

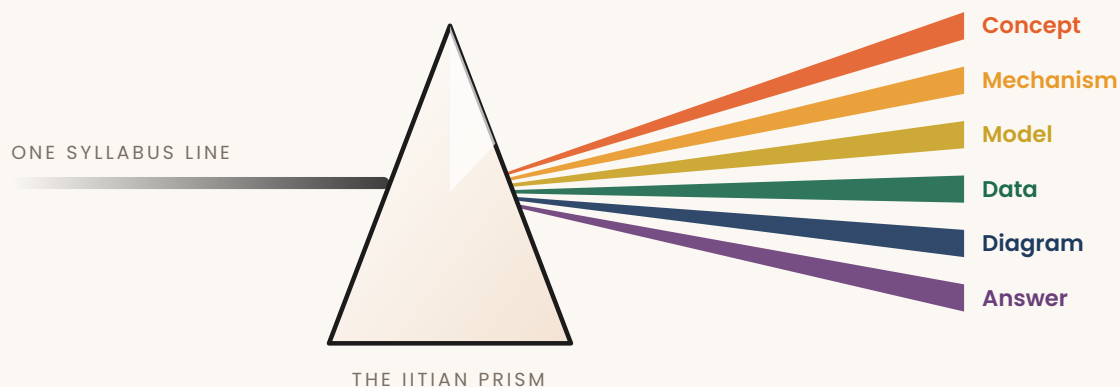


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GeoPrism 2027

Geography through an **IITian's prism**: the complete syllabus, taught through questions, written every day, tested like UPSC.



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GeoPrism Enrichment Sessions

2-hour live classes, **80 hours** across Paper I and Paper II

177

GeoPrism DAWP questions

3 a day: a PYQ, a new question, a topper-copy question; **AI-evaluated in 5-6 minutes**

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GeoPrism Test Series

4 sectional + 2 full-length tests in UPSC pattern, **human-evaluated** with model answers and rank

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Personal Mentorship

One-to-one with Rudresh sir after each test you write

THE GEOPRISM PROMISE

25 OCT 2026 → 14 FEB 2027

Finish your Optional by January. Give February to May to Prelims.

Four sections, each closed by a sectional test, then two full-length tests a week apart.

AIR 39

CSE 2025 · one of the rankers who has been a part of **Rudresh sir's Geography Optional test series**

FACULTY'S NOTE

Geography is a system. Learn it like one.

Most Geography Optional answers do not lose marks because they are wrong. They lose marks because they **describe instead of explain**: no mechanism, no model, no figure, no diagram, and a theory recited but never applied to India.

GeoPrism treats every syllabus line the way an engineer treats a system. Light enters a prism as one beam and leaves as a spectrum; a topic enters GeoPrism as one line of the syllabus and leaves as six things you can write: the **concept**, the **mechanism** behind it, the **model** that explains it, the **data** that proves it, the **diagram** that shows it, and the **answer** that scores.



RUDRESH

Faculty · Geography Optional

- ☀️ **Engineer's training.** IIT Kharagpur alumnus who reads geography as inputs, processes, outputs and feedback.
- ✓ **Results.** AIR 39 in CSE 2025 was one of the rankers who has been a part of his Geography Optional test series.
- 🎯 **UPSC journey.** Five years of Civil Services preparation and two personality-test appearances.
- 🌐 **In the field.** Works with environmental NGOs and on climate change system analysis, so climate, hazards and environment are taught from practice, not only from books.
- ✍️ **Mains specialist.** Teaches Geography Optional and General Studies Paper III for UPSC Mains, with **answer writing at the centre**.
- ❓ **On YouTube.** Already teaching aspirants through his channel; every GeoPrism session **streams live** there.

THE PEDAGOGY

Six principles behind every session, question and test



First principles, not lists

Every landform, wind system or city is **taught as a system**: what drives it, how it works, what it produces. Understand it once; **answer any twist** UPSC adds.



Taught through questions

Each concept opens with a **real UPSC question**, so you learn the topic and how to write it in the same session.



Models tested on reality

Christaller, Von Thünen, Weber, Davis and Penck are not recited; they are **tested on Indian and world data**, with critique.



Data in every answer

Answers anchored in IMD, Census, IPCC, FAO and NITI Aayog data, each figure with its **year and source**.



Diagrams you can redraw

A clean, **labelled diagram** for every **major concept**, built to be reproduced in the exam hall in **under two minutes**.

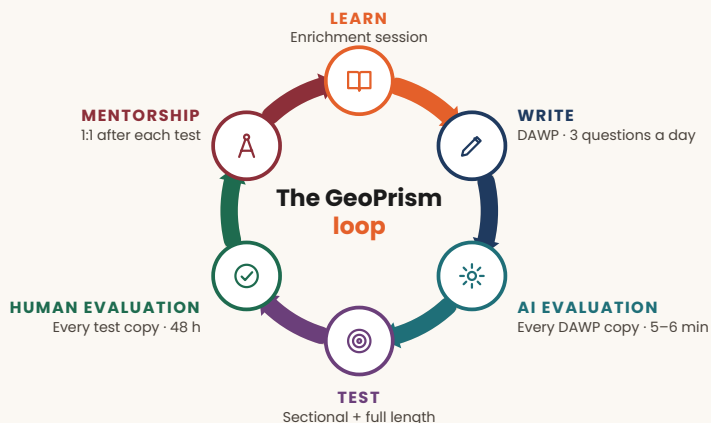


Class + Blueprint = full syllabus

Concepts are built live; definitions, data, case studies and maps come in the session blueprint. Together they **cover every syllabus line**.

WHAT YOU GET

Three components. One loop.



Learn a topic in the session, **write** on it in the DAWP, **prove** it in a UPSC-pattern test, then **review** your copy **one-to-one** with Rudresh sir.

Nothing is taught that is not written on, and nothing is written that is not evaluated.

LEARN GeoPrism Enrichment Sessions	WRITE GeoPrism DAWP	TEST GeoPrism Test Series
40 live sessions × 2 hours = 80 hours - Complete Paper I and Paper II syllabus - A blueprint shared before every session: definitions, data, case studies, diagrams, maps - Live on YouTube and the Aspirants Hub AI platform	- Daily Answer Writing Programme, Monday to Friday 59 days · 177 questions - Every question drawn from the topic just taught - AI-evaluated copy back in 5–6 minutes - Printed model answers (Q1, Q2) and annotated topper copy (Q3) uploaded the same day	4 sectional + 2 full-length tests Exact UPSC pattern: 250 marks, 3 hours, Q1 and Q5 compulsory; a map question in every Paper II test - Human-evaluated copies by faculty, returned within 48 hours - Model answers, rank and section-wise score 1:1 mentorship with Rudresh sir after each test you write

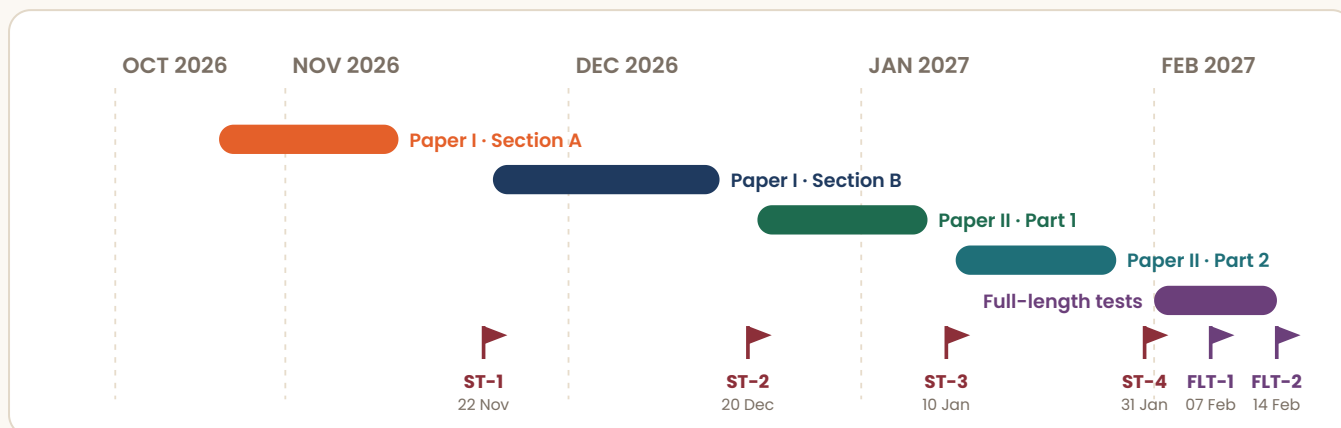
ANATOMY OF A DAWP DAY

Q1 Verified PYQ	Q2 New question	Q3 Topper copy
A real UPSC question on the day's topic; printed model answer the same day	An unasked angle in UPSC language; printed model answer the same day	Write first, then compare with the annotated topper copy

Step 1 DAWP questions released	Step 2 Attempt the DAWP	Step 3 AI-evaluated in 5–6 minutes	Step 4 Session blueprint released	Step 5 2-hour enrichment session

THE ROADMAP

Learn, write, test. Section by section.



■ DAWP day ● Enrichment session ■ Test ■ Holiday

TEST CALENDAR

TEST	DATE	SYLLABUS	COPIES BACK BY
ST-1	Sun 22 Nov 2026	Paper I Section A (Physical Geography)	24 Nov
ST-2	Sun 20 Dec 2026	Paper I Section B (Human Geography)	22 Dec
ST-3	Sun 10 Jan 2027	Paper II Part 1 (Physical Setting, Resources, Agriculture, Industry, Transport)	12 Jan
ST-4	Sun 31 Jan 2027	Paper II Part 2 (Cultural Setting, Settlements, Planning, Political, Contemporary Issues)	02 Feb
FLT-1	Sun 07 Feb 2027	Paper I (complete syllabus)	09 Feb
FLT-2	Sun 14 Feb 2027	Paper II (complete syllabus)	16 Feb

Holidays: Diwali (Sun 8 Nov) · Chhath Puja (Sat 14 – Sun 15 Nov) · Guru Nanak Jayanti (Tue 24 Nov) · Christmas (Fri 25 Dec) · New Year (Fri 1 Jan) · Republic Day (Tue 26 Jan)

SESSION PLAN

40 sessions. Every line of the syllabus.

Each session carries about **five syllabus topics** in UPSC wording. The full topic list for every session and every DAWP day is in the **Annexure**.

TRUSTED BY RANKERS

The **same enrichment sessions** that multiple rankers have used over the last year, now available to every aspirant in **both GeoPrism plans**, without paying for an expensive course.

Paper I · Section A · Physical Geography

ST-1 · Sun 22 Nov

1	Sun 25 Oct	Climatology	2	Mon 26 Oct	Climatology
3	Wed 28 Oct	Climatology	4	Thu 29 Oct	Oceanography
5	Fri 30 Oct	Oceanography	6	Sat 31 Oct	Biogeography
7	Mon 02 Nov	Biogeography	8	Wed 04 Nov	Environmental Geography
9	Fri 06 Nov	Environmental Geography	10	Sat 07 Nov	Geomorphology
11	Mon 09 Nov	Geomorphology	12	Wed 11 Nov	Geomorphology

Paper I · Section B · Human Geography

ST-2 · Sun 20 Dec

13	Mon 23 Nov	Perspectives in Human Geography	14	Wed 25 Nov	Perspectives in Human Geography
15	Fri 27 Nov	Economic Geography	16	Sat 28 Nov	Economic Geography
17	Mon 30 Nov	Population and Settlement Geography	18	Wed 02 Dec	Population and Settlement Geography
19	Fri 04 Dec	Population and Settlement Geography	20	Sat 05 Dec	Regional Planning
21	Mon 07 Dec	Models, Theories and Laws	22	Wed 09 Dec	Models, Theories and Laws

Paper II · Part 1 · Physical setting to Transport

ST-3 · Sun 10 Jan

23	Mon 21 Dec	Physical Setting	24	Wed 23 Dec	Physical Setting
25	Sat 26 Dec	Resources	26	Mon 28 Dec	Agriculture
27	Tue 29 Dec	Agriculture	28	Wed 30 Dec	Agriculture
29	Sat 02 Jan	Industry	30	Mon 04 Jan	Industry
31	Wed 06 Jan	Transport, Communication and Trade			

Paper II · Part 2 · Cultural setting to Contemporary Issues

ST-4 · Sun 31 Jan

32	Mon 11 Jan	Cultural Setting	33	Wed 13 Jan	Cultural Setting
34	Thu 14 Jan	Settlements	35	Fri 15 Jan	Settlements + Regional Development and Planning
36	Sat 16 Jan	Regional Development and Planning	37	Mon 18 Jan	Political Aspects
38	Wed 20 Jan	Contemporary Issues	39	Fri 22 Jan	Contemporary Issues
40	Sat 23 Jan	Contemporary Issues			

WHO SHOULD JOIN

Built for the Mains 2027 Geography aspirant



Mains 2027 aspirants with Geography Optional who want the **full syllabus** finished by January



Students who finished a foundation course but cannot yet turn concepts into **high-scoring answers**



Self-study aspirants who need **daily writing, honest evaluation** and UPSC-pattern tests



Anyone who wants Geography **explained as a system**, not memorised as lists

THE GEOPRISM RULE FOR EVERY ANSWER

- 1 Open with the **concept**, defined the way a geographer defines it.
- 2 Explain the **mechanism** before the examples.
- 3 Bring in the **model**, and **test it against India**.
- 4 **One figure per point**, with its year and source.
- 5 **Draw once**; close with a **way forward**.

ENROL IN GEOPRISM 2027

FIRST SESSION · SUN 25 OCT

DAWP

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- GeoPrism **Enrichment Sessions**
- GeoPrism **DAWP**: 177 questions, AI-evaluated

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- GeoPrism **Enrichment Sessions**
- GeoPrism **DAWP**: 177 questions, AI-evaluated
- GeoPrism **Test Series**: 6 tests, human-evaluated
- **1:1 Personal Mentorship** with Rudresh sir after each test

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ANNEXURE

Day-by-day calendar

Every date with an enrichment session, DAWP day, test or holiday. DAWP questions on each day come only from topics already taught.

DATE	DAWP	DAWP SYLLABUS TOPICS (SOURCE OF Q1, Q2, Q3)	ENRICHMENT SESSION: SYLLABUS TOPICS
Sun 25 Oct 2026			Session 1 – Climatology: Temperature and pressure belts of the world; Heat budget of the earth; Atmospheric circulation; Atmospheric stability and instability; Planetary and local winds
Mon 26 Oct 2026	1	Climatology: Temperature and pressure belts of the world; Heat budget of the earth; Atmospheric circulation	Session 2 – Climatology: Monsoons and jet streams; Air masses and frontogenesis; Temperate and tropical cyclones; Types and distribution of precipitation; Weather and climate
Tue 27 Oct 2026	2	Climatology: Atmospheric stability and instability; Planetary and local winds; Monsoons and jet streams	
Wed 28 Oct 2026	3	Climatology: Air masses and frontogenesis; Temperate and tropical cyclones; Types and distribution of precipitation; Weather and climate	Session 3 – Climatology: Koppen's, Thornthwaite's and Trewartha's classification of world climates; Hydrological cycle; Global climatic change and role and response of man in climatic changes; Applied climatology and urban climate
Thu 29 Oct 2026	4	Climatology: Koppen's, Thornthwaite's and Trewartha's classification of world climates; Hydrological cycle; Global climatic change and role and response of man in climatic changes; Applied climatology and urban climate	Session 4 – Oceanography: 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
Fri 30 Oct 2026	5	Oceanography: Bottom topography of the Atlantic, Indian and Pacific Oceans; Temperature and salinity of the oceans; Heat and salt budgets; Ocean deposits	Session 5 – Oceanography: Marine resources: biotic, mineral and energy resources; Coral reefs, coral bleaching; Sea-level changes; Law of the sea and marine pollution
Sat 31 Oct 2026			Session 6 – Biogeography: Genesis of soils; Classification and distribution of soils; Soil profile; Soil erosion, degradation and conservation; Factors influencing world distribution of plants and animals
Mon 02 Nov 2026	6	Oceanography: Waves, currents and tides; Marine resources: biotic, mineral and energy resources; Coral reefs, coral bleaching; Sea-level changes	Session 7 – Biogeography: Problems of deforestation and conservation measures; Social forestry; Agro-forestry; Wild life; Major gene pool centres
Tue 03 Nov 2026	7	Oceanography: Law of the sea and marine pollution Biogeography: Genesis of soils; Classification and distribution of soils; Soil profile	
Wed 04 Nov 2026	8	Biogeography: Soil erosion, degradation and conservation; Factors influencing world distribution of plants and animals; Problems of deforestation and conservation measures; Social forestry	Session 8 – Environmental Geography: Principles of ecology; Human ecological adaptations; Influence of man on ecology and environment; Global and regional ecological changes and imbalances; Ecosystems, their management and conservation
Thu 05 Nov 2026	9	Biogeography: Agro-forestry; Wild life; Major gene pool centres Environmental Geography: Principles of ecology	
Fri 06 Nov 2026	10	Environmental Geography: Human ecological adaptations; Influence of man on ecology and environment; Global and regional ecological changes and imbalances; Ecosystems, their management and conservation	Session 9 – Environmental Geography: Environmental degradation, management and conservation; Biodiversity and sustainable development; Environmental policy; Environmental hazards and remedial measures; Environmental education and legislation

DATE	DAWP	DAWP SYLLABUS TOPICS (SOURCE OF Q1, Q2, Q3)	ENRICHMENT SESSION: SYLLABUS TOPICS
Sat 07 Nov 2026			Session 10 – Geomorphology: Factors controlling landform development; Endogenetic and exogenetic forces; Origin and evolution of the earth's crust; Fundamentals of geomagnetism; Physical conditions of the earth's interior; Geosynclines
Sun 08 Nov 2026		HOLIDAY – Diwali	
Mon 09 Nov 2026	11	Environmental Geography: Environmental degradation, management and conservation; Biodiversity and sustainable development; Environmental policy; Environmental hazards and remedial measures	Session 11 – Geomorphology: Continental drift; Isostasy; Plate tectonics; Recent views on mountain building; Vulcanicity; Earthquakes and tsunamis
Tue 10 Nov 2026	12	Environmental Geography: Environmental education and legislation Geomorphology: Factors controlling landform development; Endogenetic and exogenetic forces; Origin and evolution of the earth's crust	
Wed 11 Nov 2026	13	Geomorphology: Fundamentals of geomagnetism; Physical conditions of the earth's interior; Geosynclines; Continental drift; Isostasy	Session 12 – Geomorphology: Concepts of geomorphic cycles and landscape development; Denudation chronology; Channel morphology; Erosion surfaces; Slope development; Applied geomorphology: geohydrology, economic geology and environment
Thu 12 Nov 2026	14	Geomorphology: Plate tectonics; Recent views on mountain building; Vulcanicity; Earthquakes and tsunamis; Concepts of geomorphic cycles and landscape development	
Fri 13 Nov 2026	15	Geomorphology: Denudation chronology; Channel morphology; Erosion surfaces; Slope development; Applied geomorphology: geohydrology, economic geology and environment	
Sat 14 Nov 2026		HOLIDAY – Chhath Puja	
Sun 15 Nov 2026		HOLIDAY – Chhath Puja	
Mon 16 Nov 2026		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Tue 17 Nov 2026		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Wed 18 Nov 2026		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Thu 19 Nov 2026		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Fri 20 Nov 2026		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Sat 21 Nov 2026		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Sun 22 Nov 2026		TEST ST-1: Paper I Section A (Physical Geography)	
Mon 23 Nov 2026	16	Perspectives in Human Geography: Areal differentiation; Regional synthesis	Session 13 – Perspectives in Human Geography: Areal differentiation; Regional synthesis; Dichotomy and dualism; Environmentalism; Quantitative revolution and locational analysis
Tue 24 Nov 2026		HOLIDAY – Guru Nanak Jayanti	
Wed 25 Nov 2026	17	Perspectives in Human Geography: Dichotomy and dualism; Environmentalism	Session 14 – Perspectives in Human Geography: Radical, behavioural, human and welfare approaches; Languages, religions and secularisation; Cultural regions of the world; Human development index
Thu 26 Nov 2026	18	Perspectives in Human Geography: Quantitative revolution and locational analysis; Radical, behavioural, human and welfare approaches	

DATE	DAWP	DAWP SYLLABUS TOPICS (SOURCE OF Q1, Q2, Q3)	ENRICHMENT SESSION: SYLLABUS TOPICS
Fri 27 Nov 2026	19	Perspectives in Human Geography: Languages, religions and secularisation; Cultural regions of the world; Human development index	Session 15 – 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
Sat 28 Nov 2026			Session 16 – Economic Geography: Food and nutrition problems; Food security; Famine: causes, effects and remedies; World industries: locational patterns and problems; Patterns of world trade
Mon 30 Nov 2026	20	Economic Geography: World economic development: measurement and problems; World resources and their distribution; Energy crisis	Session 17 – 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
Tue 01 Dec 2026	21	Economic Geography: The limits to growth; World agriculture: typology of agricultural regions; Agricultural inputs and productivity	
Wed 02 Dec 2026	22	Economic Geography: Food and nutrition problems; Food security; Famine: causes, effects and remedies	Session 18 – Population and Settlement Geography: Social well-being and quality of life; Population as social capital; Types and patterns of rural settlements; Environmental issues in rural settlements; Hierarchy of urban settlements; Urban morphology
Thu 03 Dec 2026	23	Economic Geography: World industries: locational patterns and problems; Patterns of world trade Population and Settlement Geography: Growth and distribution of world population	
Fri 04 Dec 2026	24	Population and Settlement Geography: Demographic attributes; Causes and consequences of migration; Concepts of over-, under- and optimum population	Session 19 – Population and Settlement Geography: 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 urbanisation; Sustainable development of cities
Sat 05 Dec 2026			Session 20 – 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
Mon 07 Dec 2026	25	Population and Settlement Geography: Population theories; World population problems and policies; Social well-being and quality of life	Session 21 – Models, Theories and Laws: Malthusian model; Marxian model; Demographic transition model; Central place theories of Christaller and Losch; Perroux and Boudeville
Tue 08 Dec 2026	26	Population and Settlement Geography: Population as social capital; Types and patterns of rural settlements; Environmental issues in rural settlements	
Wed 09 Dec 2026	27	Population and Settlement Geography: Hierarchy of urban settlements; Urban morphology; Concept of primate city and rank-size rule	Session 22 – Models, Theories and Laws: Von Thunen's model of agricultural location; Weber's model of industrial location; Rostow's model of stages of growth; Heartland and Rimland theories; Laws of international boundaries and frontiers
Thu 10 Dec 2026	28	Population and Settlement Geography: Functional classification of towns; Sphere of urban influence; Rural-urban fringe	

DATE	DAWP	DAWP SYLLABUS TOPICS (SOURCE OF Q1, Q2, Q3)	ENRICHMENT SESSION: SYLLABUS TOPICS
Fri 11 Dec 2026	29	Population and Settlement Geography: Satellite towns; Problems and remedies of urbanisation; Sustainable development of cities Regional Planning: Concept of a region	
Mon 14 Dec 2026	30	Regional Planning: Types of regions and methods of regionalisation; Growth centres and growth poles; Regional imbalances; Regional development strategies	
Tue 15 Dec 2026	31	Regional Planning: Environmental issues in regional planning; Planning for sustainable development Models, Theories and Laws: Malthusian model; Marxian model	
Wed 16 Dec 2026	32	Models, Theories and Laws: Demographic transition model; Central place theories of Christaller and Losch; Perroux and Boudeville; Von Thunen's model of agricultural location	
Thu 17 Dec 2026	33	Models, Theories and Laws: Weber's model of industrial location; Rostow's model of stages of growth; Heartland and Rimland theories; Laws of international boundaries and frontiers	
Fri 18 Dec 2026		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Sat 19 Dec 2026		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Sun 20 Dec 2026		TEST ST-2: Paper I Section B (Human Geography)	
Mon 21 Dec 2026	34	Physical Setting: Space relationship of India with neighbouring countries; Structure and relief; Drainage system and watersheds	Session 23 – Physical Setting: Space relationship of India with neighbouring countries; Structure and relief; Drainage system and watersheds; Physiographic regions; Mechanism of Indian monsoons and rainfall patterns
Tue 22 Dec 2026	35	MAP DRILL: Paper II Q1 place set (physical features, rivers, passes, lakes, peaks)	
Wed 23 Dec 2026	36	Physical Setting: Physiographic regions; Mechanism of Indian monsoons and rainfall patterns; Tropical cyclones and western disturbances	Session 24 – Physical Setting: Tropical cyclones and western disturbances; Floods and droughts; Climatic regions; Natural vegetation; Soil types and their distributions
Thu 24 Dec 2026	37	Physical Setting: Floods and droughts; Climatic regions; Natural vegetation; Soil types and their distributions	
Fri 25 Dec 2026		HOLIDAY – Christmas	
Sat 26 Dec 2026			Session 25 – Resources: Land resources; Surface and ground water resources; Energy resources; Mineral resources; Biotic and marine resources; Forest and wild life resources and their conservation; Energy crisis
Mon 28 Dec 2026	38	Resources: Land resources; Surface and ground water resources; Energy resources; Mineral resources	Session 26 – Agriculture: Infrastructure: irrigation, seeds, fertilisers, power; Institutional factors: land holdings, land tenure and land reforms; Cropping pattern; Agricultural productivity; Agricultural intensity
Tue 29 Dec 2026	39	Resources: Biotic and marine resources; Forest and wild life resources and their conservation; Energy crisis Agriculture: Infrastructure: irrigation, seeds, fertilisers, power	Session 27 – Agriculture: Crop combination; Land capability; Agro and social forestry; Green revolution and its socio-economic and ecological implications; Significance of dry farming

DATE	DAWP	DAWP SYLLABUS TOPICS (SOURCE OF Q1, Q2, Q3)	ENRICHMENT SESSION: SYLLABUS TOPICS
Wed 30 Dec 2026	40	Agriculture: Institutional factors: land holdings, land tenure and land reforms; Cropping pattern; Agricultural productivity; Agricultural intensity	Session 28 – Agriculture: Livestock resources and white revolution; Aquaculture; Sericulture, apiculture and poultry; Agricultural regionalisation; Agro-climatic zones; Agro-ecological regions
Thu 31 Dec 2026	41	Agriculture: Crop combination; Land capability; Agro and social forestry; Green revolution and its socio-economic and ecological implications	
Fri 01 Jan 2027 HOLIDAY – New Year			
Sat 02 Jan 2027			Session 29 – 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 undertakings
Mon 04 Jan 2027	42	Agriculture: Significance of dry farming; Livestock resources and white revolution; Aquaculture; Sericulture, apiculture and poultry	Session 30 – Industry: Industrial regionalisation; New industrial policies; Multinationals and liberalisation; Special Economic Zones; Tourism including eco-tourism
Tue 05 Jan 2027	43	Agriculture: Agricultural regionalisation; Agro-climatic zones; Agro-ecological regions Industry: Evolution of industries	
Wed 06 Jan 2027	44	Industry: 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 undertakings; Industrial regionalisation; New industrial policies	Session 31 – Transport, Communication and Trade: Road, railway, waterway, airway and pipeline networks and their complementary roles in regional development; Growing importance of ports in national and foreign trade; Trade balance; Trade policy; Export processing zones; Developments in communication and information technology and their impacts on economy and society; Indian space programme
Thu 07 Jan 2027	45	Industry: Multinationals and liberalisation; Special Economic Zones; Tourism including eco-tourism Transport, Communication and Trade: Road, railway, waterway, airway and pipeline networks and their complementary roles in regional development; Growing importance of ports in national and foreign trade	
Fri 08 Jan 2027	46	Transport, Communication and Trade: Trade balance; Trade policy; Export processing zones; Developments in communication and information technology and their impacts on economy and society; Indian space programme	
Sat 09 Jan 2027		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Sun 10 Jan 2027		TEST ST-3: Paper II Part I (Physical Setting, Resources, Agriculture, Industry, Transport)	
Mon 11 Jan 2027	47	Cultural Setting: Historical perspective of Indian society; Racial, linguistic and ethnic diversities; Religious minorities	Session 32 – Cultural Setting: Historical perspective of Indian society; Racial, linguistic and ethnic diversities; Religious minorities; Major tribes, tribal areas and their problems; Cultural regions
Tue 12 Jan 2027	48	MAP DRILL: Paper II Q1 place set (cities, ports, tribal areas, new states, boundary hotspots, river-link sites)	

DATE	DAWP	DAWP SYLLABUS TOPICS (SOURCE OF Q1, Q2, Q3)	ENRICHMENT SESSION: SYLLABUS TOPICS
Wed 13 Jan 2027	49	Cultural Setting: Major tribes, tribal areas and their problems; Cultural regions; Growth, distribution and density of population	Session 33 – Cultural Setting: Growth, distribution and density of population; Demographic attributes: sex ratio, age structure, literacy rate, work-force, dependency ratio, longevity; Migration (inter-regional, intra-regional and international) and associated problems; Population problems and policies; Health indicators
Thu 14 Jan 2027	50	Cultural Setting: Demographic attributes: sex ratio, age structure, literacy rate, work-force, dependency ratio, longevity; Migration (inter-regional, intra-regional and international) and associated problems; Population problems and policies; Health indicators	Session 34 – 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
Fri 15 Jan 2027	51	Settlements: Types, patterns and morphology of rural settlements; Urban developments; Morphology of Indian cities; Functional classification of Indian cities	Session 35 – Settlements: Slums and associated problems; Town planning; Problems of urbanisation and remedies Regional Development and Planning: Experience of regional planning in India; Five Year Plans; Integrated rural development programmes
Sat 16 Jan 2027			Session 36 – Regional Development and Planning: Panchayati Raj and decentralised planning; Command area development; Watershed management; Planning for backward area, desert, drought-prone, hill and tribal area development; Multi-level planning; Regional planning and development of island territories
Mon 18 Jan 2027	52	Settlements: Conurbations and metropolitan regions; Urban sprawl; Slums and associated problems; Town planning	Session 37 – Political Aspects: Geographical basis of Indian federalism; State reorganisation; Emergence of new states; Regional consciousness and inter-state issues; International boundary of India and related issues; Cross-border terrorism; India's role in world affairs; Geopolitics of South Asia and Indian Ocean realm
Tue 19 Jan 2027	53	Settlements: Problems of urbanisation and remedies Regional Development and Planning: Experience of regional planning in India; Five Year Plans; Integrated rural development programmes	
Wed 20 Jan 2027	54	Regional Development and Planning: Panchayati Raj and decentralised planning; Command area development; Watershed management; Planning for backward area, desert, drought-prone, hill and tribal area development	Session 38 – Contemporary Issues: Ecological issues – environmental hazards: landslides, earthquakes, tsunamis, floods and droughts, epidemics; Issues related to environmental pollution; Changes in patterns of land use; Principles of environmental impact assessment and environmental management
Thu 21 Jan 2027	55	Regional Development and Planning: Multi-level planning; Regional planning and development of island territories Political Aspects: Geographical basis of Indian federalism; State reorganisation	
Fri 22 Jan 2027	56	Political Aspects: Emergence of new states; Regional consciousness and inter-state issues; International boundary of India and related issues; Cross-border terrorism; India's role in world affairs	Session 39 – Contemporary Issues: Population explosion and food security; Environmental degradation; Deforestation, desertification and soil erosion; Concept of sustainable growth and development; Environmental awareness
Sat 23 Jan 2027			Session 40 – Contemporary Issues: Problems of agrarian and industrial unrest; Regional disparities in economic development; Linkage of rivers; Globalisation and Indian economy

DATE	DAWP	DAWP SYLLABUS TOPICS (SOURCE OF Q1, Q2, Q3)	ENRICHMENT SESSION: SYLLABUS TOPICS
Mon 25 Jan 2027	57	Political Aspects: Geopolitics of South Asia and Indian Ocean realm Contemporary Issues: Ecological issues – environmental hazards: landslides, earthquakes, tsunamis, floods and droughts, epidemics; Issues related to environmental pollution; Changes in patterns of land use	
Tue 26 Jan 2027		HOLIDAY – Republic Day	
Wed 27 Jan 2027	58	Contemporary Issues: Principles of environmental impact assessment and environmental management; Population explosion and food security; Environmental degradation; Deforestation, desertification and soil erosion; Concept of sustainable growth and development	
Thu 28 Jan 2027	59	Contemporary Issues: Environmental awareness; Problems of agrarian and industrial unrest; Regional disparities in economic development; Linkage of rivers; Globalisation and Indian economy	
<i>Fri 29 Jan 2027</i>		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
<i>Sat 30 Jan 2027</i>		No DAWP – revision day before the sectional test	
Sun 31 Jan 2027		TEST ST-4: Paper II Part 2 (Cultural Setting, Settlements, Planning, Political, Contemporary Issues)	
Sun 07 Feb 2027		TEST FLT-1: Paper I (complete syllabus)	
Sun 14 Feb 2027		TEST FLT-2: Paper II (complete syllabus)	

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