

Firstly we will begin with Indian Coast Guard exam pattern 2016

There are mainly two stages for Indian Coast Guard exam (Assistant Commandant)

Stage 1) Preliminary Selection: It consist of MAT (Mental Ability Test) and PPDT (Picture Perception and Discussion Test).

Stage 2) Final Selection: It consists of the following main tests namely: Group Testing & Interview, Psychological Test and PABT (for GD Pilots only).

Indian Coast Guard syllabus 2016 (Assistant Commandant)

We will provide you the syllabus of:

- Preliminary examination syllabus (Stage 1)
- Final examination syllabus (Stage 2)

Let's begin with first **Preliminary examination** syllabus which is further divided into two tests:

Preliminary examination

- a) MAT (Mental Ability Test)
- b) PPDT (Picture Perception & Discussion Test)

Shortlisted candidates will be called for Preliminary Selection at given date and time which will consist of Mental Ability Test/ Cognitive Aptitude Test and Picture Perception & Discussion Test (PP&DT). The aptitude test will be in English only and will be objective type.

a) MAT (Mental Ability Test)

MAT syllabus which mainly covers 1) General Awareness & 2) Test of Reasoning

1) GA (General Awareness)

- Major financial /Economic News
- Current Affairs (National and International)
- Budget and Five Year Plans
- Awards and Honors
- Books and Authors
- Sports
- Abbreviations
- Science – Inventions and Discoveries
- International and National Organizations
- Important Days
- Famous personalities

2) Test of Reasoning

Which is of types i) Verbal ii) Non-Verbal

i) Verbal

- Number Series
- Test of Direction Sense
- Alphabet Series
- Number Ranking
- Coding-Decoding
- Problem on Age Calculation
- Arithmetical Reasoning
- Analogy
- Blood Relations
- Decision Making etc.

ii) Non-Verbal

- Non Verbal Series
- Cubes and Dice
- Grouping Identical Figures
- Mirror Images
- Embedded Figures etc

(This test will be in objective type)