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Master of Planning Entrance Test Syllabus

Urban and Regional Planning

**Department of Planning
Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi**

Exam Feature	Details
Duration	120 minutes
Total marks	100 marks
Question format	Objective multiple choice questions
Response mode	OMR based
Section A	General Aptitude 50 marks
Section B	Current Affairs and Planning Awareness 50 marks

This guide presents the official topic areas in a clear preparation format.



Examination Structure

The entrance test carries equal weight for general aptitude and planning awareness. Candidates should therefore prepare language and reasoning skills alongside current developments in urban and rural planning.

Section	Area	Marks	Weightage
A	General Aptitude	50	50 percent
B	Current Affairs and Planning Awareness	50	50 percent
Total	Complete entrance test	100	100 percent

Section A General Aptitude

Marks: 50

English Reading Comprehension

- Reading passages and understanding their central idea, purpose and supporting details
- Factual, inferential and vocabulary-based questions drawn from a passage
- Interpretation of arguments, tone and context

English Verbal Ability

- Verbal reasoning
- Antonyms and synonyms
- Fill in the blanks
- Sentence correction

Logical and Analytical Reasoning

- Logical reasoning and problem solving
- Analytical interpretation of statements, relationships and patterns
- Drawing valid conclusions from the information provided



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Section B Current Affairs and Planning Awareness

Marks: 50

Current Affairs for Urban and Rural Development

- National and international current affairs connected with urban and rural development
- Recent policy developments, major projects and public initiatives affecting settlements and regions

Government Schemes and Missions

- Smart Cities Mission
- Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation AMRUT
- Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana PMAY
- National Urban Livelihoods Mission NULM
- Other major government programmes related to housing, urban services, livelihoods and regional development

Sustainable Development and Climate Policy

- Sustainable Development Goals SDGs
- Climate change policies and their relevance to planning
- Sustainability, resilience and environmentally responsible development

Transportation and Infrastructure

- Transportation development in India
- Urban and regional infrastructure development
- Contemporary issues involving mobility, connectivity and public services

Cities and Urbanization

- General awareness related to cities and urbanization
- Urban growth, settlement patterns and emerging challenges
- Major Indian and global cities and important urban-development issues



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Preparation Focus

Preparation Area	What to Study
General aptitude	Daily reading practice, vocabulary, grammar, logical reasoning and analytical questions
Current affairs	Recent national and international developments with emphasis on cities, villages, housing, infrastructure and climate
Planning awareness	Government schemes, SDGs, urbanization trends, transportation and development issues

Candidate advisory: Refer to the latest JMI admission prospectus and official notices for eligibility, application instructions, negative-marking rules and any subsequent changes.