

# HIMACHAL PRADESH JUDICIAL SERVICE

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

- Eligibility criteria - LL.B.
- Age Limit - (22-35 years)
- (For SC/ST/OBC 3 years relaxation)

## SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

The Examination will be held in three stages namely:

1. Preliminary Examination (Objective) (300 Marks)
2. Main Written Examination (850 Marks)
3. Viva-Voce. (Interview) (150 Marks)

## PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

The preliminary examination shall be an objective type examination consisting of the following three papers of 100 Marks each:

- Paper I - Civil Law – I
- Paper II - Civil Law – II
- Paper III - Criminal Law

Each paper shall be of one-hour duration and the examination in all the three papers shall be held on the same day. The syllabus for the preliminary examination shall be the same as provided for Paper-I to III for the Main examination.

## MAIN WRITTEN EXAMINATION

Paper - I : (Civil Law I) (200 Marks)

Civil Procedure Code, Indian Evidence Act, Specific Relief Act, Indian Stamp Act, Himachal Pradesh Courts Acts. 1976

Paper - II : (Civil Law II) (200 Marks)

Indian Contract Act, Hindu Law, Limitation Act, T.P.A, H.P. Urban Rent Control Act.

Paper - III : Criminal Law (200 Marks)

Indian Penal Code, Criminal Procedure Code, Chapter XVII Sec. (138 to 143) of Negotiable Instrument Act, H.P. Excise Act 2011, Wild Life Protection Act and Indian Forest Act.

Paper - IV: (200 Marks)

English Essay Choice of 3 essays on general subjects (100 Marks)

Translation of Hindi passage into English (50 Marks)

Paper - V: (100 Marks)

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Language Hindi (in devnagri script)

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| (a) Translation English to Hindi             | (30 Marks) |
| (b) Essay in Hindi on any topic out of three | (50 Marks) |
| (c) Composition (idioms & correction etc.)   | (20 Marks) |

*Note: Each Paper is of 3 hours duration.*

## INTERVIEW

Candidates who qualify the Main written examination, will be required to appear at such place, as may be fixed by the Commission, for a viva-voce test. The maximum marks for the viva-voce shall be 150. The marks obtained in the viva-voce will be added to the marks obtained in the Main written examination for purpose of selection of the candidates.

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