

## Information on NDA 2018: Application , Exam Dates, Eligibility, Syllabus

**NDA 2018** examination is a gateway for those candidates **seeking for entry** in **Defence Forces** like **Army**, Navy and Air Force. It is a **national level examination**, which is **organized two times** in a year, i.e. **NDA I and NDA II**. The **Union Public Service Commission (UPSC)** conducts the NDA exam in various cities across the country. Here we are providing details about **NDA 2018** examination including application form, eligibility, exam dates, etc. Interested candidates must visit the official website of NDA examination <http://www.upsc.gov.in/>

### **NDA Exam Dates**

Candidates interested to join Indian Armed Forces should check the official schedule of NDA examination. Check the dates of both NDA (1) and NDA (2) for the year 2018 from here.

<b>Events</b>	<b>NDA I Dates</b>	<b>NDA II Dates</b>
Notification Issue Date	10th January 2018	6th June 2018
Application Form Release Date	10th January 2018	6th June 2018
Last Date to Submit the Application Form	5th February 2018	2nd July 2018
Admit Card Issue Date	March 2018	August 2018
Exam Date	22nd April 2018	9th September 2018
Result Declaration Date	July 2018	November 2018

### **NDA Application Form 2018**

- [NDA 2018 Application Form](http://www.upsc.gov.in/) will be available via online mode from 10th January 2018 (for NDA-I) & 6th June 2018 (for NDA-II) on the official website <http://www.upsc.gov.in/>
- There is **no offline application** form available for NDA exam.
- NDA **Registration 2018** will be done in **two parts**.
- In the registration **part-I**, candidates have to fill their personal, qualification, communication & other required details.
- After **completing part-I**, candidates will receive the **registration number**.
- In the registration **part-II**, students have to **select** the **exam centres** and make the **fee payment** through **online** or **offline** mode.
- **Upload** the scanned images of **photograph** and **signature**.
- **Accept** the **declaration** and take printout of the filled application form for further use.
- There is no need to send the printout of the application form to the authority.

### **Application Fee:**

- The application fee will be **Rs. 100/-** for general & OBC students.
- SC/ST candidates and wards of NCOs/ JCOs/Ors are not required to pay any application fee.
- The fee payment can be done **via online mode** (VISA/Master/Debit Card and Net banking).
- In **offline mode**, payment can be done through **e-challan of SBI Bank**.

### **Eligibility Criteria**

#### **Nationality:**

- Candidates must be a citizen of India, a subject of Nepal, a subject of Bhutan or

An Indian origin person who has migrated from Burma, Sri Lanka, Pakistan and East African Countries of Kenya, the United Republic of Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia, Zaire, Malawi and Ethiopia or Vietnam with the intention of permanently settling in India.

- A Tibetan refugee who came over to India with the intention of permanently settling in India before the 1st January 1962.

#### Age Limits, Marital Status & Gender:

- Only unmarried male candidates can apply for this exam.
- NDA-I Age Limit: students must have born between 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1999 to 1st July 2002.
- NDA-II Age Limit: candidates should have born between 2nd January 2000 to 1st July 2003.

#### Educational Qualification Criteria:

- **For Army Wing:** candidates must have passed 10+2 or equivalent exam organized by the State Education Board or a University.
- **For Air Force and Naval of NDA and 10+2 Cadet Entry Scheme at Indian Naval Academy:** students should have cleared the 12th or equivalent exam with Physics and Mathematics subjects.
- **Candidates who will be appearing for class XII examination in March 2018 can also take this examination**

#### Physical Standards:

- Students should be medically fit as per the norms set by National Defence Academy and Naval Academy Examination.
- Candidates have to go through the medical examination organized by the Military Hospital after being recommended at the SSB.

#### NDA Exam Pattern

- **Type of questions:** There will be objective type questions asked in the examination.
- **Exam Mode:** The exam will be conducted through pen and paper based mode.
- **Exam Duration:** Two and half hour duration will be given for Code 1 and Code 2.
- **Section:** The exam will consist of two sections like Mathematics and General Ability Test.
- **Language:** The question paper will be asked in bilingual, i.e. English & Hindi only.
- **Negative Marking:** There will be negative marking done for wrong answers.

Subject	Code	Duration	Maximum Marks
Mathematics	1	2 ½ Hours	300
General Ability Test	2	2 ½ Hours	600
<b>Total</b>			900
<b>SBS Interview</b>			900
<b>Grand Total</b>			1800

#### NDA Syllabus

- The [syllabus](#) has been divided into two sections, i.e. **Mathematics & General Ability Test**.
- The mathematics section will contain topics like Trigonometry, Differential Calculus, Algebra, Integral Calculus & Differential equations, Statistics, Probability, Vector Algebra, etc.
- The general ability section is divided into two parts, i.e. English and General Knowledge.