



# How to Prepare English for NIACL Assistant 2018 - Best Strategy and Tips!

NIACL Assistant 2018 will take place on **8th and 9th September** 2018. <u>NIACL Assistant</u> is the most awaited exam if you are looking for a job in Insurance Sector. As the NIACL Assistant exams are approaching, and the English section holds almost one-third of the entire weightage. Therefore, it is crucial for you to start preparing right now. In this case, you must prepare english for NIACL to score more. Read this article to ace English for NIACL 2018.

English section of NIACL is not as hard as it seems. Since there are no straightforward rules to prepare for this section. These tips and shortcuts will help you **score easily for the English section.** 

## **Prepare English for NIACL Assistant – Division of Topics**

English in the NIACL Assistant exam is divided into 4 broad groups. Different groups gauge your different skills in English Language. This section includes questions based on the below-mentioned topics:

- 1. **Reading Comprehension (Weightage: 10-15 Qs)**: Passages are based on topics like Banking & Economy, Business, Social Issues etc. Fact and Inference based questions.
- 2. **Cloze Test (Weightage: 5-10 Qs)**: Phrase Replacement/Sentence Correction, and Fill in the Blanks.
- 3. **Error Spotting (Weightage: 8-10 Qs)**: Error Spotting, Fill in the Blanks (Double Blanks).
- 4. Vocabulary (Weightage: 8-10 Qs): Para Jumbles, and Grammar.

Before initiating your preparation note the below points -

- Get familiar with the syllabus.
- Weightage of each topic.
- Understand the difficulty level of each topic.

### Prepare English for NIACL Assistant – Reading Comprehension

Reading comprehension section tests your ability of understanding and analysing the given information to your vocabulary, grammar, and even writing ability.











- **Make your reading speedy to the maximum.** It will help you to completely solve all comprehensions in the exam.
- **Don't avoid difficult questions**. Some questions are more inference-based and they will help you to fully prepare for the real exam.
- Proper practice will help you solve the Comprehensions within time.
- **Get familiar with all types of questions** that are possible to come.
- Read: (1)<u>General Tips for RC</u>, (2) <u>Tips for Economics & Banking based</u> <u>passages</u>, (3) <u>Tips for understanding Tone of RC</u>, (4) <u>How to improve reading speed</u>.
- Solve these quizzes for more practice: Quiz 1, Quiz 2, Quiz 3, Quiz 4.

#### Prepare English for NIACL Assistant – Cloze Test

A Cloze Test accesses you will have a passage with certain missing words. To solve this section, you must have a strong command over English Language, Grammar, and Good Vocabulary.

- Practice speaking English the way you write it. Grammatical errors occur easily in Spoken English and easily go unnoticed. Moreover, Speaking English the way you write makes you more conscious and you can easily find out your own mistakes.
- Get hands-on with **the parts of speech**, since they are the basic blocks **guaranteeing** a **proper structure**.
- Make habit of using sentence diagrams for remembering all the knowledge of grammar you have.
- **Cover topics** such as Tenses, Articles, Prepositions, Subject Verb Agreement, Parallelism, Degrees of Comparison, Sentence Construction, Phrasal Verbs, Pronouns, Adverbs, Non-Finite Verbs, Common Errors, etc.
- Read these article for tips on topics in Grammar: (1) <u>Using Common & Proper Nouns correctly with Articles</u>, (2) <u>Gerunds</u> (3) <u>Difference between "its" and "it's"</u> (4) <u>Non-Finite Verbs with Examples</u>, (5) <u>Tips to Master Cloze test</u>, <u>Cloze Test Quiz</u>.
- For practice and to check your preparation level, solve these quizzes: <u>Fill in the Blanks</u> Quiz, <u>Direct Indirect Speech Quiz</u>.

#### Prepare English for NIACL Assistant – Error Spotting

Error-spotting is to find out the errors in grammar section. Even if you are well-versed with English, you sometimes end up making the silliest of errors in grammar. It is just a matter of practice!

- Improve your vocabulary by learning daily. Whenever you are idle or bored, read and try to memorize spellings.
- Use flashcards for learning and revising.









- Tips (1)26 Tips for Spotting Errors in English, (2) Common Errors Made in Degrees of Comparison
- Solve quizzes regularly to evaluate what you have learned. Find quiz here: **Spelling Quiz**. **Error Spotting Quiz**,

#### Prepare English for NIACL Assistant – Vocabulary

- Your Verbal ability is tested with **para-jumbling** questions.
- There are **no straightforward techniques** for jumbling questions. Figure out your own method that suits you best.
- **Having a good vocabulary is beneficial**. Work on building your vocabulary, as it will be useful for multiple topics in the English section.
- Best way to solve these questions is by **spotting the theme of each jumble**. Understanding the context helps to easily solve the verbal ability questions.
- Go to Testbook **Word Power Capsules** to learn new words every day.
- Read (1) <u>Tips for Verbal Ability Jumbling</u>, (2) <u>Easy Tips for Grammar</u> (3) <u>General Tips on Tenses</u> (4) <u>On Present Tenses</u>
- Solve as may tests and quizzes as possible. This will help you to be systematic with time management for question: **Para Jumbles Quiz. Phrase Replacement Quiz**

## Detailed NIACL Assistant Syllabus for Prelims 2018 NIACL Assistant Salary Structure & Job Profile

As we all know, practice is the key to success. Therefore, boost your preparation by starting your practice now.

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