

Haryana Judicial Services Syllabus

Preliminary Examination

- The prelims exam shall be of objective type with multiple-choice questions.
- The question paper of the preliminary examination consists of 125 questions, each with four marks.
- The marking scheme of the Prelim's exam is that each question carries four marks, and for each wrong answer, you get a -0.8 mark.
- The syllabus includes questions about current events, Indian legal history, constitutional evolution, and statutes outlined in Civil Law-I, Civil Law-II, and Criminal Law specified for the Mains Examination.

Mains Syllabus

Paper – I (Civil Law - I) 200 Marks

- Code of Civil Procedure, 1908
- Punjab Courts Act, 1918
- Indian Contract Act, 1872
- Indian Partnership Act, 1932
- Sale of Goods Act, 1930
- Specific Relief Act, 1963
- Indian Evidence Act, 1872
- Haryana Urban (Control of Rent and Eviction) Act, 1973



Paper – II (Civil Law - II) 200 Marks

- Hindu Law
- Mohammedan Law
- Customary Law
- Law of Registration
- Law of Limitation

Paper – III (Criminal Law) 200 Marks

- Indian Penal Code, 1860
- Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973
- Indian Evidence Act, 1872

Paper – IV (English) 200 Marks

- Essay (1000 - 1100 Words) – 100 Marks
- Precis – 25 Marks
- Word and Phrases – 25 Marks
- Comprehension – 25 Marks
- Corrections – 25 Marks

Paper-V (Language) 100 Marks

- Hindi (in Devnagari Script) language paper shall comprise the following: -
 - a) Translation of an English passage into Hindi
 - b) Explanation of Hindi passage in prose and poetry in the same language
 - c) Composition essay, idioms and corrections etc.



Interview (200 Marks)

- For a candidate to be qualified for viva-voce, they must secure a minimum of 50% aggregate marks in all the written examinations in Mains.
- However, for the candidate belonging to the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes, Physically Handicapped, and Ex-Serviceman (ESM) candidates only (but not dependents of ESM), a minimum of 45% aggregate marks should be obtained for qualification.
- The interview will be conducted only in English.
- The interview is conducted to judge the personal qualities of the candidate.
- The interview will relate to matters of general interest and will test the candidate's alertness, intelligence, and general outlook.
- It is mandatory to appear for viva-voce/interview to be considered for the final selection.

