## GSSCORE **An Institute for Civil Services**

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## GEOGRAPHY **MAINS TEST SERIES 2025**



TEST SERIES MENTORSHIP **PROGRAMME** 

**BATCH** 

**by: PRINCE MISHRA** 



**ANSWER** WRITING



COPY **EVALUATION** 



**PERSONALIZED** MENTORSHIP



7 Total 10 Tests:

6 Sectional & 4 Mock Tests



Pre-test and Post-test Mentorship with Prince Sir to Identify target area and Improvement



**Elaborate Discussion after each** test



**Detailed Model Answer Hints** 



Copy Evaluation & Discussion:

- After submission of Copy, Evaluation will be done within a week.
- After Copy Evaluation One to One Discussion with Prince Sir.

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₹ 12000 +GST

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## TEST SCHEDULE

TEST NO. & DATE	TEST TOPICS
TEST - 01 14 JUNE, 2025	<ul> <li>Geomorphology:         <ul> <li>Factors controlling landform development; endogenetic and exogenetic forces; Origin and evolution of the earth's crusts; Fundamentals of geomagnetism; Physical conditions of the earth's interior; Geosynclines; Continental drift; Isostasy; Plate tectonics; Recent views on mountain building; Volcanicity; Earthquakes and Tsunamis; Concepts of geomorphic cycles and Land scape development; Denudation chronology; Channel morphology; Erosion surfaces; Slope development; Applied Geomorphology: Geohydrology, economic geology and environment.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Oceanography:         <ul> <li>Bottom topography of the Atlantic, Indian and Pacific Oceans; Temperature and salinity of the oceans; Heat and salt budgets, Ocean deposits; Waves, currents and tides; Marine resources; biotic, mineral and energy resources; Coral reefs coral bleaching; Sea-level changes; Law of the sea and marine pollution.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Biogeography:</li> </ul>
	Genesis of soils; Classification and distribution of soils; Soil profile; Soil erosion, Degradation and conservation; Factors influencing world distribution of plants and animals; Problems of deforestation and conservation measures; Social forestry, agro-forestry; Wild life; Major gene pool centres.
TEST - 02 22 JUNE, 2025	<ul> <li>Climatology:         Temperature and pressure belts of the world; Heat budget of the earth; Atmospheric circulation; Atmospheric stability     </li> </ul>

and instability. Planetary and local winds; Monsoons and



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	jet streams; Air masses and front; Temperate and tropical cyclones; Types and distribution of precipitation; Weather and Climate; Koppen's Thornthwaite's and Trewartha's classification of world climate; Hydrological cycle; Global climatic change, and role and response of man in climatic changes Applied climatology and Urban climate.
	• Environmental Geography:
	Principle of ecology; Human ecological adaptations; Influence of man on ecology and environment; Global and regional ecological changes and imbalances; Ecosystem their management and conservation; Environmental degradation, management and conservation; Biodiversity and sustainable development; Environmental policy; Environmental hazards and remedial measures; Environmental education and legislation.
	Perspectives in Human Geography:
	Areal differentiation; Regional synthesis; Dichotomy and dualism; Environmentalism; Quantitative revolution and locational analysis; Radical, behavioural, human and welfare approaches; Languages, religions and secularisation; Cultural regions of the world; Human development index.
TEST - 03	Economic Geography:
	World economic development: measurement and problems; World resources and their distribution; Energy crisis; the limits to growth; World agriculture: typology of agricultural regions; Agricultural inputs and productivity; Food and nutrition's problems; Food security; famine: causes, effects and remedies; World industries: location patterns and problems; Patterns of world trade.
29 JUNE, 2025	Population and Settlement Geography:
	Growth and distribution of world population; Demographic attributes; Causes and consequences of migration; Concepts of over-under-and optimum population; Population theories, world population problems and policies, social well-being and quality of life; Population as social capital. Types and patterns of rural settlements; Environmental



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		issues in rural settlements; Hierarchy of urban settlements; Urban morphology; Concept of primate city and rank-size rule; Functional classification of towns; Sphere of urban influence; Rural-urban fringe; Satellite towns; Problems and remedies of urbanization; Sustainable development of cities.
	0	Regional Planning:
		Concept of a region; Types of regions and methods of regionalisation; Growth centres and growth poles; Regional imbalances; Regional development strategies; Environmental issues in regional planning; Planning for sustainable development.
	0	Models, Theories and Laws in Human Geography:
		System analysis in Human geography; Malthusian, Marxian and demographic transition models; Central Place theories of Christaller and Losch; Perroux and Boudeville; Von Thunen's model of agricultural location; Weber's model of industrial location; Rostov's model of stages of growth. Heart-land and Rimland theories; Laws of international boundaries and frontiers.
	0	Physical Setting:
TEST - 04 06 JULY, 2025		Space relationship of India with neighbouring countries; Structure and relief; Drainage system and watersheds; Physiographic regions; Mechanism of Indian monsoons and rainfall patterns; Tropical cyclones and western disturbances; Floods and droughts; Climatic regions; Natural vegetation, Soil types and their distributions.
	0	Resources:
		Land, surface and ground water, energy, minerals, biotic and marine resources, Forest and wild life resources and their conservation; Energy crisis.
	0	Agriculture:
TEST - 05 13 JULY, 2025		Infrastructure: irrigation, seeds, fertilizers, power; Institutional factors; land holdings, land tenure and land reforms; Cropping pattern, agricultural productivity, agricultural intensity, crop combination, land capability; Agro and social-forestry; Green revolution and its socio-



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	economic and ecological implications; Significance of dry farming; Livestock resources and white revolution; Aquaculture; Sericulture, Apiculture and poultry; Agricultural regionalisation; Agro-climatic zones; Agro-ecological regions.
	o Industry:
	Evolution of industries; Locational factors of cotton, jute, textile, iron and steel, aluminium, fertiliser, paper, chemical and pharmaceutical, automobile, cottage and agro-based industries; Industrial houses and complexes including public sector underkings; Industrial regionalisation; New industrial policy; Multinationals and liberalisation; Special Economic Zones; Tourism including eco-tourism.
	<ul> <li>Transport, Communication and Trade:</li> </ul>
	Road, railway, waterway, airway and pipeline networks and their complementary roles in regional development; Growing importance of ports on national and foreign trade; Trade balance; Trade Policy; Export processing zones; Developments in communication and information technology and their impacts on econ my and society; Indian space programme.
	o Cultural Setting:
TEST - 06 17 JULY, 2025	Historical Perspective of Indian Society; Racial linguistic and ethnic diversities; religious minorities; Major tribes, tribal areas and their problems; Cultural regions; Growth, distribution and density of population; Demographic attributes: sex-ratio, age structure, literacy rate, work-force, dependency ratio, longevity; migration (inter-regional, interregional and international) and associated problems; Population problems and policies; Health indicators.
17 3021, 2023	Settlements:
	Types, patterns and morphology of rural settlements; Urban developments; Morphology of Indian cities; Functional classification of Indian cities; Conurbations and metropolitan regions; Urban sprawl; Slums and associated problems; Town planning; Problems of urbanisation and remedies.



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	Regional Development and Planning:	
	Experience of regional planning in India; Five Year Plantegrated rural development programmes; Panchayati and decentralised planning; Command area development Watershed management; Planning for backward and desert, drought-prone, hill tribal area development; molevel planning; Regional planning and development island territories.	Raj ent; rea, ulti-
	Political Aspects:	
	Geographical basis of Indian federalism; State reorganisat Emergence of new states; Regional consciousness a inter-state issues; International boundary of India a related issues; Cross-border terrorism; India's role in we affairs; Geopolitics of South Asia and Indian Ocean rea	and and orld
	Contemporary Issues:	
	Ecological issues: Environmental hazards: landslide earthquakes, tsunamis, floods and droughts, epidem Issues related to environmental pollution; Changes patterns of land use; Principles of environmental impassessment and environmental management; Populate explosion and food security; Environmental degradate Deforestation, desertification and soil erosion; Problet of agrarian and industrial unrest; Regional disparities economic development; Concept of sustainable growth a development; Environmental awareness; Linkage of rive Globalisation and Indian economy.	ics; s in pact tion ion; ems s in
TEST - 07 27 JULY, 2025	MOCK: 1 (PAPER: I)	
TEST - 08 27 JULY, 2025	MOCK: 2 (PAPER: 2)	
TEST - 09 03 AUGUST, 2025	MOCK: 3 (PAPER: I)	
TEST - 10 03 AUGUST, 2025	MOCK: 4 (PAPER: 2)	

## CSE RESULT

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