

EXAM SYLLABUS

DSSSB MTS Syllabus 2026 and Exam Pattern

5 subjects · 69 topics · 120 min · 200 marks

DSSSB MTS Syllabus 2026: Download PDF for General Awareness, Reasoning, Numerical Ability, English & Hindi. Know exam pattern, marking scheme & important topics.

WHAT TO STUDY FIRST

Begin your preparation with General Awareness and Arithmetic & Numerical Ability, as these sections often carry significant weightage and foundational concepts. After solidifying these, move on to General Intelligence & Reasoning and the Language sections (Hindi & English). Thoroughly analyze the syllabus and exam pattern to prioritize topics with higher importance. Regular practice with mock tests and previous year's papers is crucial for success.

EXAM PATTERN

120 min · 200 questions · 200 marks · MCQ / Objective

One Tier Examination (Computer-Based Test)

Marking: +1 mark for each correct answer; -0.25 marks for each incorrect answer.

Negative: Yes, 0.25 marks are deducted for each incorrect answer.

General Intelligence & Reasoning Ability

40 Q · 40 marks · 120 min

MCQ

Arithmetic & Numerical Ability

40 Q · 40 marks · 120 min

MCQ

Test of Hindi Language & Comprehension

40 Q · 40 marks · 120 min

MCQ

Test of English Language & Comprehension

40 Q · 40 marks · 120 min

MCQ

General Awareness

40 Q · 40 marks · 120 min

MCQ

- The exam is a Computer-Based Test (CBT) with Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ).
- The examination is conducted in bilingual mode (Hindi and English), except for language-specific sections.
- There is a negative marking scheme in place.
- A Skill Test/Typing Test may be conducted as per job requirements for specific posts.

SUBJECT-WISE SYLLABUS

01 General Awareness

10 topics · Approx. 20-25%

RECOMMENDED BOOKS

— Lucent's General Knowledge

— NCERT Books (History, Geography, Polity, Science)

- 1 History
- 2 Geography
- 3 Polity
- 4 Economics
- 5 Indian Constitution
- 6 Sports
- 7 Art and Culture
- 8 National/International Organizations/Institutions
- 9 Scientific Research
- 10 Everyday Science

02 General Intelligence & Reasoning Ability

16 topics · Approx. 20-25%

RECOMMENDED BOOKS

— A Modern Approach to Verbal & Non-Verbal Reasoning by R.S. Aggarwal

— Analytical Reasoning by M.K. Pandey

- 1 Problem-solving
- 2 Analysis
- 3 Judgements
- 4 Analogies
- 5 Similarities
- 6 Differences
- 7 Space visualisation
- 8 Discrimination
- 9 Observation
- 10 Decision making
- 11 Visual memory
- 12 Arithmetical reasoning
- 13 Verbal and figure classification
- 14 Relationship
- 15 Concepts
- 16 Arithmetical number series

03 Arithmetic & Numerical Ability

17 topics · Approx. 20-25%

RECOMMENDED BOOKS

— Quantitative Aptitude for Competitive Examinations by R.S. Aggarwal

— Magical Book on Quicker Maths by M. Tyra

- 1 LCM and HCF
- 2 Ratio and Proportion
- 3 Number System
- 4 Simplification
- 5 Discount
- 6 Simple Interest
- 7 Decimals
- 8 Fractions
- 9 Percentage
- 10 Average
- 11 Profit and loss
- 12 Mensuration
- 13 Time and Work
- 14 Time and Distance
- 15 Compound Interest
- 16 Tables and Graphs
- 17 Data Interpretation

04 English Language

15 topics · Approx. 10-15%

RECOMMENDED BOOKS

— Objective General English by S.P. Bakshi

— High School English Grammar and Composition by Wren & Martin

- 1 Synonyms
- 2 Grammar
- 3 Antonyms
- 4 Tenses
- 5 Subject-Verb Agreement
- 6 Comprehension
- 7 Vocabulary
- 8 Sentence rearrangement
- 9 Idioms and phrases

- 10 Verbs
- 11 Articles
- 12 Fill in the blanks
- 13 Adverb
- 14 Unseen Passages
- 15 Error correction

05 Hindi Language

11 topics · Approx. 10-15%

RECOMMENDED BOOKS

— Samanya Hindi by Lucent's

— Adhunik Vyakaran aur Rachna by Arihant

- 1 * 0 M / > / 5 > @ (Synonyms)
- 2 8 . > 8 (Compound Words)
- 3 (G > 0 M % @ 5 > M / (Homonyms)
- 4 2 ? (Gender)
- 5 5 ((Number)
- 6 2 > 0 (Figures of Speech)
- 7 8 ' ? (8 ' ?)
- 8 > 0 (Case)
- 9 . A 9 > 5 0 G (Idioms)
- 10 2 K K M \$? / > (Proverbs)
- 11 * \$ M 0 2 G ((Letter Writing)

5 subject(s), 69 topics listed above. Verify critical details with the official exam notification before applying.