

IBPS Clerk Prelims Syllabus

The IBPS Clerk prelims syllabus is exhaustive and candidates need to thoroughly prepare themselves to ace the prelims examination. It is important that before sorting out a study plan and strategizing the preparation, the candidate must have a complete idea of the syllabus and exam pattern.

Given below is the section-wise IBPS Clerk prelims syllabus for the candidate's reference.

IBPS Clerk Prelims Syllabus - English Language

- Reading Comprehension
- Synonyms
- Antonyms
- Sentence Rearrangement
- Para/Word Jumbles
- Idioms and Phases
- One word Substitution
- Fill in the Blanks
- Cloze Test
- Error Spotting
- Sentence Correction
- Active & Passive Voice
- Direct & Indirect Speech

This is one section where candidates tend to lose maximum marks because the options given are confusing and also it is the only section which is not available in Hindi. So candidates must prepare themselves to the core for the English Language section.

IBPS Clerk Prelims Syllabus - Quantitative Aptitude

- Data Interpretation
- Profit & Loss
- Simple and Compound Interest
- Percentage
- Permutation and Combination
- Average
- Probability
- Speed, Time and Distance
- Time and Work
- Percentage
- Number System
- Cube Root and Square Root
- Fractions
- Decimals
- Ratio and Proportion
- Age Problems
- Upstream and Downstream

- Pipes and Cisterns
- Mixture and Allegation
- Train Problems
- Mensuration
- Simplification
- Approximation
- Missing Number Series
- Wrong Number Series

This is one section where speed matters the most. The faster you can solve questions, the more marks you can score. While preparing, try solving the quantitative aptitude questions much often to increase your efficiency and speed.

IBPS Clerk Prelims Syllabus - Reasoning Ability

- Puzzles - Box format, tabular format, circular format, square format, building format, etc.
- Seating Arrangement - Single line (all facing north/all facing south)
- Seating arrangement - Single line (some facing south and some facing north)
- Seating arrangement - Single line (all facing east/ all facing west)
- Seating arrangement - Single line (some facing east and some facing west)
- Seating arrangement - Two Parallel lines (facing each other)
- Seating arrangement - Two Parallel lines (facing opposite each other)
- Alphanumeric series
- [Direction Test](#)
- Coding-Decoding
- Syllogism
- [Blood Relation](#)
- Data Sufficiency
- Statement and Assumption
- Statement and Conclusion
- Number Ranking
- Decision Making

The reasoning ability section is one of the most scoring sections in the IBPS Clerk prelims exam. Most part of this section covers questions in the form of puzzles which may be time consuming so practising shall be the key to success.

This IBPS Clerk prelims syllabus given above shall help candidates prepare themselves for the upcoming clerical cadre recruitment.