

THE CIVIL SERVICES EXAMINATION, 2009

The Civil Services Examination (CSE) is conducted every year by the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) as a common examination for recruitment to various services like the Indian Administrative Service, Indian Foreign Service and Indian Police Service, as well as Group A and Group B Central Services. The notification for the examination, (giving rules and the syllabus for all subjects included in the exam) is published in the month of **November/December** every year in **Employment News/Rozgar Samachar** and Gazette of India as well as in some Newspapers. All students are advised to get a copy of this notification from the Employment News or other publications.

The Civil Services Examination will consist of

- a. Civil Services Preliminary Examination (Objective Type) for the selection of candidates to the Main Examination
- b. Civil Services Main Examination (Written) and
- c. A Final Interview for those who pass the Main Exam.

SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

I. Preliminary

The Preliminary Examination is usually held by the UPSC on a **Sunday** in the **latter half of May** every year. The exact date will be published in the Notification.

The Preliminary Exam will have two papers of Objective (Multiple Choice) type questions and carries a maximum of 450 marks. Paper I (General Studies) - will carry 150 marks and Paper II (one subject to be selected from the prescribed list of optional subjects) carries 300 marks.

Each paper will be of two hours duration. The course content of the syllabi for the optional subjects will be of the degree level.

Negative Marking: *

The UPSC has introduced negative marking for wrong answers in objective type of question papers from CSE 2007. The relevant clauses governing negative marking are given below for guidance.

- i) There will be a penalty (negative marking) for wrong answers marked by a candidate in the objective type of question papers. For each question for which a wrong answer has been given, 1/3rd of the marks assigned to that question will be deducted as a penalty.
- ii) If a candidate gives more than one answer, it will be treated as a wrong answer even if one of the given answers happens to be correct and there will be same penalty as above for that question.
- iii) If a question is left blank i.e. no answer is given by the candidate, there will be no penalty for that question.

The Examination Centres for the Preliminary Examination are: Agartala, Ahmedabad, Aizawl, Aligarh, Allahabad, Aurangabad, Bangalore, Bareilly, Bhopal, Chandigarh, Chennai, Cuttack, Dehradun, Delhi, Dharwar, Dispur (Guwahati), Gangtok, Hyderabad, Imphal, Itanagar, Jaipur, Jammu, Jodhpur, Jorhat, Kochi, Kohima, Kolkata, Lucknow, Madurai, Mumbai, Nagpur, Panaji (Goa), Patna, Pondicherry, Port Blair, Raipur, Ranchi, Sambalpur, Shillong, Shimla, Srinagar, Tirupati, Thiruvananthapuram, Udaipur and Vishakhapatnam.*

II. Main Examination

Only those who are declared by the Commission to have qualified in the Preliminary Examination in a year, are eligible for admission to the Main Examination of that year, provided they are otherwise eligible for admission to the Main Examination.

* UPSC Notification of CSE 2007

The number of candidates admitted to the Main Examination is generally about 14 to 15 times the total approximate number of vacancies to be filled that year in the various services and posts.

The written part of the Main Examination is usually conducted in **October/November** every year spread over a period of 3 weeks and consists of **9 papers**, as detailed below, of the conventional essay-type questions, in the subjects prescribed by the Commission.

The Main Examination is intended to assess the overall intellectual traits and the depth of understanding of the candidates, rather than merely the range of their information and memory. Sufficient choice of questions will be allowed in the question papers.

The question papers (III to IX) will be set both in Hindi and English.

The Level of Optional Subject Papers

Two subjects are to be selected from the prescribed list of optional subjects. The papers are broadly of the Honours degree level, i.e. a level higher than the Bachelor's degree and lower than the Master's degree. In Engineering, Law and Medical Sciences, the level corresponds to the Bachelor's degree.

Pattern of the Main Examination

The written examination will consist of the following papers:

Compulsory

Paper I One of the Indian Languages* 300 marks

Paper II English 300 marks

Papers I and II are of a **qualifying nature** only. The marks obtained in them will not count for ranking purposes.

Paper III Essay 200 marks

Papers IV & V General Studies - (Papers I & II) 300 marks each

Optional Subjects - (2 Subjects)

Papers VI & VII	Optional I (Papers I & II)	300 marks each
Papers VIII & IX	Optional II (Papers I & II)	300 marks each
Grand Total (Papers III to IX)		2000 marks

Note:

- i. The aim of Papers I and II is to test the candidate's ability to read and understand serious discursive prose and to express his/her ideas clearly and correctly in English/the Indian language concerned. These papers will be of the Matriculation level and of the qualifying nature; the marks obtained in these papers will not be counted for ranking.
- ii. Paper I (Indian Language) will not, however, be compulsory for candidates hailing from the North Eastern States of Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram and Nagaland or the State of Sikkim.
- iii. Candidates have the option to answer Papers III to IX in English or in one of the Indian languages as per Schedule VIII of the Constitution of India.*

III. Interview

The number of candidates who pass the Main Exam and are called for the Interview is usually more than twice the number of likely vacancies. A total of 300 marks is allotted for the Interview.

Final Ranking

The total marks obtained in the Main Examination - both written and interview - will determine the candidate's rank in the final selection.

* Indian Languages as per Schedule VIII of the Constitution of India: *Assamese, Bengali, Bodo (Devanagari), Dogri (Devanagari), Maithili (Devanagari), Santali (Devanagari or olchiki) Gujarati, Hindi, Kannada, Kashmiri, Konkani, Malayalam, Manipuri, Marathi, Nepali, Oriya, Punjabi, Sanskrit, Sindhi (Devanagari or Arabic Script), Tamil, Telugu, Urdu.*

Eligibility Conditions*

i. Nationality:

- (1) For the Indian Administrative Service and the Indian Police Service, the candidate must be a citizen of India.
- (2) For other Services a candidate, subject to certain conditions, must be either
 - (a) a citizen of India **or**
 - (b) a subject of Nepal **or**
 - (c) a subject of Bhutan **or**
 - (d) a Tibetan refugee satisfying certain conditions **or**
 - (e) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Myanmar, Sri Lanka or some specified East African countries and Vietnam with the intention of permanently settling in India.

ii. Age:

A candidate for CSE 2009 must have attained the age of **21 years** and must not have attained the age of **30 years** on **1st August, 2009 i.e. he/she must have been born not earlier than 2nd August, 1979 and not later than 1st August, 1988**. The upper age limit will be relaxable by 5 years for Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe candidates, by 3 years for candidates of OBC and by various periods for certain other categories.

- iii. Qualification:** A candidate must hold a degree from any Indian University or other educational institution deemed as a University or possess an equivalent qualification (there is no restriction on the basis of marks, class or duration of the course.)

A candidate who is in the final year of his/her degree course can apply for and appear in the Prelim Examination. However, he/she

** Based on the Notification for CSE 2007.*

should submit proof of his/her qualification while applying in the month of July/August 2009 for the Main Examination, if selected.

- iv. **Number of Attempts:** A candidate is allowed **four attempts** only, subject to the age limits. Appearance in any one of the two papers of the Prelim Examination will be considered as an attempt. Submission of Prelim application to UPSC and receipt of the Hall Ticket will not be treated as an attempt if the candidate does not appear at all in either paper. **An OBC candidate is allowed a maximum of seven attempts** subject to the age limit with relaxation. There is **no ceiling** on the number of **attempts** for a candidate belonging to **Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe**, subject to the **age limit** with relaxation.
- v. **Reservation:** Reservation will be made for candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Physically disabled categories in respect of vacancies as may be fixed by the Government from time to time.

Admission Fee for UPSC Prelim Examination*

A candidate seeking admission to the Preliminary Examination must pay the prescribed fee (currently Rs.50) to the UPSC (candidates from Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes are not required to pay any fee). Payment must be made by affixing a single Central Recruitment Fee Stamp on the standard Application Form.

Application for Prelim Examination

The Application should be submitted for the Preliminary Examination only. The application forms are **not** supplied by the UPSC, but will be available at all designated Head Post Offices/Post Offices on a cash payment of Rs.20/-. The relevant examination rules and Notice will be published in the Employment News and an abridged version published

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in leading daily newspapers. Central Recruitment Fee (CRF) stamps of Rs.50/- and Rs.100/- denomination specially designed for optical scanning are available at designated HPOs/POs. Candidates are advised not to use any photo copies/unauthorised printed copies of the form which are likely to be rejected. **Candidates should go through the instructions given in the Application Form carefully and fill the Application Form in the correct manner so that it does not get rejected.**

Application for the Main Examination

Candidates who have appeared in the Prelim Examination and who are declared by the UPSC to have qualified for admission to the Main Examination, must apply again for the Main Exam, in the detailed application form which will be sent to them by the UPSC, along with the prescribed fee (currently Rs.100/-) in the form of Central Recruitment Fee Stamp.

Last Date of Application

The completed Application Form must reach the **Secretary, Union Public Service Commission, Dholpur House, New Delhi 110 069**, by Registered Post or by personal delivery at the counter, on or before the due date. Candidates are advised not to wait till the last date but submit their applications at the earliest so that it reaches the UPSC in time. If the Admit Card for the Prelim Examination is not received, the Facilitation Counter of UPSC should be contacted for information and help. The Commission's website can also be accessed at **www.upsc.gov.in**

The completed Application Form for the Prelim Exam, together with the enclosures must be sent to the UPSC, New Delhi.

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND THE FORM TO
BRILLIANT TUTORIALS PVT. LTD., CHENNAI**

Syllabus and Other Details

The notification and syllabus for CSE 2009 will be released by the UPSC in December 2008 in Employment News and Rozgar Samachar. Candidates are advised to see the Press advertisement and obtain Employment News/Rozgar Samachar from News Agents or by remitting Rs. 10/- by MO/IPO to one of the addresses given below:

1. M/s. Pandey News Agency, Distributor, Employment News, Behind: Gulab Bhawan, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi -110 002
2. M/s. Southern News Mart, 46-C, E.V.K.Sampath Road, Chennai - 600 007.

It is the student's responsibility to ensure compliance with all requirements of the UPSC for application to write the CSE.

The results of the Prelim Exam will likely announced around the first week of August 2009 and that of the Main Exam in the third week of March 2010. The results are normally available with the local Press Information Bureau, on the UPSC website and/or through Employment News.

STATE PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

State Public Service Commissions hold examinations for recruitment to State-level Administrative posts of Group I etc., as and when required. The syllabus and pattern for these examinations are more or less the same as those for the Civil Services Examination. Our study material would, therefore, be generally useful for the preparation of the State Services Examinations. Although our course is targeted specifically only towards the Civil Services Exams, candidates wanting to write the State Public Service Exam, may on their own volition, opt to use our study material by enrolling under our CSE Enrolment.

**BRILLIANT'S "TOTAL STRATEGY"
SUPPORT PROGRAMME
FOR
CIVIL SERVICES EXAMINATION, 2009**

The Civil Services which constitutes all the departments running the Administration are the back bone of any Government machinery. A desire to serve the country as well as the power that come with these jobs is a definite reason to take the examination. But the long drawn out exam process, which tests both intensive as well as extensive knowledge, needs special preparation and a focused approach.

Brilliant's 'Total Strategy' Package for CSE candidates consists of concurrent courses for the Prelim and Main Exams. Our package provides for General Studies and one Optional for Prelim and General Studies and two Optionals for Main as per the UPSC Scheme of Examination. Requests for additional Optionals for the Prelim and/or Main will not be entertained.

Medium of Instruction

The course material is in the English medium and only students who can follow our lessons in the English medium should apply for enrolment.

Course Material for the Preliminary Exam

The course material for the Preliminary (General Studies and Optional) will be in the form of short notes on all topics prescribed under the syllabus. An exhaustive Sectional Test Paper/Question Bank consisting of a variety of Multiple Choice Questions based on the pattern of the Prelim Exam is also included in each Set. It is essential that students practise these Tests and the Question Bank under examination conditions in order to develop the skill necessary - speed with accuracy - in answering such questions in the Prelim Exam.

The study materials will comprise of eight sets each in General Studies and the Optional subject; despatch will commence in April 2008 and be completed by February, 2009.

A select Bibliography of additional source material is also included for the student's reference.

The most recent three years' CSE Prelim Question Papers with answers will be provided. Further, students will be sent, close to the time of the Prelim exam, a number of Model Test Papers further enhance to their preparedness before the exam.

Course Material for the Main Exam

The course materials for General Studies and Optionals will contain a thorough treatment of the topics given in the syllabus in the form of notes, short and long essays. Questions from previous years' CSE Question Papers will be indicated under each topic. Further, an assignment will also be given in each set. It is essential that students answer these assignments on their own and send the answers to us, for evaluation and return by our Professors along with their suggestions. A select bibliography will be given for the students' reference for additional source materials.

The study materials will be in **twelve sets** each in General Studies and the two optional subjects and will be despatched at regular intervals to be completed by August, 2009.

The study materials for Essay and Compulsory English will have an approach paper, adequate exercises for improving the art of writing English, and model essays.

The most recent three years' CSE Main Exam Question Papers with their answers will be provided as additional guidance for students. One Model Test Paper with answers will also be sent as a final boost to the student's preparation.

We **do not offer** support for Paper I - Indian Language, for optionals Medical Sciences, Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science, Civil Engineering, Geology, Law, Statistics and Literature (other than English).

Current Affairs and Backgrounders

A "**Current Affairs**" booklet with short essays discussing in-depth important national and international events of the month, and a **Calendar of Events** with a short description of the events of the month will be sent every month. Students enrolled in our course for CSE 2009 will receive 24 such issues, from April 2008 to March 2010.

Two **Backgrounders** presenting select issues in Current Affairs in proper perspective will also be sent; the first in June 2009 and the second in August 2009.

Interview Support

To help candidates get an idea of what to expect at the Interview, topics relating to personality and bearing will be dealt with in special counselling despatches after the completion of the Main examination; these will be mailed between January and March 2010 to all candidates who qualify for the Main examination. For this purpose, students **must** send us their **UPSC Roll Numbers** and the results of the Prelim Exam **without fail**.

Doubt Letter Scheme

Our lines of communication between the teacher and the taught are always open. The student should send us his/her questions in writing with his/her solutions/answers in the prescribed format and indicate the working steps. Doubts must be restricted to 5 per letter and be within the examination syllabus. Specific references to the Subject, Set, Page and Question Number **must** also be given. Questions in different subjects should be on separate sheets of papers.

It will be our Professors' endeavour to satisfy students about relevant and difficult questions and genuine doubts that arise within the syllabus in the course of their preparation with our study material.

The student is expected to put in special efforts to find the solution by himself/herself before writing to us. **Doubt Letters will cease to be answered two months before the examination.**

COURSE DURATIONS

We offer:

- * **An 18-month** stream commencing April 2008 and concluding September 2009. Enrolment closes on June 30, 2008.
- * **A 15-month** stream commencing July 2008 and concluding September 2009. Enrolment closes on September 30, 2008.

* **A 12-month** stream commencing October 2008 and concluding September 2009. Enrolment closes on December 31, 2008.

* **A 9-month** stream commencing January 2009 and concluding September 2009. Enrolment closes on March 15, 2009.

The streams vary only in duration. All four have identical study material - the shorter duration streams are not abridged courses.

It will be to the student's advantage to opt for the longer stream in order to have the maximum amount of time for study, preparation and revision.

SUBJECTS OFFERED

We will offer the following Optional subjects for the 2009 Civil Services Examination:

PRELIMINARY

Agriculture	Geography	Political Science
Botany	Indian History	Psychology
Chemistry	Mathematics	Public Administration
Commerce	Mechanical Engg.	Sociology
Economics	Philosophy	Zoology
Electrical Engg.	Physics	

Note: Anthropology, Management and Literature are **not** included in the list of Prelim Optionals of the UPSC.

MAIN

Agriculture	Geography	Philosophy
Anthropology	History	Physics
Botany	Literature	Political Science &
Chemistry	(English Only)	International Relations
Commerce &	Management	Psychology
Accountancy	Mathematics	Public Administration
Economics	Mechanical Engg	Sociology
Electrical Engg.		Zoology

We **do not** offer material for

- (i) Medical Science, Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science, Civil Engineering, Geology, Law, Statistics for the Prelim Examination **or**
- (ii) Indian Language (Paper I), Literature in languages other than English or Medical Science, Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science, Civil Engineering, Geology, Law, Statistics for the Main Examination.

Note: The following combinations of Main Optionals are NOT Permitted by the U.P.S.C. for the Civil Services Examination:

1. Agriculture and Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science
2. Anthropology and Sociology
3. Commerce & Accountancy and Management
4. Management and Public Administration
5. Mathematics and Statistics
6. Political Science & International Relations and Public Administration
7. Any two Engineering subjects (Civil/Mechanical/Electrical)
8. Medical Science and Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science

Choice of Optional Subjects

Students are advised to devote considerable thought and care to their choice of Optional subjects for the Prelim and Main exams since this is an important decision for success. We provide the following guidelines to help students make this crucial decision:

- (i) The student must remember that the standard in the Prelim exam is of the Degree level and for the Main exam is of the Honours level. The student will, therefore, need to acquire these respective standards in the chosen subjects in order to compete with those who have studied these subjects at the Graduate or Post Graduate level.
- (ii) It would, therefore, be advisable to choose subjects with which the student is already familiar to a large extent, having studied it at the Graduate/PG level. It would also be wise to choose the same subject for both Prelim and one Main, so that the number of subjects to be studied can be minimised.

- (iii) Do not be carried away by the impression that some subjects are easier to score in than others. Performance depends upon the level of individual proficiency in the subject.
- (iv) Students with an Engineering background often choose Mathematics or Physics as an Optional, depending on how strong they are in those subjects.
- (v) A non-engineering student should avoid the Engineering Subjects - Civil, Mechanical or Electrical, unless he/she has at least a diploma in that subject. Similarly, if a student has not qualified in Law, either as a graduate or undergraduate, it would be advisable not to choose Law as an Optional for either the Prelim or Main Exam.
- (vi) Finally, the time available to the student and how quickly he or she can come up to the level required for the Civil Service Exam should also play a major role in the choice of Optional subjects.

After the student has started his/her preparation, any change in subject, mid-stream, will involve an additional charge and will also considerably upset the student's schedule of preparation. It is, therefore, best avoided.

Normally we will not accept any change in Optionals after enrolment. It is imperative, therefore, that the student exercises utmost care in selecting up the Optionals at the time of enrolment. However, in exceptional cases, where a change of Optional is unavoidable, such requests for change must be received by us in writing preferably within a month from the date of enrolment. Each such request will be considered with a view to assisting the student to the best extent possible and the student will be advised of the additional charge involved. **Payment must be received within two weeks**, failing which it will be presumed that the student is no longer interested in the change and the despatch of study materials in the existing Optionals will be resumed. Along with the payment, the Student should also return the Admit Card, which will be returned after recording the change of Optional. We, however, reserve the right not to effect any change in the Optional. Return of course material will not be accepted under any circumstances in lieu of the fee for effecting the change.

Since we believe that any subject requires at least **6 to 8 months of in-depth study**, a change in Optional for the **Prelim exam will not be allowed after January** 2009 Similarly, change of Optionals for the **Main exam** will not be allowed **after May** 2009.

ENROLMENT

This is an **integrated course** of support for the Prelim and Main examinations as well as for the Interview. The Civil Services Examination being highly competitive, preparation for Prelim and Main examinations must be concurrent. This also gives the student wider exposure and knowledge even for the Prelim examination; the objective pattern of Prelim questions calls for in-depth knowledge and a good grasp of the fundamentals in the subject.

The Civil Services Examination is a three-stage process - Prelim, Main and the Interview - in which a candidate has to exclusively and successively qualify at each stage. It is, therefore, advisable that one should plan for an integrated preparation to cover both Prelim and Main.

FEES

The fee for the course is **Rs. 12,550/-** + Service Tax Rs. 1551/-. **Total Rs. 14,101/-** to be paid in full at the time of enrolment.

Note:

For students offering:

- a. Medical Science, Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science, Civil Engineering, Geology, Law, Statistics as a Prelim Optional: **Fee: Rs. 11,890/-** + Service Tax Rs. 1470/-. **Total: Rs. 13,360/-**
- b. Medical Science, Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science, Civil Engineering, Geology, Law, Statistics as an Optional for both Prelim and Main Exams: **Fee: Rs. 10,230/-** + Service Tax Rs. 1264/-. **Total: Rs. 11,494/-**
- c. Medical Science, Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Science, Civil Engineering, Geology, Law, Statistics or Literature (other than English) as one Main Optional: **Fee: Rs. 11,290/-** + Service Tax Rs. 1395/-. **Total: Rs. 12,685/-**

Fees, once paid, will not be refunded or adjusted under any circumstances.

The Second Attempt

Reenrolment for CSE 2010 will open in August 2009. Students wishing to reenrol for CSE 2010 for a second subsequent attempt with or without a change of Prelim or Main optional should write to us for the Reenrolment Prospectus and Form after the results of Prelim 2009 have been announced.

The material for the new Optional(s) will be sent in line with the schedule of despatch to our regular CSE 2010 students, while students who re-enrol without a change in any Optional will receive the first despatch in April 2010.

Course material sent for the first attempt should be preserved carefully. Requests for duplicate copies of study material will not be entertained at any point of time.

The despatch of study material for changed Optionals will commence soon after re-enrolment.

SUPPORT FOR REPEAT ATTEMPT (CSE 2010)

The general support will comprise:

- i. Current Affairs of **April 2010** to **March 2011** together with monthly resume of Calendar of Events.
- ii. Answers to Doubt Letters received from students relating to the syllabus and materials despatched.
- iii. Evaluation of assignments received.

For Prelim

- i. The previous year's (CSE, 2009) question papers with answers.
- ii. A Model Test Paper with answers.

For Main

- i. Supplement in General Studies dealing with the latest developments.
- ii. A Model Test Paper with answers in compulsory English, Essays, General Studies and the Optionals that we support.
- iii. Civil Services (Main) Exam question papers for 2009 with answers.
- iv. Interview support for those who qualify for the Main Exam, 2010.

Note: If the syllabus for the Optional chosen by the student is changed by the UPSC for the year of the repeat attempt, the student will be charged for study material as per the new syllabus. Provision of study material as per the revised syllabus is **NOT** included in the General Support.

Our former students who wish to re-enrol for CSE-2009 after a gap of a few years are also welcome to write to us for a re-enrolment form which will be available from August, 2008. These students are strongly advised to take General Support so that they will get Current Affairs/Current Events in order to get updated in general knowledge as well as the Interview Support provided they clear the Prelim Exam.

PROCEDURE FOR ENROLMENT

The student should send us:

1. The Enrolment Form, completely filled in and signed on both sides, with a passport size photograph glued to the Enrolment Form on the allotted space.

Note: Enrolment Forms without photographs will not be accepted.

2. Two additional signed copies of the (preferably colour) photograph with the Enrolment Form. One photograph will be affixed to the Admit Card sent to the student on enrolment. The Admit Card **MUST** be produced for admission to the Mock Interview Programmes.

Note: The Manager of the Mock Interview reserves the right to refuse admission to any student who does not produce the original Admit Card.

3. **Fee Remittance:** The fee for the course should be remitted in full, either by Money Order or Demand Draft, drawn in favour of **BRILLIANT TUTORIALS PVT. LTD.**, payable at **CHENNAI**.

**** Remittance by Money Order:** The course for which the M.O. is being sent, as well as the student's full postal address should be indicated in the coupon.

The fee can also be paid in cash in our office.

Fees once paid will not be refunded or adjusted under any circumstances.

Students resident outside India should follow the remittance instructions given on the Enrolment Form they receive.

Note: When calling to enquire about the status of the application, please have the following information ready:

- A copy of the application form
- DD Number and Date (If Money Order, then MO Receipt Number and Date)
- Issuing Bank / Post Office
- Mode of Despatch of application (Courier, Registered Post, Speed Post, Ordinary Post)
- Date of Despatch

Please wait for at least 15 days from the date of despatch before calling.

**RILLIANT'S PRIZE SCHEME
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BRILLIANT TUTORIALS has great pleasure in announcing the following Prize Scheme for our students writing the Civil Services Examination in 2009.

Brilliant's students, enrolled in any of our courses towards the Civil Services Examination, winning the **ALL INDIA**

First Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs.2,00,000
Second Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs.1,00,000
Third Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs. 50,000
Fourth Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs. 40,000
Fifth Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs. 30,000
Sixth Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs. 25,000
Seventh Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs. 20,000
Eighth Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs. 15,000
Ninth Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs. 10,000
Tenth Rank	will receive a Cash Prize of	Rs. 5,000
11th to the 100th Rank		Rs. 4,000 each
Rank 101 and above	declared in the final list	Rs. 2,000 each

The above Prize Scheme is applicable only to the All India Ranks.

The prize amount will be paid in Indian Rupees.

In case of a tie, the prize money will be evenly divided.

In all cases, the decision of the Management of **Brilliant Tutorials Pvt. Ltd.**, shall be final.

REQUESTS FOR CHANGE OF ADDRESS ETC.

Normally we do not accept any advice for stoppage of despatch of study material. Change of address, or, in exceptional cases, stoppage or resumption of despatch etc. will be implemented only if requested by a letter signed by the student. A photocopy of the Admit Card (with the photograph visible) must be enclosed with the letter. Telephone requests will not be honoured unless confirmed in writing.

This policy is designed to prevent fraud and to safeguard the interests of our genuine students.

Please allow 15 days from the date of receipt, for implementation of the change

All matters are subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in Chennai only.