

BPSC APO Exam Pattern

For BPSC APO Prelims Exam Pattern 2020

Paper	Name of the Topic	Questions	No.of Marks	Time Duration
1.	General Studies	100	100	2 hours
2.	Law	100	150	2 hours

For BPSC APO Mains Exam Pattern 2020

Paper	Name of the Topic	No.of Marks	Time Duration
1.	General Studies	100	3 hours
2.	Hindi Language	100	3 hours
3.	English Language	100	3 hours
4.	Indian Penal Code, 1860	150	3 hours
5.	Indian Evidence Act, 1872	150	3 hours
6.	Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973	150	3 hours
7.	Other Laws	150	3 hours

BPSC APO Syllabus 2020-Topics Wise

Prelims

1.General studies

- General Science on everyday life
- General Knowledge and Current Affairs
- Geography
- Indian History & Culture
- Indian Political System

2.Law

- Questions related to fundamental knowledge of the Indian Constitution
- Indian Penal Code, 1860
- Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973

- Indian Evidence Act, 1872

Mains

1.General Studies

1. Current events of international importance
2. National and General Science
3. Geography of India & Bihar
4. General Knowledge including Current Affairs
5. History of India and salient features of the history of Bihar
6. Indian Culture
7. Major geographical divisions of Bihar and important rivers
8. India's state system and economic system
9. Indian Political System
10. India's national movement and Bihar's contribution to it
11. Major changes in Bihar's economy after independence

2.Hindi Language

1. Grammar
2. Essay Writing
3. Syntax

3.English Language

1. Essay Writing
2. Summary/ Precis Writing
3. Letter Writing

4.Indian Penal Code, 1860

5.Indian Evidence Act, 1872

6.Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973

7.Other Laws

1. The Arms Act, 1959
2. Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961

3. The Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989
4. Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988
5. Explosive Substances Act, 1908
6. The Poxo Act, 2012

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