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MAT exam Syllabus is based on revamped and updated Syllabus for Management Aptitude Test irrespective of the testing mode. Each of the three MAT testing modes will have similar MAT syllabus. The updated MAT Syllabus for all the 5 sections of Language Comprehension, Intelligence & Critical Reasoning, Mathematical skills; Data Analysis and Sufficiency; Indian and Global Environment is given below.

Part-1: MAT Syllabus for Reading Comprehension (RC)
- RC Syllabus covers current affairs making impact on Social Life, International Affairs, Govt policies and Schemes for example Triple Talaq, Clean India Mission, Migration of people from one country to other, Growing intolerance across the Globe, Agricultural policies, poverty eradication programmes
- Business & Economic RC Passages for example Global economic changes, economic development at the cost of environment, Impact of Demonetization in India, Wasteful expenditure by Governments
- RC passages from various English Literature books, from articles authored by great philosophers, thinkers, from various speeches of great personalities like passages from Charles Dickens, Aristotle, Martin Luther King, Mohan Das Karam Chand Gandhi, Churchill among others
- Passages on Science & Culture including the journey to Modern world; Fading culture with the advancement of technology
- Abstract topics and fiction are also included in the Reading Comprehension Syllabus for MAT. These Passages make the candidates put themselves in the author’s shoes before answering the questions following these passages since they are opinion based.
- RC Passages on Historical events leading to social changes for example French Revolution, War of Roses, Social changes in Indian History and thoughts shared by various activists which are very much relevant even today
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- Correcting the sequence of sentences in the paragraph for example correct use of conditional sentence, time clauses, reported speech, passive writing (3-4 questions)
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- One word substitution (1-2 questions)
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MAT Exam 2023 Feb Syllabus for Intelligence & Critical Reasoning
- Fact Inference Judgment
- Passage Conclusion
- Analogy
- Statement Argument among others.
- Clocks
- Calendars
- Binary logic
- Seating Arrangement
- Blood Relations (Family Tree)
- Logical Sequence
- Assumption
- Premise
- Conclusion
- Linear and matrix arrangement
- Team Formation
• Direction sense and Decision Making
• Input-Output
• Series
• Syllogism
• Cubes
• Rows
• Set Theory, Venn Diagrams, Network Diagrams
• Quantitative Reasoning
• Puzzles
• Logical Reasoning based on Rankings
• Critical Reasoning

Section-3: Mathematical skills
Section Highlight: Syllabus for Mathematical skills refers to the Quant topics on which MAT questions are based. MAT syllabus for Mathematics section is very wide and covers everything in Mathematics that you may or may not expect. The syllabus on Quant is based on questions on different topics on Arithmetic, Algebra, Modern Math, Geometry, Mensuration, Trignometry among others.

MAT Syllabus on Mathematical Skills
Arithmetic (15-16 Questions)
• LCM and HCF
• Percentages
• Profit and Loss
• Interest (Simple and Compound)
• Speed, Time and Distance; Time and Work; Averages; Ratio and Proportion and others
• Number System (3-4) questions
• Elementary Mathematics
• Number System
• Mixtures and Allegation
• Unitary Method
• Commercial Maths
• Permutation and Combinations
• Sequence And Series
• Heights and Distance

Algebra (5-7 questions)

Geometry/Mensuration (6-8 questions)
• Triangles
• Circles
• Coordinate Geometry

Pure Math (1-2 questions)

Other topics
• Venn diagrams and other topic based questions are 2-3
• Linear Equations; Quadratic Equations
• Complex Numbers
• Logarithm; Progressions
• Binomial Theorem
• Surds and Indices
• Inequalities
• Set Theory
• Mixtures and Alligations
• Co-ordinate Geometry
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Syllabus for Data Analysis and Sufficiency
- Data Tables
- Data charts
- Bar diagrams & Charts including Simple, Stacked, Composite Bar charts
- Pie charts
- Graphs – Line X-Y Graphs
- Data analysis and Data comparison among others
- Caselet based Data
- Venn diagram
- Data Sufficiency

Section-5: Indian and Global Environment
Section Highlights: MAT syllabus on Indian and Global Environment refers to the GK syllabus and expects you to know everything under the Sun on Business & Economy, Who’s who, current affairs, static GK among others.

Indian & Global Environment Syllabus
Major topics covered in the syllabus in this section are the GK topics current and static:
- Conventional GK-available in books
- Current GK- based on current reading of newspapers and periodicals;
- Business & Economics GK -for example changes in Fiscal and monetary policy, CRR, Repo Rate,
- Devaluation and up valuation of Rupee.
- Business, National and International events
- Who’s who
- Constitutional of India,
- Currency and Capitals of the countries
- States of India
- International Organizations
- Monetary and fiscal tools
- Emblem
- Identification of personalities, companies among others