



BIHAR JUDICIAL SERVICES EXAM SYLLABUS

SCHEME AND SYLLABUS

❖ **Bihar Judicial Services Exam Eligibility Criteria:**

- Applicants must have completed LL.B from any recognized institute.
- The age of applicants must be between 22 year and 35 years.

❖ **SELECTION PROCESS:**

- Preliminary Examination (Objective Type)
- Written Main Examination (Subjective Type)
- Interview

❖ **EXAM PATTERN:** The examination pattern will be as follows:

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

- The Preliminary Exam will be of Objective type i.e it will consists of Multiple-choice questions. There will two papers as follows

❖ **PAPER-I: General Studies** (100 marks, 2hrs)

- 1) General legal Knowledge (including current affairs)
- 2) Elementary General Science

❖ **PAPER-II: Law** (150marks, 2hrs)

1. Law of Evidence and Procedure
2. Constitutional & Administrative law of India
3. Hindu Law and Mohammedan Law
4. Transfer of property Act, Principles of Equity, Law of Trust and Specific Relief Act.
5. Law of Contract and Torts
6. Commercial Law:



- Sales of Goods Act.
- Negotiable instruments Act

- Company Law
- Indian Partnership Act

MAINS EXAMINATION

❖ The Exam consists of 2 Types of Papers:

- **Compulsory Papers.**
- **Optional Papers.**
 - There will be 5 Papers that are Compulsory for this Exam.
 - The Hindi & English are of qualifying nature.
 - There will be 5 subjects in Optional type out of which, the candidate has to choose 3 subjects as optional

❖ COMPULSORY PAPERS

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| 1. General Knowledge including current affairs | 150 marks |
| 2. Elementary General Science | 100 marks |
| 3. General Hindi | 100 marks |
| 4. General English | 100 marks |
| 5. Law of Evidence & Procedure | 150 marks |



- Indian Evidence Act 1872
- Civil Procedure Code, 1908
- Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996
- Criminal Procedure Code, 1973
- Provincial Small Causes Court Act, 1887

Note: - Hindi and English papers are of qualifying nature. Each candidate must score minimum of 30 marks out of 100 but the marks obtained in this will not be added in the overall total in deciding the merit.

❖ Optional Papers

- Each optional paper will carry 150 marks.
- Candidates will be required to choose any **three subjects** out of the five optional subjects as listed below:

1. **Constitutional and Administrative Law of India**
2. **Hindu Law and Mohammedan Law**

3. **Transfer of Property Act.**



- Principle of Equity
- Law of Trust
- Specific Relief Act

4. **Indian Contract Act and Law of Tort**

5. **Commercial Law**



- Sales of Goods Act, 1930
- Negotiable instruments Act, 1881
- Compony Law
- Indian Partnership Act, 1932

VIVA- VOCE (INTERVIEW)

- Candidates qualified in written examination will be eligible to appear for viva- voce (Interview). The interview will carry 100 marks and every candidate needs to secure **minimum 35 marks** to qualify in the interview.
- The final merit list will be made based on combined marks obtained in the Mains examination and interview.