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# **TRIPURA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**SCHEME & SYLLABUS FOR PRELIMINARY  
EXAMINATION**

**AND**

**SCHEME FOR MAIN EXAMINATION**

**OF**

**THE TRIPURA CIVIL SERVICE**

**AND**

**THE TRIPURA POLICE SERVICE**

**(Appointment by Combined Competitive Examination)**

The Tripura Civil Service and Tripura Police Service (Appointment by Combined Competitive Examination) will be held in three successive stages namely (i) Preliminary Examination (Objective type) (ii) Main Examination (Conventional type-written) and (iii) Personality Test. A number of candidates, maximum 10 (ten) times of total posts (category wise) will be selected merit wise on the basis of the result of the Preliminary Examination, subject to securing minimum qualifying marks as fixed by the Commission. These selected candidates will be allowed to appear in the Main Examination. The selected candidates on the basis of the results of the Main Examination will be allowed to appear in the Personality Test. **The Preliminary Examination, Main Examination and Personality Test will carry 200 marks, 800 marks and 100 marks respectively.**

**(i): Scheme of the Preliminary Examination.**

The Preliminary Examination will consist of only one paper viz. a paper on "General Studies". The paper will be of an Objective Type consisting of 200 Multiple- Choice Question. The paper will carry 200 marks and will be of Two and a half (2½) hours duration. The standard of the paper will be of the level of knowledge as expected of a graduate of any faculty of the recognized University. The paper will include questions covering the following field of knowledge:

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| (i) English Composition  | - 30 marks |
| (ii) General Knowledge & Current Events Of<br>Local, National & International Importance.  | - 30 marks |
| (iii) History of Modern India and Indian National<br>Movement for the period 1857 to 1947. | - 20 marks |
| (iv) Geography of India  | - 20 marks |
| (v) Geography, History & Culture of Tripura  | - 15 marks |
| (vi) Indian Polity and Economy   | - 25 marks |
| (vii) General Science and Environment  | - 25 marks |
| (viii) General Mental Ability  | - 20 marks |
| (ix) Numerical Ability   | - 15 marks |

**(ii) Purpose of preliminary Examination:**

The Preliminary Examination is meant to serve as a screening test only for the purpose of selection of candidates for the Main Examination. The marks obtained in this examination by the candidates will not be considered for final selection. Only those candidates who will be declared qualified at the Preliminary Examination will be eligible for admission to the TCS and TPS Main Examination.

**(iii) Syllabi for Preliminary Examination.**

- **English Composition:-** Question on English Composition will cover Synonyms, Antonyms, use of common Phrase & Idioms., use of appropriate Prepositions and Articles, Comprehension, Ordering of words in a sentence , Ordering of sentences, spotting of errors, use of appropriate and qualifying words etc.

- **History of Modern India & Indian National Movement for the period 1857 to 1947:** - In History, emphasis will be on broad general understanding of the subject in its Social, Economic and Political aspects. Questions on the

Indian National Movement will relate to the nature and character of the Nineteenth Century resurgence, growth of Nationalism and attainment of Independence.

- **Geography of India:** - Question on Geography of India will relate to Physical, Social & Economic Geography of the country including the main features of Indian Agriculture and Natural Resources.

- **Geography, History & Culture of Tripura:-**

In Geography of Tripura, emphasis will be on its natural resources with special reference to its soil, forest, water and power.

The period from 1857 to 1949 will be considered for setting question on History of Tripura. There will be questions on different Tribes, Languages, Customs, Festivals, Important Historical sites etc.

- **Indian Polity and Economy:** - Indian Polity and Economy will test the knowledge of the candidates in Country's Political system and Constitution of India, Panchayatee Raj, Community development, Economic development during Plan periods.

- **General Science and Environment:** - Questions on General Science and Environment will cover general appreciation and understanding of science and environment including matters of everyday observation and experience alongwith general awareness of Information & Communication Technology as may be expected of a well educated person who has not made a special study of any particular scientific discipline.

- **General Mental Ability:** - On General Mental Ability questions will be set on logical perception, understanding, natural conclusion etc.

- **Numerical Ability:** - Questions on Numerical Ability will be similar to that the Compulsory Mathematics paper at the Madhyamik Examination of Tripura Board of Secondary Education.”

(a) For sub-regulation (2) of Regulation 11 of the Principal Regulation, the following sub-regulation shall be substituted namely:-

“(2) The Papers/Subject, Subject Code/paper Code, Full Marks and the time allowed are specified in the table below:-

**(Scheme of Main Examination)**

**TABLE**

**COMPULSORY PAPER**

Sl No.	Subjects/Papers	Subjects/Papers Code	Full marks	Time allowed
1.	English Essay & Précis writing	-----	100	3 hours
2.	English Composition	-----	100	3 hours
3.	Bengali Composition and Translation Or Alternative English	BCAT  ALTE	100	3 hours
4.	General Knowledge & Current Affairs	-----	100	<b>2 hours</b>
5.	The Constitution of India and the Five Years Plan	-----	100	3 hours

**OPTIONAL PAPER**

- Candidates are required to take up 3(three) papers from the following:  
The candidate shall indicate in the Application Form **Subjects/Papers Code** against the optional papers chosen by them.

Sl No.	Subjects/Papers	Subjects/Papers Code	Full marks	Time allowed
1.	Bengali Paper I	BNG-I	100	3 hours
2.	Bengali Paper II	BNG-II	100	3 hours

3. English Paper I	ENG-I	100	3 hours
4. English Paper II	ENG-II	100	3 hours
5. Sanskrit Paper I	SAN-I	100	3 hours
6. Sanskrit Paper II	SAN-II	100	3 hours
7. Political Science I	PLS-I	100	3 hours
8. Political Science-II	PLS-II	100	3 hours
9. Economics Paper I	ECO-I	100	3 hours
10. Economics paper II	ECO-II	100	3 hours
11. Philosophy Paper I	PHI-I	100	3 hours
12. Philosophy Paper II	PHI-II	100	3 hours
13. History Paper I	HIS-I	100	3 hours
14. History Paper II	HIS-II	100	3 hours
15. Education Paper I	EDC-I	100	3 hours
16. Education Paper II	EDC-II	100	3 hours
17. Commerce Paper I	COM-I	100	3 hours
18. Commerce Paper-II	COM-II	100	3 hours
19. Mathematics Paper I	MTM-I	100	3 hours
20. Mathematics Paper II	MTM-II	100	3 hours
21. Physics Paper I	PHS-I	100	3 hours
22. Physics Paper II	PHS-II	100	3 hours
23. Chemistry Paper I	CEM-I	100	3 hours
24. Chemistry Paper II	CEM-II	100	3 hours
25. Botany Paper I	BOT-I	100	3 hours
26. Botany Paper II	BOT-II	100	3 hours
27. Zoology Paper I	ZOO-I	100	3 hours
28. Zoology Paper II	ZOO-II	100	3 hours
29. Physiology Paper I	PHY-I	100	3 hours
30. Physiology Paper II	PHY-II	100	3 hours
31. Psychology Paper I	PSY-I	100	3 hours
32. Psychology Paper II	PSY-II	100	3 hours
33. Statistics paper I	STS-I	100	3 hours
34. Statistics Paper II	STS-II	100	3 hours
35. Geography Paper I	GEO-I	100	3 hours
36. Geography Paper II	GEO-II	100	3 hours
37. Agriculture Paper I	AGR-I	100	3 hours
38. Agriculture Paper II	AGR-II	100	3 hours
39. Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science Paper I	AHV-I	100	3 hours
40. Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science Paper II	AHV-II	100	3 hours
41. Civil Engineering Paper I	CVL-I	100	3 hours
42. Civil Engineering Paper II	CVL-II	100	3 hours
43. Mech. Engineering Paper I	MEC-I	100	3 hours
44. Mech. Engineering Paper II	MEC-II	100	3 hours
45. Electrical Engineering Paper I	ELC-I	100	3 hours
46. Electrical Engineering Paper II	ELC-II	100	3 hours
47. Law Paper I	LAW-I	100	3 hours
48. Law Paper II	LAW-II	100	3 hours
49. Sociology Paper I	SOC-I	100	3 hours
50. Sociology Paper II	SOC-II	100	3 hours

Detailed Syllabus of main Examination is available only in the Commission's Website <http://www.tpsc.gov.in>.

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