

SPECIALISED
IN ONLY UPSC
COACHING

CARING
MENTORING
& GUIDANCE

2013 - 7 / 60
2014 - 21 / 90
2015 - 41 / 273
2016 - 64 / 590
2017 - 76 / 680
2018 - 102 / 786
2019 - 136 / 720
2020 - 112 / 799



**HIGHEST SUCCESS RATE
IN SOUTH INDIA**

WHY WE CHOSE OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY

Our Students in Their Own Words

Being an R&D engineer and Manager by profession, I applied the same research and analytical approach in choosing the institute that I wanted to join for my UPSC preparation. And based on what is needed to succeed in this highly competitive examination and the performance track record, Officers IAS Academy was my preferred choice. The faculty, their experience, the weekly tests and the Test series are some of the factors that students experience when they study here. But to ultimately succeed, mere learning by itself is not enough, rather every aspirant needs proper guidance, an area in which this academy excels. So in the ocean called UPSC, your lighthouse is Officers IAS Academy.

HariHaraSudhan



Officers IAS Academy offers a blend of learning, inspiration and the application of enduring principles with the result that I get to learn something new with every interaction. The entire study environment makes it conducive for us aspirants to be focussed on our learning and preparation efforts, and it inculcates the spirit to stand out amongst the other talented and hardworking students. Another unique feature is the professors who impart quality education - never will the students find themselves in a situation where they are unable to grasp a concept, and in the rare event that they do, the faculty is always on hand to clarify and guide. The institute's library quenches my thirst for knowledge through a sheer variety of books, papers, periodicals and the helping staff. I could not be happier in choosing Officers IAS Academy for my UPSC preparation.

Sangam Chawda

Right from the portrait in the entrance that welcomes us aspirants every day, to the founding team that is comprised of former Civil Servants, the faculty who are all experts in their respective subjects to the personal guidance and unique Mentoring program - each and every aspect of the Academy inspires and encourages me to be a Civil Servant one day. And with Officers IAS Academy guiding me, I know that I will get there.

Aakash E



What attracted me in the very first place was that the faculty are former Officers themselves. Subsequently when I came for counselling and they patiently explained the Study Strategy that is sincerely followed, I was impressed and my confidence got a boost. But after meeting Israel sir and understanding how the Academy will help me crack the UPSC examination, I just knew that I had to become a student of Officers IAS Academy. Today I have the confidence that "Yes. I can do it!"

Banavat Mounika

WHY CHOOSE OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY

Your Proven Edge



The team consists of gurus who have not only cleared all three stages of the UPSC exam on many occasions, but are also masters of their subject. As the common student refrain goes - "If they teach us, why cannot we succeed?"



A rhythm of continuous preparation, evaluation and feedback means our students are in an 'Always On' state of preparation and take the exam with the knowledge, the confidence and the calmness needed to crack the exam



Small class size to provide personalised attention and effective learning



Coaching and tests is as per the UPSC exam format - strikes the balance between accurate, effective and comprehensive



'Hansei', one of its kind mentoring program

THE BRAINS BEHIND OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY

Rose to the rank of Chief Secretary, Tamil Nadu and retired in 2008. Also served as Administrative Member, Central Administrative Tribunal, Chennai

Coach and Mentor



SATAPATHY R

IAS, 1972

Retired as Chief Secretary, Tamil Nadu

STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

THE JOURNEY FROM OFFICERS IAS ACADEMY, CHENNAI TO LBSNAA (LAL BAHADUR SHASTRI NATIONAL ACADEMY OF ADMINISTRATION), MUSSOORIE
IN THEIR OWN WORDS - SOME OF OUR SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS

It is my pleasure and honour to share my pedagogical experience with Officers IAS Academy and the man behind it – Mr. Israel Jebasingh. When I started my preparation, it was very scattered.

It was Officers IAS Academy that helped me focus my preparation efforts that resulted in a highly satisfactory score. The valuable inputs from Israel sir brought about a change in the way I approached this examination. I am extremely happy to say that Officers IAS Academy has been vital to my success.

Vinod Vikeshwaran, IDES



Officers IAS Academy is the best place to make your dreams come true. Israel sir being an IAS Officer himself knows what to teach, how to handle the students and so on. He is easily accessible and readily available to give guidance to students.

Ronnie, IFS



Officers IAS Academy is the best platform for a Civil Service aspirant to turn his dreams into a reality. High motivation and individual attention along with apt coaching by Israel sir is the reason for me becoming a topper.

Arun Raj, IAS
(All India 34th Rank, 2015)



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A wet clay can be moulded to a perfect shape only if it is in the hands of the right person. Likewise, Officers IAS Academy moulded me in such a way so as to enable me to reach IPS.

Aravind, IPS



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I thank Officers IAS Academy for continuous support through all 3 stages of the examination and helping me secure AIR 50. The individual attention and guidance I received from Israel sir and Rangarajan sir were instrumental in helping me crack this exam.

Ranga Shree, IFS
(All India 50th Rank, 2018)

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Israel Sir helped me push past my fear and helped me write this exam with a lot of self-confidence. That has paid off immensely. I will always be grateful to Israel Sir for helping me find the belief and capability in myself to succeed.

Keerthi Vasan, IAS



I am grateful to Officers IAS Academy for helping me finetune my answer writing in Mains. My mentor, Rangarajan, was often eagle-eyed and helped me streamline my answers. It was thanks to him that I was able to write my answers confidently.

Mittali Sethi, IAS

I was very keen on becoming an IPS Officer since my childhood. I wanted to help people. So I enrolled with OIA. Over the years, I have experienced a change in my world view, I was able to appreciate the journey of UPSC a lot more since I was able to understand my subjects with a great attention to detail.



Vijay Shankar, IPS



I was a complete novice, and I moved to Chennai for the first time. I faced relatively few difficulties seeing that I was helped almost all the way by Israel Sir and his team. I felt very safe and was able to concentrate only on my preparation. This was only made possible by OIA and their timely help.

Jayashradha, IRAS



Since I chose to study in the study halls, I feel like my competitive spirit got the best of me and I was able to study more and for longer as I saw everyone around me do the same. I kept on track with my weekly tests, the faculty feedback and the incisive commentary of the faculty.

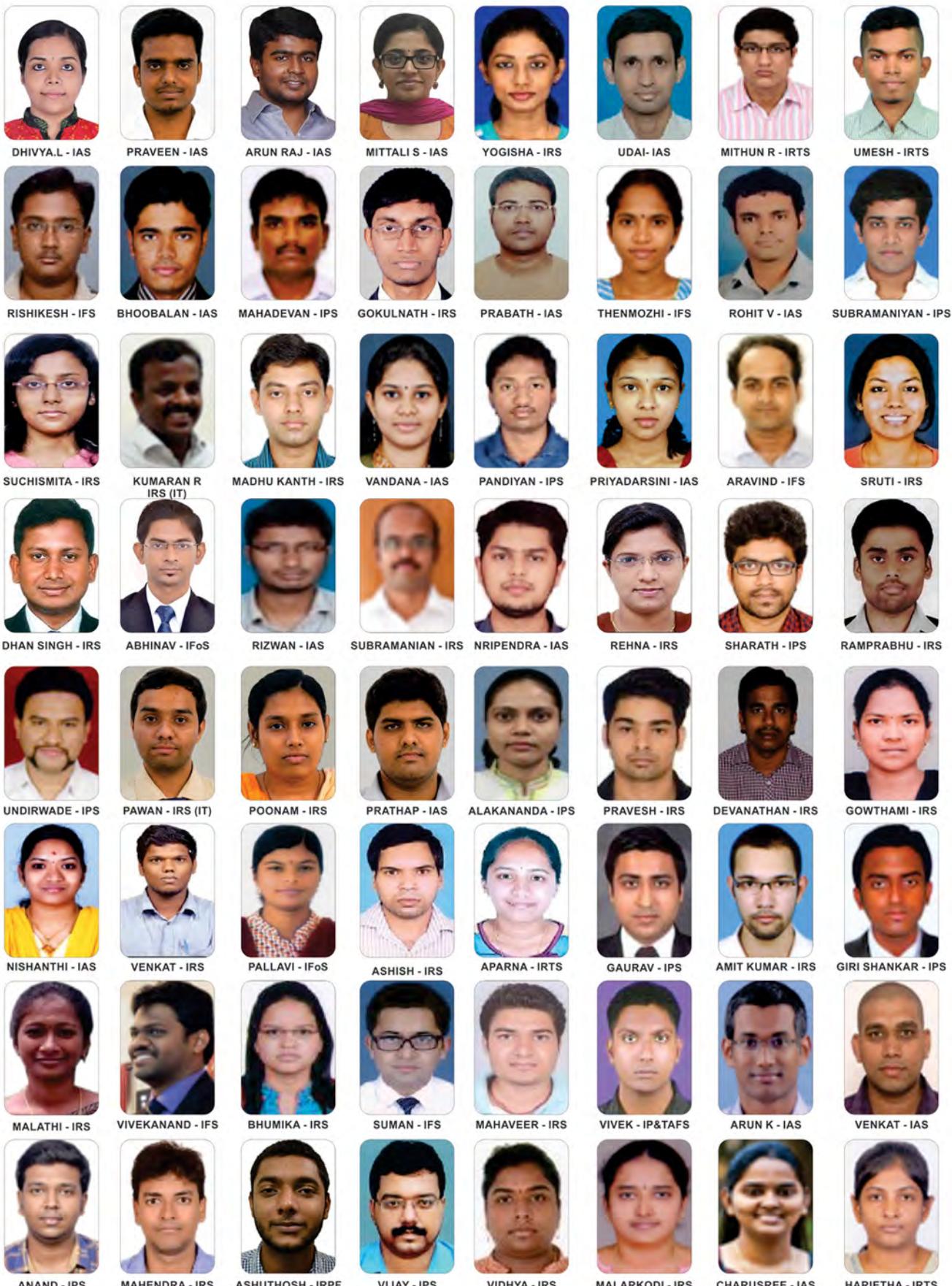
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Whenever I felt burnt out by my preparation and felt like there was too much to do, I attended the guest lectures at OIA. I was swept away by the stories of the men and women who came before me, I was able to build momentum and reach my goals. I am so happy I joined OIA.



Jagan, IRS

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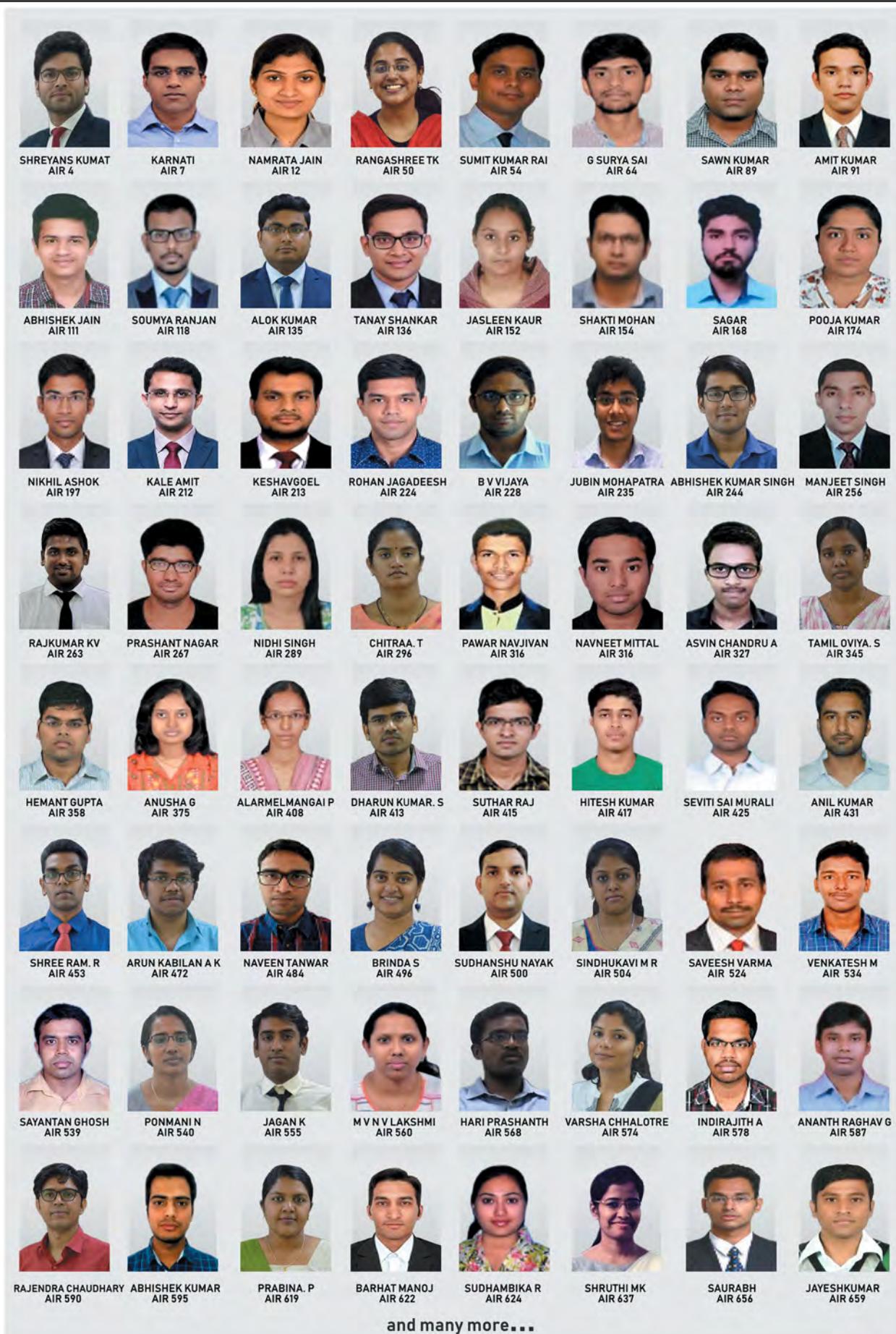
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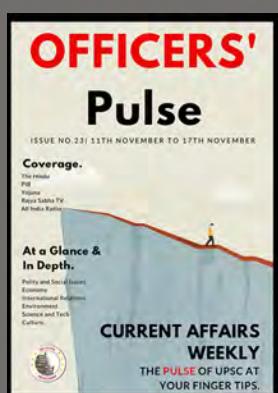
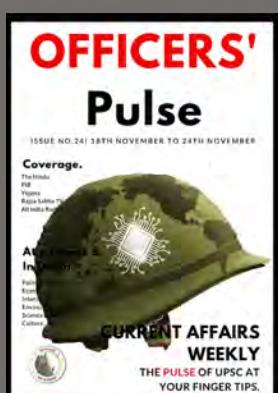
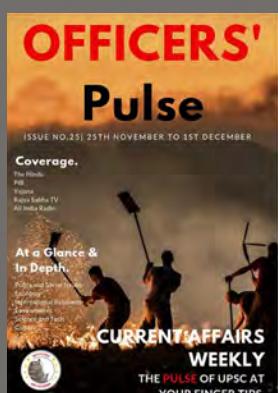
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