



HIMACHAL PARDESH JUDICIAL SERVICES EXAMINATION

SELECTION PROCESS:

1. Preliminary Examination (Objective Type)
2. Written Main Examination (Subjective Type)
3. Viva-Voice (Personal Interview)

Exam Pattern: The Exam Pattern will be as follows:

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

- It will consist of Objective Type Questions
- The examination consisting of the following three papers of 100 Marks each:-
 1. Civil Law-I
 2. Civil Law-II
 3. 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 EXAMINATION

- Main Written Exam consists of 5 papers.
- Duration of each paper will be for 3 hours.



PAPER- I Civil Law-I: (total marks 200)

- Code of Civil Procedure.
- Indian Evidence Act,
- Indian Stamp Act,
- Himachal Pradesh Courts Act, 1976
- Specific Relief Act. 200Marks

PAPER-ii Civil Law-ii: (total marks 200)

- Indian Contract Act, • Hindu Law,
- Indian Limitation Act,
- Transfer of Property Act
- H.P. Urban Rent Control Act. 200Marks

PAPER-iii Criminal Law (totalmarks200)

- Indian Penal Code,
- Criminal Procedure Code,
- Negotiable Instruments Act, Chapter-XVII (section 138 to 143
- HP Excise Act-2011 as Applicable to the State of HP,
- Wild Life Protection Act
- Indian Forest Act



PAPER-IV English Composition: (TOTAL MARKS 200) Choice from three Essays on General Subjects.

- Essay: 100 Marks Translation of Hindi Passage into English: 50 Marks (The standard for the English paper shall be that of graduation examination of Himachal Pradesh University.)

PAPER-V Language (Hindi) (TOTAL MARKS100)

- Hindi (Devnagri Script) No books prescribed. 100 marks The paper of Hindi will comprise of the following:-
 - Translation of English passage into Hindi- 30 Marks.
 - Essay in Hindi on any topic out of three. – 50 Marks.
 - Composition (Idioms and Corrections etc.) – 20Marks.

VIVA-VOICE (INTERVIEW)-150 MARKS

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 voice will be added to the marks obtained in the Main written examination for purpose of selection of the candidate

