

CLAT 2026 - General Knowledge (GK) Syllabus & Exam Pattern

The General Knowledge (GK), including Current Affairs section of the CLAT UG Exam, plays a crucial role as it carries significant weightage. The section tests candidates' awareness of national and international events, static general knowledge, and current affairs from the past 12–18 months.

Exam Pattern for GK Section

Section	Number of Questions	Weightage	Marks
General Knowledge including Current Affairs	28–32	≈25%	28–32 Marks

Detailed Syllabus for GK Section

Topic	Details
Current Affairs	Important events of the last 12–18 months, both national and international.
National & International Events	Awards, appointments, government schemes, summits, agreements.
Science & Technology	Recent developments, space, defence, environment, health innovations.
History	Indian independence movement, modern history, important dates.
Geography	Indian and world geography, capitals, rivers, mountains, environment issues.
Economics	Basic concepts, Union Budget, Economic Survey, RBI updates.
Polity	Indian Constitution, governance, amendments, articles, political structure.
Miscellaneous GK	Books & authors, sports events, important days, art & culture.