

# BANKING

## Programme Details

- ❖ **Name of the Recruiting Body** : IBPS
- ❖ **Type of Services** : Probationary Officer (PO)
- ❖ **Educational Qualification** :
  - Any Degree (Graduation) in any discipline from a university recognised by the Government of India.
- ❖ **Salary Package** :
  - Approximate salary of a Bank PO is 35,000 – 40,000 and it may vary across different banks. To know more about other allowances, perks and benefits.
- ❖ **Eligibility Conditions** :

Post	Age limit	Category	Age relaxation
PROBATIONARY OFFICER	20 – 30 years	SC/ST	5 years
Clerical cadre	20 – 28 years	OBC	3 Years
Specialist Officers	20 – 30 years	Handicapped (PH)	10 Years
Others	20 – 30 years	PH + OBC	13 Years

- ❖ **IBPS PO 2019 Exam Dates** :
  - The IBPS Calendar is out already which clearly declares the dates of IBPS PO Prelims Exam as 12th, 13th, 19th, and 20th October 2019 and IBPS PO Mains Exam as 30th November 2019. Given below is the table from IBPS Calendar 2019 which shows the exact dates of IBPS PO Exam 2019:

S. No.	Activity	IBPS PO Exam Dates
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1.	Online Examination – Preliminary	12.10.2019, 13.10.2019, 19.10.2019 & 20.10.2019
2.	Online Examination – Main	30.11.2019

**LEVEL OF EXAMS :**

❖ **Preliminary (OBJECTIVE) :**

S.No.	Subjects	No.of.Questions	Marks	Remarks	Duration
1	English Language	30	30	-0.25 marks	Composite time of 1 hour
2	Quantitative Aptitude	35	35		
3	Reasoning Ability	35	35		
	<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>		

❖ **MAINS EXAMINATION PATTERN (OBJECTIVE) :**

S. No.	Name of test (Not by Sequence)	No. of Questions	Max. Marks	Remarks	Time Allotted for each test (Secretary timed)
1.	Reasoning & Computer Aptitude	45	60	-0.25 marks	60 minutes
2.	English Language	35	40		40 minutes
3.	Data Analysis and Interpretation	35	60		45 minutes
4.	General, Economy/Banking Awareness	40	40		35 minutes
5.	English Language (Letter Writing & Essay) only for PO/Officer cadre	2	25		30 minutes
	<b>Total</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>200</b>		<b>180 minutes</b>

❖ **Objective Test :**

- The objective test of 3 hours duration consists of 4 Sections for total 200 marks. The objective test has separate timing for every section. The candidates are required to qualify in each of the Tests by securing passing marks, to be decided by the Bank.
- ❖ **Descriptive Test :**
  - The Descriptive Test of 30 minutes duration with 25 marks is a Test of English Language (Letter Writing & Essay).
- ❖ **Important Note :**
  - Marks obtained by the candidates in the Main examination will be considered for shortlisting for Interview and preparation of final merit list.
- ❖ **Note :**
  - There will be negative marking for every wrong answer in both Preliminary and Main Examination for which there is a penalty of  $\frac{1}{4}$  or 0.25 of the marks assigned to the particular question.
  - We do not claim that it will exactly be the same as we expect it to be for IBPS can surprise candidates with a changed face of banking examinations anytime. So, you also have to prepare yourself for all sorts of bombshells that can be dropped by IBPS when IBPS PO 2019 is conducted.
- ❖ **Phase – III : IBPS PO Interview :**
  - The total marks allotted for Interview are 100. The qualifying marks in the interview are 40% (35% for SC/ST/OBC/PWD candidates). The weightage (ratio) of CWE (Main exam) and interview for final merit list will be 80:20 respectively.
- ❖ **Detailed IBPS PO Syllabus 2019 :**

English Language :	❖ Reading Comprehension
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	❖ Cloze Test
	❖ Fillers
	❖ Sentence Errors
	❖ Vocabulary based questions
	❖ Sentence Improvement
	❖ Jumbled Paragraph
	❖ Paragraph Based Questions (Paragraph Fillers, Paragraph Conclusion, Paragraph/Sentences Restatement)
<b>Reasoning Ability :</b>	❖ Puzzles
	❖ Seating Arrangements
	❖ Direction Sense
	❖ Blood Relation
	❖ Syllogism
	❖ Order and Ranking
	❖ Coding-Decoding
	❖ Machine Input-Output
	❖ Inequalities
	❖ Alpha-Numeric-Symbol Series
	❖ Data Sufficiency
	❖ Logical Reasoning (Passage Inference, Statement and Assumption, Conclusion, Argument)
<b>Quantitative Aptitude :</b>	❖ Data Interpretation (Bar Graph, Line Chart, Tabular, Caselet, Radar/Web, Pie Chart)
	❖ Inequalities (Quadratic Equations)
	❖ Number Series
	❖ Approximation and Simplification
	❖ Data Sufficiency
	❖ Miscellaneous Arithmetic Problems (HCF and LCM, Profit and Loss, SI & CI, Problem on Ages, Work and Time, Speed Distance and Time, Probability, Mensuration, Permutation and Combination, Average,

	Ratio and Proportion, Partnership, Problems on Boats and Stream, Problems on Trains, Mixture and Allegation, Pipes and Cisterns)
<b>General Awareness :</b>	❖ Banking and Insurance Awareness
	❖ Financial Awareness
	❖ Govt. Schemes and Policies
	❖ Current Affairs
	❖ Static Awareness

<b>Computer Aptitude :</b>	❖ History and Generation of Computers
	❖ Introduction to Computer Organisation
	❖ Computer Memory
	❖ Computer Hardware and I/O Devices
	❖ Computer Software
	❖ Computer Languages
	❖ Operating System
	❖ Computer Network
	❖ Internet
	❖ MS Office Suit and Short cut keys
	❖ Basics of DBMS
	❖ Number System and Conversions
	❖ Computer and Network Security

❖ **IBPS PO 2019 Admit Card/Call Letter :**

- The admit cards for the Prelims Exam, Main Exam and Personal Interview will be released 10-15 days before they are held. We will update the links to download them as soon as they are made available on the official website of IBPS.

❖ **IBPS PO 2019 Final Result :**

- IBPS releases the results for different phases of examinations separately. The results are usually declared within a month after the examinations are conducted. We will provide the links to them as soon as they are available on the official website.

### IBPS PO Cut Off 2018:

#### ❖ IBPS PO Prelims Cut Off 2018 :

Subjects	English Language	Quantitative Aptitude	Reasoning Ability	Total
Maximum Score	30	35	35	100
Cutoff Score	08.75	07.75	9.00	56.75

### IBPS PO Mains Cut Off 2018

#### ❖ Cut Off for Individual Subjects of IBPS PO Mains :

S. No.	Name of test (Not by Sequence)	No. of Questions	Max. Marks	Cut off SC/ST/OBC/PWBD	General
1.	Reasoning & Computer Aptitude	45	60	07.50	10.25
2.	English Language	35	40	07.50	08.00
3.	Data Analysis and Interpretation	35	60	02.25	11.25
4.	General, Economy/Banking Awareness	40	40	05.00	04.50
5.	English Language (Letter Writing & Essay) only for PO/Officer cadre	2	25	08.75	10.00

### Overall Cut Off

#### ❖ Process for Arriving at Total Weighted Score & Cut-offs on Total Weighted Scores :

- Total Weighted Score = Score obtained in Reasoning & Computer Aptitude + General/Economy/Banking Awareness + English Language + Data Analysis and Interpretation + English Language (Descriptive)

<i>Category</i>	<i>Cut-offs on Total (Out of 225)</i>
<i>Scheduled Caste (SC)</i>	<i>56.38</i>
<i>Scheduled Tribe (ST)</i>	<i>35.75</i>
<i>Other Backward Classes (OBC)</i>	<i>68.38</i>
<i>General (Gen)</i>	<i>74.50</i>
<i>Hearing Impaired (HI)</i>	<i>42.63</i>
<i>Orthopaedically Challenged (OC)</i>	<i>53.25</i>
<i>Visually Impaired (VI)</i>	<i>66.88</i>
<i>Intellectual Disability (ID)</i>	<i>37.00</i>

❖ **BANKING CLASSROOM PROGRAMS :**

- *Total Classes* - *62*
- *Total Duration* - *124 hours.*
- *Total Mock Test* - *40 sets (Both Online & Offline)*
- *Total Course Duration* - *3 months*
- *Total Discussion Class* - *5*

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Batch</i>	<i>Duration</i>	<i>Timing</i>
<i>1.</i>	<i>Regular Batch (Monday – Friday)</i>	<i>3 months</i>	<i>7.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m</i>
			<i>10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m.</i>
			<i>6.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.</i>
<i>2.</i>	<i>Weekend Batch (Sunday Only)</i>	<i>4 months</i>	<i>10.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.</i>

**INTERVIEW PROGRAMME**

❖ **Interview Class for Banking :**

- *In 3 days intensive classroom training programme by banking specialist.*
- *Mock Interview conducted by senior PSO Bankers/ Government officials.*
- *Banking & Current Affairs recap.*

## PROGRAMME SUMMARY

### ❖ Note :

- The orientation class will be conducted on every Saturday at 6.00 p.m.

### CONTACT

<i>Class Room</i>	<i>Admission Office</i>	<i>Branch Office</i>
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