WELCOME TO THE XAVIER APTITUDE TEST (XAT) 2022

About Question Paper:

1. The computer-based exam will be only in English.

2. All the multiple-choice questions (MCQs) include five options with one correct option.

3. The question paper consists of a total of 101 questions.

4. The Question Paper consists of two-time bound parts:

   A. Part 1 (165 minutes)

       a. Verbal Ability & Logical Reasoning (26 questions)
       b. Decision Making (21 questions)
       c. Quantitative Aptitude & Data Interpretation (28 questions)

   B. Part 2 (25 minutes)

       a. General Knowledge (25 questions)

       b. Essay (1 question)

   NB: A candidate must choose ONE of the two essays (arguments) and develop a coherent essay. The essay should not exceed 250 words.

5. Marks awarded for every correct answer: +1 mark
6. Negative marks awarded for every incorrect answer: -0.25 mark
7. Negative marks awarded for **every** unattempted question after 8 **unattempted** questions: -0.10 mark
8. Negative marking does not apply to General Knowledge questions.
9. Essay shall be evaluated after the candidate will be shortlisted for the interview.
10. PwD candidates will get extra time of 20 minutes per hour which results in extra time of 55 minutes for Part 1and 5 minutes for Part 2.
11. The countdown timer at the top, right-hand side of the screen will display the time remaining, time available for you to complete the examination for the part of the question paper you are answering (Part 1/Part 2).
12. On completion of 165 minutes, the timer will reach zero and Part 1 will be locked. You will be moved to Part 2, i.e., General Knowledge & Essay section of the Question Paper. You are not allowed to leave the test lab before completion of the test.
13. PwD candidates are allowed to submit their answers at any point of time between 165 minutes and 220 minutes for Part 1 and between 15 to 20 minutes for Part 2. So, a PwD candidate may leave the lab between 180 minutes and 240 minutes depending upon the completion time of the test.

Special Notes:

14. Please ensure that you do not carry any prohibited item and ensure you only have your Admit Card and Photo ID proof (in original) with you.
15. All Exam Labs are under Video Surveillance and all your activities are closely monitored. You are therefore cautioned not to indulge in any unfair means. Such activities would lead to the cancellation of your candidature. As mentioned earlier, each correct answer will be awarded with 1 mark and each incorrect answer will attract -0.25 marks. Each un-attempted question after eight unattempted questions will attract -0.10 mark.

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