

## MAT Exam Syllabus 2026: Section-wise Topics, Type of Questions, PDF Download

MAT 2026 Syllabus is divided into 5 sections Language Comprehension, Mathematical skills, Data Analysis and Sufficiency, Intelligence and Critical Reasoning, Economic and Business Environment. Preparing for MAT exam as per MAT syllabus is necessary to score well in MAT exam. Check section wise latest MAT December Exam Syllabus 2026 in the article below. [MAT exam 2026](#) will be held on March 1 and 8, 2026, and [MAT Registration 2026](#) is open.

### MAT Exam Pattern 2026: Overview

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Knowing MAT Exam Pattern, marking scheme is first step towards understanding MAT Syllabus. Based on the previous MAT question papers, MAT 2026 Exam Pattern and scoring scheme is as below:

### MAT Exam Pattern 2026

MAT Exam Components	No of Questions (All MCQs)	Sectional Time Limit (In Minutes)
Section 1: Language Comprehension	30	No Time Limit
Section 2: Intelligence and Critical Reasoning	30	No Time Limit
Section 3: Data Analysis and Data Sufficiency	30	No Time Limit
Section 4: Mathematical Skills	30	No Time Limit
Section 5: Economic & Business Environment	30	No Time Limit
Total	150	120 Minutes

### MAT Exam Syllabus 2026 for Language Comprehension Section

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MAT Syllabus for Language Comprehension section in MAT is divided into 2 parts. The 1st part of syllabus covers topics on Reading Comprehension passages and the 2nd

part covers topics on Grammar & other parts of Verbal Ability. MAT Language comprehension syllabus at a glance is as below:

- RC Passages on Current Affairs and Political Developments
- RC Passages on Science
- Jumbled Paragraphs
- Antonyms/Synonyms
- RC Passages on Business & Economic
- RC Passages in Abstract Topics and Fiction
- Error Correction of Verb, Noun, Pronoun, Adjective, Adverb and other parts of speech in the Sentences.
- RC passages from various English Literature Books
- RC Passages on Historical Events and Mythology
- Correcting the sequence of sentences in the paragraph for example correct use of conditional sentence, time clauses, reported speech, passive writing
- Idioms/Phrases

## **1 MAT Syllabus for Reading Comprehension (RC)**

1. MAT 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
2. 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
3. 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
4. Passages on Science & Culture including the journey to Modern world; Fading culture with the advancement of technology
5. 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.

6. 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
7. RC Passages from Mythology. These passages try to correlate the Mythological events with the current social structure and answers to the questions on them have to be inferred

## 2 MAT Syllabus 2026 for Verbal Ability

- Jumbled Paragraphs (3-4 questions)
- Error Correction of Verb, Noun, Pronoun, Adjective, Adverb and other parts of speech in the Sentences.
- Correcting the sequence of sentences in the paragraph for example correct use of conditional sentence, time clauses, reported speech, passive writing (3-4 questions)
- Antonyms/Synonyms (5-6 questions)
- Fill in the blanks (3-4 questions)
- One word substitution (1-2 questions)
- Idioms/Phrases (2-3 questions)

## MAT Exam Syllabus 2026 for Intelligence and Critical Reasoning Section

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MAT Syllabus for Intelligence and Critical Reasoning is designed to test reasoning skills of candidates. Major topics covered in MAT on Intelligence and Critical Reasoning are:

- Fact Inference Judgment
- Clocks
- Seating Arrangement
- Assumption
- Linear and matrix arrangement
- Input-Output
- Cubes
- Passage Conclusion

- Calendars
- Blood Relations (Family Tree)
- Premise
- Team Formation
- Series
- Rows
- Analogy
- Binary logic
- Logical Sequence
- Conclusion
- Direction sense and Decision Making
- Syllogism
- Puzzles

#### **MAT Exam Syllabus 2026 for Mathematical Skills Section**

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MAT Syllabus for Mathematical Skills covers quantitative topics on Arithmetic, Algebra and other topics that is taught in Class 10, as below:

- Arithmetic
- Trigonometry
- Algebra
- Mensuration Modern Maths
- Geometry

#### **MAT Syllabus for Mathematical Skills**

This Mathematical Skills of MAT is Quantitative Aptitude section. In this section, questions are asked from:

#### **1 Detailed MAT Syllabus on Arithmetic (7-8 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

## **2 Algebra (3-4 questions)**

## **3 Geometry/Mensuration (2-3 questions)**

- Triangles
- Circles
- Coordinate Geometry

## **4 Pure Math (1-2 questions)**

## **5 Key Facts on Mathematical Skills Syllabus in MAT & Type of questions**

- Number of Questions: 30.
- Sectional weightage in Syllabus: 20%
- Sectional Weightage in Percentile calculation: 25%
- Type of Questions: MCQs
- Past trend in exam syllabus for Mathematics shows that there is More emphasis on Arithmetic with number of questions going in the range of 15 to 16.
- Questions were based on Interest, Percentages, Time and Work, Profit, Loss, Partnership.
- Other questions were based on topics like Equations, Ratio, Proportion & Variation, Geometry & Mensuration, Permutation and Combinations, Probability among others

## **MAT Exam Syllabus 2026 for Data Analysis and Sufficiency Section**

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MAT exam syllabus for Data Analysis and Sufficiency covers more topics on Data Interpretation. MAT Exam syllabus for Data Analysis and sufficiency section is very

wide and covers everything in Data Interpretation and sufficiency of data that you may or may not expect. Major topics covered in the syllabus in this section are 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, Caselet based Data, Venn diagram, Data Sufficiency

### **MAT Syllabus for Data Analysis & Data Sufficiency**

This section is divided into two parts – Data Analysis and Data Sufficiency. Questions are asked from:

- Line Graph
- Pie Chart
- Bar Graph
- Data Comparison
- Caselet
- Quantitative Comparison and Data Sufficiency

### **MAT Exam Syllabus 2026 for Economic & Business Environment**

MAT Exam Syllabus for Economic & Business Environment is based on General Awareness (GK) and Current Affairs. This section tests knowledge of recent national/international economic events, business trends, corporate news, budgets. Static GK topics like politics, sports, and science are also covered.

### **Key Topics in MAT Economic & Business Environment Section**

- **Current Affairs:** Recent economic policies, budgets, major business deals, world events, awards, and international developments.
- **Business & Economy:** Concepts like GDP, inflation, fiscal/monetary policies, Indian economy, global trade, and corporate news on top companies in India.
- **Static GK:** Indian Politics, Constitution, Science & Technology achievements, Sports.
- **International Organizations:** UN, WTO, IMF, World Bank

### **How to Prepare**

- Read Newspapers: The Hindu, MINT, Business Standard for daily updates.
- Follow GK Digests: Monthly magazines for summarized current events.
- Use GK Books: Manorama Yearbook for Static GK.
- Focus on Business News: Prioritize business and economic news for the MAT exam.

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It is very important that you become conversant with the MAT question paper to know the actual MAT exam composition. Toppers are of the view that taking Mocks is of utmost importance as it is a very important preparation tool. If you are seriously preparing for the exam and wish to score high percentile, it is necessary to attempt more and more Mock Tests to get ready for the exam day. [Take Free MAT Mock Tests](#) based on previous years MAT papers on [MBAUniverse.com](http://MBAUniverse.com)

In summary, above article on **MAT Syllabus 2026** offers helpful details for candidates. MAT Exam Syllabus is divided into 5 sections Language Comprehension, Mathematical skills, Data Analysis and Sufficiency, Intelligence and Critical Reasoning, Economic and Business Environment. Check complete and section wise latest MAT February 2026 Exam Syllabus, test paper composition and more in the above article. MAT Syllabus 2026 PDF Free Download link is available in the above article.

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