

Dialectics IAS

For One-To-One Mentorship

Online Modules and Test Series

About Us

Dialectics IAS is an initiative by a **team of experienced and dedicated professors** to guide sincere civil services aspirants with Sociology optional subject. In the present circumstances, with the flooding of infinite information from every corner, Dialectics IAS aims to serve as a surfboard for aspirants to navigate through the vast ocean of knowledge. Let's demystify and detox Sociology Answer-Writing for UPSC.

We are dedicated for qualitative **One-To-One Mentorship**. Due to very limited seats, we invite only serious, very serious civil services aspirants. At Dialectics IAS, we presume that the candidates enrolling for Test Series have thoroughly covered and revised the syllabus of Sociology optional subject.

Counselling

For counselling, candidates can email their request at **dialectics79@gmail.com** or **WhatsApp at 9811633903 (Messages Only)**.

We will arrange a callback and connect the candidate with an experienced professor (subject to the availability of free slot).

Module I (Heart of the Sociology Optional)

Topics Covered (Paper I)

Sociology – The Discipline * Sociology as Science * Research Methods and Analysis * Sociological Thinkers (Karl Marx, Emile Durkheim, Max Weber, Talcott Parsons, Robert K. Merton and G.H. Mead)

This module includes approximately 30 Lectures (Online) covering the most important and at the same time considered as most difficult aspects of the Sociology Optional. It also includes 2 Doubt-Clearing Sessions and 2 Sectional Tests of 250 Marks each to train the candidates in answer-writing for the Main Examination. Throughout the course, candidates will be mentored and monitored by the dedicated and experienced professors.

Lecture Plan

- Lecture 1: Sociology: Basic Concepts**
- Lecture 2: Sociology: The Origin**
- Lecture 3: Scope of Sociology**
- Lecture 4-5: Sociology as Science**
- Lecture 6-7: Research Methods and Analysis**

Doubt-Clearing Session 1

Sectional Test 1 (250 Marks)

- Lecture 8-10: Karl Marx**
- Lecture 11-14: Emile Durkheim**
- Lecture 15-18: Max Weber**
- Lecture 19-22: Talcott Parsons**
- Lecture 23-26: Robert K. Merton**
- Lecture 27-28: G.H. Mead**

Doubt-Clearing Session 2

Sectional Test 2 (250 Marks)

Total Seats: 20

Fee: Rs. 8,000 (with Sectional Tests); Rs. 5,000 (without Sectional Tests)

Test Series (Online) (Mains 2027)

Questions papers for Civil Services Examination by generally set and evaluated by senior professors of the respective discipline. At Dialectics IAS, civil services aspirants with Sociology optional **get a chance to interact directly with senior professors** for effective feedback. We believe in **encouraging original thinking** among candidates and, therefore, we don't believe in providing standard model answers to each and every question. At an examination of UPSC level, such standard model answers may do more harm than good to the candidates. However, each question is discussed in detail and special emphasis is laid on the **Line of Argument** in the answer. UPSC looks for **originality, spontaneity and creativity**. Our test series is aimed just for that. However, to guide candidates, some model answers would be shared from time to time. We aim to highlight and encourage **individual differences** among candidates, not level them.

Important:

We don't outsource evaluation of answer scripts of candidates. At Dialectics IAS, **evaluation is done by professors only**. Admission, however, is subject to the availability of slot with the respective professor.

Our **Online Test Series** is **Personalized and Flexible** as per the assessment of the candidate after the counselling.

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Total Tests: 10 (4 Sectional Tests for each paper; 1 Complete Syllabus Test for each paper; Each Test of 250 Marks; Duration: 3 hours)

Total Seats: 20

Fee: Rs. 20,000 (Candidates must complete all Tests within a year of registration)

Discount: 20% discount for candidates belonging to socially and economically weaker sections of society

Let's Practice

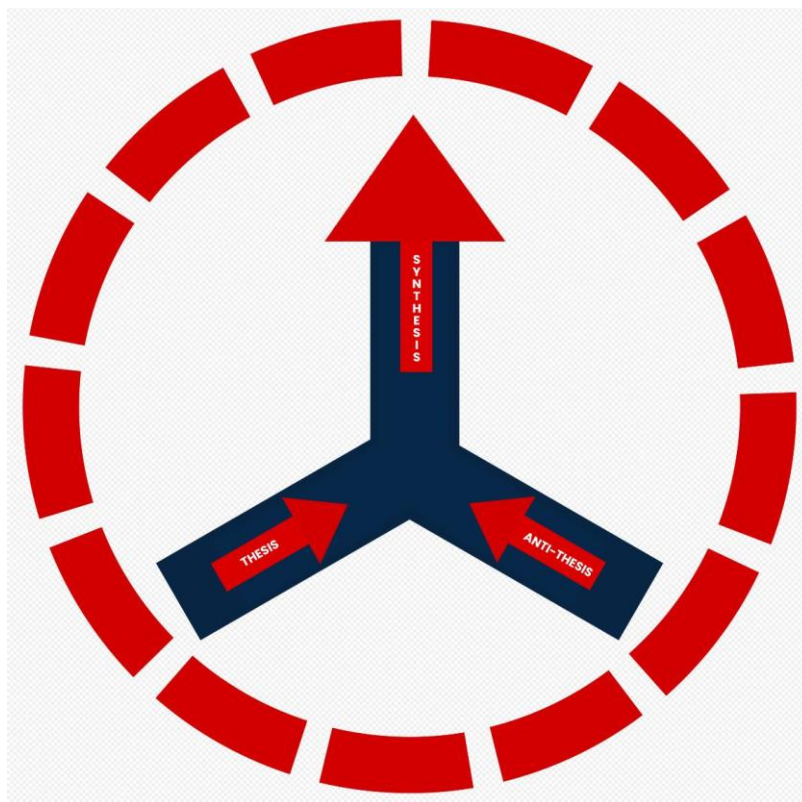
Every Sunday a question will be given to candidates for practice. Candidates can get their answers evaluated by paying a nominal fee of Rs. 100 per answer.

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