PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION THINKERS PLUS

Master Public Administration Thinkers in 30 Days

From Basics to Advanced

150+ Approx. Marks Coverage in Paper I
Based on PYQ trends

65+ Recorded Sessions

120+ Learning Hours



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RECORDED PROGRAMME
Lectures + PYQ Analysis Sessions + PYQ Analysis Notes for Six Complete Paper I Units

LIVE PERSONALISED MENTORSHIP
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Why Thinkers Matter in Public Administration?

Thinkers, theories and models are the intellectual backbone of Public Administration. They help you understand how administrative systems work, analyse contemporary issues and write analytical, example-rich answers in the UPSC Mains examination.



Common Challenges for Aspirants

Remembering theories without understanding them

Difficult to retain multiple thinkers and their perspectives.

Confusing similar concepts and thinkers

Overlapping ideas and schools create confusion.

Applying thinkers to contemporary questions

Struggling to use theories in real-world administrative contexts.

Seeing thinkers as limited to one unit

Their relevance actually extends across multiple units of Paper I.

A High-Value, Marks-Fetching Area

Based on previous year question trends, the six units covered in this programme have an approximate coverage of **150+ marks** in Paper I.

> *Thinkers are not just names to be remembered, but lenses to understand, explain and analyse administration.*



Official UPSC Syllabus
Six Complete Units

Public Administration Thinkers Plus covers the following six units from the UPSC Public Administration Optional Paper I syllabus.

UNIT 1 Introduction

Meaning, scope and significance of Public Administration, Wilson's vision of Public Administration, evolution of the discipline and present status, New Public Administration, Public Choice approach, challenges of liberalisation, privatisation and globalisation, Good Governance and New Public Management.

UNIT 2 Administrative Thought

Scientific Management and Scientific Management Movement, Classical Theory of Administration, Max Weber's bureaucratic model, its critique and post-Weberian developments, Mary Parker Follett, Elton Mayo and the Human Relations School, Chester I. Barnard, Herbert Simon and his decision-making theory, Rensis Likert, Chris Argyris and Douglas McGregor.

UNIT 3 Administrative Behaviour

Decision-making process and techniques, communication in administrative organisations, morale in administration, content, process and contemporary theories of motivation, traditional and modern theories of leadership.

UNIT 4 Organisations

Theories of organisation – systems and contingency theories, types of organisations, their structures and forms – ministries and departments, corporations, companies, headquarters and field relationships, regulatory authorities and public–private partnerships.

UNIT 7 Comparative Public Administration

Factors affecting administrative systems – historical and sociological factors, administration and politics in different countries, current status of Comparative Public Administration, ecology and administration, Riggsian models and their critique.

UNIT 10 Public Policy

Models of policy-making and their critique, public policy processes – policy conceptualisation, planning, implementation, monitoring, evaluation and review, with their limitations, state theories and public policy formulation.

Recorded Learning. Live Mentorship. Focused Preparation.

What You Get in Public Administration Thinkers Plus

A focused, structured and examination-oriented programme to master six complete Paper I units.

1 Recorded Lectures

Complete academic coverage of six units, from basic concepts to advanced theoretical discussions.

2 Recorded PYQ Analysis Sessions

Unit-wise analysis of previous year questions to understand how UPSC tests thinkers, theories and administrative concepts.

3 PYQ Analysis Notes

Corresponding notes for the six units to consolidate concepts, identify question patterns and strengthen revision.

4 Live Personalised Mentorship

Individualised academic guidance by Abhishiekh Saxena Sir for conceptual doubts, understanding theories and models, and overall preparation strategy.

Programme Highlights

- **6** Complete Paper I Units
- **65+** Recorded Sessions
- **120+** Learning Hours
- **150+** Approx. Marks Coverage in Paper I — Based on PYQ trends
- Valid Till **UPSC Mains 2027**



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