

Department of Defence and Strategic Studies
M. A. in Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's Vision and Nation Building
Syllabus for Online Entrance Examination-2026

Syllabus

The Online Entrance Examination Pattern (2026) and Syllabus for Admission to the M. A. in Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's Vision and Nation Building at the Department of Defence and Strategic Studies, Savitribai Phule Pune University, is as follows:

TOTAL 100 Marks = Part A + Part B

Part A - 10 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) based on Aptitude to be answered for 20 Marks
- 10 MCQs - 2 marks each

Part B - 40 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) based on topics mentioned in the syllabus to be answered for 80 Marks - 40 MCQs - 2 marks each

Syllabus for Part A:

- Quantitative Aptitude
- General Mental Ability
- Reasoning

Syllabus for Part B:

The question paper on General Knowledge about Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj. The paper aims to check knowledge and intelligent understanding of the subject.

Suggested Reading List:

1. State Board Shivachhatrapati (Environmental Studies - Part Two) Standard Four.
2. Basic Text Books of the State Board and NCERT.