

**NEXT IAS**

**UPSC  
CSE 2024  
NOTIFICATION**

**What's New?**

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# Important Points

- **Total Posts** : 1056
- **Filling Mode** : Application to be filled online at commission's website :  
**Part-I** : One-time Registration Form, and  
**Part-II** : Online Application Form
- **Last Date** : 5<sup>th</sup> Mar. 2024 (6:00 PM)
- **Centre Allotment:** On the basis of  
**First Apply - First Allotment**
- **Fee** : Rs. 100/-  
Rs. 0 for Females / SC / ST / PwBD
- **Eligibility** : Graduation degree (should be available before Main Exam (DAF-1))

# Age Criteria (as on 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2024)

- GEN & EWS** : 21 – 32 years  
(Should not be born before  
2<sup>nd</sup> Aug, 1992 & not after  
1<sup>st</sup> Aug, 2003)
- OBC and Defence Personnel** : 21 – 35 Years
- SC/ST** : 21 – 37 Years
- PwBD** : 21 – 42 Years

# Number of Attempts

<b>General and EWS</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>06</b>
<b>OBC and PwBD</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>09</b>
<b>SC &amp; ST</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>No limit</b>

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**Amendment in Application** : **6<sup>th</sup> March to 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2024**

**Change of Category** : **Not permitted (except in special case).**

# Documents & Certificates

- **Proof of Age (Matriculation or Equivalent certificate)**
- **Proof of Graduation**
- **Id Proof (Aadhaar Card / Pan card / D.L. / Passport/**
- **Photograph (20 KB – 300 KB jpeg)**
- **Scanned Signature**
- **Email ID**
- **Phone Number**
- **EWS / OBC/SC/ ST/PwBD certificate\***
- **Undertaking for Govt./PSU employees\***
- **Certificates are needed at Stage–II i.e. Main Exam (DAF-I)**

# What's New

- Register online at : [www.upsconline.nic.in](http://www.upsconline.nic.in)
- One Time Registration (OTR) : Once in a lifetime.
- Can be done anytime throughout the year.
- Change in OTR is permitted only once (Available for 7 days from the closing date of the examination form).
- Once submitted, the application can not be withdrawn.
- Online Question Paper Representation Portal (QPREP) : 7 days from the date of examination.
- Use a recent photograph, should not be older than 10 days before filling OAF.
- Name of the candidate and date of photograph taken to be mentioned in the photograph.
- The face should occupy 3/4<sup>th</sup> space of the photograph.

# What's New

- **The candidates must ensure that their appearance must match with their photograph at each stage of the Examination Process i.e. at the time of Preliminary, Main (Written) and Interview/Personality Test. For instance, If a candidate uploads a bearded photograph, he must appear with the same look in the Preliminary, Main (Written) and Interview/Personality Test. Same would be the case with spectacles, moustaches, etc**



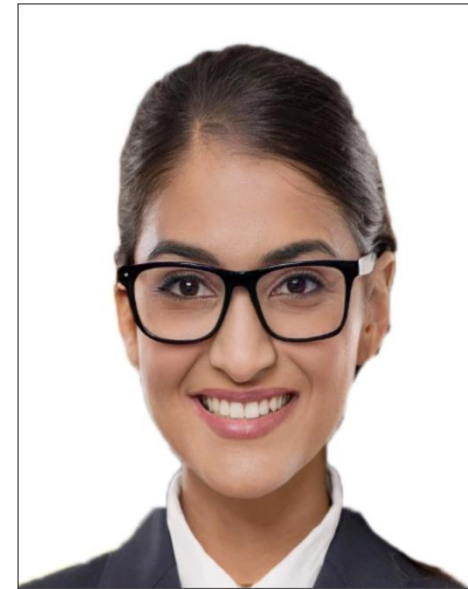
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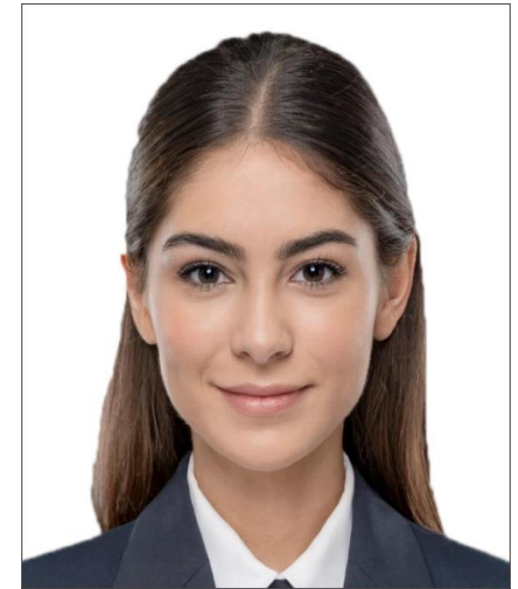
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# OBC certificate

- **OBC (Non-creamy layer) certificate should be based on the income for the financial year 2022-23, 2021-22, 2020-21.**
- **Certificate must be issued before the date of closing of application date i.e. 5<sup>th</sup> Mar, 2024.**
- **Average Gross Income of parents should be less than 8 lacs per Annum of last 3 financial years.**



# List of authorities empowered to issue Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe as well as OBC Candidates

- **District Magistrate/ Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/ 1<sup>st</sup> Class Stipendiary Magistrate Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below of the rank of 1<sup>st</sup> Class Stipendiary Magistrate).**
- **Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate /Presidency Magistrate.**
- **Revenue Officers not below the rank of Tehsildar.**
- **Sub Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his/her family normally resides.**
- **Administrator/ Secretary to Administrator / Development Officer (Lakshdweep).**

# EWS Certificate

- **Income and Asset Certificate**
- **Should be prepared before the closing date of application i.e. 5<sup>th</sup> Mar, 2024, for prelims exam.**
- **The gross income of the family must be less than 8 Lacs per annum in the previous financial year i.e. 2022-23.**

# For EWS Candidates

- \*Note** 1: Income covered is from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc.
- \*\*Note** 2: The term 'Family" for this purpose include the person, who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.
- \*\*\*Note** 3: The property held by a "Family' in different locations or different places/cities have been clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

# Asset Criteria

**Family Asset should not possess any of the following**

- I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;**
- II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;**
- III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;**
- IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.**

## **Competent Authority to issue Income & Asset Certificate for EWS Candidate**

- (i) District Magistrate/ Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/ Additional' Deputy Commissioner/ 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner**
- (ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate**
- (iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and**
- (iv) Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.**

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# Income and Asset Certificate Sample

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Government of.....  
(Name & Address of the authority issuing the certificate)

## INCOME & ASSET CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_

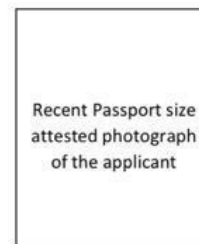
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**VALID FOR THE YEAR** \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari \_\_\_\_\_ son/daughter/wife of \_\_\_\_\_ permanent resident of \_\_\_\_\_, Village/Street \_\_\_\_\_ Post Office \_\_\_\_\_ District in the State/Union Territory \_\_\_\_\_ Pin Code \_\_\_\_\_ whose photograph is attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections, since the gross annual income\* of his/her family\*\* is below Rs. 8 Lakh (Rupees Eight Lakh only) for the financial year \_\_\_\_\_. His/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets\*\*\* :

- I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
- II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
- III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
- IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.

2. Shri/Smt./Kumari \_\_\_\_\_ belongs to the \_\_\_\_\_ caste which is not recognized as a Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Other Backward Classes (Central List)



Signature with Seal of Office \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Designation: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Plan of Examination

- **Stage-I : Preliminary Examination (Objective Type)**
- **Two papers, each of 200 marks and 2 hrs.**
- **Both papers are MCQ type with negative marking.**
- **1<sup>st</sup> paper consists of G.S. having 100 questions (2 hrs.)**
- **2<sup>nd</sup> paper consist of CSAT, having 80 questions (2 hrs). This paper is qualifying with 33% marks.**

# Plan of Examination..... contd

## Stage-II : Main Exam (Subjective Type) (Fill DAF-1 for Main Exam)

### (1) Qualifying Papers (25% Marks)

**Paper-A**

**Indian language  
(300 Marks)**

**Paper-B**

**English  
(300 Marks)**

**Choose one language out of 22 languages mentioned in 8<sup>th</sup> schedule of the constitution.**




## **(2) Papers to be counted for Merit (1750 marks)**

**Essay  
Paper  
250 marks**

**GS Papers  
I : 250 marks  
II : 250 marks  
III : 250 marks  
IV : 250 marks**

**Optional  
Papers:  
I : 250 marks  
II : 250 marks**



**Choose 1 optional  
out of 26 subjects**

# **Stage-III: Personality Test (275 Marks)**

**Fill DAF-2 before PT**

**Final Result is based on**

**Marks of Stage-II + Marks of Stage-III**

# CSE 2022 & 2021 Cut-off Marks

	Prelims (out of 200)		Mains (out of 1750)		Final (out of 2025)	
Category	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021
GEN	88.22	87.54	748	745	960	953
EWS	82.83	80.14	715	713	926	916
OBC	87.54	84.85	714	707	923	910
SC	74.08	75.41	699	700	893	886
ST	69.35	70.71	706	700	900	883

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