

## **IBPS Clerk Preliminary Exam Syllabus 2024**

The Institute of Banking Personnel Selection (IBPS) every year holds a clerical cadre exam for employment in the Public sector banks.

**The IBPS clerk exam which takes place through the online medium has two parts: Preliminary and Mains.**

IBPS Clerk Preliminary paper comprises three papers Reasoning Ability, Quantitative Aptitude, and English Language. The time allotted for the exam would be 1 hour. IBPS Clerk VIII Prelims Exam Pattern contains fewer objective type questions with shorter duration. Pre-examination have some short and multiple choice questions (MCQ) from the subjects Reasoning, English, Quantitative Aptitude. IBPS online test syllabus will be uploaded on IBPS website and you can also download it from the attachment below

## **IBPS Clerk Main Exam Syllabus 2024**

### **1. IBPS Clerk Reasoning Ability & Computer Aptitude Syllabus:**

First Section covers all logical reasoning questions which have to form judgments, conclusions from premises or facts. All questions in Reasoning “Syllabus of IBPS Clerk Exam” is based on Verbal Reasoning & Non-Verbal Reasoning.

Verbal Reasoning contains analogy, odd man out, syllogism, word formation, statement and conclusions, statement and assumptions, statement and arguments, passage and conclusions, coding-decoding, blood relations, alphabet test, series test, number, ranking and time sequence, direction sense test, sitting arrangement, decision making, input-output, assertion and reasoning, figure series.

Non-Verbal Reasoning contains series test, analogy, odd figures, miscellaneous test. For Computer Aptitude or Computer Awareness, the syllabus covers two sections hardware and software. All candidates must have basic knowledge of computer and also have the skills to operate a computer for office purpose alongside knowledge about DBMS, MS Office, MS Word, MS Excel, MS PowerPoint, Windows, Internet.

### **2. IBPS Clerk English Language Syllabus 2024 :**

The second section of IBPS clerk syllabus is of extreme importance for all candidates. The selection committee closely follows the rule where all the selected clerks need to have the basic knowledge of English Language which is considered a common language internationally. The English syllabus covers vocabulary including homonyms, synonyms, antonyms, sentence completion, word formation and also comprehension where candidates have to derive conclusions, theme detection, passage completion and the topic. There are also questions on rearranging of passage, spelling, sentence, while the grammar part includes questions on active passive voice, indirect direct speech and there will also be a question on phrases and idioms.

### **3. IBPS Clerk Quantitative Aptitude/Numerical Ability Syllabus 2024 :**

IBPS Clerk Syllabus for Numerical ability or Quantitative Aptitude paper consists of 5 Multiple Choice Questions. The questions in this part are mainly focused around two subjects Arithmetic and Data Interpretation. Information (Data) Interpretation means visual diagrams, pie outlines, line charts and classification. Number-crunching (Arithmetic) means roots, average, ratio, time & work,

time & separation, rate, benefit & loss, mixture, stocks & shares, partnership, clocks, volume & surface area, height & distances, logarithms, permutation & combination, simple & compound interest, in equations & equations and probability.

#### 4. IBPS Clerk General/Financial Awareness Syllabus 2024 :

The General Knowledge Syllabus of IBPS Clerk Exam gives special emphasis on Current Affairs with special reference to Banking Industry. The topics that are included in the exam are Indian Economy, International Economy, UNO, Marketing, Awards & Honors Sports, Finance, Agriculture etc. One should also prepare the History of Banking, Social Function of Banks, current affairs of last 6 months, countries/currencies, Books & their Authors, Banking Terms, Reserve bank of India policies.

#### IBPS Clerk Syllabus : English Language

English Language		
Vocabulary	Grammar	Reading Comprehension
1. Homonyms 2. Antonyms 3. Synonyms 4. Spelling 5. Word Formation	1. Spotting Errors 2. Phrases & Idioms 3. Direct & Indirect Speech 4. Active / Passive Voice	1. Theme Detection 2. Passage Completion 3. Topic Arrangement of Passage 4. Deriving Conclusion

#### IBPS Clerk Syllabus: Reasoning:

Reasoning Ability	
Verbal Reasoning	Non-Verbal Reasoning
1. Analogy 2. Classification 3. Word Formation 4. Statement & Conclusions Syllogism 5. Statement & Assumptions 6. Statement & Arguments 7. Coding – Decoding 8. Blood Relations 9. Passage & Conclusions 10. Alphabet Test 11. Series Test 12. Number, Ranking & Time Sequence 13. Direction Sense Test 14. Direction-making test 15. Figure Series 16. Input – Output 17. Assertion & Reasoning 18. Sitting Arrangement	1. Series Test 2. Odd Figure Out 3. Analogy 4. Miscellaneous Test

## IBPS Clerk Syllabus : Quantitative Aptitude

### Quantitative Aptitude

1. Ration & Proportion
2. Averages
3. Time & Work
4. Speed
5. Distance & time
6. Mixture & Allegation
7. Stocks & Shares
8. Percentages
9. Partnership
10. Clocks
11. Volume & Surface Area
12. Bar & Graphs
13. Line Charts
14. Tables
15. Height & Distances
16. Logarithms
17. Permutations & Combinations
18. Simple & Compound Interest
19. Equations, Probability
20. Trigonometry
21. Profit
22. Loss & Discount
23. Mensuration
24. Elements & Algebra
25. Data Interpretation
26. Pie Charts

## IBPS Clerk Syllabus – Computer Knowledge

### Computers

1. Basic of Hardware & Software
2. Windows Operating System basics
3. Internet terms & services
4. Basic Functionalities of MS-Office (MS-Word, MS-Excel, MS-Power Point)
5. History of Computers
6. Networking & Communication
7. Database basics
8. Basics of Hacking
9. Security Tools
10. Viruses

## IBPS Clerk Syllabus – General Awareness

General Awareness	
Current Affairs	Banking
1. Current Affairs related to National &	1. Introduction of National Financial Institutions

<p>International issues of last 6 months</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>2. Overview of Indian Financial System,</li><li>3. History of the Indian Banking System,</li><li>4. Recent Credit &amp; Monetary Policies</li></ol>	<p>Like RBI, SEBI, IRDA, FSDC etc and of International Organizations like IMF, World Bank, ADB, UN etc.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>2. Abbreviations &amp; Economics Terminologies</li><li>3. Banking Terms.</li><li>4. Important Government Schemes on Capital &amp; Money Market.</li></ol>
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