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Revision Based	Test No.	Date	SUBJECT	SYLLABUS	REFERENCE BOOK LIST
GS Revision Round 1	**1**	15th Nov.	NCERT 1 (Polity, Economy, Modern History, General Science)	Complete Syllabus from NCERTs of Polity, Economics, History and Science & Technology	**Polity:** • NCERT Class X: Democratic Politics 2 • NCERT Class XI: Political Theory NCERT • Class XI: Indian Constitution at Work **Economics:** • NCERT Class XI: Economics: Indian Economic Development • NCERT Class XII: Introductory Macroeconomics • NCERT Class XII: Introductory Microeconomics **Modern India** • Old and New NCERT: Modern Indian History **Science & Technology:** • NCERT for Science Class VI to X
	2	18th Nov.	NCERT 2 (Ancient, Medieval, Geography, Environment)	Complete Syllabus from NCERTs of Geography, Environment, and History	**History:** • Old and New NCERT: Ancient Indian History • Old and New NCERT: Medieval Indian History **Environment:** NCERT Class VII (Our Environment), Class XI & XII **Geography:** NCERT Class XI (Fundamentals of Physical Geography, India Physical Environment), Class XII (Fundamentals of Human Geography, India - People and Economy)

	3	22nd Nov.	Polity 1	Historical Background, Evolution & Making of Constitution, Preamble, Union & Territory, Citizenship, Fundamental Rights, DPSP, Fundamental Duties, Amendments, Forms of Govt, Federalism, Center-State Relations, Emergency Provisions, Judiciary (SC, HC, Subordinate Courts, Tribunals), Languages, Co-operative societies, Political theories.	• NCERT Class IX & X Democratic Politics • NCERT Class XI Indian Constitution at Work • RICE IAS Book on Polity • Indian Polity by M. Laxmikanth • Our Constitution by Subhash Kashyap • Intro to Constitution of India by D.D. Basu • Bare Act by P.M. Bakshi
	4	25th Nov.	CA 1 (MAY 2026)	May Month-2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	5	29th Nov.	Polity 2	Union & State Executive (President, Governor, PM, CM, Council of Ministers), Parliament & State Legislature, Local Self-Govt (Panchayats, ULBs), UTs, Scheduled/Tribal Areas, Elections, Anti-Defection, Constitutional & Non-Constitutional Bodies, Governance, Transparency (RTI), Police/Admin Reforms.	• NCERT Class XI Polity • RICE IAS Book on Polity • D.D. Basu | Subhash Kashyap | M. Laxmikanth
	6	6th Dec.	Economy 1	Basic Economic Concepts, Micro & Macroeconomics, National Income Accounting, Money & Banking (Monetary Policy, Banks, Money Supply), Inflation, Public Finance & Fiscal Policy (FRBM Act), Tax Structure,	• NCERT Class XI Indian Economic Development • NCERT Class XII Macro & Microeconomics • RICE IAS Book for Indian Economy • Websites of RBI, SEBI, Arthapedia etc. • Supplementary Reading : Indian Economy by Nitin Singhania

				Capital Market, Employment & Skill Development, Poverty & Inequality.	
	7	9th Dec.	CA 2 (June 2026) + Comprehension 1 (30 Questions)	June Month-2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	8	13th Dec.	Economy 2	Foreign Trade & Investment (FDI, FPI), Exchange Rates (NEER, REER), External Sector (Forex, BoP), International Organisations (IMF, World Bank, WTO), Five-Year Plans, LPG Reforms 1991, NITI Aayog, Agriculture, Industry, Infrastructure, Disinvestment, Demography.	• NCERT Class XI & XII Economics • RICE IAS Book on Indian Economy • RBI/SEBI/ other government Websites • Supplementary Reading : Indian Economy by Nitin Singhania
	9	20th Dec.	Geography 1	Fundamentals of Geography, Evolution of Earth, Geomorphology (Earth's structure, Landforms, Earthquakes, Volcanoes), Climate (Atmosphere, Rainfall, Winds, Pressure), Biomes, Oceans (Structure, Life, Resources), Biogeography (Soils, Plants, Animals), World Social & Economic Geography.	• NCERT Class XI Fundamentals of Physical Geography • NCERT Class XII Fundamentals of Human Geography • Certificate Physical and Human Geography - Goh Cheng Leong • RICE IAS Book on Geography • Oxford Atlas for Mapping
	10	23rd Dec.	CA 3 (July 2026) + Comprehension 2 (30 Questions)	July Month-2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	11	27th Dec.	Geography 2	India Physical Environment: Location, Drainage System, Climate, Soils, Vegetation, Natural Disasters.	• NCERT Class XI & XII India Physical Environment & Economy • RICE IAS Book on Geography

				Social & Economic Geography of India: Resources, Industries, Population, Urbanisation.	• Oxford Atlas
	12	3rd Jan	Modern History 1	Modern Indian History from 1707 onwards, European Conquest, British Administration, Important Wars & Policies, Socio-Religious Movements, Revolt of 1857, Crown Rule, INC Moderate Phase (1885-1905), Swadeshi Movement, Morley-Minto Reforms, Revolutionary Activities Phase I, Home Rule Movement.	• Tamil Nadu Board Book • New NCERT: Themes in Indian History Part III • Modern Indian History by Sonali Bansal • RICE IAS Book on Modern History • Spectrum
	13	6th Jan	CA 4 (August 2026)	August Month -2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	14	10th Jan	Modern History 2 + CSAT 1	Gandhian Phase (1917-47), Rowlatt Act, Non-Cooperation, Swaraj Party, Civil Disobedience, Quit India Movement, INA, Partition & Independence, Important Personalities, British Economic Impact, Press & Education Development. Peasant/Tribal/Civil Movements Movements of the Working Class The Indian States Post Independent India - Consolidation Personalities - Indian and British	• Tamil Nadu Board Book • New NCERT: Themes in Indian History Part III • Modern Indian History by Sonali Bansal • RICE IAS Book on Modern History • Spectrum
	15	17th Jan	AMC + CSAT 2	Ancient India: Prehistoric, IVC, Vedic Age, Mahajanapadas, Mauryan &	• Tamil Nadu Board Book • Old NCERT Ancient & Medieval History

				Post-Mauryan, Religious/Cultural developments. Medieval India: Early Medieval, Regional Kingdoms, Foreign Invasions, Delhi Sultanate. Art & Culture: Architecture, Sculptures, Pottery, Paintings, Music, Dances. Satavahanas, Harsha, Gupta & Post-Gupta, Sangam Age, Cholas, Mughal Empire, Southern Kingdoms (Marathas, Vijayanagara), Religious/Social Developments. Art & Culture: Theatres, Religion/Philosophy, Indo-Islamic Culture, Literature, Crafts, Cinema.	• New NCERT Ancient & Medieval History • NCERT Introduction to Indian Art and Living Craft traditions of India (Chapter 9 and 10) • RIC IAS Book on AMC
	16	20th Jan	CA 5 (Revision Test 1)	Month of May-June-July-August 2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	17	24th Jan	I.R. and Mapping + CSAT 3	International Organizations & Groupings: Mandates, headquarters, member nations, and reports/indices of bodies like the UN, WTO, IMF, World Bank, IAEA, SCO, BRICS, QUAD, and G20. Major climate negotiations (COP summits), trade agreements, and bilateral/multilateral pacts involving India. Indices and Reports: Global rankings, publishing agencies, and India's	• The Hindu • Indian Express • Websites of Prominent Institutes like- UN, World Bank, IMF, IAEA, SCO, BRICS etc. • RICE IAS Magazine

				performance in key international reports. Bilateral & Regional Initiatives: Connectivity projects, joint military exercises, and neighborhood policies (e.g., BIMSTEC, BBIN). Map-Based Geography: Places, straits, seas, borders, or regions frequently appearing in international news (e.g., Red Sea, Black Sea, South China Sea, or neighboring border posts).	
	18	27th Jan	CA 6 (September)	September Month- 2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	19	31st Jan	Science and Technology + CSAT 4	Space Technology and Astro Physics Electrical & Electronics Technology Information Technology Robotics Defence Technology Energy Technology Green Technology Biotechnology Nanotechnology Nuclear science Intellectual Property Rights General Science and Recent Development	• RICE IAS Book on Science and Technology • NCERT (Class 6 to 12) • RICE IAS Magazine • Lucent General Science Book • Indian Express • The Hindu
	20	7th Feb	Environment and Agriculture 1 + CSAT 5	Environment Components, Ecosystem Functions, Terrestrial & Aquatic Ecosystems, Biodiversity	• NCERT Class VII Our Environment • Class XII Biology NCERT (Unit X Ecology) • RICE IAS Book on Environment

				Conservation, Protected Areas (NP, WLS, Biosphere Reserves), Agriculture & Related Developments.	• PMF IAS Book on Environment • The Hindu and Indian Express Essentials • Ministry Sites
	21	10th Feb	CA 7 (October)	October Month-2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	22	14th Feb	Environment and Agriculture 2 + CSAT 6	Environmental Laws & Acts, International Conventions, Climate Change, Pollution (Air, Water, Soil, E-waste), EIA, Renewable Energy, Sustainable Agriculture Practices & Recent Technologies.	• NCERT Class VII Our Environment • Class XII Biology NCERT (Unit X Ecology) • RICE IAS Book on Environment • PMF IAS Book on Environment • The Hindu and Indian Express Essentials • Ministry Sites
GS Revision Round 2	**23**	17th Feb	CA 8 (November)	November Month- 2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	24	21st Feb	Polity Comprehensive + CSAT 7	Complete Syllabus of Polity	• The Previously recommended book list
	25	24th Feb	CA 9 (December)	December Month-2026	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	26	28th Feb	Economy Comprehensive + CSAT 8	Complete Syllabus of Economy	• The Previously recommended book list
	27	3rd Mar	CA 10 (January)	January Month-2027	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	28	7th Mar	Geography Comprehensive +CSAT 9	Complete Syllabus of Geography	• The Previously recommended book list

	29	10th Mar	CA 11 (PIB 1 + Revision 1)	From PIB & India Year Book and Month of Sep, Oct, Nov 2026	• PIB and India Year Book
	30	14th Mar	Modern India Comprehensive +CSAT 10	Complete Syllabus of Modern History	• The Previously recommended book list
	31	17th Mar	CA 12 (February)	February Month-2027	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	32	21st Mar	AMC Comprehensive +CSAT 11	Complete Syllabus of AMC	• The Previously recommended book list
	33	24th Mar	CA 13 (PIB 2 + Revision 3)	From PIB & India Year Book and Month of Dec (26), Jan, Feb 2027	• RICE IAS Magazine, Indian Express Essentials, The Hindu and PIB
	34	28th Mar	Environment, Agriculture, and Mapping Comprehensive	Complete Syllabus of Environment and Agriculture	• The Previously recommended book list
GS Revision Round 3	**35**	4th Apr	FLT 1 + CSAT 12	Complete Syllabus (Polity, Geo, Eco, Hist, S&T, Env, Social Issues, CA)	• The Previously recommended book list
	36	8th Apr	FLT 2 + CSAT 13	Complete Syllabus (Polity, Geo, Eco, Hist, S&T, Env, Social Issues, CA)	• The Previously recommended book list
	37	11th Apr	FLT 3 + CSAT 14	Complete Syllabus (Polity, Geo, Eco, Hist, S&T, Env, Social Issues, CA)	• The Previously recommended book list
	38	14th Apr	CA14 (March + April)	Month of March and April- 2027	• The Previously recommended book list
	39	18th Apr	FLT 4 + CSAT 15	Complete Syllabus (Polity, Geo, Eco, Hist, S&T, Env, Social Issues, CA)	• The Previously recommended book list

	40	21st Apr	CA 15 (Budget and Economic Survey)	Government Document from Budget and Economic Survey	• The Previously recommended book list
	41	25th Apr	FLT 5 + CSAT 16	Complete Syllabus (Polity, Geo, Eco, Hist, S&T, Env, Social Issues, CA)	• The Previously recommended book list
GS Revision Round 4	**42**	2nd May	Simulator 1 + CSAT 17	The Simulators are full-syllabus tests modelled on the pattern of the actual UPSC exam, with a balanced mix of static and current affairs questions. If you have completed all the earlier tests, you will not need any special preparation for them.	• The Previously recommended book list
	43	9th May	Simulator 2 + CSAT 18		
	44	16th May	Simulator 3 + CSAT 19		

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