

Talent Corner

Poem — Tribute to Indian Forces

Indian forces works its best,
With their hardwork we can have a sleepful rest.
They are the perfect models to learn patriotism,
Serving just for their country, neither for fame nor
just for showing nationalism.

Our forces are our pride, Their dedication never lied.
Their mission is their aim,

We say life is a game but our soldiers are the real players in that game.
They also have their hearted family,
But being the best social workers securing even unknowns' family.

It's quite struggling to stay away from their hometown that is their heart,
But still contributing for the mother nation respecting soil as their part.
Donating their lives to secure the country's life,

Unfortunately in some missions martyring with their
nostalgic memories spent with their family and
country in their whole life.

Martyring for country is their utmost passionate gift to
their country and their grief we all can feel,
But especially for their disheartened families
watching their departed soul's bodies at the
end moment enshrouding Indian flag, it's quite difficult to deal.

Poets can only write being responsible writers,
To provide tribute to the countrymen for their humanity,
patience and social welfare being true fighters.

Sahaj Sabharwal

Poem — Precious as diamond - MOTHER

I am blessed to have such a mother who is one in a million ,
A lot of sacrifices for me she has done .

Her thoughts and talks are always frank to me ,
So much trustworthy she is , always believing in me .

You are mine , forever and ever.

Achieving you means achieving everything may it be whatever .

You are my world and all of me is in you ,
For me , you are just like my favorite colour that is blue .

You spread magic all around ,
Between you and me there is a strong bond that
will never break at any sound .

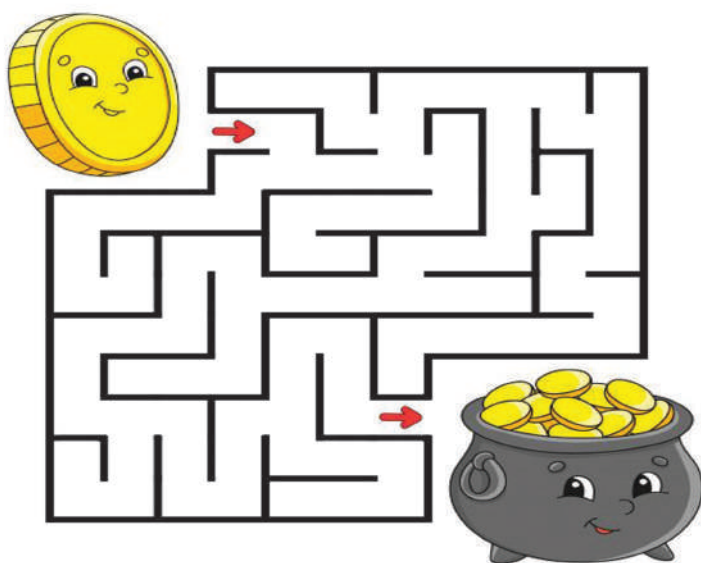
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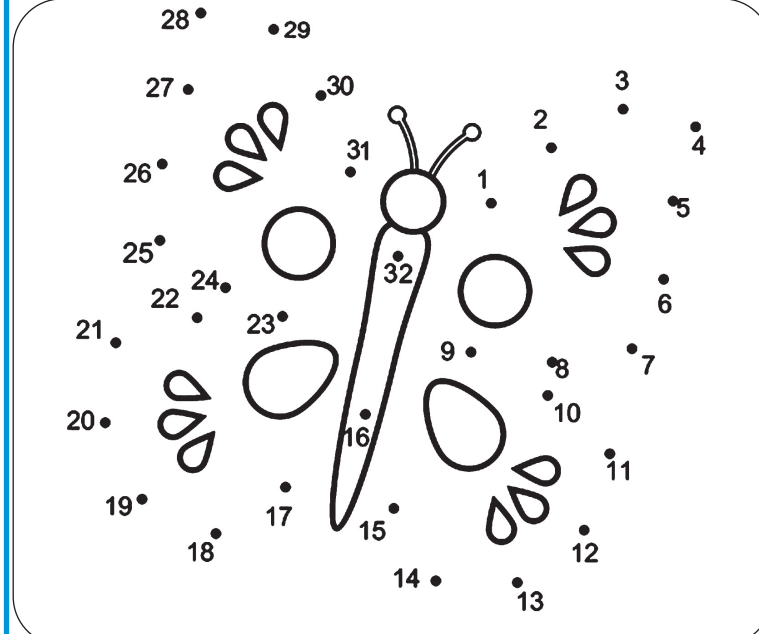
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CAREER AID

Indian Revenue Service

Indian Revenue Service (IRS) is the service under Grade A of the Central Civil Services of the executive branch of the Government of India. This service functions under the Department of Revenue in the Union Ministry of Finance. IRS comprises two branches - IRS (Customs and Central Excise) and IRS (Income Tax), which are controlled by two separate statutory bodies, viz., Central Board of Excise and Customs (CBEC) and Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) respectively.

The Central Board of Excise and Customs (CBEC) is the national agency responsible for administering Customs, Central Excise & Service Tax in India. Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) administers a number of Direct Tax Acts, namely, the Income Tax Act 1961, the Wealth Tax Act 1957, the Gift Tax Act 1958, Interest Tax Act 1974, Securities Transaction Tax Act 2004, Banking Cash Transaction Tax Act 2005 and Fringe Benefit Tax Act 2004, etc.

IRS department is India's premier financial agency, responsible for a wide variety of financial and fiscal matters. It is concerned with the collection and administration of the various direct and indirect taxes accruing to the Union Government such as Central sales tax, stamp duties, gold control and foreign exchange. The main work of the Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) is assessment and recovery of direct taxes. Besides Income Tax, the board also has specialised branches such as Revenue, Legislation and computerisation, Personnel & Vigilance, Investigation, Audit & Judicial dealing with investigation of tax evasion, recovery, statistics, and so on. Central Board of Excise and Customs (CBEC) deals with the collection of customs and central Excise duties, prevention of smuggling and administration of matters relating to central Excise and Narcotics.

Eligibility

The two sources of entry to Indian Revenue Service are the officers directly recruited through Civil Services



Examination conducted by UPSC and officers promoted from Income Tax Officers (Class-II) grade.

To enter into a career as IRS officer / officer grade directly one has to pass the Civil Service Examination conducted by UPSC. The minimum qualification required for applying for CSE is graduation from a recognised university. Candidates, who have attained 21 years of age but not attained 30 years of age on August 1st of the year of examination are eligible to apply.

Civil Service Examination is in two stages- preliminary and main. The preliminary examination (prelims) is the process through which candidates are short listed for the main written examination. Candidates qualifying the main (written) exam are called for personal interview. Based on the marks

secured in the main (written) and interview, a merit list is drawn up, which determines the choice of service. The exam is usually held in the month of April.

Junior Grade -

For junior level entry into the revenue service, one has to pass the Combined Graduate level Examination by the Staff Selection Commission. This is a less rigorous selection procedure as compared to the Civil Services Examination. Graduates of any discipline between 18 and 27 years are eligible to apply for this exam.

Eligibility for different job positions vary. In Customs & Central Excise and Income tax, eligibility for the posts of Customs officer / Income Tax Officer, Superintendent, Preventive officers/ Inspectors, Tax assistants, upper division

Clerks etc is graduation in any discipline, and clearing UPSC and SSC Exams respectively.

Plus two candidates can apply for the post of lower division clerks, and 7th class candidates with minimum 175.5 cm height and chest 80 cm can apply for the post of constables. Steno, typists etc need 10th pass. For some posts the board themselves conduct examinations for direct recruitment.

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