**UPSC**

**Civil Services Mains Examination**

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**ESSAY QUESTION PAPER**

**SECTION – A**

**Write any one of the following essays in 1000-1200 words (125 marks)**

1. Alternative technologies for a climate change resilient India
2. A good life is one inspired by love and guided by knowledge
3. Poverty anywhere is a threat to prosperity everywhere
4. Management of Indian border disputes – a complex task

**SECTION – B**

**Write any one of the following essays in 1000-1200 words (125 marks)**

1. Customary morality cannot be a guide to modern life
2. “The past’ is a permanent dimension of human consciousness and values
3. A people that values its privileges above its principles loses both
4. Reality does not conform to the ideal, but confirms it