

| RBI Grade B Syllabus & Exam Pattern 2022 | | |
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| Exam Conducting Body | Reserve Bank of India | |
| Exam Name | RBI Grade B 2022 | |
| Category | Syllabus | |
| Mode of Exam | Online | |
| Selection Process | Phase 1 (Objective) Phase 2 (Descriptive) Phase 3 (Interview) | |
| Negative Marking | 0.25 marks (in objective type) | |
| Language of Paper | English and Hindi | |
| Official website | rbi.org.in | |



RBI Grade B Prelims Exam Pattern

| S No. | Section Asked | No. of Questions | Maximum Marks | Duration |
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| 1 | General Awareness | 80 | 80 | 25 minutes |
| 2 | Quantitative Aptitude | 30 | 30 | 25 minutes |
| 3 | English Language | 30 | 30 | 25 minutes |
| 4 | Reasoning | 60 | 60 | 45 minutes |
| Total | | 200 | 200 | 120 minutes |

RBI Grade B Phase 2 Exam Pattern for DR (General)

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| SN o. | Sections / Subjects | Paper Type | Maximum Marks | Duration (minutes) |
| 1 | Paper I: Economics and Social Issues | 50% Objective Type, 50% Descriptive (to be typed with the help of the keyboard) | 50 50 Total-100 | 30 90 Total-120 |
| 2 | Paper II: English (Writing Skills) | Descriptive (3 questions) | 100 | 90 minutes |
| 3 | Paper III: Finance and Management | 50% Objective Type 50% Descriptive | 50 50 Total-100 | 30 90 Total-120 |



RBI Grade B Phase 1 Syllabus for DR (General)

| Reasoning | Quantitative Ability | English Language | General Awareness |
|-------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Logical Reasoning | Simplification | Reading Comprehension | Current Affairs |
| Alphanumeric Series | Profit & Loss | Cloze Test | Indian Financial Systems |
| Ranking/Direction/ Alphabet Test | Mixtures & Alligations | Para jumbles | Indian Banking Systems |
| Data Sufficiency | Simple Interest & Compound Interest & Surds & Indices | Miscellaneous | Monetary Plans |
| Coded Inequalities | Work & Time | Fill in the blanks | National Institutions |
| Seating Arrangement | Time & Distance | Multiple Meaning / Error Spotting | Banking Terms |
| Puzzle | Mensuration – Cylinder, Cone, Sphere | Paragraph Completion | |
| Tabulation | Data Interpretation | | |
| Syllogism | Ratio & Proportion, Percentage | | |
| Blood Relations | Number Systems | | |
| Input Output | Sequence & Series | | |
| Coding Decoding | Permutation, Combination & Probability | | |



RBI Grade B Phase 2 Syllabus for DR (General)

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| Subject | Syllabus | |
| Paper 1- Economic & Social Issues | 1. Growth and Development 1. Measurement of growth- National Income and per capita income 2. Poverty Alleviation and Employment Generation in India 3. Sustainable Development 4. Environmental issues 2. Indian Economy 1. Economic History of India 2. Changes in Industrial and Labour Policy 3. Monetary and Fiscal Policy since reforms of 1991 4. Priorities and recommendations of Economic Survey and Union Budget 5. Indian Money and Financial Markets: Linkages with the economy 6. Role of Indian banks and Reserve Bank in the development process 7. Public Finance 8. Political Economy 9. Industrial Developments in India 10. Indian Agriculture 11. Services sector in India 3. Globalization 1. Opening up of the Indian Economy 2. Balance of Payments 3. Export-Import Policy 4. International Economic Institutions 5. IMF and World Bank 6. WTO 7. Regional Economic Cooperation 8. International Economic Issues 4. Social Structure in India 1. Multiculturalism 2. Demographic Trends 3. Urbanisation and Migration 4. Gender Issues 5. Social Justice: Positive Discrimination in favour of the underprivileged 6. Social Movements 7. Indian Political System 8. Human Development 9. Social Sectors in India 10. Health and Education | |
| Paper 2- English | To analyse the writing skills of the candidates including expression and understanding of the topic | |



1. Financial System

- 1. Regulators of Banks and Financial Institutions
- 2. Reserve Bank of India- functions and conduct of monetary policy
- 3. Banking System in India Structure and concerns, Financial Institutions SIDBI, EXIM Bank, NABARD, NHB, etc, Changing landscape of banking sector.
- 4. Impact of the Global Financial Crisis of 2007-08 and the Indian response

2. Financial Markets

- 1. Primary and Secondary Markets (Forex, Money, Bond, Equity, etc.), functions, instruments, recent developments.
- 3. General Topics
 - 1. Risk Management in Banking Sector
 - 2. Basics of Derivatives
 - 3. Global financial markets and International Banking broad trends and latest developments.
 - 4. Financial Inclusion
 - 5. Alternate source of finance, private and social cost-benefit, Public-Private Partnership
 - 6. Corporate Governance in Banking Sector, role of e-governance in addressing issues of corruption and inefficiency in the government sector.
 - 7. The Union Budget Concepts, approach and broad trends
 - 8. Inflation: Definition, trends, estimates, consequences, and remedies (control): WPI, CPI components and trends; striking a balance between inflation and growth through monetary and fiscal policies.
 - 9. FinTech

Paper 3 (a) Finance



- 1. Fundamentals of Management & Organizational Behaviour
 - 1. Introduction to management
 - 2. Evolution of management thought
 - 3. Scientific, Administrative, Human Relations
 - 4. Systems approach to management
 - 5. Management functions and Managerial roles
 - 6. Nudge theory
 - 7. Meaning & concept of organizational behaviour
 - 8. Personality: meaning, factors affecting personality, Big five model of personality
 - 9. Concept of reinforcement
 - 10. Perception: concept, perceptual errors
 - 11. Motivation: Concept, importance
 - 12. Content theories (Maslow's need theory, Alderfers' ERG theory, McCllelands' theory of needs, Herzberg's two-factor theory)
 - 13. Process theories (Adams equity theory, Vrooms expectancy theory).
 - 14. Leadership: Concept, Theories (Trait, Behavioural, Contingency, Charismatic, Transactional and Transformational Leadership
 - 15. Emotional Intelligence: Concept, Importance, Dimensions.
 - 16. Analysis of Interpersonal Relationship: Transactional Analysis, Johari Window
 - 17. Conflict: Concept, Sources, Types, Management of Conflict
 - 18. Organizational Change: Concept, Kurt Lewin Theory of Change
 - 19. Organizational Development (OD): Organisational Change, Strategies for Change, Theories of Planned Change (Lewin's change model, Action research model, Positive model).
- 2. Ethics at the Workplace and Corporate Governance
 - 1. Meaning of ethics, why ethical problems occur in the business
 - 2. Theories of ethics: Utilitarianism: weighing social cost and benefits, rights and duties, Justice and fairness, ethics of care, integrating utility, rights, justice and caring
 - 3. An alternative to moral principles: virtue ethics, teleological theories, egoism theory, relativism theory
 - 4. Moral issues in business: Ethics in Compliance, Finance, Human Resources, Marketing, etc
 - 5. Ethical Principles in Business: introduction, Organization Structure and Ethics, Role of Board of Directors, Best Practices in Ethics Programme, Code of Ethics, Code of Conduct, etc.
 - 6. Corporate Governance: Factors affecting Corporate Governance; Mechanisms of Corporate Governance
 - 7. Communication: Steps in the Communication Process; Communication Channels; Oral versus Written Communication; Verbal versus non-verbal Communication; upward, downward and lateral communication
 - 8. Barriers to Communication
 - 9. Role of Information Technology

RBI Grade B Interview

The Interview will be of 75 marks for each post. Candidates will be shortlisted for the interview, based on an aggregate of marks obtained in Phase-II (Paper-IPaper-III). The minimum aggregate cut off marks for being shortlisted for an Interview will be decided by the Board in relation to the number of vacancies. Roll No. of the candidates shortlisted for interview will be published on the RBI website at the appropriate time and interview call letters will be sent on registered email ID. Candidates may opt for an interview either in Hindi or English. Final Selection will be through merit list which will be prepared by adding marks secured by candidates in Phase-II examination and interview.

Paper 3 (b)-Management