

UG Semester-End Final Exams-2026

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B.A / B.COM 4th Semester (VAC-NCC)

ARMED FORCES WAR & DRILL

Full Marks: 37.5

Pass Mark: 15

Time: 2 Hours

Choose the correct answer from the following

(7.5 Marks)

1. The Indian Army is primarily responsible for operations in which domain?
a) Sea
b) Space
c) Air
d) Land
2. What is the name of the highest wartime military decoration of India, awarded for bravery in the presence of the enemy?
a) Ashoka Chakra
b) Vir Chakra
c) Kirti Chakra
d) Param Vir Chakra
3. Which Motto in Sanskrit is associated with the Indian Army, emphasizing victory in battle?
a) Seva Parmo Dharma
b) Satyameva Jayate
c) Jai Jawan Jai Kisan
d) Jai Hind
4. When armed forces assist in floods or earthquakes, which function are they performing?
a) Internal Security Operations
b) Defense Of Borders
c) Aid to Civil authorities
d) International Cooperation

(PTO)

5. What does ISR stand for in Modern Indian Army Doctrine?

- a) Integrated Strategic Reserve
- b) Intelligence Surveillance Reconnaissance
- c) Immediate support Request
- d) Independent Strike Regiment

6. Which term describes efforts to build stable Relations and address root causes after Violence ends?

- a) Deterrence
- b) Propaganda
- c) Mobilization
- d) Peacebuilding

7. War between two countries is called?

- a) Civil War
- b) Interstate War
- c) Asymmetric War
- d) Total War

8. Which principle means a clear war aim

- a) Surprise
- b) Objective
- c) Morale
- d) Security

9. What was a key strategic features of the 1999 Kargil war?

- a) Large-Scale naval battles in the Arabian Sea
- b) High-Altitude conflict along Mountain ridges
- c) Aerial Bombing of major coastal cities
- d) Armoured clashes on the plains of Punjab

10. Which major Agreement followed the 1965 Indo-Pak war to restore peace?

- a) Indus waters treaty
- b) Shimla Agreement
- c) Tashkent Agreement
- d) Lahore Declaration

11. Which statement best describes the primary purpose of military drill?

- a) To give leaders opportunities to punish minor mistakes in front of others
- b) To ensure soldiers move, act, and respond as a coordinated team under command
- c) To create visually impressive parades for the public
- d) To replace physical fitness training with simpler movements

12. An NCC cadet who used to be shy now performs confidently during drill, calling out commands loudly and marching firmly in front of others. Which aim of drill does this situation best demonstrate?

- a) Smart Turnout
- b) Bearing
- c) Confidence
- d) Coordination

13. Why is timing important in marching?

- a) To let individuals slow off personal style
- b) To hide mistakes in formation
- c) To allow people to rest more often
- d) To keep the group moving in rhythm together

14. Which type of ceremonial drill is used for formal state occasions with full military honors?

- a) Ceremonial parade
- b) Arms Drill
- c) Foot Drill
- d) Funeral Drill

15. In a guard of honour, what is usually expected of the troops' appearance?

- a) Highest Standard of uniform and turnout
- b) Casual dress to stay relaxed
- c) Camouflage face paint and field gear
- d) Training kit and running shoes

(PTO)

II. Answer the following

(5x1=5)

1. Name the three Main Functions of the Indian armed forces.
2. Why is 26 July called Kargil Vijay Diwas ?
3. Define aggression?
4. What is the main difference between positive and negative peace?
5. Name one task of the Indian armed forces during natural disasters.

III. Answer the following

(5x5=25)

1. Explain the concept of armed forces and outline their primary purposes in safeguarding a nation, with reference to the Indian Context.
2. Briefly trace the history of the Indian military from pre-independence to post 1947, and describe any two key functions of the Indian armed forces.
3. Explain any five principles of war and their relevance to the Indian army.
4. Compare the strategies and key lessons from the 1971 and Kargil (1999) Indo-Pak wars, emphasizing the Indian Army's contribution to victory.
5. State the aims of drill and explain its importance in building discipline among cadets aspiring for Army service.
