

XAT 2023 Syllabus



XAT 2023: Syllabus & Exam Pattern

XAT or Xavier Aptitude Test is a national level entrance exam conducted annually for candidates who wish to pursue their management course (MBA/PGDM) from XLRI or other XIMA colleges like XIMB, IMT Ghaziabad, and other such top colleges. The XAT 2022 examination was held on 2nd January 2022. XAT 2023 exam is expected to be held in the first week of January 2023. The detailed syllabus for XAT 2023 examination is given as follows:

XAT 2023 Exam Pattern

The essay section was reintroduced in the XAT 2022 exam. The XAT exam paper consists of two parts. The first part comprises questions from Decision Making, Verbal Ability & Logical Reasoning, Quantitative Aptitude & Data Interpretation, and the second part earlier comprised of questions only from General Knowledge but in the year 2022 the essay section was reintroduced after 3 years. Given below is the structure of the XAT 2022 exam for your reference.

Sections	Number of Questions	Overall Time Duration
Part-1	75 MCQs	165 Minutes
Decision Making	21 questions	
Verbal Ability & Logical Reasoning	26 questions	
Quantitative Aptitude & Data Interpretation	28 questions	
Part-2	26 MCQs	25 Minutes
General Knowledge	25 questions	
Essay	1 question	
Total	101 questions	190 Minutes

NOTE:-

- For every correct answer the candidate will be awarded +1 marks.
- For every incorrect answer from *Part-1*, 0.25 marks will be deducted.
- The candidate can only move to *Part-2* of the examination once he/she has completed 165 minutes in *Part-1* of the examination
- There is no negative marking for the General Knowledge section.
- For every unattempted question after 8 unattempted questions, a 0.10 mark will be deducted.
- The essay of the candidate shall be evaluated after the candidate is shortlisted for the interview.
- PWD candidates will get 20 minutes extra per hour which results in extra time of 55 minutes for *Part-1* and 5 minutes for *Part-2*.
- PWD candidates can submit their answers at any point of time between 165 minutes and 220 minutes for *Part-1* and between 15 to 20 minutes for *Part-2*. So, a PWD candidate may leave the lab between 180 minutes and 240 minutes depending upon the completion time of the test.

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Decision Making		
Numerical and Situation Caselets	HR Decision Making	Appropriate Decision

Verbal Ability & Logical Reasoning	
Sentence Correction	Reading Comprehension
Fill in the Blanks	Para Jumbles
Antonyms	Word Usage
Analogy	Contextual Vocabulary
Error Identification	Sentence Completion
Critical Reasoning	Synonyms

Quantitative Aptitude and Data Interpretation	
Arithmetic	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Percentage• Profit and Loss• Ratio and Proportion• Speed Distance Time• Time and Work• SI and CI• Mixtures and Alligations
Algebra	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Progression (AP GP HP)• Quadratic Equations• Linear Equations• Inequalities• Logarithms• Binomial Theorem• Functions & Graphs
Geometry & Mensuration	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Trigonometry• Coordinate Geometry
Number System	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Surds and Indices• HCF and LCM
Modern Math	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Venn Diagrams• Probability• Permutation & Combination
Data Interpretation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tables• Pie Charts• Line Graph• Bar Diagrams

General Knowledge	
Economics	National and International Current Affairs
History	Geography
Business Affairs	Sports
Capitals and Currencies	Books and Authors

Essay Section
The essay section had been reintroduced after 3 years in XAT 2022 exam. There is no official syllabus for this section. It is basically conducted to test the candidate's ability to express his/her opinion in a limited time.

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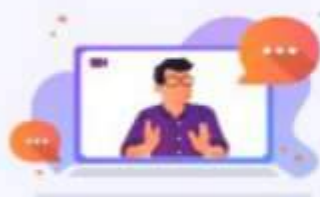
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