

Bank of Baroda Probationary Officer PO Exam Syllabus 2018

3.1. Online Examination:

The structure of the online examination will be as follows:

S No	Name of Tests (NOT BY SEQUENCE)	No. of Questions	Maximum Marks	Medium of Exam	Time allotted for each test
1	Reasoning and Computer Aptitude	50	75	English & Hindi	Composite time of 2 Hours 30 minutes
2	General/Economy/Banking Awareness	40	40		
3	Quantitative Aptitude	40	50		
4	English Language	35	35	English	
	TOTAL	165	200		2 Hours 30 minutes
5	English Language (Letter writing & Essay)	2	50	English	30 minutes

Bank reserves the right to modify the structure of the examination which will be intimated through Bank's website.

The descriptive paper of only such candidates who secure a minimum qualifying mark in the objective test will be assessed.

Other detailed information regarding the examination will be given in an information Handout, which will be made available for the candidates to download along with the call letters from the Bank's official website.

3.1.1. Penalty for Wrong Answers:

There will be penalty for wrong answers marked in the Objective Tests. For each question for which a wrong answer has been given by the candidate, one fourth or 0.25 of the marks assigned to that question will be deducted as penalty to arrive at corrected score. If a question is left blank, i.e. no answer is given by the candidate; there will be no penalty for that question.

Candidates are required to obtain a minimum score in each test and also a minimum total score in the online test to be shortlisted for Psychometric Assessment Test, Group Discussion & Interview. Candidates will be shortlisted for Group Discussion & Interview depending on the number of vacancies, cut-off in each test and total marks secured in the online test as decided by the Bank.

3.2. Group Discussion (GD)/Personal Interview (PI)/Psychometric Test:

- i. The aggregate marks of candidates qualifying in the Online Test will be arranged in descending order in each category and the candidates in the order of merit, subject to 4 times the number of intake in each category, will be called for Group Discussion and Interview. The qualifying marks in Online examination, Group Discussion & Interview will be as decided by the Bank.
- ii. The Final merit list for selection shall be arrived at on the basis of scores obtained by the candidates in Online test (objective + descriptive), Group Discussion and Interview.
- iii. In case more than one candidate scores the cut off marks (common mark at cut off point), such candidates will be ranked according to their age in descending order.

- iv. A candidate should qualify in all the processes of selection, i.e. Online Examination, GD and Personal Interview and sufficiently high in the merit to be shortlisted for selection subject to the vacancies available under the respective category.