Lecturette and GD topics: set 1

In the lecturette you pick one topic from a card and speak for about three minutes after a short preparation time. The same topics serve for group discussion practice. Prepare structure, not scripts: introduction, three points, conclusion.

National

- Digital India and rural connectivity
- Water conservation
- Make in India in defence manufacturing
- Road safety
- Clean energy and solar power
- Youth and nation building
- Disaster management
- Women in the armed forces
- Agriculture and technology
- Skill development

International

- India’s neighbourhood policy
- The United Nations and peacekeeping
- Climate change and international cooperation
- Space exploration
- Cyber security
- Terrorism as a global threat
- The Indian Ocean region
- Global health after the pandemic

Social and general

- Social media: boon or bane
- Sports in schools
- Discipline in student life
- Leadership
- Value of teamwork
- Courage
- Role of the teacher
- Reading habits
- Mobile phones and children
- Volunteering

A simple structure

1. Open with a fact or a question (20 seconds).
2. Three points, each with an example (2 minutes).
3. A balanced conclusion or a way forward (30 seconds).
4. Practise with a timer and record yourself.

Practice material prepared for aspirants. The procedure and timings at your Selection Board are set by the board itself and your call-up letter.