



MAHARASHTRA JUDICIAL SERVICES EXAM SYLLABUS

SCHEME AND SYLLABUS

- ❖ **Maharashtra Judicial Services Exam Eligibility Criteria:**
 - Applicants must have completed **LL.B** from any recognized institute.
 - Maharashtra Judiciary is a 3-step (**New Law Graduate, Lawyer, Attorney, or Advocate, Service Staff (Ministerial Staff)**) recruitment process conducted by the Maharashtra Public Service Commission to appoint suitable candidates for the post of civil judge in various district courts across the state. Any candidates who wish to apply for it must have an educational background in law or relevant practice of a minimum of 3 years then they can apply for the post.
 - Age limit- **not more than 35 years.**

- ❖ **SELECTION PROCESS:**
 - Preliminary Examination → **Objective Type**- multiple choice questions.
 - Mains Examination → **descriptive type**
 - Viva-Voce → **Personal Interview**
 - **Exam Pattern**- The Examination Pattern will be as follows:

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

- ❖ **THE EXAM IS OF OBJECTIVE TYPE IT CONSISTS OF MULTIPLE-CHOICE QUESTION.**
 - The prelims exam will have a single question paper of **100 marks.**
 - The duration of this exam is for **2 hours.**
 - The paper will have **100 MCQs.**
 - The questions will be in the **English language.**
 - There is a section called legislative law in the question paper. In case of any wrong answers, **1/4th** of the marks will be deducted.

SYLLABUS FOR PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

- ❖ **SYLLABUS FOR THE PRELIMINARY EXAM SHALL CONSIST OF:**



- The Code of Criminal Procedure
- The Civil Procedure Code

- The Indian Evidence Act
- The Transfer of Property Act
- The Specific Relief Act
- The Maharashtra Rent Control Act
- The Limitation Act
- Constitution of India
- The Indian Penal Code
- The Law of Contract
- The Sale of Goods Act
- The Partnership Act

MAINS EXAM SYLLABUS

❖ **SYLLABUS PRESCRIBED FOR MAIN WRITTEN EXAMINATION.**

TIME ALLOWED 3 HOURS FOR EACH PAPER



- The mains exam is of descriptive type and has **two papers of 100 marks each**. The duration of the exam will be of **3 hours** for each paper. The mains exam will be conducted in **Marathi and the English language**.

❖ **PAPER -I**



- The Civil Procedure Code
- The Transfer of Property Act
- The Specific Relief Act
- The Law of Contracts
- The Sale of Goods Act
- The Partnership Act

❖ **PAPER -II**



- The Indian Penal Code
- The Evidence Act
- The Code of Criminal Procedure
- The Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act 1989
- The Protection of Civil Rights Act 1955
- Essay on current legal topic (approximately 800 words)

VIVA- VOCE (INTERVIEW)

- ❖ In the interview, the academic knowledge of a candidate his communication skills, his tact and ability to handle various situations in the Court, will be tested. Maximum marks for interview is 50.