



## SNAP 2026 Exam Pattern: Check Section Wise Pattern, Marking Scheme, Scoring Scheme

**SNAP exam pattern 2026:** Based on previous exam trends, SNAP 2026 exam pattern shall be divided into three sections with total 60 questions, to be solved in 60 minutes. SNAP test pattern includes following three sections: a) General English, b) Quantitative, Data Interpretation & Data Sufficiency and c) Analytical & Logical Reasoning. Each Section has different number of questions and there is no section wise time limit. Based on previous year's exam pattern, no questions on reading comprehension and data interpretation are asked in SNAP exam. Check SNAP previous year exam pattern and expected pattern for [SNAP 2026 exam](#). Download SNAP Exam Pattern PDF from the link given below.

### SNAP 2026 Exam Pattern: Key Highlights

Overall SNAP Exam Pattern is divided into three sections: General English, Reasoning and Quantitative sections. SNAP Pattern has total 60 questions from these three sections. SNAP Exam duration is 60 minutes. Check detailed break up of sections below.

### SNAP Pattern 2026 (Expected)

Sections	Total Questions	Marks Per Correct Answer	Maximum Marks
General English: Reading Comprehension, Verbal Reasoning, Verbal Ability	15	1	15
Analytical & Logical Reasoning	25	1	25
Quantitative, Data Interpretation & Data Sufficiency	20	1	20
Total	60		60

### SNAP 2026 Exam Pattern: Marking Scheme

SNAP marking scheme is very simple.

- SNAP marking scheme awards + 1.0 mark for each correct answer
- SNAP marking scheme deducts - 0.25 negative marking for each incorrect answer.

### SNAP Exam Pattern 2026: English, Verbal Section

SNAP Exam English Section is officially called "General English, Reading Comprehension and Verbal Ability" section. However, no questions related to Reading Comprehension has appeared in the SNAP 2025, SNAP 2024 or SNAP 2023 exams. Out of total 60 questions in

SNAP 2025 exam, there were only 15 questions in this section. Check type of questions in this section in previous SNAP exam paper pattern. Similar exam pattern is expected in 2026 paper.

### SNAP 2025 Exam Pattern: General English Section

Question types	Number of questions	Level of difficulty
Analogies (Vocab-based)	2	Easy
FIB – 1 and 2 blanks - Grammar/Vocab	9	Easy
Grammar (Parts of speech, Passive voice)	2	Easy
Synonyms	1	Easy
Vocabulary (root)	1	Easy

### SNAP 2024 General English Section: Type of Questions

Question Types	Number of Questions	Level of Difficulty
Parts of Speech	1	Easy
Spot the Error	2	Easy
FIB (Vocab / Idioms: 1 and 2 blanks)	2	Easy
Figures of speech	1	Easy
FIB (Grammar: 1 and 2 blanks)	2	Easy
Match the Following (Antonyms, Synonyms)	1	Easy
Proverb-meaning	1	Easy
Grammar - Correct Usage (Adjectives, Adverbs, Compound Words, Conjunctions, Word Order)	5	Easy

### SNAP 2023 General English Section: Type of Questions

Question Types	Number of Questions	Level of Difficulty
Parts of Speech	1	Easy
Spot the Error	2	Easy

FIB (Vocab / Idioms: 1 and 2 blanks)	2	Easy
Figures of speech	1	Medium
FIB (Grammar: 1 and 2 blanks)	2	Medium
Match the Following (Antonyms, Synonyms)	1	Easy
Proverb-meaning	1	Medium
Grammar - Correct Usage (Adjectives, Adverbs, Compound Words, Conjunctions, Word Order)	5	Easy-Medium

### SNAP 2026 Exam Pattern: Quantitative, DI, Data Sufficiency Section

SNAP Exam Quantitative Section is officially called “Quantitative, Data Interpretation, Data Sufficiency” section. Out of total 60 questions in SNAP 2025 exam, there were 20 questions in this section. All questions were on Mathematics and there was no question on Data Interpretation and Data Sufficiency. The questions on Mathematics were dominated by Modern Mathematics and Arithmetic. Following was the break-up of the questions in this section in past years papers. Similar exam pattern is expected in 2026 paper.

### SNAP 2025 Quantitative Section: Type of Questions

Quantitative, Data Interpretation & Data Sufficiency	Total
Arithmetic	7
Modern Mathematics	5
Geometry	3
Numbers	2
Algebra	3

### SNAP 2024 Quantitative Section: Type of Questions

Quantitative, Data Interpretation & Data Sufficiency	Total
Arithmetic	6
Modern Mathematics	8
Geometry	2
Numbers	2
Algebra	2

### SNAP 2023 Quantitative Section: Type of Questions

<b>Quantitative, Data Interpretation &amp; Data Sufficiency</b>	<b>Total</b>
Arithmetic	6
Modern Mathematics	6
Geometry	3
Numbers	2
Algebra	1
Data Interpretation	2
Data Sufficiency	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>

#### Sectional Analysis & Good Attempts

Overall, Quantitative Section is considered an easy to moderate difficulty section. A good strategy would be to attempt around 13-14 questions in 20-22 minutes.

#### SNAP 2026 Exam Pattern: Analytical & Logical Reasoning

SNAP Exam Reasoning Section is officially called “Analytical & Logical Reasoning” section. SNAP Analytical & Logical Reasoning section had 25 questions out of total 60 questions. In SNAP 2025 paper, out of the 25 questions in this section, 9 questions were on Verbal Reasoning and the remaining 16 were on Non-Verbal Reasoning. All questions were single questions and there were no set based questions. In SNAP 2024 exam, out of the 25 questions in this section, 11 questions were on Verbal Reasoning and the remaining 14 were on Non-Verbal Reasoning. Detailed breakup of questions is given below.

#### SNAP 2025 Analytical & Logical Reasoning: Type of Questions

<b>Question types</b>	<b>Number of questions</b>	<b>Level of difficulty</b>
<b>Verbal Reasoning</b>		
Syllogisms	1	Easy
Course of Action, Ethical Course of Action	3	Easy
Critical Reasoning - Weaken	1	Easy
Implicit Statements	2	Easy
Cause Effect	1	Easy
Statement Arguments	1	Easy

<b>Non-Verbal Reasoning</b>		
Complete the series (2 numbers, 2 combined)	4	1 Easy, 1 Medium, 2 Difficult
Linear Arrangement	2	1 Easy, 1 Medium
Matrix Arrangement	2	1 Easy, 1 Medium
Family Tree	2	1 Easy, 1 Medium
Calendar	2	1 Easy, 1 Medium
Clocks	1	1 Easy
Binary Logic	1	1 Difficult
Coding	2	2 Easy

#### SNAP 2024 Analytical & Logical Reasoning: Type of Questions

Question types	Number of questions
<b>Verbal Reasoning</b>	
Syllogisms	2
Statement & Course of Action	2
Critical Reasoning - Inference	1
Statement & Assumption	3
Cause-Effect	2
Miscellaneous (Speculation)	1
<b>Non-Verbal Reasoning</b>	
Complete the series (numbers, letters, & combined)	3
Arrangement	2
Binary	2
Family Tree	2
Clocks	2
Calendar	2

Coding decoding	1
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### SNAP 2023 Analytical & Logical Reasoning: Type of Questions

Sub-section/ Topic	Type of Questions	Description	No of Questions
Verbal Reasoning	Syllogisms, Statement-Action, Statement-Conclusion, Critical Reasoning, Statement & Assumption, Cause-effect, Word Arrangement	Syllogisms (2 Qs); Statement & Course of Action (2 Qs); Conclusion - Critical Reasoning (3 Qs); Statement & Assumption (1 Q); Cause-effect (1 Q); Word Arrangement (2 Q)	11
Non-Verbal Reasoning	Series, Clocks, Calendars, Linear Arrangement, Coding-decoding, Family Tree, Odd man out, Sequential Output, Numerical puzzle	Series, Clocks, Calendars, Linear Arrangement, Coding-decoding, Family Tree, Odd man out, Sequential Output, Numerical puzzle Series Completion (2 Qs); Clocks (2 Qs); Calendars (1 Q); Linear Arrangement (2 Qs); Coding (2 Qs); Family Tree (2 Qs); Odd man out (1 Q); Sequential Output (1 Q); Numerical puzzle (1 Q)	14
Total Questions	Series, Clocks, Calendars, Linear Arrangement, Coding-decoding, Family Tree, Odd man out, Sequential Output, Numerical puzzle		25

#### Sectional Analysis & Good Attempts

Overall, SNAP Analytical & Logical Reasoning section is considered as easy section. A good strategy would be to attempt around 19-20 questions in 24-26 minutes.

#### SNAP 2026 Exam Pattern PDF

The SNAP Exam Pattern PDF is a comprehensive guide for MBA aspirants preparing for the SNAP Test. SNAP Exam Pattern PDF outlines the key topics across three sections: General English, Quantitative, Data Interpretation & Data Sufficiency, and Analytical & Logical Reasoning. SNAP Exam Pattern PDF Download link is given below.

## SNAP Exam Pattern: Key Changes in Previous Years

Overall SNAP Exam Pattern has remained same for many years. Check details in table below.

### SNAP Exam Pattern Trends

Particulars	SNAP 2025	SNAP 2024	SNAP 2023	SNAP 2022
Number of SNAP Exams	3 Exams (In Dec 2025)	3 Exams (In Dec 2024)	3 Exams (In Dec 2023)	3 Exams (In Dec 2022)
Duration	60 Minutes	60 Minutes	60 Minutes	60 Minutes
Total no. of questions	60	60	60	60
General English	15	15	15	15
Quantitative, DI & DS	20	20	20	20
Analytical & Logical Reasoning	25	25	25	25

### SNAP Vs CAT, XAT & NMAT: Comparative Analysis

SNAP exam pattern is quite different from CAT and XAT exam. A comparative analysis of SNAP Vs other leading MBA entrance exams is shared below:

#### SNAP Vs CAT Exam Pattern

SNAP exam paper pattern is different from CAT exam. Check details in table below.

Component	SNAP 2025	CAT 2025
Total Questions	60	68
Overall Time Limit to Attempt the Exam	1 hour	2 hours
Answer Options for MCQs	4	4
Marks Awarded for each Correct Answer	1 for MCQs	3 for All questions
Negative Marking	25% for all questions	MCQs with 1/3 negative marking;
Exam Difficulty Level	Easy-Moderate	Difficult
Number of Sections	3	3

### SNAP Vs XAT Exam Pattern

SNAP exam paper pattern is also different from XAT exam. Check details in table below.

Component	SNAP 2025	XAT 2026
Total Questions	60	95 (Including GK)
Overall Time Limit to Attempt the Exam	1 hour	3 hours
Type of Questions	60 MCQs	MCQs
Answer Options for each MCQ	4	5
Marks Awarded for each correct answer	1 for each correct answer for MCQs (Normal Questions)	1
Negative Marking	25% for each wrong answer	75 MCQs with 1/4 negative marking; No negative marking for 20 MCQs on GK
Exam Difficulty Level	Moderate to Difficult	High
Number of Sections	3	4 Sections (3 main sections + GK section)
Individual Sectional Time Limit	No	No

### SNAP Vs NMAT Exam Pattern

SNAP exam is similar to NMAT exam in difficulty level, but there is a big difference in total number of questions. Check details in table below.

Component	SNAP 2025	NMAT 2025
Total Questions	60	108
Overall Time Limit to Attempt the Exam	1 hour	2 hours
Type of Questions	MCQs	All MCQs
Answer Options for MCQs	4	5
Individual Sectional Time Limit	No	Yes, varying time limit of 28 minutes to 52 minutes

## Summary

In summary, SNAP exam pattern 2026 is divided into three sections: General English; Quantitative, Data Interpretation & Data Sufficiency and Analytical & Logical Reasoning. Total number of questions are 60, to be solved in 60 minutes. Check section-wise details in above article.

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