



TLP Plus 2023

Mains Test Series and mentorship
based programme

Batch 3



Starts 11th October

ONLINE & OFFLINE



Our TLP+ Toppers



Kanishak Kataria

Rank 1, UPSC CSE 2018

“ I followed **TLP Platform for Answer Writing Practice (AWP)** after Prelims. It helped me get into the Answer Writing Practice (AWP) groove. I would **HIGHLY RECOMMEND** to those who want to get started with AWP. Quality of Questions is good. Preferred IASbaba more for their quality of questions. ”

“ Today I write with utmost gratitude to IASBABA for being a constant support in my UPSC journey. The most important part of my own mains preparation was **TLP initiative**. I used to religiously and diligently practice every day writing 5 questions on the website. If there's one initiative I truly followed despite even on days when I didn't feel like studying, it was definitely **TLP**. The **questions are thoughtful and completely in sync with the dynamic trends** covering the syllabus in a timely manner. ”



Dr. Neha Jain

Rank 14, UPSC CSE 2017



Saranya Ramachandran

Rank 36, UPSC CSE 2019

“ It is not about success alone, but the path you travel and the experiences. IASbaba and their online programmes - **TLP Answer Writing , C2C mains test series. TLP+ test series. Babapedia**, Prelims test series immeasurably contributed to my preparation. Specifically, IASbaba aided me in improving the **quality of my mains answers**. I worked upon the **feedback and suggestions** after every mains mock test. and in the process found my answers to become better. ”

“ The IAS BABA **TLP Answer Writing program** helped me improve the **structure** as well as the **content** of my answers. It also helped me inculcate **discipline** regarding daily answer writing. I would highly recommend students to use **TLP platform** to excel in Mains examination. ”



Jayant Singh Rathore

Rank 59, UPSC CSE 2020



Aparna M B

Rank 62, UPSC CSE 2020

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IAS Baba's celebrated 60 Days Program for Prelims inspired me to take up the **Full Length Test series** for Mains as well. The **feedback** from my **mentors** was so focused and precise that I never felt the handicap of not interacting with them physically. I would **sincerely recommend** following the daily quizzes and enrolling in the **TLP+ program** to every serious aspirant.

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I would like to thank IASBABA for their guidance. I had used the current affairs material, 60 days prelims program as well as **TLP for mains** answer writing along with mock interview. I would like to thank the entire IASBABA team and Mohan sir for their guidance and support.



Ayush Gupta

Rank 98, UPSC CSE 2020

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Darshan Dugad

Rank 138, UPSC CSE 2020

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Since Start of my journey I have been associated with IASBaba via various programmes of IASBaba. I personally feel **TLP is the best medium to learn and practice answer writing**, it helped me to think in structured manner and complete paper in time.

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I have been following various initiatives of IASBaba on a regular basis for all stages of the examination, especially the Daily Current Affairs Quiz, All India Open Mocks, **TLP program** and the Yojana gist, and they have all proved to be very helpful. Similarly the interview guidance provided in the form of Mock Interviews, One to One guidance by Mohan Sir also proved very fruitful.



Shrey Shashank

Rank 151, UPSC CSE 2020

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I was a part of the first batch of IASBABA **Gurukul**. Dedicated mentorship, Personalised sessions under the guidance of Mohan sir, **TLP initiatives** at IASBABA have helped me a lot during my preparation. I would like to extend my gratitude to the entire team for being there during my entire journey.

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Anjali Shrotriya

Rank 44, UPSC CSE 2021

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I was a student of **TLP+ Mains Answer Writing Programme** which helped me to fetch a good score in Mains. Besides, in all three stages of Prelims, Mains and Interview, I have received your guidance. I am thankful for your valuable contribution to my UPSC success story so far.



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Indrashis Datta

Rank 94, UPSC CSE 2021



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IASBaba's initiatives such as 60 days program for prelims and **daily mains answer writing** program helped me gain the necessary edge throughout my UPSC journey. Mohan sir's personal guidance for interview was also insightful and help me better frame my answers for the UPSC interview. I thank IAS Baba from the bottom of my heart for providing me with the necessary resources which help me get value addition for my mains and prelims preparation.

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Roja S Rajan

Rank 108, UPSC CSE 2021

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I m from Indian Forest Service 17 batch and i gave this attempt after a gap of 5 years I had joined the **TLP+ mains test series** and the interview guidance programme which helped me immensely. The **post test video discussions of mains test series** were really top notch and helped me get relevant contemporary info.



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Navdeep Aggarwal

Rank 150, UPSC CSE 2021



Ankita Mishra

Rank 169, UPSC CSE 2021

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TLP+ Mains Test Series of IASbaba is one of the finest programs available for Mains. The **Mentorship** aspect along with **Evaluation** are Top notch. The **Synopsis & Value Addition Material** helped me enrich my content and get that extra edge in Mains.

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I thank IASbaba so much for your guidance during my interview preparation Sir. Also, being part of **TLP+ program** of IASbaba, the **mains test series and full length tests** were very useful in gaining confidence for answer writing.

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Divya P

Rank 323, UPSC CSE 2021



Vaibhav Kajale

Rank 325, UPSC CSE 2021

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Thank you Mohan Sir and IASbaba for all your support and guidance for getting into IAS this time. I have been part of **Mains Test series** and **value addition material** which helped me to good marks in Mains papers. Also, your interview guidance program helped me a lot last time and this year, too. Thank you once again to make my UPSC journey smooth and end on positive note.

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I am grateful for all the support and help received from IASbaba and Team over the years (2019 Onwards). Mohan Sir, Sunil Oberoi Sir, Srinath Sir, GV Goutham Sir and Other Mentors have shown a lot of faith and trust in me, which has helped me immensely. Initiatives such as **TLP+(Mains Answer Writing)**, PEP(Prelims Exclusive Program), TRP(Interview Mentorship Program) etc have been a constant guide.

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P Sravan Kumar
Rank 521, UPSC CSE 2021

Features of TLP Connect



68 Mains Tests

- 37 SECTIONAL TESTS (GS1, GS2, GS3, GS4)
- 13 ESSAY TESTS (ACROSS ALL THEMES)
- 5 COMPREHENSIVE MOCK TESTS (4 GS + 1 Essay)



1:1 Mentorship

One-to-One personal guidance and feedback. Each evaluated copy is discussed in detail by your mentor, who will help you in identifying your strengths and weakness and give you the right direction.



Babapedia (For Current Affairs)

MAINSPEDIA – Mainspedia is a one of its kind initiative where we declutter the most important editorials across national dailies to bring you relevant and ready '**Introductions**', '**Conclusions**', '**facts**', '**data**' in tabular form. The Mainspedia Articles in the **Answer Writing Format** (Introduction, Body, Conclusion)

PRELIMSPEDIA – Prelims Current Affairs

Features of TLP Connect



Discussion classes after Every Mains Test (Online)

Every Mains Test will be followed by a discussion session/video where **all the questions will be discussed.**



Approach Paper, Enriched Synopsis & Ranking

- **Approach Paper** before every Mains Test will be provided on how to tackle the topics.
- How to Approach the questions based on the demand of the question will be mentioned in the Synopsis. There will be a **special emphasis on approach to analytical questions and alternative introductions** one can come up with, to the same question. All the **important pointers will be given along with value addition.**
- **ALL INDIA PRELIMS RANKING & SELF-ASSESSMENT SYSTEM**



Flexible Tests

All the Mains Tests are Flexible after the scheduled Test Date.



TLP Plus 2023 – Schedule (Batch 3)

11-Oct-2022	POLITY APPROACH CLASS	
11-14 Oct	<i>Topics-Historical Background, Making of the Constitution, Philosophy, Features and Nature of Federal System; Union Territory, Citizenship; Fundamental Rights (Article 12-22)</i> <i>Sources- M. Laxmikanth (Latest Edition)</i>	
15-Oct	Mains Mock 1 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	
16-19 Oct	<i>Topics-Fundamental Rights (Article 23-35); DPSPs; Fundamental Duties; Amendments and Basic Structure</i> <i>Sources- M. Laxmikanth (Latest Edition)</i>	
20-Oct	MAINS MOCK 2 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 1 (7 Questions)
21-Oct-2022	GEOGRAPHY APPROACH CLASS	
21-24 Oct	<i>Topic-Earth and Universe, Earth's Interior, Earthquakes and Volcanism etc.; Landforms; Islands, Oceans, Weather, Climate etc.</i> <i>Sources- G.C Leong, Chapters- 1 to 15</i>	
25-Oct	MAINS MOCK 3 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	
26-29 Oct	<i>Topic-World Climatic Regions, Revise NCERT Class 11th</i> <i>Sources- G.C Leong Chapters- 16 to 25, Fundamentals of Physical Geography Class 11th NCERT Unit-2 to 6</i>	
30-Oct	MAINS MOCK 4 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 2 (7 Questions)

31-Oct-2022	ECONOMICS APPROACH CLASS	
31 Oct-3 Nov	<i>Topic-Revision of NCERT Economy and Ramesh Singh; Inflation</i> <i>Sources- Indian Economy by Ramesh Singh</i> <i>Chapters 1 to 7</i>	
4-Nov	MAINS MOCK 5 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay-Philosophy
5-8 Nov	<i>Topic-Money and Banking; Taxation and Government Budgeting;</i> <i>Sources- Indian Economy by Ramesh Singh</i> <i>Chapters 11, 12, 17 & 18</i>	
9-Nov	MAINS MOCK 6 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 3 (7 Questions)
10-Nov-2022	HISTORY APPROACH CLASS	
10 – 13 Nov	<i>Topic-Stone Age and Indus Valley Civilization; Vedic Age; Mahajanapadas and Pre-Mauryan Dynasties; Mauryan and Post-Mauryan Dynasties Part-1</i> <i>Sources- Old NCERT R. S Sharma, Chapters: 4 to 8; 10 & 11; 13 to 15</i>	
14-Nov	MAINS MOCK 7 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay - S&T
15 – 18 Nov	<i>Topic-Mauryan and Post-Mauryan Dynasties Part-2 ; Jainism and Buddhism; Gupta and Post Gupta Empires</i> <i>Sources- Old NCERT R. S Sharma, Chapters 9; 16 to 27</i>	
19-Nov	MAINS MOCK 8 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 6 (7 Questions)
20-Nov-2022	POLITY	
20 Nov – 23 Nov	<i>Topic-Center-State Relations; Emergency Provisions and Inter-state relations; President, Vice-President and Governor;</i> <i>Sources- Sources- M. Laxmikanth (Latest Edition) and Current Affairs</i>	

24-Nov	MAINS MOCK 9 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 7 (7 Questions)
25 – 28 Nov	Topic-Prime Minister, Chief Minister, Central & State council of Ministers, and Cabinet Committees; Supreme Court; High Court and Subordinate Courts ; Tribunals, Judicial Review, Activism and PIL etc. Sources- Sources- M. Laxmikanth (Latest Edition) and Current Affairs	
29-Nov	MAINS MOCK 10 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- Environment
30-Nov-2022	GEOGRAPHY	
30 Nov – 3 Dec	Topic-Physical Features of India-Structure, Physiography and Drainage; Indian Monsoon and Climate Sources- NCERT 11th India's Physical Environment Unit 1 to 4	
4-Dec	MAINS MOCK 11 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- Philosophy
5 - 8 Dec	Topic-Natural Vegetation and Soil; Agriculture and Major Crops; Natural Hazards and Disasters Sources- NCERT 11th India's Physical Environment Unit 3, Chapters 5, 6 and 7	
9-Dec	MAINS MOCK 12 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 9 (7 Questions)
10-Dec-2022	HISTORY	
10 - 13 Dec	Topic-Tripartite Struggle and North Indian Kingdoms; Delhi Sultanate; Vijaynagara and Bahmani Kingdoms Sources-Old NCERT Satish Chandra Chapters 1 to 11	
14-Dec	MAINS MOCK 13 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- Defence and Security
15 - 18 Dec	Topic-Mughal Empire; Economic, Religious and Cultural Developments; Marathas; Bhakti Movement	

	Sources-Old NCERT Satish Chandra Chapters 12 to 19	
19-Dec	MAINS MOCK 14 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 10 (7 Questions)
20-Dec-2022	ECONOMICS	
20 Dec – 23 Dec	Topic-Industries and Infrastructure; Insurance and Security Market External Sectors; International Economic Organizations Sources- Indian Economy by Ramesh Singh Chapters 9 and 10; 13 to 16	
24-Dec	MAINS MOCK 15 (10 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- Health and Education
25-Dec-2022	POLITY	
25 - 28 Dec	Topic-Parliament; Parliament Committees, Forums and Groups; State Legislature and Special Provisions for some States; Structure, Organization and Functioning of the Executive and the Judiciary—Ministries and Departments of the Government; Pressure Groups and Formal/Informal Associations and their Role in the Polity. Salient Features of the Representation of People's Act; Government Policies and Interventions for Development in various sectors and Issues arising out of their Design and Implementation. Sources- Sources- M. Laxmikanth (Latest Edition) Part III & Part IV and Current Affairs	
29-Dec	MAINS MOCK 16 (14 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 11 (7 Questions)
30 Dec - 2 Jan	Topic-Local Government; Union Territories and Schedule and Tribal Areas; Constitutional and Non-constitutional Bodies; Development Processes and the Development Industry — the Role of NGOs, SHGs, various groups and associations, donors, charities, institutional and other stakeholders; Important Aspects of Governance, Transparency and Accountability, E-governance- applications,	

	<p><i>models, successes, limitations, and potential; Citizens Charters, Transparency & Accountability and institutional and other measures.</i></p> <p><i>Role of Civil Services in a Democracy.</i></p> <p><i>Sources- Sources- M. Laxmikanth (Latest Edition)</i></p> <p><i>Part V to Part VIII and Current Affairs</i></p>	
3-Jan	MAINS MOCK 17 (14 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- International Relations
4-Jan-2023	ECONOMY	
4 -7 Jan	<p><i>Topic-Agriculture and Food Management; Cropping Pattern and Irrigation; Subsidies and PDS Issues, Food Processing, E-tech in the Aid of Farmers and Economics of Animal-Rearing</i></p> <p><i>Sources- Indian Economy by Ramesh Singh, Chapter 8</i></p>	
8-Jan	MAINS MOCK 18 (14 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- Environment
9-Jan-2023	HISTORY	
9 - 13 Jan	<p><i>Topic-Divide of Mughal Empire and Advent of Europeans; British Consolidation of India; Society, Administration, Polity and Economy in mid 18th-19th Century</i></p> <p><i>Sources-Old NCERT Bipan Chandra</i></p>	
14-Jan	MAINS MOCK 19 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 13 (7 Questions)
15-Jan	Theme Based Essay- Philosophy	
16 - 20 Jan	<p><i>Topic-Socio-Religious Reforms; Uprising and Revolts till 1857</i></p> <p><i>Sources-Old NCERT Bipan Chandra</i></p>	
21-Jan	MAINS MOCK 20 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- Philosophy
22-Jan	Theme Based Essay- Gender, Women and Children	

23 - 27 Jan	Topic-Indian National Movement (1857-1935), Indian National Movement (1935-1947) Sources-Old NCERT Bipan Chandra	
28-Jan	MAINS MOCK 28 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 14 (7 Questions)
29 Jan - 1 Feb	Topic-Art Forms-Music, Dance, Traditional Art Forms, Paintings, Literature, Architecture	
2-Feb	MAINS MOCK 21 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- Polity and Governance
3-Feb-2023	ETHICS APPROACH CLASS	
3 - 6 Feb	GS PAPER 4 Ethics and Human Interface: Essence, Determinants and Consequences of Ethics in - Human Actions; Dimensions of Ethics; Ethics - in Private and Public Relationships. Human Values - Lessons from the Lives and Teachings of Great Leaders, Reformers and Administrators; Role of Family Society and Educational Institutions in Inculcating Values. Attitude: Content, Structure, Function; its Influence and Relation with Thought and Behaviour; Moral and Political Attitudes; Social Influence and Persuasion. Aptitude and Foundational Values for Civil Service, Integrity, Impartiality and Non-partisanship, Objectivity, Dedication to Public Service, Empathy, Tolerance and Compassion towards the weaker-sections. Emotional Intelligence-Concepts, and their Utilities and Application in Administration and Governance. Case Studies on above issues.	
7 Feb	MAINS MOCK 22 (14 Questions) Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 15 (7 Questions)
8 - 11 Feb	GS PAPER 4 Contributions of Moral Thinkers and Philosophers from India and World.	

	<p>Public/Civil Service Values and Ethics in Public Administration: Status and Problems; Ethical Concerns and Dilemmas in Government and Private Institutions; Laws, Rules, Regulations and Conscience as Sources of Ethical Guidance; Accountability and Ethical Governance; Strengthening of Ethical and Moral Values in Governance; Ethical Issues in International Relations and Funding; Corporate Governance.</p> <p>Probity in Governance: Concept of Public Service; Philosophical Basis of Governance and Probity; Information Sharing and Transparency in Government, Right to Information, Codes of Ethics, Codes of Conduct, Citizen's Charters, Work Culture, Quality of Service Delivery, Utilization of Public Funds, Challenges of Corruption.</p> <p>Case Studies on above issues.</p>	
12 Feb	MAINS MOCK 23 (14 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	
13-Feb	ENVIRONMENT APPROACH CLASS	
13 - 17 Feb	<p><i>Topic-Environment, Ecology and Ecosystem; Environmental Issues, Pollution and Degradation</i></p> <p><i>Sources- Current Affairs</i></p>	
18-Feb	MAINS MOCK 24 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	
20 - 24 Feb	<p><i>Topic-Biodiversity and Conservation; Climate Change</i></p> <p><i>Sources- Current Affairs</i></p>	
25-Feb	MAINS MOCK 25 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 16 (7 Questions)
26-Feb	REVISION	
27 Feb	SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY APPROACH CLASS	
27 Feb - 3 Mar	<p><i>Topic-Space Related Fundamentals and Technologies; Defence Related Fundamentals and Technologies;</i></p> <p><i>Sources- Current Affairs</i></p>	
4-Mar	MAINS MOCK 26 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay- Economy

5-Mar	REVISION	
6 - 10 Mar	<i>Topic-IT and Communication and Emerging Technologies; Nuclear and Energy Related; Biotech, Nanotech and Related Technologies</i> <i>Sources- Current Affairs</i>	
11-Mar	MAINS MOCK 27 (7 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	CA MAINS MOCK 17 (7 Questions)
12-Mar	REVISION	
	ENVIRONMENT	
13 – 17 Mar	<i>Topic-Protected Areas; National Environmental Legislations and Initiatives, International Environmental Legislations and Initiatives; Contemporary Environmental Issues</i> <i>Sources- Current Affairs</i>	
18-Mar	MAINS MOCK 28 (10 Questions) & Mains Mock Discussion	
12-Mar	REVISION	
	UPSC CSE 2023 PRELIMS BREAK	
5-Jun-2023	HISTORY APPROACH CLASS	
5-9 Jun	WORLD HISTORY History of the World will include events from 18th century such as Industrial Revolution, world wars, Redrawing of National Boundaries, Colonization, Decolonization, political philosophies like Communism, Capitalism, Socialism etc.— their forms and effect on the society. Source- CLASS XII - Contemporary World Politics	
10-Jun	MAINS MOCK 29 (10 Questions) Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay-S&T
11 Jun - 15 Jun	Topic-Post-independent Consolidation Sources-Old NCERT Bipan Chandra	

16-Jun	MAINS MOCK 30 (10 Questions) Mains Mock Discussion	
17-Jun-2022	INTERNAL SECURITY APPROACH CLASS	
17 – 21 Jun	GS PAPER 3 Linkages between Development and Spread of Extremism. Role of External State and Non-state Actors in creating challenges to Internal Security. Challenges to Internal Security through Communication Networks, Role of Media and Social Networking Sites in Internal Security Challenges, Basics of Cyber Security; Money-Laundering and its prevention. Security Challenges and their Management in Border Areas - Linkages of Organized Crime with Terrorism. Various Security Forces and Agencies and their Mandate.	
22-Jun	MAINS MOCK 31 (14 Questions) Mains Mock Discussion	Theme Based Essay-Defence and Security
23-Jun-2022	INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS APPROACH CLASS	
23 – 27 Jun	GS PAPER 2 India and its Neighborhood- Relations. Bilateral, Regional and Global Groupings and Agreements involving India and/or affecting India's interests. Effect of Policies and Politics of Developed and Developing Countries on India's interests, Indian Diaspora. Important International Institutions, agencies and fora - their Structure, Mandate.	
28-Jun	MAINS MOCK 32 (14 Questions) Mains Mock Discussion	

29-Jun-2023		SOCIETY & SOCIAL JUSTICE APPROACH CLASS	
29 Jun – 3 Jul	GS PAPER 1		
	Salient features of Indian Society, Diversity of India.		
	Role of Women and Women’s Organization, Population and Associated Issues, Poverty and Developmental issues, Urbanization, their problems and their remedies.		
	Effects of Globalization on Indian society. Social Empowerment, Communalism, Regionalism & Secularism)		
	Welfare Schemes for Vulnerable Sections of the population by the Centre and States and the Performance of these Schemes; Mechanisms, Laws, Institutions and Bodies constituted for the Protection and Betterment of these Vulnerable Sections.		
	Issues Relating to Development and Management of Social Sector/Services relating to Health, Education, Human Resources.		
	Issues relating to Poverty and Hunger.		
4-Jul	MAINS MOCK 33 (14 Questions) Mains Mock Discussion		
MAINS FULL MOCK			
Tentative	GS PAPER 1	UPSC MAINS GS 1-History, Geography and Society	20 Questions with Synopsis
Tentative	GS PAPER 2	UPSC MAINS GS 2-Indian Polity, Governance, IR	20 Questions with Synopsis
Tentative	GS PAPER 3	UPSC MAINS GS 3-Economy, Agriculture, Environment, S&T and Security	20 Questions with Synopsis
Tentative	GS PAPER 4	UPSC MAINS GS 4-Ethics	14 Questions with Synopsis
Tentative	ESSAY	Essay Test	Full

Note: Current affairs (Mains) tests are not part of TLP Plus it is an add on. There will no evaluation for current affairs tests.

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Features



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