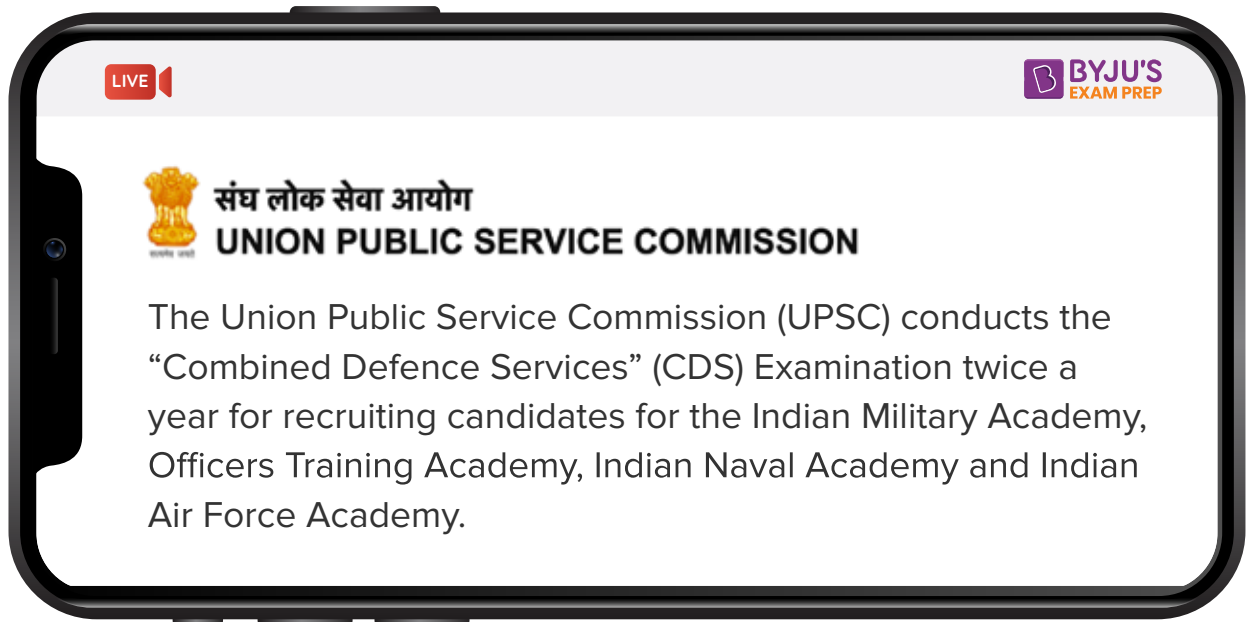




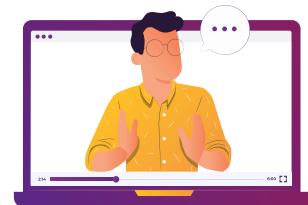
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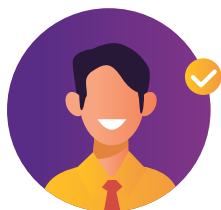
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About CDS

- CDS Exam is conducted to get admission into the Armed Forces (**Indian Army, Indian Navy & Indian Air Force**)
- The examination is conducted by UPSC twice each year (**April & September**) for both Male & Female Candidates
- Through CDS, a candidate gets 2 types of commission into armed forces – **Permanent & Short Service**

CDS Selection process

01

Written Exam
(Offline Exam)

02

SSB Interview

03

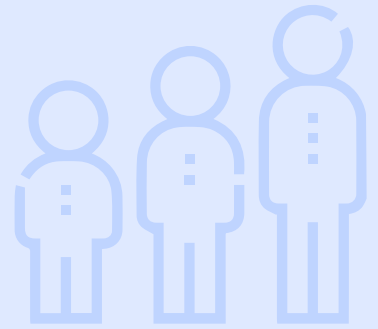
Medical Examination



CDS - Eligibility Criteria

Age Limit

- For Indian Military Academy (IMA): 19–24 years
- For Air Force Academy (AFA): 20–24 years
- For Naval Academy (NA): 19–24 years
- For Officers Training Academy (OTA): 19–25 years



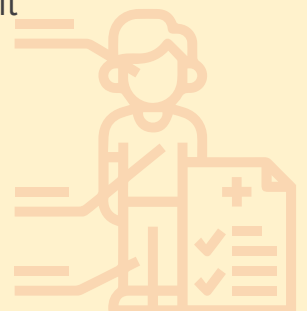
Educational Qualification

- For I.M.A. and Officers Training (IMA & OTA): Bachelor's Degree
- For Naval Academy (NA): Bachelor's in Engineering
- For Air Force Academy (AFA): Bachelor's Degree (with Physics and Mathematics at 10+2 level) or Bachelor's in Engineering



Physical Standards

- The candidate should be physically as well as mentally fit
- No permanent tattoos
- No hernia
- No hearing impairment, deformities/disabilities in-ears vestibule-cochlear system
- No active congenital venereal disease



CDS - Number of Seats

Examination Stages

No. of Aspirants

Candidates who apply for CDS Exam
Candidates who appear in CDS Exam
Candidates shortlisted for SSB interview
Candidates finally selected

2.5 Lakhs
1.25 Lakhs
6500
400

Commission	Service	Gender
Permanent Commission	IMA (Army)	Male
Permanent Commission	INA (Navy)	Male
Permanent Commission	AFA (Air Force)	Male
Short Service Commission	OTA (Army)	Male & Female

CDS - Important Timeline & Exam Pattern

CDS II 2024

Exam Alert

Notification Out

Exam Date

Result Date

SSB Dates
IMA/INA/AFA

SSB Dates OTA

Exam Mode

Events

15th May 2024

1st Sept 2024

Sept 2024

Mid Nov - Feb

Feb - April

Offline

CDS I 2024

Exam Alert

Notification Out

Exam Date

Result Date

SSB Dates
IMA/INA/AFA

SSB Dates OTA

Exam Mode

Events

20th Dec 2023

21st Apr 2024

May 2024

June - Aug

Sep - Nov

Online

Exam Name	Entries	Syllabus	Duration	Questions	Total Marks
CDS	IMA, INA, AFA, OTA	Paper 1: English	2 hours	120 Qs	100 Marks
	IMA, INA, AFA, OTA	Paper 2: General Knowledge	2 hours	120 Qs	100 Marks
	IMA, INA, AFA	Paper 3: Mathematics	2 hours	100 Qs	100 Marks

CDS - Course Features & Its Summary

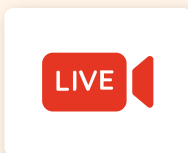
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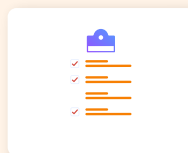
Subjects:

- Maths
- English
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Geography
- History
- Current Affairs

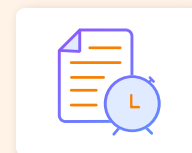
Course Includes



200+
Live Classes



2000+
Practice Ques.



30+
Mock Tests

About AFCAT

- AFCAT or **Air Force Common Admission Test** is conducted for entry into Indian Air Force as an officer for both Male & Female Candidates
- The exam is conducted twice each year in **Aug-Sept** and **February-March**.
- Through AFCAT, a candidate gets 2 types of commission into armed forces – **Permanent & Short Service**. As of now female candidates are eligible only for short service commission.
- In order to apply for AFCAT candidate must be a graduate and should've done his intermediate in 10+2 format. **Diploma + Graduate candidates cannot apply for AFCAT, but can apply for CDS (AFA).**

AFCAT Selection process

01

Written Exam

(Online)

02

SSB Interview

03

Medical Examination

AFCAT - Number of Seats



Examination Stages	No. of Aspirants
Candidates who apply for AFCAT Exam	1.5 Lakhs
Candidates who appear in AFCAT Exam	1 Lakh
Candidates shortlisted for SSB Interview	8000
Candidates finally selected	250

Branch	Commission	Gender
Flying Branch	Short Service Commission	Male & Female
Ground Duty (Tech)	Short Service Commission	Male & Female
Ground Duty (Non-Tech)	Short Service Commission	Male & Female
Education Branch (Post Graduation Needed)	Short Service Commission	Male & Female
Weapon System	Short Service Commission	Male & Female



AFCAT - Important Timeline & Exam Pattern

AFCAT II 2024

Exam Alert	Events
Notification Out	June 2024
Exam Date	Aug 2024
Result Date	Sept 2024
SSB Dates	Oct - Jan
Exam Mode	Online



AFCAT I 2024

Exam Alert	Events
Notification Out	Dec 2023
Exam Date	Feb 2024
Result Date	Mar 2024
SSB Dates	May - Aug 2024

Exam Name	Entries	Syllabus	Duration	Questions	Total Marks
AFCAT	Flying, Ground Duty (Non-Technical)	Paper 1: English, Quantitative Aptitude, Reasoning, GK	2 hours	100 Qs	300 Marks
	Ground Duty (Technical)	Paper 1: English, Quantitative Aptitude, Reasoning, GK	2 hours	100 Qs	300 Marks
		Paper 2: EKT	45 min	50 Qs	150 Marks

AFCAT - Course Features & Its Summary

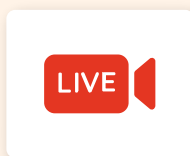
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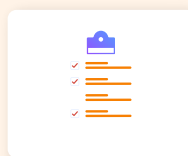
Subjects:

- Numerical Ability
- English
- Quantitative Aptitude
- Reasoning

Course Includes



150+
Live Classes



1500+
Practice Ques.



20+
Mock Tests

About CAPF

- CAPF or **Central Armed Police Force** is conducted for entry into armed police forces as a gazetted officer. Both Male & Female candidates can apply for this exam.
- There are a total of **5 armed police forces** for which recruitment is conducted – **BSF, CRPF, CISF, SSB, ITBP**
- The exam is conducted **once each year by UPSC in the month of August.**
- All Graduates can apply for this exam.

CAPF Selection process

01

Written Exam

(Offline)

02

Physical Efficiency Test

03

Medical Examination

04

Interview



CAPF - Important Timeline & Exam Pattern

CAPF 2024

Events	Dates
Notification Out	24 th April 2024
Exam Date	4 th Aug 2024
Result Date	Sept 2024
Interview Date	Feb 2025
Exam Mode	Offline

Exam Name	Entries	Syllabus	Duration	Questions	Total Marks
CAPF	All Entries	Paper 1: Science, Quantitative Aptitude, Reasoning, GK	2 hours	125 Qs	250 Marks
		Paper 2: Essay, Report, Precis, Debate & Comprehension, Grammar	3 hours	06 Qs	200 Marks



CAPF - Course Features & Its Summary

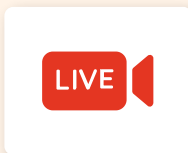
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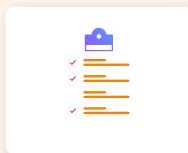
Subjects:

- Numerical Ability
Quantitative Aptitude
- Reasoning
- General English
- Descriptive - Essay,
Precis, Report
Writing & Arguments

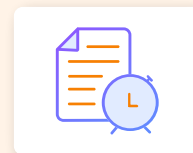
Course Includes



220+
Live Classes



2500+
Practice Ques.



10+
Mock Tests

About SSB Interview

- **SSB (Service Selection Board) Interview or Personality Test** is directed to check the appropriate qualities to become an officer in a candidate.
- Candidates aspiring to Join **Indian Army** have to go through the **SSB Interview**
- For Indian Air Force candidates have to go through the **AFSB Interview**
- For **Indian Navy** candidates have to go through the **NSB Interview**
(The Interview Procedure for SSB, AFSB, NSB remains the same)
- For **Indian Coast Guard** the interview is conducted in **2 Stages - PSB & FSB**. PSB stands for Preliminary Selection Board which conducts stage I of the Interview. Candidates who clear PSB are then called for Final Selection Board(FSB) Interview which is Stage II.

After Clearing SSB Interview, recommended candidates then appear in for medical examination.

The SSB interview is divided into 2 stages:

- Stage I (Elimination Stage – 70% Candidates Rejected)
- Stage II

SSB Interview Stages



Stages	Assessors	Task Type	Testing Parameter	Assessment Parameter
Stage I	Psychologist, GTO, Interviewing Officer	Individual Task	Reasoning Ability Individual Task	Officer Intelligence Rating Test
	Psychologist, GTO, Interviewing Officer	Individual + Group Task	Communication Skills, Group Dynamics & Psychology (how you perceive things; imagination)	Picture Perception & Discussion Test
Stage II	Psychologist	Individual Task	Candidates' Personality; his Perception & Outlook towards things. His Temperament, Acumen & attention to details. How is he as an individual, Mental Stamina	Thematic Apperception Test Word Association Test Situation Reaction Test Self Description Test
	Group Testing Officer	Group Task (Except - Individual Obstacle, Lecturette & Command Task)	Group Dynamics, Observation Skills, Organisation ability, Confidence, Ability to initiate things, Physical & Mental Fitment, Spoken English & Communication Skills (Verbal & Non Verbal)	Group Discussion Group Planning Exercise Progressive Group Task Half Group Task Final Group Task Command Task Snake Race Lecturette
	Interviewing Officer	Individual Task	Confidence, How well does he know about himself & surroundings, Attitude towards things, Organising Ability, Mental Stamina, his approach towards solving a problem, communication skills & reasoning	Personal Interview



SSB Interview - Course Features & Its Summary

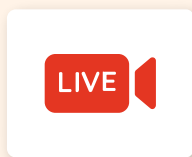
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Subjects:

- Officer Intelligence Rating Test
- Psychology Test
- Group Officer Tasks
- Interview

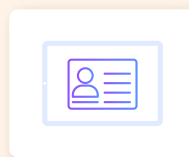
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50+
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1 - 1
Personal Interview
with Ex-Assessor



30+
Day Online
Mentorship



30+
Mock Tests

Physical & Medical Criteria to Join Indian Army

All candidates after clearing the SSB Interview need to appear for medical in medical boards termed as 'Special Medical Boards'. If any candidate is declared 'temporary unfit' then he can request 'Appeal Medical Board' to give him a grace period of 42 days post which he can reappear for medical examination.

Eyesight	
Parameter	NDA, TES & Equivalent
Uncorrected Vision	6/36 & 6/36
Myopia	less than or equal to -2.5D
Hypermetropia	less than or equal to +2.5D
Lasik or PRK	Not Permitted

Minimum Height Criteria

The minimum height required for male candidates for entry into the Armed Forces is 157 cm and for female candidates, it is 152 cm. Relaxation is permitted for the following candidates:

Category	Min. Height for Male Candidates	Min. Height for Female Candidates
Tribals from Ladakh Region	155 cm	150 cm
Andaman & Nicobar, Lakshadweep & Minicoy Islands	155 cm	150 cm
Gorkhas, Nepali, Assamese, Garhwali, Kumaoni & Uttarakhand	152 cm	147 cm
Bhutan, Sikkim & NE Region	152 cm	147 cm

Physical & Medical Criteria to Join Indian Navy

Eyesight	
Parameter	NDA, TES & Equivalent
Uncorrected Vision	6/36 & 6/36
Myopia	less than or equal to -0.75D
Hypermetropia	less than or equal to +1.5D
Lasik or PRK	Not Permitted*

Minimum Height Criteria to Join Indian Navy

The minimum height required for male candidates for entry into the Indian Navy is 157 cm and for female candidates, it is 152 cm. Relaxation is permitted for the following candidates:

Category	Min. Height for Male Candidates	Min. Height for Female Candidates
Tribals from Ladakh Region	155 cm	150 cm
Andaman & Nicobar, Lakshadweep & Minicoy Islands	155 cm	150 cm
Gorkhas, Nepali, Assamese, Garhwali, Kumaoni & Uttarakhand	152 cm	147 cm
Bhutan, Sikkim & NE Region	152 cm	147 cm

Physical & Medical Criteria to Join Indian Air Force

Branch	Visual Acuity Errors
Flying	6/6 in one eye and 6/9 in other, correctable to 6/6 only for Hypermetropia
Aircrew other than Flying	6/24 in one eye and 6/36 in other, correctable to 6/6 and 6/9
Adm/Adm (ATC)/ Adm (FC)	Corrected visual acuity should be 6/9 in each eye.
Accts/ Lgs/Edn	Corrected visual acuity should be 6/6 in the better eye and 6/18 in the worse eye. Wearing of Glasses will be compulsory.

Minimum Height Criteria

The minimum height for entry into ground duty branches will be 157.5 cm. Gorkhas and individuals belonging to North Eastern regions of India and hilly regions of Uttarakhand, the minimum acceptable height will be 5 cm less (152.5 cm). In case of candidates from Lakshadweep, the minimum acceptable height can be reduced by 2 cm (155.5 cm).

Minimum height for Flying Branch will be 162.5 cm. Acceptable measurements of leg length, thigh length and sitting height for such aircrew will be as under:

- 1. Sitting height: Minimum- 81.5 cm Maximum- 96.0 cm**
- 2. Leg Length: Minimum- 99.0 cm Maximum- 120.0 cm**
- 3. Thigh Length: Maximum- 64.0 cm**

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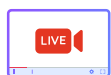
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Keshav Uthada **AIR 6 | CDS II 2022**

In the beginning, I used to rely only on free online resources but the failure in the first 2 attempts forced me to think about what I was doing wrong. Then I came across BYJU'S Exam Prep and secured AIR 6!



Dilraj Karan Singh **AIR 80 | CDS II 2022**

When I first started thinking about joining the Indian Army, I came across BYJU'S Exam Prep app and was thoroughly satisfied with the content and section-wise practice sessions. This helped me complete my syllabus on time & clear CDS 1 2023 in my 1st Attempt.

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Rank 21



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Rank 30



Diyalram
Rank 38



Himanshu Vats
AIR 1 | CAPF 2021

I always considered the CAPF Exam like a boxing tournament and the coaches (Faculty) of BYJU'S Exam Prep helped me clear the written exam. I would recommend Bhanwar Sir, Abhishek Sir, Monika Ma'am, Gaurav Sir & Lalit sir for any fighter who wants to conquer this tournament.



Raj Choudhary
AIR 2 | CAPF 2021

The preparation strategy used in BYJU'S Exam Prep Shaurya CAPF AC Course helped me focus on concepts and the doubt clearing sessions helped me boost confidence. I was able to clear the CAPF AC 2021 Exam in my 1st attempt & would like to give credit to this wonderful app!

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I have just cleared my AFCAT 1 2023 Written exam and I am in my final year of graduation. The strategy session by Abhishek sir motivated me to start preparing for this exam along with graduation & helped me gain confidence by clearing all my doubts. Thank you team BYJU'S Exam Prep.



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My advice to all first time aspirants is to focus on previous years' question papers, focus on concepts and attempt as many questions as you can. Bhanwar Sir & Shashank Sir always motivated me to work harder and now I have cleared my written exam in 1st Attempt.

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