

UP Board 12th Exam Pattern 2026: Check Subject-wise Pattern Here

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UP Board 12th Exam Pattern 2025-26: The Uttar Pradesh Board prescribed the UP Board class 12 exam pattern 2026 for the students. Students can check the updated subject-wise UP Board exam pattern 2026 class 12 online on the board's official website and on this page. This year, the board has made no changes in the UPMSP class 12 exam patterns 2026. All the students must go through the UP Board 12th Exam Pattern 2026 for better preparation for the exam. The exam pattern gives an insight into the marking scheme, duration of the exam, and types of questions asked in the exam, among other things.

Students are also recommended to go through the entire UP Board 12th syllabus 2025-26 ([shiksha.com/boards/up-12th-board-syllabus](https://www.shiksha.com/boards/up-12th-board-syllabus)), divide the chapters as per the exam pattern, and study accordingly. The UP Board 12th model papers 2025-26 ([shiksha.com/boards/up-12th-board-question-papers](https://www.shiksha.com/boards/up-12th-board-question-papers)) have been made available on the official UPMSP website. The board conducted the UP 12th exams between February 18 and March 12, 2026 in offline mode.

UP Board 12th Exam Pattern 2026: Overview

The board has released the updated UPMSP class 12 exam pattern on its website. Students can check the detailed UPMSP class 12th exam pattern 2026 in the table below:

Particulars	Details
Board	Uttar Pradesh Madhyamik Shiksha Parishad (UPMSP)
Exam Mode	Offline (Pen-and-Paper)
Exam Duration	3 Hours 15 Minutes (including 15 minutes for reading the question paper)
Total Marks	100 Marks per subject
Subjects with Practicals	70 Marks Theory + 30 Marks Practical
Subjects without Practicals	100 Marks Theory
Question Types	MCQs, Very Short Answer, Short Answer, and Long Answer Questions
Question Paper Structure	Objective and Descriptive Questions
Streams	Science, Commerce, and Arts/Humanities
Passing Marks	Minimum 33% marks in each subject
Practical-Based Subjects	Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geography, Home Science, etc.
Non-Practical Subjects	Hindi, English, Mathematics, History, Political Science, Economics, etc.
Assessment Focus	Knowledge, Understanding, Application, and Analytical Skills

UP Board 12th Marking Scheme 2026 for all Subjects

The students can find the marking scheme for all the subjects in the table below.

Subjects	Exam Pattern	Types of Questions
Biology	Theory Paper- 70 Marks Practical Paper- 30 Marks	MCQ, Short & Long Answer Type Questions
Physics	Theory Paper- 70 Marks Practical Paper- 30 Marks	MCQ, Short & Long Answer Type Questions
Chemistry	Theory Paper- 70 Marks Practical Paper- 30 Marks	MCQ, Short & Long Answer Type Questions
Mathematics	Theory Paper- 100 Marks	MCQ, Short and Long Answer Type Questions
Hindi	Theory Paper- 100 Marks	Part I (50 Marks) Questions from Poetry, Prose, and Passage Part II (50 Marks) Sanskrit Grammar and Translation
English	Theory Paper- 100 Marks	Section A (50 Marks) Prose, Poetry, Play, Short Stories, Figure of Speech Section B (50 Marks) Translation, Vocabulary, General English

UP Board 12th Exam Pattern 2026: Exam Sections and Important Topics

We have also provided the UP Board 12th Exam Sections and Important Topics in the table below:

Subject	Exam Sections	Important Topics
Physics	Electrostatics, Current Electricity, Magnetism, Optics, Modern Physics	Electrostatics, Current Electricity, Electromagnetic Induction, Optics, Atoms & Nuclei, Electronic Devices
Chemistry	Physical, Organic, and Inorganic Chemistry	Chemical Kinetics, Electrochemistry, Coordination Compounds, Aldehydes & Ketones, Biomolecules, d- and f-Block Elements
Mathematics	Algebra, Calculus, Vectors & 3D Geometry, Probability	Matrices, Determinants, Continuity & Differentiability, Integrals, Vectors, Probability
Biology	Reproduction, Genetics, Biotechnology, Ecology	Human Reproduction, Genetics & Evolution, Biotechnology, Human Health & Diseases, Ecosystem, Biodiversity
English	Reading, Writing, Grammar, Literature	Reading Comprehension, Letter/Application Writing, Grammar, Prose and Poetry Chapters
Hindi	गद्य, पद्य, व्याकरण, लेखन कौशल	अपठित गद्यांश, नबिंध, पत्र लेखन, व्याकरण, पाठ्यपुस्तक के महत्वपूर्ण अध्याय
Economics	Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Indian Economy	National Income, Money & Banking, Government Budget, Balance of Payments, Development & Employment
Accountancy	Financial Accounting, Partnership, Company Accounts	Partnership Accounts, Issue of Shares, Debentures, Financial Statements Analysis
Business Studies	Management, Business Environment, Marketing, Finance	Principles of Management, Planning, Organising, Marketing Management, Financial Management
History	Indian and World History	Nationalism, Colonialism, Independence Movement, Contemporary World Developments
Political Science	Political Theory and Indian Politics	Democracy, Constitution, Political Parties, International Relations, Globalisation

Subject	Exam Sections	Important Topics
Geography	Human Geography, Resources, Environment	Human Settlements, Resources, Transport, Population, Environmental Issues

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