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Test 1	Dec 28	6	Social Science	History, Geography, Civics & Economics	175	200
20020			Maths		25	
Test 2	Dec 30	7	Social Science	History, Geography, Civics & Economics	175	200
			Maths		25	
Test 3	Jan 02	8	Social Science	History, Geography, Civics & Economics	175	200
			Maths		25	
Test 4	Jan 06	9	Social Science	History: Unit 1, 2.5, 3, 4.4-4.9, 7, 10.7, 11.3 – 11.4 Geography: Unit 1 to 8 Civics: Unit 1 to 6 Economics: Unit 1 to 5	175	200
			Maths		25	
Test 5	Jan 09	10	Social Science	History: Unit 5 to 10 Economics: Unit 1 to 5	175	200
			Maths		25	
Test 6	Jan 13	10	Social Science	Geography: Unit 1 to 7 Civics: Unit 1 to 5	175	200
			Maths		25	
Test 7	Jan 20	11	History & Geography	History: Unit 1 to 19 Geography: Unit 1 to 8	200	200
Test 8	Jan 23	11	Political Science & Economics	Political Science: Unit 10 to 15 Economics: Unit 7 to 11	200	200
Test 9	Jan 27	12	History & Geography	History: Unit 1 to 9 Geography: Unit 1 to 8	200	200
Test 10	Jan 30	12	Political Science & Economics	Political Science: Unit 1 to 12 Economics: Unit 1 to 11 (Except Unit 3)	200	200

#### *Note:*

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	SY	LLA	BUS WISE TESTS		
Test No	Date	Units	Topics	Ques	tions
		Unit IV	History and Culture of India	90	
Test 11	Feb 03	Unit V	Indian Polity	85	200
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	
		Unit IV	History and Culture of India	90	
Test 12	Feb 06	Unit V	Indian Polity	85	200
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	
		Unit VII	Indian National Movement	90	
Test 13	Feb 10	Unit V	Indian Polity	85	200
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	
		Unit VII	Indian National Movement	90	
Test 14	Feb 13	Unit V	Indian Polity	85	200
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	
		Unit VII	Indian National Movement	90	
Test 15	Feb 17	Unit V	Indian Polity	85	200
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	
Test 16		Unit IV	History and Culture of India	60	
(Full	Feb 20	Unit V	Indian Polity	70	200
Portion)		Unit VII	Indian National Movement	70	
		Unit III	Geography of India	85	
Test 17	Feb 24	Unit VI	Indian Economy	90	200
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	
		Unit III	Geography of India	85	
Test 18	Feb 27	Unit VI	Indian Economy	90	200
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	
		Unit III	Geography of India	85	
Test 19	Mar 03	Unit VI	Indian Economy	90	200
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	



Test 20		Unit III	Geography of India	100		
(Full Portion)	Mar 06	Unit VI	Indian Economy	100	200	
Test 21	Mar 10	Unit II	Current Events - I	200	200	
<b></b>		Unit VIII	History, Culture, Heritage and Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu	90	200	
Test 22	Mar 13	Unit IX	Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	85	200	
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25		
TI + 22	26 45	Unit VIII	History, Culture, Heritage and Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu	90	200	
Test 23	Mar 17	Unit IX	Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	85	200	
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25		
<b>T</b>	Unit		History, Culture, Heritage and Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu	90	200	
Test 24	Mar 20	Unit IX	Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	85	200	
		Unit X	Mental Ability	25		
Test 25	Mar 24	Unit VIII	Literature	100	200	
Test 25 Mar 24		Cilit VIII	Thirukkural	100	200	
Test 26 (Full			History, Culture, Heritage and Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu	100	200	
Portion) Mar 21		Unit IX	Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	100	200	
Test 27	Mar 31 HOME	Unit I	General Science	175	200	
	TEST	Unit X	Mental Ability	25	200	
		Unit I	General Science	175	200	
<b>Test 28</b> Apr 03		Unit X	Mental Ability	25	200	
Test 29	Togt 90 App 07		General Science	175	200	
<b>Test 29</b> Apr 07		Unit X	Mental Ability	25		
Test 30 (Full Portion)	Apr 14 HOME TEST	Unit I	General Science	200	200	



ENRICHMENT TESTS					
Test No Date Topics Que					
Test 31	Apr 10 Tamil Nadu Policy Notes & Schemes		200	200	
Test 32	Apr 17 Tamil Nadu Freedom fighters + Tamil Nadu Framous personalities		200	200	
Test 33	Apr 21	Apr 21 Tamil Nadu 360°		200	
<b>Test 34</b> Apr 24		TNPSC Previous Year Questions Scientific Temper + Literature + Thirukkural	150	200	
	r	TNPSC Previous Year Questions - Mental Ability	50		

FULL TESTS					
May 01		General Science	125	200	
Test 35	HOME	Unit I	Previous Year Questions	50	200
	TEST		Mental Ability	25	
			Geography of India	125	
Test 36	Apr 28	Unit III	Previous Year Questions	50	200
			Mental Ability	25	
			Indian Economy	125	
Test 37	May 05	Unit VI	Previous Year Questions	50	200
			Mental Ability	25	
			History and Culture of India	125	
Test 38	May 08	Unit IV	Previous Year Questions	50	200
			Mental Ability	25	





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			Indian National Movement	125		
Test 39	May 12	Unit VII	Previous Year Questions	50	200	
			Mental Ability	25		
			Indian Polity	125		
Test 40	May 15	Unit V	Previous Year Questions	50	200	
			Mental Ability	25		
			History, Culture, Heritage and Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu	125		
<b>Test 41</b> May 19	May 19	ny 19 Unit VIII	Previous Year Questions	50	200	
			Mental Ability	25		
			Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	125		
Test 42	May 22	Unit IX	Previous Year Questions	50	200	
			Mental Ability	25		
Test 43	May 26	Unit II	Current Events - II	200	200	
Test 44	May 29		Mock Test 1	200	200	
Test 45	Jun 02		Mock Test 2	200	200	
		STA	TE LEVEL MOCK TEST			

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		Where to prepare	
Test No	Units	Topics	Source
Test 11	History And Culture of India	Indus Valley Civilization - Guptas, Delhi Sultans, Mughals and Marathas - Age of Vijayanagar and Bahmani Kingdoms - South Indian History	<ul><li>TNSCERT History &amp; Ethics Books</li><li>Arihant Books</li></ul>
	Indian Polity	Constitution of India - Preamble to the Constitution - Salient features of the Constitution - Union, State and Union Territory.  Citizenship, Fundamental Rights, Fundamental Duties, Directive Principles of State Policy  Additional:  Amendment of the Constitution	<ul> <li>TNSCERT – Civics &amp; Political Science Books</li> <li>Indian Polity – Laxmikant</li> <li>Government websites</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Basic Structure of the Constitution Simplification & Percentage	
Test 12	History And Culture of India	Change and Continuity in the Socio-Cultural History of India.  Characteristics of Indian Culture, Unity in Diversity – Race, Language, Custom.  India as a Secular State, Social Harmony  Note: Social Religious reform Movements National Symbols Cultural Events/Festivals Art Forms Architectures	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History &amp; Ethics Books</li> <li>NCERT – 11<sup>th</sup> Std - An         Introduction to Indian         Art Part-I</li> <li>Arihant Books</li> <li>Government Websites</li> </ul>
	Indian Polity	Union Executive, Union Legislature, Judiciary in India Additional: Judicial Review Judicial Activism Public Interest Litigation	<ul> <li>TNSCERT – Civics &amp; Political Science Books</li> <li>Indian Polity – Laxmikant</li> <li>Government websites</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Average, Ratio & Proportion & Problems based on Age	5.5 . 5



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Indian National Movement  Test 13  Indian Polity		National Renaissance - Early uprising against British rule - Indian National Congress  Note: Events from Advent of Europeans to 1905	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History Books</li> <li>Spectrum – Modern         India</li> <li>Azadi Ka Amrit         Mahotsay</li> </ul>
	State Executive, State Legislature, Judiciary in India.  Local Governments, Panchayat Raj  Additional: Union Territories Scheduled and Tribal Tribunals Subordinate Courts Special Provisions for Some States	<ul> <li>TNSCERT – Civics &amp; Political Science Books</li> <li>Indian Polity – Laxmikant</li> <li>Government websites</li> </ul>	
	Mental Ability	Highest Common Factor (HCF) - Lowest Common Multiple (LCM).	
Indi	Indian National Movement	Different modes of Agitation: Growth of Satyagraha and Militant Movements  Communalism and Partition.  Note: Events from 1906 to 1950	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History Books</li> <li>Spectrum – Modern         India</li> <li>Azadi Ka Amrit         Mahotsay</li> </ul>
Test 14	Indian Polity	Spirit of Federalism: Centre – State Relationships.  Elections in India  Additional: Emergency Provisions Anti-Defection Law Constitutional Bodies Non-Constitutional Bodies	<ul> <li>TNSCERT – Civics &amp; Political Science Books</li> <li>Indian Polity – Laxmikant</li> <li>Government websites</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Simple Interest Compound Interest	
Test 1 <b>5</b>	Indian National Movement	Emergence of leaders – B.R.Ambedkar, Bhagat Singh, Bharathiar, V.O.Chidambaranar Jawaharlal Nehru, Kamarajar, Mahatma Gandhi, Maulana Abul	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History Books</li> <li>Spectrum – Modern         India</li> </ul>



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		Kalam Azad, Thanthai Periyar, Rajaji, Subash Chandra Bose, Rabindranath Tagore and others.	❖ Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav
	Indian Polity	Rule of Law  Corruption in Public Life – Anticorruption measures – Lokpal and Lok Ayukta - Right to Information – Empowerment of Women – Consumer Protection Forums, Human Rights Charter.  Additional: Co-operative Societies Official Language Public Services	<ul> <li>❖ TNSCERT – Civics &amp; Political Science Books</li> <li>❖ Indian Polity – Laxmikant</li> <li>❖ Government websites</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Profit and Loss, Discount Partnership	
Test 16	Full Portion	History And Culture of India + Indian National Movement + Indian Polity	Full Syllabus
	Geography of India	Location – Physical features – Monsoon, Rainfall, Weather and Climate - Water Resources – Rivers in India	<ul> <li>TNSCERT Geography         Books</li> <li>NCERT – 11<sup>th</sup> India         Physical Environment</li> </ul>
Test 17	Indian Economy	Nature of Indian Economy – Five – year plan models – an assessment – Planning Commission and Niti Aayog.	<ul> <li>TNSCERT Economics &amp; Commerce Books</li> <li>Key Concepts of Indian Economy by Shankar Ganesh</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Time and Work Pipe & Cistern	
Test 18	Geography of India	Soil, Minerals and Natural Resources – Forest and Wildlife – Agricultural pattern Transport – Communication	<ul> <li>TNSCERT Geography         Books</li> <li>NCERT – 12<sup>th</sup> – India         People and Economy</li> <li>Government Reports         Surveys / Data / Census</li> <li>Government websites</li> </ul>



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	Indian Economy	Sources of revenue – Reserve Bank of India – Fiscal Policy and Monetary Policy - Finance Commission – Resource sharing between Union and State Governments - Goods and Services Tax.	<ul> <li>TNSCERT Economics &amp; Commerce Books</li> <li>Key Concepts of Indian Economy by Shankar Ganesh</li> <li>Government websites</li> <li>Budgets</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Time and Distance Time & Speed	
Test 19	Geography of India	Social Geography – Population density and distribution - Racial, Linguistic Groups and Major Tribes  Natural calamity – Disaster Management – Environmental pollution: Reasons and preventive measures – Climate change – Green energy.  Structure of Indian Economy and	<ul> <li>TNSCERT Geography         Books</li> <li>NCERT – 12<sup>th</sup> –         Fundamentals of Human         Geography</li> <li>Government websites</li> <li>Government Reports         Surveys / Data / Census</li> <li>TNSCERT Economics &amp;</li> </ul>
	Indian Economy	Employment Generation, Land Reforms and Agriculture - Application of Science and Technology in Agriculture - Industrial growth - Rural Welfare Oriented Programmes — Social Problems — Population, Education, Health, Employment, Poverty.	Commerce Books  Government websites  Government Reports Surveys / Data / Census  Schemes
	Mental Ability	Area – 2D	
Test 20	Full Portion	Geography of India + Indian Economy	Full Syllabus
Test 21	Current Events - I	August 2024 to December 2024	<ul> <li>News papers</li> <li>Government websites like PIB, TN DIPR</li> <li>SIA Current Affairs</li> </ul>
Test 22	History, Culture, Heritage And Socio - Political	History of Tamil Society, related Archaeological discoveries	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History &amp; Ethics Books</li> <li>TNSCERT         General Tamil +Advance</li> </ul>





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	Movements		Tamil Books (syllabus
	in Tamil Nadu		Based)
			<ul> <li>Tamil Nadu Government websites</li> </ul>
			<ul> <li>Recent news on         Archaeological         discoveries     </li> </ul>
	Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	Human Development Indicators in Tamil Nadu and a comparative assessment across the Country – Impact of Social Reform Movements in the Socio - Economic Development of Tamil Nadu.	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History &amp; Ethics Books</li> <li>TNSCERT         General Tamil +Advance         Tamil Books (syllabus         Based)</li> <li>Human Development         reports</li> <li>Tamil Nadu Government         websites</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Area – 3D	
			* TNSCERT History & Ethics Books
	History Culture	Role of Tamil Nadu in freedom	❖ TNSCERT  General Tamil +Advance  Tamil Books (syllabus  Based)
Test 23	History, Culture, Heritage And Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu	struggle - Early agitations against British Rule - Role of women in freedom struggle.	❖ Tamil Nadu's Contribution To The Freedom Struggle – Special Publications 2023 by Tamil Nadu Government
			<ul> <li>Contemporary History of Tamil Nadu G.Venkatesan</li> </ul>



			❖ Tamil Nadu Government websites like DIPR
	Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	Political parties and Welfare schemes for various sections of people – Rationale behind Reservation Policy and access to Social Resources - Economic trends in Tamil Nadu – Role and impact of social welfare schemes in the Socio - Economic Development of Tamil Nadu.	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History &amp; Ethics Books</li> <li>TNSCERT         General Tamil +Advance         Tamil Books (syllabus         Based)</li> <li>Contemporary History of         Tamil Nadu —         G.Venkatesan</li> <li>SIA Leader series</li> <li>Tamil Nadu Government         websites / reports like         DIPR</li> <li>All welfare Schemes of         Tamil Nadu</li> <li>Political Parties and         their Achievements</li> <li>Evaluation of         Reservation and present         status</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Volume	
Test 24	History, Culture, Heritage And Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu	Evolution of 19th and 20th Century Socio-Political Movements in Tamil Nadu - Justice Party, Growth of Rationalism - Self Respect Movement, Dravidian Movement and Principles underlying both these Movements, Contributions of Thanthai Periyar and Perarignar Anna.	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History &amp; Ethics Books</li> <li>TNSCERT         General Tamil +Advance         Tamil Books (syllabus         Based)</li> <li>Tamil Nadu's         Contribution To The         Freedom Struggle –         Special Publications</li> </ul>



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			2023 by Tamil Nadu Government  Contemporary History of Tamil Nadu — G.Venkatesan  SIA Leader series  Tamil Nadu Government websites like DIPR & reports  Periyar 1000
	Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	Social Justice and Social Harmony as the Cornerstones of Socio-Economic Development Education and Health Systems in Tamil Nadu. Geography of Tamil Nadu and its impact on Economic growth. Achievements of Tamil Nadu in various fields. e-Governance in Tamil Nadu.	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History &amp; Ethics Books</li> <li>Tamil Nadu Government         websites like DIPR &amp;         reports</li> <li>Rankings of Tamil Nadu         in various indicators</li> <li>TNeGA websites</li> <li>Policy Notes of Tamil         Nadu Governments</li> <li>Tamil Nadu budgets</li> </ul>
	Mental Ability	Statistics & Probability	
Test 25	History, Culture, Heritage And Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu	Tamil Literature from Sangam Age till contemporary times.  Thirukkural: (a) Significance as a Secular Literature (b) Relevance to Everyday Life (c) Impact of Thirukkural on Humanity (d) Thirukkural and Universal Values - Equality, Humanism, etc	<ul> <li>TNSCERT         History &amp; Ethics Books</li> <li>TNSCERT         General Tamil +Advance         Tamil Books (syllabus         Based)</li> </ul>



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		<ul><li>(e) Relevance to Socio-Politico- Economic affairs</li><li>(f) Philosophical content in Thirukkural</li></ul>	
Test 26	Full Portion	History, Culture, Heritage And Socio - Political Movements In Tamil Nadu + Development Administration In Tamil Nadu	Full Syllabus
Test 27	General Science	Nature of Universe - Mechanics - Properties of Matter, Force, Motion and Energy - Everyday application of the Basic Principles of Mechanics, Electricity and Magnetism, Light, Sound, Heat, Nuclear Physics, Laser, Electronics and Communications.	<ul><li>❖ TNSCERT Books</li><li>❖ Arihant Books</li></ul>
	Mental Ability	Number Series, AP & GP	
Test 28	General Science	Scientific Knowledge and Scientific Temper - Power of Reasoning - Rote Learning vs Conceptual Learning - Science as a tool to understand the past, present and future.  Elements and Compounds, Acids, Bases, Salts, Petroleum Products, Fertilisers, Pesticides.	<ul><li>TNSCERT Books</li><li>Arihant Books</li></ul>
	Mental Ability	Logical Reasoning - Puzzles-Dice - Visual Reasoning - Alpha numeric Reasoning -I	
Test 29	General Science	Main concepts of Life Science, Classification of Living Organisms, Evolution, Genetics, Physiology, Nutrition, Health and Hygiene, Human Diseases.  Environment and Ecology	<ul><li>TNSCERT Books</li><li>Arihant Books</li></ul>
	Mental Ability	Logical Reasoning - Puzzles-Dice - Visual Reasoning - Alpha numeric Reasoning - II	
Test 30	Full Portion	General Science	Full Syllabus





Те	st 31	Development Administration in Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu Policy Notes, Development Programmes & Schemes	<ul> <li>Tamil Nadu Government websites like DIPR &amp; reports</li> <li>Policy Notes of Tamil Nadu Governments</li> </ul>
Te	st 32	Unit VIII & IX	Freedom fighters Women Freedom fighters Famous Leaders Social Reform personalities Achievement of Tamil Nadu Personalities in various fields	
Te	st 33	Unit VIII & IX	History of Tamil Nadu Administration of Tamil Nadu Geography of Tamil Nadu Economy of Tamil Nadu Current Events in Tamil Nadu Achienements of Tamil Nadu	
Te	st 43	Current Events – II	January 2025 to April 2025	<ul> <li>News papers</li> <li>Government websites like PIB, TN DIPR</li> <li>SIA Current Affairs</li> </ul>