

## **BPSC Mains Syllabus**

The detailed syllabus for the Main Examination, along with the list of Optional Subjects, is provided in the information mentioned below.

### **General Hindi (Compulsory Subject)**

The questions in this paper will be based on the secondary level of the Bihar School Examination Board.













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Essay Writing: 30 marksGrammar: 30 marks

Sentence Composition: 25 marks

Precis Writing: 15 marks

#### **General Studies Paper-I**

- Modern History of India and Indian Culture: Broad history of India from the mid-19th century, with special reference to Bihar.
  - Introduction and expansion of Western education (including technical education) in Bihar.
  - The role of Bihar in India's freedom struggle will be a major focus.
  - Specific movements and events in Bihar like the Santhal Uprising, the 1857 Rebellion, Birsa Movement, Champaran Satyagraha, and the Quit India Movement of 1942 will be covered.

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- Indian Art and Culture: Candidates are expected to have knowledge of the chief features of Mauryan and Pal art, as well as Patna Kalam painting.
  - Contributions of key figures like Gandhi, Tagore, and Nehru.
- Current Events of National and International Importance: This section will focus on significant current events both at the national and international levels.
- **Statistical Analysis, Graphs, and Diagrams:** Candidates will be tested on their ability to draw logical conclusions from information presented in statistical, graphical, or diagrammatic forms.
  - They will also need to point out deficiencies, limitations, or inconsistencies in the provided data.

### **General Studies Paper-II**

- Indian Polity: Political system of India, including its functioning in Bihar.
- Indian Economy and Geography of India: Questions will be asked on the planning process in India, as well as the physical, economic, and social geography of both India and Bihar.
- Role and Impact of Science and Technology in India's Development: Impact of science and technology in the development of India and Bihar, with an emphasis on applied aspects.

### **Essay Paper**

- Moral and Philosophical Essay
- Hypothetical Essay
- Essay related to:
  - Social, Economic, Political, Religious, and Administrative Issues
  - Self-reliant India and Digital India
  - Problems, solutions, and possibilities of Bihar
  - Popular proverbs and sayings of Bihar, etc.

### **Optional Subject**

Candidates must select one subject from the following list:

(Each subject carries 100 marks and the exam duration is 2 hours.)

The detailed syllabus for each optional subject is available in the BPSC Syllabus PDF.

Optional Subjects	
Agriculture	Mechanical Engineering
Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science	Philosophy
Anthropology	Physics
Botany	Political Science & International Relations

Chemistry	Psychology
Civil Engineering	Public Administration
Commerce and Accountancy	Sociology
Economics	Statistics
Electrical Engineering	Zoology
Geography	Hindi Language & Literature
Geology	English Language & Literature
History	Urdu Language & Literature
Labour and Social Welfare	Bangla Language & Literature
Law	Sanskrit Language & Literature
Management	Persian Language & Literature
Mathematics	Arabic Language & Literature
Pali Language and Literature	Maithili Language and Literature



**Test Series** 

**31** Hindi Medium

**60** English Medium

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