

RBI Grade-B 2018

Exam Pattern &
Detailed Syllabus

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RBI Grade-B 2018 Exam Dates

Event	2018 Exam Date
Notification	28th June 2018
Last date for registration (General)	23rd July 2018
Last date for registration (DEPR & DSIM)	23rd July 2018
Prelims Exam Date (General)	16th August 2018
Mains Exam Date (General)	7th September 2018
DEPR Paper-I Exam Date	August 2018
DEPR Paper-II Exam Date	September 2018
DSIM Paper-I Exam Date	August 2018
DSIM Paper-II Exam Date	September 2018

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RBI Grade-B Prelims (Phase-I) Exam pattern

- Objective Based Online exam – 2 hours
- Negative marks – 0.25 marks
- No Sectional Time limit
- Sectional & Total Cutoff
- Qualifying in nature (Prelims marks are not considered for final selection)

S.No	Subject	No. of Questions
1	General Awareness	80
2	English Language	30
3	Quantitative Aptitude	30
4	Reasoning Ability	60
Total		200 Questions

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RBI Grade-B Prelims English Syllabus

- Vocabulary
- Reading comprehension
- Cloze test
- Grammar
- Spotting errors/spellings
- Sentence Correction
- Synonyms/ Homonyms/Antonyms
- Odd sentence out
- Para jumbles and Para completion
- One word Substitution and double fillers
- Fill in the Blanks
- Miscellaneous

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RBI Grade-B Prelims – English Topic Weightage

Topic	No. of Questions
Reading Comprehension	8-10
Cloze test	7-10
Fill in the Blanks	5
Para jumbles & Completion	5
Error Spotting / Correction	5

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RBI Grade-B Prelims Reasoning Syllabus

- Inequalities
- Ranking/ordering Test
- Alphanumeric series
- Number Series
- Critical Thinking
- Coding and decoding
- Logical reasoning
- Einstein's Puzzle
- Input-Output
- Blood relations
- Syllogisms
- Directions
- Grouping/arrangement
- Analogy
- Venn Diagrams
- Seating Arrangement
- Verbal Reasoning
- Coded Inequalities
- Data Sufficiency

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RBI Grade-B 2018 Reasoning Topic wise syllabus

Topic	Qs	Topic	Q.s
Number Series/Alphabet test	5	Arrangement	5-10
Coding / Decoding	5	Puzzles	5-10
Syllogism	5	Input & Output	5
Inequalities	5	Data Sufficiency	5
Ranking test	1-3	Verbal Reasoning	10
Blood relationship	2		
Directions	2		

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RBI Grade-B Prelims Quantitative Ability Syllabus

- Number System
- Ratio and Proportion
- Percentages
- Averages
- Simple and Compound Interest
- Profit, loss and Discount
- Partnership
- Mixture and Allegation
- Time, Distance and Work
- Mensuration
- Data Interpretation
- Permutation and Combination
- Probability
- Simplification & approximation
- Data Sufficiency

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RBI Grade-B Quant Topic wise syllabus

Topic	Qs	Topic	Q.s
Number System	5	Simple & Compound Interest	1-2
Data Sufficiency	3-5	Probability	1-2
Ratio & Proportion	2-3	Averages & Mixtures	1-2
Time, Speed, Distance	1-2	Profit & Loss	1-2
Geometry	1-2	Percentages	2-3
Data Interpretation	10	Algebra	0-3

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RBI Grade-B Prelims General Awareness Syllabus

- National & International Current Affairs
- Banking & Financial Awareness
- Banking Terms & Definitions
- Economy news
- Static General Awareness (GK)
- National Institutions
- Monetary Plans

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RBI Grade-B Mains exam pattern (Phase-II)

- The candidate has to attempt all the papers
- All the papers will be conducted on same day (though in different shifts)
- Paper-I and Paper-III are bilingual (English/Hindi)
- Cutoff in each paper and overall cutoff

S.No	Test	Type of Test	Max. Marks	Time Limit
1	Paper-I Economic & Social Awareness	Objective Test	100	90 min.
2	Paper-II English (Writing skills)	Descriptive Test	100	90 min.
3	Finance & Management	Objective Test	100	90 min.

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RBI Grade-B Phase-II Economic & Social Awareness Syllabus

Growth and Development - Measurement of growth: National Income and per capita income – Poverty Alleviation and Employment Generation in India – Sustainable Development and Environmental issues.

Economic Reforms in India – Industrial and Labour Policy – Monetary and Fiscal Policy – Privatization – Role of Economic Planning.

Globalization – Opening up of the Indian Economy – Balance of Payments, Export-Import Policy – International Economic Institutions – IMF and World Bank – WTO – Regional Economic Cooperation.

Social Structure in India – Multiculturalism – Demographic Trends – Urbanization and Migration – Gender Issues – Social Justice : Positive Discrimination in favor of the under privileged – Social Movements – Indian Political System – Human Development – Social Sectors in India, Health and Education.

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RBI Grade-B Phase-II Finance & Management Syllabus

Financial System

1. Regulators of Banks and Financial Institutions
2. Reserve Bank of India- functions and conduct of monetary policy, Banking System in India, Financial Institutions – SIDBI, EXIM, NABARD, NHB, etc.

Financial Markets

Primary and Secondary Markets (Forex, Money, Bond, Equity, etc.), functions, instruments, recent developments.

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RBI Grade-B Phase-II Finance & Management Syllabus

General Topics

- 1 Risk Management in Banking Sector
2. Basics of Derivatives: Forward, Futures and Swap
3. Changing Landscape of Banking sector
4. Recent Developments in the Financial Sector, Portfolio Investment, Public Sector Reforms, Disinvestments
5. Financial Inclusion- use of technology
6. Alternate source of finance, private and social cost-benefit, Public Private Partnership
7. Corporate Governance in Banking Sector, role of e-governance in addressing the issues of corruption and inefficiency in the government sector.
8. The Union Budget – Direct and Indirect taxes; Non-tax sources of Revenue, GST, Thirteenth Finance Commission and GST, Finance Commission, Fiscal Policy, Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act (FRBM), 9. Inflation: Definition, trends, estimates, consequences, and remedies (control): WPI, CPI - components and trends.

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Management Syllabus

Management: its nature and scope; The Management Processes; Planning, Organisation, Staffing, Directing and Controlling; The Role of a Manager in an Organisation.

Leadership: The Tasks of a Leader; Leadership Styles; Leadership Theories; A successful Leader versus an effective Leader.

Human Resource Development: Concept of HRD; Goals of HRD; Performance Appraisal – Potential appraisal and development – Feedback and Performance Counselling – Career Planning – Training and Development – Rewards – Employee Welfare.

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Motivation, Morale and Incentives: Theories of Motivation; How Managers Motivate; Concept of Morale; Factors determining morale; Role of Incentives in Building up Morale.

Communication: Steps in the Communication Process; Communication Channels; Oral versus Written Communication; Verbal versus non-verbal Communication; upward, downward and lateral communication; Barriers to Communication, Role of Information Technology.

Corporate Governance: Factors affecting Corporate Governance; Mechanisms of Corporate Governance.

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For Candidates who have opted for papers having Statistics or Economics

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The Phase-III is interview for 50 marks. The Questions can be on basic banking, why you wanted to join RBI, About yourself and your profile.

Read important articles from The Hindu from January 2018 related to banking

Scoring 240/300 (average 80) in all three papers increases chances of selection

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