



PRATIBHA: Foundation Classes (Competitive exams)Report

Janki Devi Memorial College (JDMC), University of Delhi, under Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) has successfully completed the sixth batch of Pratibha: Foundation Classes (competitive exams) under the convenorship of Dr. Md. Zubeer Ahmed and members; Dr. Khachungla Chahang, Mr. Ahirrao Dinesh Bharat and Mr. RajuKeshari. Those students who are aiming to clear the various competitive exams conducted by the Union Public Service Commission, State Public Service Commissions, National Testing Agency etc. opted for these classes. The primary objective of these foundation classes was to provide the basic knowledge about important topics from examination point of view, and orient the students to explore further on their own. The topics for lectures were selected keeping in mind the general studies, political Science and International Relations components of various competitive exams.

The classes began in August 2021. 61 students had registered for the classes (**54 from JDMC and 7 from outside the college**). The course was divided into 143 modules covering the broad areas of History, Economics, Political Science, International Relations, Society, Culture, English, Mathematics, Geography, Science & Technology, Current Affairs, Essay writing and components of Personality test. The classes were taken by the successful candidates in the Civil Services exam, faculties from various departments of the college and experts from the outside. Four modules of two hours each were discussed in a week.

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JANKI DEVI MEMORIAL COLLEGE
(UNIVERSITY OF DELHI)



PRATIBHA
Under the aegis of IQAC
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FOUNDATION CLASSES FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS, 2022-23

These foundation classes are open for all students (male and female). All those who are aiming to clear various competitive exams conducted by the UPSC, State Public Service Commission etc. can opt for these classes.

IMPORTANT DETAILS :

- Fee structure- 6000/- per student. Admissions will be given on the basis of first come, first serve. Limited seats are available.
- The classes will be held from **February 25, 2022**. Due to ongoing pandemic Covid-19, the classes will be held in **online mode only**.
- Last date of submission of forms- **February 15, 2022**.

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES :

- The duration of the foundation classes - **2 semesters**.
- One module of two hours will be discussed on every **Friday and Saturday**. Two modules of two hours each will be discussed on every **Sunday**.
- Classes will be held from **5:00PM-7:00PM** on Fridays and Saturdays and from **9:30AM-11:30AM** and **12:00PM- 2:00 PM** on Sundays.
- **Five online Mock Tests** (3 Objective & 2 Subjective) and its discussions will be conducted over the two semesters.

For further queries, please whatsapp : (8527456759)

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NOTICE

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Foundation Classes for Competitive Examinations, 2022-23

The PRATIBHA strives to provide constant support and guidance to the students who are willing to prepare for various competitive examinations conducted by the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC), State Public Service Commissions etc., with a view to enable them to secure their cherished career in life after their graduation.

With its team of dedicated and hard working academic and professional experts, it aims to orient and equip students with the necessary knowledge, skill-set, aptitude, and attitude needed to prepare for various competitive examinations.

These foundation classes are open for all the students (both female and male)

IMPORTANT DETAILS

- Fee structure- Rs. 6,000/- per student.
- Admissions will be given on the basis of **first come, first served**. Limited seats are available.
- Soft copy of the application form is attached with this notice. Students should take a printout of the form and fill it. Then duly filled scanned copy of the application form along with the fee deposit proof have to be emailed to the following email id: jdmpratibhaapplication@gmail.com
- The fee has to be deposited online using following Account details:-
- **Account Name: Pratibha Foundation Classes, Account No.: 8594101053138, Bank Name: Canara Bank, Branch: JDM College, IFS Code: CNRB0008594**

- o The payment can be made using Google Pay/PhonePe/Paytm/Internet banking, etc.
- o After mailing the required details/documents, you will receive a confirmation email within a few days.
- > Last date of submission of forms- **February 15, 2022.**

Note : Pratibha reserves the right to remove any student/s from the classes/course for their unruly behaviour. The decision of the Administrative Committee in this regard will be final.

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Course Description

The objective of these foundation classes is to provide the basic knowledge about important topics from the examination point of view, and orient the students to explore further on their own. The topics for lectures are selected keeping in mind the general studies component of various competitive exams. The course is divided into 142 modules covering the broad areas of History, Economics, Geography, English, Mathematics,, Science & Technology, Current Affairs, Political Theory, Western and Indian Political Thought, Comparative Politics, Approaches to Study the International Relations, Sociology, and components of Personality Test.

Schedule of Classes

- The duration of the foundation classes is two semesters.
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- Classes will be held in **online mode only.**
- One module of two hours will be discussed every Friday and Saturday. Two modules of two hours each will be discussed on every Sunday.
- Classes will be held from 5:00 PM-7:00 PM on Fridays and Saturdays and from 9:30AM-11:30AM and 12:00 PM- 2:00 PM on Sundays.
- Five online Mock Tests (3 objective and 2 subjective) and its discussions will be conducted over the two semesters.
- Dedicated Mentoring/ Guidance sessions will be conducted as per need.

Modules

1. General orientation about competitive exams
2. Newspaper and magazine reading for current affairs and how to prepare for Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ's)
3. How to write descriptive answers
4. Essay Writing
5. Body language skills
6. Personality Test
7. Concepts of Economics: GDP, GNP, NNP, PPP
8. Economic planning in India
9. Inflation and Taxation
10. Stock market and Capital market
11. Government policies and schemes
12. E-governance
13. Verbal ability
14. Comprehension
15. Map pointing
16. Continental drift theory and plate tectonics
17. Monsoon formation
18. Types of climate
19. Distribution of major minerals
20. Indus Valley Civilisation

21. Art and architecture under Mauryan and post Mauryan period
22. Culture and religion under Gupta period
23. Temple architecture
24. Art and architecture under Mughals
25. Colonial economic policy
26. Land revenue system
27. Social reform movements in 19th century
28. Partition of Bengal
29. Non-cooperation movement
30. Civil disobedience movement
31. Quit India movement
32. American and French Revolutions
33. Industrialisation
34. First World War
35. Second World War
36. The key features of the Indian Constitution and Preamble
37. Fundamental Rights
38. Directive Principles of State Policy
39. Indian Parliament
40. Parliamentary Committees
41. Budget making process in India
42. Law making process in India
43. Constitutional bodies
44. Judiciary and Judicial activism
45. Emergency provisions
46. Centre-State relations
47. Statutory and non-statutory bodies
48. India and its neighbours
49. UN and its agencies
50. UN Reforms
51. Globalisation
52. Non-traditional security threats
53. Nuclear Disarmament and Nuclear Non-Proliferation
54. Regional organisations: EU, ASEAN, SCO and SAARC
55. Regional organisations: BRICS, BIMSTEC, etc.
56. Important Inter-state (international) conflicts-I
57. Important Inter-state (international) conflicts-II
58. WTO
59. World Bank and IMF
60. Technological achievements in India: Aerospace and Defence
61. Biodiversity
62. Climate change and Environment
63. Renewable and Non-renewable energy
64. Problems on numbers and ages
65. Ratio-Proportion and Percentage
66. Profit and Loss
67. Time and Work
68. Time and Distance
69. Interest problems
70. Land Reforms after Independence
71. Disaster Management

72. Caste related issues in India
73. Gender related issues in India
74. Tribal issues in India
75. Urbanisation, its problems and remedies
76. Agrarian issues (since 1991)
77. Impact of globalisation on Indian Society
78. Sustainable Development
79. Green revolution, Blue revolution, etc.
80. Social movements (Peasant, Tribal and Women's movements)
81. Blood Relations
82. Basic Structure Doctrine
83. Western Political Thought : Plato Part 1
84. Plato Part 2
85. Aristotle Part 1
86. Aristotle Part 2
87. Machiavelli Part 1
88. Machiavelli Part 2
89. Hobbes Part 1
90. Hobbes Part 2
91. Locke Part 1
92. Locke Part 2
93. Rousseau Part 1
94. Rousseau Part 2
95. Jeremy Bentham
96. John S. Mill Part 1
97. John S. Mill Part 2
98. Marx Part 1
99. Marx Part 2
100. Gramsci Part 1
101. Gramsci Part 2
102. Hannah Arendt Part 1
103. Hannah Arendt Part 2
104. Harold Laski
105. Political Theory: Meaning and Approaches Part 1
106. Political Theory: Meaning and Approaches Part 2
107. Political Theory: Meaning and Approaches Part 3
108. Theories of State Part 1
109. Theories of State Part 2
110. Justice Part 1
111. Justice Part 2
112. Equality Part 1
113. Equality Part 2
114. Rights Part 1
115. Rights Part 2
116. Democracy Part 1
117. Democracy Part 2
118. Concept of Power Part 1
119. Concept of Power Part 2
120. Political Ideologies Part 1
121. Political Ideologies Part 2
122. Political Ideologies Part 3
123. Indian Political Thought Part 1
124. Indian Political Thought Part 2

125. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
126. Sir Aurobindo
127. M. K. Gandhi Part 1
128. M.K. Gandhi Part 2
129. B.R. Ambedkar Part 1
130. B.R. Ambedkar Part 2
131. M.N. Roy
132. Comparative Politics Part 1
133. Comparative Politics Part 2
134. State in Comparative Perspective Part 1
135. State in Comparative Perspective Part 2
136. Politics of Representation and Participation Part 1
137. Politics of Representation and Participation Part 2
138. Approaches of Globalisation
139. Approaches to the Study of International Relations Part 1
140. Approaches to the Study of International Relations Part 2
141. Key Concepts in International Relations Part 1
142. Key Concepts in International Relations Part II

Details of Resource Persons

1. Dr. Md. Zubeer Ahmed- Assistant Professor (Department of Political Science, JDMC).
2. Mr. Dinesh Ahirrao- Assistant Professor (Department of Political Science, JDMC).
3. Md. Faisal Hussain- Assistant Professor (Department of History, JDMC).
4. Mr. Raju Keshari, Assistant Professor (Department of Political Science, JDMC)
5. Ms. Garima Sangwan, Research Scholar.
6. Dr. Umesh Kumar, Assistant Professor, Dyal Singh College, University of Delhi.
7. Dr. Kush Kumar Gayasen, Assistant Professor (Department of Political Science), Munger University, Bihar.
8. Dr. Vardraj, Assistant Professor (Department of English, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College) Mr. Deepak Manchanda- Assistant Professor (Department of Economics, JDMC)

9. Mr. Rohit Kumar Singh-Assistant Professor (Department of Political Science,JDMC).

10.Ms. Rehnamol P.R., Assistant Professor (Department of Political Science, JDMC).11.Ms. Chanpreet Kaur, Assistant Professor (Department of Mathematics, JDMC).

12.Ms. Maitreyi Naidu- She has scored 27th rank in the Civil Services exam-2020 (Ex-student ofJDMC).

Some glimpse of the course-

