

UPSC/IAS MAINS ANSWER WRITING PROGRAM-2023

Detailed schedule with Syllabus

DAY	TEST NO	PAPER	TOPICS	SOURCES
1	MAW-0123	GS-1- History (Modern India)	Later Mughals , Regional powers in 18th Century , Carnatic Wars , Battle of Plassey & Buxar, Anglo-Mysore War, Anglo Punjab War, Socio-economic Condition of People	NCERT, Bipan Chandra, Spectrum
2	MAW-0223	GS-2-Polity	Indian Constitution- Historical Underpinning & Evolution, Making of Constitution	NCERT, Lakmikanth, D D Basu, Newspaper
3	MAW-0323	CURRENT	Jan 1 st -15 th 2023	PIB, Yojana, Kurushetra, IE, The Hindu
4	MAW-0423	ESSAY		
5	MAW-0523	GS-3- Economy	Indian Economy and issues relating to Planning, Mobilization of Resources, Growth, Development and Employment.	NCERT, Ramesh Singh, Newspaper
6	MAW-0623	GS-4 (Ethics)	Ethics and Human Interface: Essence, Determinants and Consequences of Ethics in - Human Actions; Dimensions of Ethics	
7	MAW-0723	CURRENT	Jan 16 th -31 st	PIB, Yojana, Kurushetra, IE, The Hindu
8	MAW-0823	ESSAY		
9	MAW-0923	GS-1 (Modern India)	European Penetration of India, British Conquest of India	NCERT, Bipan Chandra, Spectrum
10	MAW-1023	GS-2-Polity	Significant Provisions- Fundamental Rights	NCERT, Lakmikanth, D D

			Directive Principles of State Policy, Judicial Review, Universal Adult Franchise, Single Citizenship, Separation of Powers	Basu, Newspaper
11	MAW-1123	CURRENT	Feb 1 st -14 th	PIB, Yojana, Kurushetra, IE, The Hindu
12	MAW-1223	ESSAY		
13	MAW-1323	GS-3 (Economy)	Indian Economy and issues relating to Planning, Mobilization of Resources, Growth, Development and Employment.	NCERT, Ramesh Singh, Newspaper
14	MAW-1423	GS-4	Human Values - Lessons from the Lives and Teachings of Great Leaders, Reformers and Administrators; Role of Family Society and Educational Institutions in Inculcating Values.	
15	MAW-1523	CURRENT	Feb 15 th -28 th	PIB, Yojana, Kurushetra, IE, The Hindu
16	MAW-1623	ESSAY		
17	MAW-1723	GS-1 (Modern India)	British Policies & Their Impact – Economic, Administrative & Socio-cultural	NCERT, Bipan Chandra, Spectrum
18	MAW-1823	GS-2-Polity	Features, Amendments & Basic Structure	NCERT, Lakmikanth, D D Basu, Newspaper
19	MAW-1923	CURRENT	March 1 st -14 th	PIB, Yojana, Kurushetra, IE, The Hindu
20	MAW-2023	ESSAY		
21	MAW-2123	GS-3 (Economy)	Inclusive Growth and issues arising from it.	NCERT, Ramesh Singh, Newspaper
22	MAW-2223	GS-4 (Ethics)	Attitude: Content, Structure, Function; its Influence & Relation with Thought & Behaviour; Moral and Political Attitudes; Social Influence & Persuasion.	
23	MAW-2323	CURRENT	March 15 th - 31 st	PIB, Yojana, Kurushetra, IE, The Hindu

24	MAW-2423	ESSAY		
25	MAW-2523	GS-1	Socio-cultural Reform Movements	NCERT, Bipan Chandra, Spectrum
26	MAW-2623	GS-2-Polity	Functions & Responsibilities of the Union and the States-Parliament	NCERT, Lakmikanth, D D Basu, Newspaper
27	MAW-2723	CURRENT	April 1 st -15 th	PIB, Yojana, Kurushetra, IE, The Hindu
28	MAW-2823	ESSAY		
29	MAW-2923	GS-3 (Economy)	Government Budgeting.	NCERT, Ramesh Singh, Newspaper
30	MAW-3023	GS-4 (Ethics)	Aptitude and Foundational Values for Civil Service, Integrity, Impartiality & Non-partisanship, Objectivity, Dedication to Public Service, Empathy, Tolerance & Compassion towards the weaker-sections.	
31	MAW-3123	CURRENT	April 16 th - 30 th	PIB, Yojana, Kurushetra, IE, The Hindu
32	MAW-3124	ESSAY		

Note- This schedule is for the first 2 months i.e July 24 till Mid-September, this will be updated thereafter for every upcoming months.