

**IASBABA SOCIOLOGY OPTIONAL OFFLINE Test Series**  
**SCHEDULE-UPSC-2018-MAINS**

**Schedule –Paper I**

Test no	Date	Topics	Marks	Duration
1	July-1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Politics and society(paper 1 and II)</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
2	July-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Thinkers (Marx, Weber, Durkheim, Mead, Parsons and Merton)</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
3	July -15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sociology-The Discipline</li> <li>Sociology as Science.</li> <li>Research methods and Analysis</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
4	July-22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stratification and Mobility</li> <li>Works and Economic life</li> <li>Social change in Modern Society</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
5	July-29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Religion and Society</li> <li>Systems of Kinship( Both topics include Paper II topics also)</li> </ul>	250	3hrs

**Schedule –Paper-2**

Test no	Date	Topics	Marks	Duration
6	August -5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to Indian society.</li> <li>Impact of colonial rule on Indian Society.</li> <li>Population Dynamics</li> <li>Social movements in Modern India</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
7	August-12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rural and Agrarian social structure</li> <li>Social classes in India</li> <li>Caste System-Perspectives</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
8	August-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vision of Social change in India</li> <li>Rural and Agrarian Transformation</li> <li>Industrialization and Urbanization</li> <li>Challenges of Social Transformation</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
9	August-26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Paper –I Comprehensive Test</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
10	September-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Paper-II Comprehensive Test</li> </ul>	250	3hrs
11&12	September-9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comprehensive Test paper I&amp;II</li> </ul>	250+250	3hrs+3hrs

- After evaluation of the Test papers ,Class room discussions and one to one discussion with the teacher will be included in the Test series program.