# RRB NTPC Syllabus 2026 (CEN 06/2026 Graduate & CEN 07/2026 Undergraduate)

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Exam: Graduate CBT-1 tentatively from the fourth week of December 2026 (per RRB exam-schedule notice dated 12 October 2026). Undergraduate (CEN 07/2026) CBT dates not announced.

## Exam Pattern

### CBT-1 (1st Stage CBT, screening)

| Subject | Questions | Marks |
|---|---|---|
| General Awareness | 40 | 40 |
| Mathematics | 30 | 30 |
| General Intelligence & Reasoning | 30 | 30 |
| **Total** | **100** | **100** |

Duration: 90 minutes (120 minutes for scribe-eligible PwBD candidates) Negative marking: 1/3 mark deducted per wrong answer

### CBT-2 (2nd Stage CBT, merit-deciding)

| Subject | Questions | Marks |
|---|---|---|
| General Awareness | 50 | 50 |
| Mathematics | 35 | 35 |
| General Intelligence & Reasoning | 35 | 35 |
| **Total** | **120** | **120** |

Duration: 90 minutes (120 minutes for scribe-eligible PwBD candidates) Negative marking: 1/3 mark deducted per wrong answer

### Document Verification & Medical Examination

Negative marking: Not applicable - no written test; CBT-2 normalised marks decide the DV list (1:1 of vacancies)

## Syllabus — Subject-wise Topics

### General Awareness (same list for CBT-1 and CBT-2, para 13.1 & 13.2.1 of CEN 06/2026)

- Current Events of National and International Importance
- Games and Sports
- Art and Culture of India
- Indian Literature
- Monuments and Places of India
- General Science and Life Science (up to 10th CBSE)
- History of India and Freedom Struggle
- Physical, Social and Economic Geography of India and World

- Indian Polity and Governance - constitution and political system
- General Scientific and Technological Developments including Space and Nuclear Program of India
- UN and Other important World Organizations
- Environmental Issues Concerning India and World at Large
- Basics of Computers and Computer Applications
- Common Abbreviations
- Transport Systems in India
- Indian Economy
- Famous Personalities of India and World
- Flagship Government Programs
- Flora and Fauna of India
- Important Government and Public Sector Organizations of India

### Mathematics (same list for CBT-1 and CBT-2)

- Number System
- Decimals
- Fractions
- LCM
- HCF
- Ratio and Proportions
- Percentage
- Mensuration
- Time and Work
- Time and Distance
- Simple and Compound Interest
- Profit and Loss
- Elementary Algebra
- Geometry and Trigonometry
- Elementary Statistics

### General Intelligence & Reasoning (same list for CBT-1 and CBT-2)

- Analogies
- Completion of Number and Alphabetical Series
- Coding and Decoding
- Mathematical Operations
- Similarities and Differences
- Relationships
- Analytical Reasoning
- Syllogism
- Jumbling
- Venn Diagrams
- Puzzle
- Data Sufficiency
- Statement - Conclusion
- Statement - Courses of Action
- Decision Making

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- Maps
- Interpretation of Graphs

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