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SPECIAL LIVE WEBINAR: SSC CGL 2026

COMPLETE STUDY PLAN FOR BEGINNERS

FOCUSING ON: NEW PATTERN & SECTIONAL TIMING | SUBJECT-WISE STRATEGY



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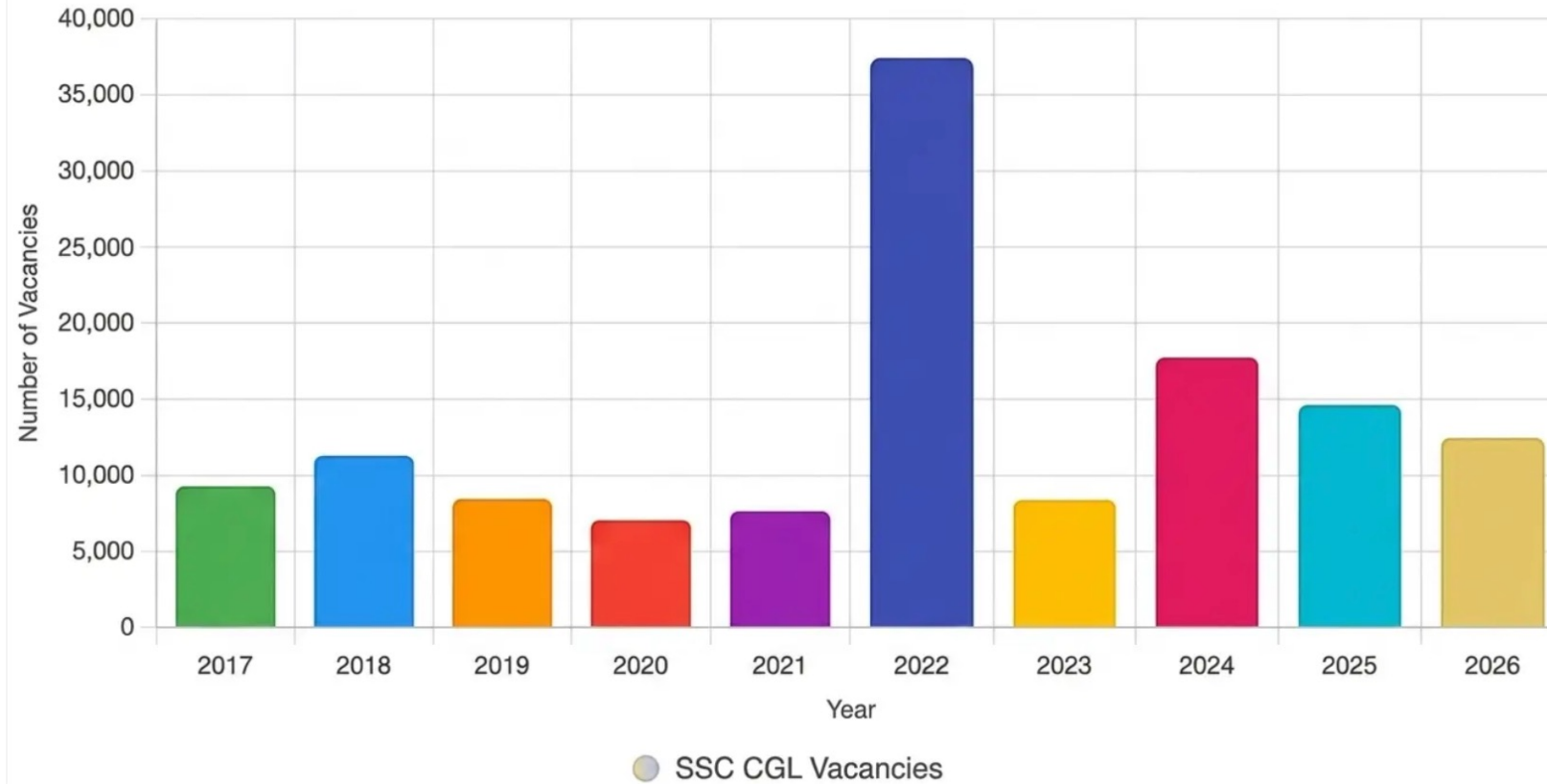
SSC CGL 2026 Notification

- Vacancy – **12256**
- Registration Dates - **21st May to 22nd June 2026**
- Exam Type - **National Level**
- Eligibility - **Bachelor's Degree from a recognised University/Institute**
- Age Limit - **18 to 32 Years**
- Selection Process - **Tier 1 (Qualifying), Tier 2 (Scoring)**
- Tier I Exam Date - **August - September 2026**
- Tier II Exam Date - **December 2026**
- Application Fee - **Rs. 100 (Women/SC/ST/PwBD/ESM exempted)**

SSC CGL Age Relaxation

Categories	Age relaxation
SC/ ST	5 years
OBC	3 years
PwD + General	10 years
PwD + OBC	13 years
PwD + SC/ ST	15 years
Candidates domiciled in the State of Jammu & Kashmir between 1st January, 1980, to 31st December, 1989	5 years
Ex-Servicemen	3 years
Defense Personnel who are disabled in any hostile military activity	3 years
SC/ST Defence Personnel who are disabled during any hostile military activity	8 years

SSC CGL Vacancies (2017-2026)



Group "B" Posts

SSC CGL Post	Department/Ministry
Assistant Audit Officer (Central Cadre)	Officer (Central Cadre) Indian Audit & Accounts Dept. under C&AG
Assistant Audit Officer (State Cadre)	Indian Audit & Accounts Dept. under C&AG
Assistant Accounts Officer (State Cadre)	Indian Audit & Accounts Dept. under C&AG
Assistant Section Officer	Central Secretariat Service, Intelligence Bureau, Ministry of Railway, Ministry of External Affairs, AFHQ
Assistant	Other Ministries/ Departments/ Organizations
Inspector (Central Excise)	CBIC
Assistant Enforcement Officer	Directorate of Enforcement, Department of Revenue
Sub Inspector	Central Bureau of Investigation
Inspector	Central Bureau of Narcotics
Junior Statistical Officer	M/o Statistics & Programme Implementation
Statistical Investigator Grade-II	Registrar General of India



Group C Posts

SSC CGL Post	Department/Ministry
Inspector of Income Tax	CBDT
Auditor	Offices under C&AG, CGDA
Accountant/ Junior Accountant	Other Ministry/ Departments
Senior Secretariat Assistant/ Upper Division Clerks	Central Govt. Offices/ Ministries other than CSCS cadres
Tax Assistant	CBDT/ CBIC

Major Changes in SSC CGL 2026 Exam

1. This year, AAO posts (Assistant Audit Officer and Assistant Accounts Officer) have been notified in the notification.
2. SSC has introduced sectional timing for both Tier 1 and Paper 1 of Tier 2 Exam.
3. Now there are three papers in the Tier 2 exam, wherein Paper 1 is common, Paper 2 is for JSO posts and Paper 3 for AAO.

Education Qualification (as on 01/08/2026)

1. **For Assistant Audit Officer / Assistant Accounts Officer:** Bachelor's Degree (Essential). Desirable: Chartered Accountant, Cost & Management Accountant, Company Secretary, Masters in Commerce, MBA, or Master's in Business Studies.
2. **For Junior Statistical Officer (JSO)** - Bachelor's Degree from any recognised University with a minimum 60% in Mathematics in Class 12th or in any discipline with Statistics as one of the subjects in graduation.
3. **For Statistical Investigator Grade-II-** Graduation Degree from any recognised University with Economics, Statistics, or Mathematics as a compulsory or Elective Subject.
4. **For Research Assistant in National Human Rights Commission (NHRC)** - Bachelor's Degree from a recognized University or Institute with a minimum of one year of research experience in any recognized university or recognised Research Institution.
5. **For remaining posts-** Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University.

Age limit

PAY LEVEL-8 (RS. 47,600 – RS. 1,51,100)	
Assistant Audit Officer (Central Cadre) in Indian Audit & Accounts Dept. under C&AG	18-30 years
Assistant Audit Officer (State Cadre) in Indian Audit & Accounts Dept. under C&AG	
Assistant Accounts Officer (State Cadre) in Indian Audit & Accounts Dept. under C&AG	

Age limit

PAY LEVEL-7 (RS. 44900 TO RS. 142400)	
Assistant Section Officer in the Intelligence Bureau	18–30 years
Assistant Section Officer in the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology	
Assistant Section Officer in Other Ministries/Dept./Org.	
Assistant/Assistant Section Officer in Other Ministries/Dept./Org.	
Inspector of Income Tax in CBDT	
Inspector (Central Excise) in CBIC	
Inspector (Preventive Officer) in CBIC	
Inspector (Examiner) in CBIC	
Asst. Enforcement Officer, Dept. of Revenue	
Inspector Posts in DOP	
Inspector in the Central Narcotics Bureau	
Section Head in the Director General of Foreign Trade	

Age limit

Sub-Inspector in CBI	20–30 years
Assistant Section Officer in Central Secretariat Service	
Assistant Section Officer in the Ministry of Railways	
Assistant Section Officer in the Ministry of External Affairs	
Assistant Section Officer in AFHQ	

Age limit

PAY LEVEL- 6 (RS. 35400 TO RS. 112400)	
Assistant/Assistant Section Officer in Other Ministries/Dept./Org	18-30 years
Executive Assistant in CBIC	
Research Assistant in NHRC	
Divisional Accountant in Offices C & AG	
Sub-Inspector in NIA	
Sub-Inspector in NCB- MHA	
Statistical Investigator Grade-II in MHA	
Office Superintendent in CBDT	
Junior Statistical Officer in the Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation	18-32 years

Age limit

PAY LEVEL- 5 (RS. 29200 TO RS. 92300)	
Auditor in C & AG	18–27 years
Auditor in Other Ministries/Dept.	
Auditor in CGDA	
Accountant in C & AG	
Accountant in the Controller General of Accounts	
Accountant/Junior Accountant in Other Ministry Dept.	

Age limit

PAY LEVEL- 4 (RS. 25500 TO RS. 81100)	
Postal Assistant/Sorting Assistant	18–27 years
Sr. Secretariat Assistant/Upper Division Clerks in CGO/CSOs	
Senior Administrative Assistant	
Tax Assistant in CBDT	
Tax Assistant in CBIC	
Sub Inspector in CBN	

Education Qualification

1) Junior Statistical Officer

A Bachelor's degree from a recognized university with a minimum of 60% in mathematics at (SO) the 12th-grade level or A bachelor's degree in statistics is one of the degree-level studies in any field.

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2) Assistant Audit Officer/ Assistant Accounts Officer (AAO)

Desirable Qualification: Any one of these

- Chartered Accountant
- Cost & Management Accountant
- Company Secretary
- Masters in Commerce
- Masters in Business Studies
- Masters in Business Administration (Finance)
- Masters in Business Economics.

Essential Qualifications: A bachelor's degree in any field from a recognized university.

3) Statistical Investigator Grade-II

A bachelor's degree from an approved institution or institute in any field, including statistics. Statistics must have been a subject for the candidates during the three years of their graduate course.

4) Assistant in National Company Law Appellate Tribunal

Requires a bachelor's degree from a recognised university or institute. Candidates must have completed Law degree from a recognised university.

5) Research Assistant in National Human Rights Commission

Essential Qualification: Bachelor's Degree from any recognised university/institute;

Desirable: At least 1 year research experience at a reputable university or research institution.

A degree in law or human rights from a recognised university.

6) Other Post

A Bachelor's degree from a recognised university in any field, or an equivalent qualification

Group B Posts

1. Assistant Section Officer (ASO)
2. Inspector of Income Tax in Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT)
3. Inspector (Central Excise) in Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs (CBIC)
4. Inspector (Preventive Officer) in CBIC
5. Inspector (Examiner) in CBIC
6. Assistant Enforcement Officer (AEO) in Directorate of Enforcement (ED)
7. Sub Inspector (SI) in Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI), National Investigation Agency (NIA), and Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB)
8. Inspector Posts in Department of Posts
9. Inspector in Central Bureau of Narcotics
10. Section Head in Director General of Foreign Trade (DGFT)
11. Executive Assistant in CBIC
12. Research Assistant in National Human Rights Commission (NHRC)
13. Divisional Accountant in Offices under C&AG
14. Office Superintendent in CBDT
15. Assistant Audit Officer (Central Cadre) in C&AG
16. Assistant Accounts Officer (Central Cadre) in C&AG

Group C Posts

17. Auditor in Offices under C&AG, CGDA, and Other Ministries/Departments
18. Accountant / Junior Accountant in Offices under C&AG, Controller General of Accounts (CGA), and Other Ministries/Departments
19. Postal Assistant / Sorting Assistant in Department of Posts
20. Senior Secretariat Assistant / Upper Division Clerk (UDC) in Central Government Offices/Ministries
21. Senior Administrative Assistant in Military Engineering Services
22. Tax Assistant in CBDT and CBIC
23. Sub-Inspector in Central Bureau of Narcotics

SSC CGL 2026 Selection Process

Stage 1 Tier-I: Computer-Based Examination (Qualifying in nature).

Stage 2 Tier-II: Paper I (Compulsory for all posts), Paper-II for candidates who apply for the posts of Junior Statistical Officer (JSO) in the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, and Paper-III for candidates who apply for the posts of Assistant Audit Officer (AAO) and Assistant Accounts Officer (AAO).

Final selection is based on merit-cum-preference of posts given by the candidate. Once a post is allotted, no change will be made by the Commission.

SSC CGL 2026 Exam Pattern Revised

Tier	Type	Mode
Tier – 1 (Qualifying)	Objective Multiple Choice	Computer-Based (online)
Tier – 2 (Paper 1, 2, 3)	• Paper 1: Compulsory for all posts • Paper 2 for candidates who apply for the posts of Junior Statistical Officer (JSO) in the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation. • Paper 3: For AAO post	Computer-Based (online)

Tier-I Examination

Subjects	No. of Questions	Marks	Timings
General Intelligence & Reasoning	25	50	15 minutes
General Awareness	25	50	15 minutes
Quantitative Aptitude	25	50	15 minutes
English Comprehension	25	50	15 minutes
Total	100	200	60 minutes

SSC CGL Tier 2 Exam Pattern 2026

The SSC CGL Tier 2 Exam 2026 will be conducted in 2 phases- Paper 1 and Paper 2.
Paper 1 (Compulsory for all posts),

- Paper II for candidates who apply for the posts of Junior Statistical Officer (JSO) in the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.
- Paper-III will be for only those candidates who are shortlisted in Tier-I for the posts of Assistant Audit Officer/ Assistant Accounts Officer.

SSC CGL Tier 2 Exam Pattern 2026

<u>SSC CGL Tier 2 Exam Pattern 2026</u>		
S.No.	Papers	Time Allotted
1	Paper I: (Compulsory for all posts)	2 hours 30 minutes
2	Paper II: Statistics	2 hours
3	Paper-III General Studies (Finance and Economics)	2 hours

- Paper II for candidates who apply for the posts of Junior Statistical Officer (JSO) in the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.
- Paper-III will be for only those candidates who are shortlisted in Tier-I for the posts of Assistant Audit Officer/ Assistant Accounts Officer.

Tier 2 Exam Pattern 2026 [Paper 1]

SSC CGL Tier 2 Exam Pattern 2026 [Paper 1]							
Sessions	Sections	Modules	Subject	No. of Questions	Marks	Duration	Weightage
Session I	Section I	Module-I	Mathematical Abilities	30	90	30 minutes	23%
		Module-II	Reasoning and General Intelligence	30	90	30 minutes	23%
	Section II	Module-I	English Language and Comprehension	45	135	40 minutes	35%
		Module-II	General Awareness	25	75	20 minutes	19%
	Section III	Module-I	Computer Knowledge Test	20	60	15 minute	Qualifying
Session II		Module-II	Data Entry Speed Test	ONE DATA ENTRY TASK		15 minute	Qualifying

SSC CGL Tier 2 Exam Pattern 2026 [Paper 2]

Papers	Sections	No. of question	Maximum Marks	Duration
Paper II	Statistics	100	200	2 hours

SSC CGL Tier 2 Exam Pattern 2026 [Paper 3]

Papers	Sections	No. of question	Maximum Marks	Duration
Paper III	General Studies (Finance and Economics)	100	200	2 hours

Negative Marking

Tier 1 Exam

- Correct Answer: 2 marks are awarded. Negative Marking: 0.50 marks are deducted for each incorrect answer across all sections

Tier 2 Exam

Paper I (Compulsory for all posts):

- Correct Answer: 3 marks are awarded in Section I (Mathematical Abilities & Reasoning), Section II (English Language & General Awareness), and Module I of Section III (Computer Knowledge Test).
- Negative Marking: 1 mark is deducted for each incorrect answer in these sections.
- (Note: Module II of Section III in Paper I is the Data Entry Speed Test, which is qualifying in nature and does not carry marks or negative marking).

Paper II (Statistics for Junior Statistical Officer):

- Correct Answer: 2 marks are awarded.
- Negative Marking: 0.50 marks are deducted for each incorrect answer.

Paper III (General Studies: Finance & Economics for Assistant Audit Officer/Assistant Accounts Officer):

- Correct Answer: 2 marks are awarded.
- Negative Marking: 0.50 marks are deducted for each incorrect answer.

Syllabus

1. General Intelligence & Reasoning
2. Quantitative Aptitude
3. English Language
4. General Awareness

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General Intelligence and Reasoning Syllabus

1. Analogies
2. Similarities and differences Space visualization
3. Spatial orientation
4. Problem-solving
5. Analysis
6. Judgment
7. Blood Relations
8. Decision making
9. Visual memory
10. Discrimination
11. Observation
12. Relationship concepts
13. Arithmetical reasoning
14. Figural classification
15. Arithmetic number series Non-verbal series
16. Coding and decoding
17. Statement conclusion
18. Syllogistic reasoning



Quantitative Aptitude Syllabus

1. Computation of whole numbers
Decimals
2. Fractions
3. Relationships between numbers
Profit and Loss
4. Discount
5. Partnership Business
6. Mixture and Alligation
7. Time and distance
8. Time & Work
9. Percentage
10. Ratio & Proportion
11. Square roots
12. Averages
13. Interest
14. Basic algebraic identities of
School Algebra & Elementary
surds
15. Graphs of Linear Equations
16. Triangle and its various kinds of
centres
17. Congruence and similarity of
triangles
18. Circle and its chords, tangents,
angles subtended by chords of a
circle, common tangents to two or
more circles
19. Triangle
20. Quadrilaterals
21. Regular Polygons
22. Right Prism
23. Right Circular Cone
24. Right Circular Cylinder
25. Sphere
26. Heights and Distances
27. Histogram
28. Frequency polygon
29. Bar diagram & Pie chart
30. Hemispheres
31. Rectangular Parallelepiped
32. Regular Right Pyramid with
triangular or square base
Trigonometric ratio
33. Degree and Radian Measures
34. Standard Identities
35. Complementary angles

English Language Syllabus

1. Idioms and Phrases
2. One Word Substitution
3. Sentence Correction
4. Error Spotting
5. Fill in the Blanks
6. Spellings Correction
7. Reading Comprehension Synonyms-Antonyms
8. Active Passive
9. Sentence Rearrangement Sentence Improvement
10. Cloze test

General Awareness Syllabus

1. India and its neighbouring countries, especially about History, Culture, Geography, Economic Scene, General Policy & Scientific Research
2. Science
3. Current Affairs
4. Books and Authors
5. Sports
6. Important Schemes
7. Important Days
8. Portfolio
9. People in the News
10. Static GK

SSC CGL 2026: 3-Month Preparation Strategy & Study Plan

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Core Strategy Overview

Target Score: 170+ out of 200 in Tier 1.

- **Time Allocation:** **8 to 10 hours** of daily study.

- **Framework:**

Month 1: Foundation & Syllabus Coverage.

Month 2: Intensive Practice & Topic-Wise Tests.

Month 3: Mock Test Marathon & Revision.

- **Accuracy Target:** 90% to 95% (Negative marking is 0.50 per wrong answer).



Month 1: Foundation Building (Weeks 1-4)

Objective: Complete the syllabus and clarify core concepts for all four subjects.

Time Allocation	Subject	Focus Areas
2 Hours	Quantitative Aptitude	Arithmetic (Percentage, Ratio, Profit & Loss, Simple/Compound Interest, Time & Work). Clear basic formulas.
1.5 Hours	Reasoning	Classification, Analogy, Coding-Decoding, Series. Practise common patterns.
1.5 Hours	English Comprehension	Master grammar rules (Error Spotting, Sentence Improvement) and learn 20 new vocabulary words daily.
1 Hour	General Awareness	Static GK (History, Polity, Geography) and start compiling current affairs from the last 6 months.
2 Hours	Review & Notes	Revise daily learnings, maintain an Error Notebook, and solve basic module questions.

Month 2: Intensive Practice & Speed Building (Weeks 5-8)

Objective: Shift from concept learning to timed practice and error elimination.

Time Allocation	Subject	Focus Areas
2 Hours	Quantitative Aptitude	Algebra, Geometry, Mensuration, Trigonometry. Focus on short tricks and calculation speed.
1.5 Hours	Reasoning	Syllogism, Venn Diagrams, Puzzles, Statement-Conclusion. Attempt 50+ questions daily.
1.5 Hours	English Comprehension	Cloze tests, Reading Comprehension, Synonyms/Antonyms, One-word substitutions.
1 Hour	General Awareness	Science (Physics, Chemistry, Biology up to Class 10), Economics, and current affairs revision.
2 Hours	Mock Tests	Attempt 2 full-length Tier 1 mock tests per week. Spend time analysing weak areas.

Month 3: Mock Marathon & Targeted Revision (Weeks 9-12)

Objective: Exam simulation, maximising accuracy, and revising weak spots.

Daily Mocks: Attempt one full-length SSC CGL Tier 1 mock test daily strictly within the 60-minute limit.

- **Sectional Timing Strategy:** Practise managing the 15-minute sectional timing introduced by SSC.
- **Error Analysis:** Spend at least 90 minutes analysing the mock test. Update and review the Error Notebook.
- **Previous Year Questions (PYQs):** Solve PYQs from 2022 to 2025 to understand the exact exam pattern and difficulty level.
- **Targeted Revision:** Focus on tricky Quantitative Aptitude formulas, easily forgotten Static GK facts, and confusing English vocabulary.



Daily Timetable Framework

1. **06:00 AM – 08:00 AM:** Quantitative Aptitude (Fresh mind for calculations)
2. **08:30 AM – 10:00 AM:** English Comprehension (Grammar and Vocabulary)
3. **10:30 AM – 11:30 AM:** General Awareness (Static GK & Current Affairs)
4. **02:00 PM – 03:30 PM:** General Intelligence & Reasoning (Pattern recognition)
5. **04:00 PM – 06:00 PM:** Class Revision (Align with Jayakrishnan EduTips class schedules for reinforced learning)
6. **07:00 PM – 09:00 PM:** Mock Tests & Error Analysis
7. **09:30 PM – 10:00 PM:** Quick review of the day's notes

Key Guidelines for Success

- **Avoid Over-sourcing:** Stick to reliable materials; do not switch books or strategies mid-way.
- **Calculation Speed:** Practise tables up to 30, squares (x^2) up to 50, and cubes (x^3) up to 30 to save critical seconds in Maths.
- **Consistent Practice:** Use pen and paper. Passive video watching will not improve speed or accuracy for Tier 1.
- **Maintain Health:** Ensure 7-8 hours of sleep and take short 10-minute breaks between study blocks to retain focus.

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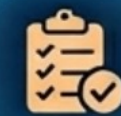
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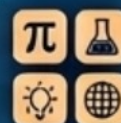


MOCK TESTS (Tier 1 & 2)



TIER 1 & 2 LEVEL CLASSES

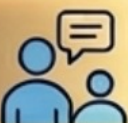
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T2



CLASSES FOR ALL
SUBJECTS



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