

# GUJARAT JUDICIAL SERVICE

(SYLLABUS FOR THE POST OF CIVIL JUDGE JUNIOR DIVISION EXAMINATION)

- Eligibility criteria - LL.B.
- Age Limit –
  - (i) General Category - must not have crossed 35 years
  - (ii) SC/ST/Socially & educationally backward classes - must not have completed 38 years.
  - (iii) The employees working in the courts or other allied departments (Relaxation of 5 years i.e. up to 40 years).

## SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

The Examination will be held in three stages namely:

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| 1. Preliminary Examination (Objective) | (100 Marks) |
| 2. Main Written Examination            | (200 Marks) |
| 3. Viva-Voce. (Interview)              | (50 Marks)  |

## PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

1. The Preliminary Examination (Elimination Test): Shall be of 100 marks, duration whereof will be 2 hours, consisting of Multiple Choice questions each of one mark with a negative marking of 0.33 marks for each wrong answer. It is based on the following syllabus:

### PART – A

- (a) The Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.
- (b) The Indian Penal Code, 1860.
- (c) The Indian Evidence Act, 1872.
- (d) The Gujarat Prohibition Act, 1949 (Old Bombay Prohibition Act).
- (e) The Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881. (Only Chapter XVII)

### PART - B

- (a) The Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.
- (b) The Limitation Act, 1963.
- (c) The Constitution of India - (Part III Fundamental Rights (Articles 12 to 35 & Part-IV A- Fundamental Duties)
- (d) The Indian Contract Act, 1872.

### PART – C

General knowledge, Test of Reasoning, Numerical & Mental Ability and English Language, Basic of Computer Applications.

- 2. The language of 75 questions in preliminary examination will be english, whereas the remaining 25 questions will be in Gujarati.
- 3. The candidates securing minimum 50% Marks in the preliminary examination shall be eligible for being called for main written examination. However, the marks obtained in the preliminary examination shall not be taken into consideration for preparing the final merit List of the candidates.

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## MAIN WRITTEN EXAMINATION

It shall consist of three papers, based on the syllabus given below :

### Paper - I - Criminal, Time - 2½ hours, (75 Marks)

- I. The Probation of Offenders Act, 1958.
- II. The Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.
- III. The Indian Penal Code, 1860.
- IV. The Indian Evidence Act, 1872.
- V. The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015.
- VI. The Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005.
- VII. The Gujarat Prevention of Gambling Act, 1887.
- VIII. The Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956.
- IX. Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Prohibition of Sex Selection) Act, 1994.
- X. The Negotiable Instruments Act (Only Ch. XVII).
- XI. The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969.

### Paper - II - Civil, Time - 2½ hours, (75 Marks)

- I. The Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.
- II. The Limitation Act, 1963.
- III. The Indian Contract Act, 1872.
- IV. The Indian Partnership Act, 1932.
- V. The Specific Relief Act, 1963.
- VI. The Gujarat Court Fees Act, 2004.

### Paper - III - Language, Time - 1½ hours, (50 Marks)

Test of English and Gujarati Language.

*Note:*

- I. *Language of Question Paper I & II of Main Written Examination shall be English.*
- II. *Essential Qualifications : Candidate must possess a Degree in Law from a University recognized by law in India and must be practicing as an advocate in courts of civil and/or criminal jurisdiction on the last date fixed for application.*

*Or*

*Must be working in courts or other allied departments on the last date fixed for application.*

## INTERVIEW

Only those candidates who score the prescribed percentage of marks or more in the main written examination shall be called for Viva-Voce. Maximum marks for viva-voce will be 50.

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