

**RAJYA SABHA SECRETARIAT**  
**(RECRUITMENT CELL)**

**INDICATIVE SYLLABUS OF OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR THE**  
**POST OF PARLIAMENTARY REPORTER (ENGLISH)**

**WRITTEN EXAMINATION**

**Paper - I (Objective Type)**

**Part A - General Intelligence**

Questions shall be both verbal and non-verbal types. Test may include questions on analogies, similarities, differences, space visualization, problem solving, analysis, judgment, decision making, visual memory, discrimination, observation, relationship, concepts, arithmetical reasoning, verbal and figure classification, arithmetical number series, coding & decoding, etc.

**Part B - General Awareness including Current Affairs**

Questions shall aim at testing the candidate's awareness of current events and environment around him, besides testing the knowledge of Everyday Science, Scientific Research, Sports, Indian Culture, Indian History, Indian Geography, Economics, Indian Polity, Indian Constitution, etc.

**Paper - II (Descriptive Type)**

**English Language**

This paper will test the skills and abilities of the candidate in Essay Writing, Precis Writing, Comprehension, Drafting of letters/notices/other forms of communications in English. Besides, the paper may also have a component of grammar.

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