

**SYLLABUS FOR THE COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR THE RECRUITMENT TO THE CADRE OF  
EXCISE SUB-INSPECTOR**

The Examination will consist of two written papers namely:-

1. a paper on General English or General Kannada and
2. a paper on General Knowledge.

1) (a) Paper-I Shall consist of two parts.

Part-I One part on Essay writing in English or Kannada carrying 30 marks

Part-II The second part on translation of passage. (i) From English into Kannada and (ii) from Kannada into English.

Paper-I shall be of one and half hours duration carrying 50 marks. (30 marks for Essay and 20 marks for translation). There shall be no minimum marks.

2) (a) Paper-II

Shall consist of questions of General Studies in General Knowledge, Science, Geography, History, Constitution, National Freedom Movement and General Mental ability, to be answered in Kannada or English, It shall carry 150 marks and there shall be no minimum marks. It shall be objective type with multiple choices and of one and half hours duration.

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**SYLLABUS FOR THE COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO THE  
CADRE OF EXCISE GUARDS (MEN) & (WOMEN)**

The Examination will consist of two written papers namely:-

1. a paper on General English or General Kannada and
  2. a paper on General Knowledge. The maximum marks for each paper will be 150.
- 1) (a) The paper on General English or General Kannada will normally conform to the minimum standard expected of a student who has passed the SSLC examination. It is intended to test candidate's knowledge of English/Kannada, Grammar, Vocabulary, Spelling, Synonyms, Antonyms, his power to understand and comprehend the English/Kannada Language and his ability to discriminate between correct and incorrect usage etc.,
- (b) The candidates may answer either the paper on General English or the paper on General Kannada.
- 2) (a) The paper on General Knowledge will normally conform to the minimum standard relating to General Knowledge expected of a student who has passed the SSLC examination and will cover topics relating to the Constitution of India, Indian History and Culture, General and Economic Geography of India, current events, every-day science and such matters of everyday observations as may be expected of an educated person.
- (b) The candidates may answer this entire paper either in English or in Kannada but they shall not answer some question in English and some in Kannada. The questions in both the papers will be of Objective Multiple Choice Type.

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