

INDIAN FOREST SERVICE EXAMINATION, 2024 – MINIMUM QUALIFYING MARKS

In the Indian Forest Service Examination 2024, the minimum qualifying standards/marks secured by the last recommended candidate in various categories at various stages are as under:-

Exam	General	EWS	OBC	SC	ST	PwBD-1	PwBD-2	PwBD-3
IFoS (Prelim)*	100.35	98.97	99.65	90.72	90.04	70.10	59.79	40.56
IFoS (Main)**	653	618	627	584	605	511	511	350
IFoS (Final)	898	857	848	809	811	—	727	687

* Cut off marks on the basis of GS Paper-I only. GS Paper-II is a qualifying paper with a minimum qualifying marks fixed at 33%.

** Subject to minimum 5% marks in each paper.

Abbreviation	Expanded Version
EWS	Economically Weaker Section
General	General Category
OBC	Other Backward Classes
SC	Schedule Castes
ST	Schedule Tribes

PwBD Category	
PwBD-1	Locomotor disability (sub-category : leprosy cured and acid attack victims only).
PwBD-2	Low vision
PwBD-3	Partially Deaf

TIE-PRINCIPLES

Wherever two or more candidates have secured equal aggregate marks in Indian Forest Service Examination, 2024, the tie(s) have been resolved in accordance with the principles approved by the Commission, viz.,

- (i) Candidate with more marks in Compulsory Papers and the Personality Test put together may be ranked higher ;
- (ii) In case the marks at (i) above are also equal, the candidate who is senior in age may be ranked higher.