



THE WEST BENGAL CENTRAL SCHOOL SERVICE COMMISSION

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NOTIFICATION

Teacher Eligibility Test-2015, for Upper Primary Level

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As per the instruction vide ref. no 483-SE(S)/1S-15/2013 dated 02/06/2015 of the Department of School Education (Govt. of West Bengal), The West Bengal Central School Service Commission has been designated to conduct Teacher Eligibility Test (TET), Paper-II, Upper Primary Level. Pursuant thereto under the guidelines of NCTE as enclosed in its letter No. **76-4/2010/NCTE/Acad dated 11th February, 2011** and in terms of Minimum Qualification laid down by NCTE as on date read with relaxation in Minimum Qualification as extended to the State of West Bengal by Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of School Education and Literacy) vide notification number **S.O. 918(E) dated 1st April,2015**, The West Bengal School Service Commission is going to hold Teacher Eligibility Test (TET), 2015 , for Upper Primary Level.

Note A.

Interested candidates who are eligible for TET-2015, (Upper Primary Level) strictly as per the Minimum Qualification as laid down by National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) as on date read with relaxation of minimum qualification granted by MHRD(Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India), vide no. 688 dated. 01.04.2015, shall have to apply **Online only (and by no other mode)** visiting the official website of The West Bengal School Service Commission (i.e., www.westbengalssc.com).

Note B.

(i) Eligible candidates who already applied for TET ,2013 pursuant to Public Notice dated 29.01.2014 issued vide no. **209/5277/CSSC/ESTT/2014** by the West Bengal Central School Service Commission and who express their consent for using the examination fees and particulars given in the Application Form filled up by them against the aforesaid Public Notice for TET 2015 must add additional information mentioning their earlier Application Form Number and Full Name and other details like address, passport size photograph with signature thereunder following the instruction given hereinafter, mentioning subdivision/area (for allotment of examination venue to the nearest location as far as possible) and academic qualification till date of submission of Application for TET, 2015. Such additional information are to be given in separate link found in the Home page of the official website of The West Bengal School Service

Commission (www.westbengalssc.com). Such candidates need not pay any fees for TET-2015, (Upper Primary Level).

(ii) The candidates who want to apply afresh may click on the link apply Afresh and fill in all details required and make necessary payment of fees as applicable.

Note C .

Qualifying in the TET would not confer a right on any person for Recruitment/Employment as it is only one of the eligibility criteria for appointment.

Information Brochure is available in the official website of this Commission (www.westbengalssc.com) where the entire processes of submission of Online Application Form has been described. Candidates are advised to follow these instructions before filling up their Online Application Forms.

1. Scheduled Dates:

(i) Submission of Online Application

a. Candidates who applied for TET , 2013 :

12.06.2015 to 30.06.2015

b. Fresh Candidates :

18.06.2015 to 30.06.2015

(ii) Fees Payments through e-Challan(EASY PAY/ Power Ecoll-NEFT) (Applicable only for fresh candidates) : 19.06.2015 to 03.07.2015

(iii) Download of Admit Card : - As will be notified later.

2. Tentative Date Of the Test :- 30.08.2015

3. Duration of the Test: 1 and ½ hours.

4. Admit Card :- Admit card of the said TET will be available by downloading from the official website (www.westbengalssc.com) ----- As will be notified later.

5. Fees for Examination :

(a) Application fees for General and OBC-A/OBC-B candidates: Rs. 250 /-

(b) Application fees for reserved (SC/ST/ PH-VH/PH-HI/PH-OH) categories: Rs.80 /-

6. Syllabus: As per NCTE Guidelines.

7. Selection of Language I & Language II: A candidate shall select Language I and Language II in the TET from the list of prescribed options in the application Form. The candidate must have the language (be it language- I or language –II) selected by him from the list as first or second or third language -- at Secondary level or Higher Secondary Level or its equivalent or at Graduation level. The Language-II selected by a candidate shall have to be a language other than language –I selected by him/her.

8. ONLINE APPLICATION FORM & SUBMISSION THEREOF AND RELATED INFORMATION:

i) Domain: www.westbengalssc.com

(ii) Online Application has to be submitted by accessing the following official website of The West Bengal School Service Commission (i.e. www.westbengalssc.com) . The candidate should supply all the required details as mentioned in the application form while filling up the 'Online' Application.

iii) The candidates who applied for TET , 2013 ,pursuant to the Public Notice dated 29.01.2014 should carefully consult Note B above while filling up online application.

iv) Candidates can submit online application visiting nearest "Sahaj Tathya Mitra Kendra , Common Service centre (C.S.C.)" with his/her documents with recent passport size photograph with signature under it. At Sahaj Tathya Mitra Kendra applicant can apply online and also can pay the fees by cash at Sahaj Tathya Mitra Kendra and take a Receipt.

v) For uploading the Photograph and the Signature – Please paste the coloured photograph on a white paper and put your full signature just below the Photograph. Now scan the photograph and the signature below it and crop it. Next save it such a way that the file size becomes between 10 KB to 30 KB. Now upload the photograph by clicking the button and click on the final submit button. For details please follow the instruction given in Information Brochure.

- vi)** After successful uploading of all the requisite information and the photo –with signature, candidates will be able to print their field in Application form where he/she will get an Application ID which can be used for future reference. Candidate can also take a print-out of the application form with Payment –Done status after 48 hours of payment of the fees.
- vii)** Detailed instructions/guidelines for filling the Application form, Information regarding nearest Sahaj Tathya Mitra Kendra and Application Fees payment method can be found in the Brochure.
- viii)** Candidates can also apply online by accessing the official website of The West Bengal School Service Commission (i.e. www.westbengalssc.com) and then feeding his/her personal and educational information as required by the commission and finally he/she will get an e-Challan (EASY PAY Cash Challan/ Power Ecoll-NEFT) from AXIS Bank. He/she has to take a printout copy of the same and has to visit designated bank branches to submit the fees after 24 hours of successful submission of the Online Application Form.
- EASY PAY (Cash Challan)
 - a) After selecting Cash Mode option a CASH CHALLAN will be generated.
 - b) The applicant will take print out of the challan and visit nearest Axis Bank Branch to deposit the application fees.(List of Bank Branches is available in Commission’s Website)
 - c) The applicant should visit Axis Bank Branch counter only after 24 hours of CASH CHALLAN generation.
 - d) The Cashier will accept cash and returned APPLICANT’S Copy with bank’s seal & sign to the applicant. The Bank’s copy will be retained by the Axis Bank Branch.
 - e) All the applicants are instructed to retain the bank’s seal & signed challan copy for future reference.
 - f) Any manually modified challan will not be accepted at Bank counters.

- Power E-Coll –NEFT :

- a) After selecting NEFT Mode option a NEFT APPLICATION FORM will be generated.
 - b) The applicant will take print out of the challan and fill up below details neatly,
 1. Bank Name
 2. Branch Name
 3. Date
 4. Name of the Applicant
 5. Mobile Number
 6. Signature of the Applicant
 - c) The applicant should visit his/ her own Bank branch where he/she has an account to do NEFT. If the Bank Branch provides any other Challan of their Bank that should also be filled in.
 - d) The Bank Branch official will fill up NEFT Charges and Total Amount field.
 - e) The Bank Branch official will remit the application fees through NEFT.
 - f) After successful remittance the Bank official will provide UTR No. and put seal & sign on the Customer Acknowledgement slip.
 - g) The Bank official will return the Customer Acknowledgement slip to the applicant and the applicant will retain the Acknowledgement slip for future reference.
9. ELIGIBILITY: The candidates having the following minimum educational qualification and criteria etc. are eligible for appearing in TET- 2015, (Upper Primary Level).
- (a) Citizenship: Only citizen of India can apply for the said Teacher Eligibility Test i.e TET -2015 , (Upper Primary Level).
 - (b) The candidate should satisfy himself/herself about his/her eligibility before applying and shall be personally responsible in case he/she is not eligible to apply as per the given eligibility criteria. It is to be noted that if a candidate has been allowed to appear in the Teacher Eligibility Test (TET), it does not imply that the candidate's eligibility has been verified. It does not vest any right with the candidate for appointment. The eligibility even for a candidate who has qualified in TET-2015 , (Upper Primary Level) shall be finally verified by the concerned selecting authority / recruiting agency / appointing authority.

(c) Educational Qualification: Persons having the following educational qualification are eligible for appearing in TET.

Graduation and 2-year Diploma in Elementary Education (by whatever name known).

OR

Graduation with at least 50% marks and 1-year Bachelor in Education (B.Ed).

OR

Graduation with at least 45% marks and 1- year Bachelor in Education (B.Ed), in accordance with the NCTE (Recognition Norms and Procedure) Regulations issued from time to time in this regard.

OR

Senior Secondary (or its equivalent) with at least 50% marks and 4- year Bachelor in Elementary Education (B.El.Ed).

OR

Senior Secondary (or its equivalent) with at least 50% marks and 4- year B.A/B.Sc.Ed or B.A.Ed/B.Sc.Ed.

OR

Graduation with at least 50% marks and 1-year B.Ed. (Special Education).

OR

Graduation with at least 50% marks as per relaxation given by Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of School Education and Literacy) vide notification number S.O. 918(E) dated 1st April ,2015, which was published in the Gazette of India on 1st April 2015)

Note D :

(i) Reservation Policy : Relaxation up to 5% in the qualifying marks shall be allowed to the candidates belonging to reserved categories, such as SC/ST/OBC/PH.

(ii) Diploma/Degree Course in Teacher Education: For the purposes of this Notification, a Diploma/Degree course in teacher education recognized by the National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) only shall be considered. However, in case of Diploma in Education (Special Education) and B.ED (Special Education), a course recognized by the Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) only shall be considered.

(iii) Training to be undergone: A person with D.Ed (Special Education) qualification shall undergo, after appointment an NCTE recognized 6-month Special Programme in Elementary Education.

(iv) The minimum qualifications referred above apply to teachers of Languages, Social Studies, Mathematics & Science.

(v) The candidate not having any of the above qualification shall not be eligible for appearing in TET- 2015, (Upper Primary Level).

(vi) The candidate should satisfy his/her eligibility before applying and shall be only personally responsible in case it is found subsequently that he/she was not eligible to apply as per the given eligibility criteria. It is to be noted that if a candidate has been allowed to appear in TET-2015 , (Upper Primary Level) ,it does not imply that the candidate's eligibility has been finally verified. It does not vest any right with the candidate for appointment. The eligibility shall be finally verified, by the concerned selecting authority/recruiting agency / appointing authority.

10. Examination structure and content : TET 2015 For Upper Primary Level .

No. of MCQs -150. Duration of Examination : one – and – a – half hours

Paper Name	Full Marks	Question Type	Duration	Nature of marking
i) Child Development & Pedagogy (compulsory).	30	30 MCQs	1 hour and 30 minutes	1 MCQ question carry 1 mark
ii) Language I (compulsory) .	30	30 MCQs		
iii) Language II (compulsory).	30	30 MCQs		
iv) (a)For Mathematics and Science Teacher : Mathematics and Science – 60 MCQs of 1 mark each (b) For Social Studies Teacher : Social Studies – 60 MCQs of 1 mark each (c) For Any Other Teacher – either (a) or (b)	60	60 MCQs		

11. Applicability:

- i) TET-2015 , (Upper Primary Level)shall apply to Schools managed by The Government of West Bengal/Local bodies and aided/ sponsored schools in West Bengal.
- ii) TET-2015 , (Upper Primary Level) may also apply to other schools or equivalent educational institutions, if such schools/educational institutions opt for it.

12. Qualifying Marks : A Person who scores 60% or more in the TET examination will be considered as TET pass. However relaxation up to 5% in the qualifying marks shall be allowed to the candidates belonging to reserved categories, such as SC/ST/OBC/PH.

13. Pattern of Examination: TET-2015, (Upper Primary Level) examination will be of objective type Multiple Choice Question (MCQ's). There will be no negative marking. For further information in this respect please visit our website: www.westbengalssc.com

14. Important Notes:

- (a) Candidates can only apply Online for TET- 2015, (Upper Primary Level).
- (b) Candidates must follow instructions strictly as given in the Information Brochure/ the website of The West Bengal School Service Commission (www.westbengalssc.com)
- (c) The candidature of candidates not complying with the instructions shall be summarily rejected.
- (d) Candidate should enter his particulars i.e. Name, Father's Name, Mother's Name & Date of Birth as per his/her Madhyamik/School leaving Certificate.

15. Commission's Helpline :: To assist the candidates to submit the online application of TET – 2015 (Upper Primary Level), the following centres will be available for assistance in this regard. Candidates may utilize the facility on contacting there from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm on all working days :

Addresses And Contact Numbers of The Central Commission and Regional Commissions.

Sl NO	Name of the office with Address	Contact No.
1	W.B. Central School Service Commission. 'Acharya Sadan ', Salt Lake. EE -11 & 11/1, Bidhannagar, Sector – II , Kolkata – 700091	033-2321-4550
2	W.B. Regional School Service Commission. (Eastern Region) MBC Institute of Engineering & Technology Campus Sadhanpur, PO & District – Bardhaman, Pin – 713101	0342-2624534
3	W.B. Regional School Service Commission. (Northern Region) Govt Teachers Training College Hostel, Malanchapally, Ward No . 03, English Bazer Municipality, P.O. – Makdumpur, Dist – Malda- 732103	03512-278014
4	W.B. Regional School Service Commission. (Southern Region) 84, Sarat Bose Road , Kolkata – 700026	033-2485-1415
5	W.B. Regional School Service Commission. (Western Region) Acharya Bhavan, PO & Dist – Bankura, Pin – 722101	03242-255895
6	W.B. Regional School Service Commission. (South – Eastern Region) Zilla Parishad Bhavan (Annex Building) 1 st Floor, Rishi Bankim Sarani, PO – Barasat, District – North 24 Pargans , Pin -700124	033-2548-1060
Official Website : http://www.westbengalscc.com		
Help Line Ph No.for Application Form Fillup related Quires : - 033-2321-4550 / 9051176500 / 9051174600 / 9051174700		

Help Lines of Sahaj Tathya Mitra Kendras

1. 18004190250
2. 9748416822
3. 9674443035

Axis Bank Help Line Nos. (Only for Bank related quires and payment related quires through Axis Bank and other Banks)

1. 9674904103
2. 9874304102
3. 9836822563
4. 033-25250111

N.B. [A.] CANDIDATES MAY DOWNLOAD THE NOTIFICATION AND INFORMATION BROCHURE FROM THE WEBSITE

[B] . HARDCOPY OF APPLICATION FORM ,CERTIFICATES, BANK CHALLANS ETC SHOULD NOT BE SENT TO COMMISSION



Date – 10.06.2015
Place – Kolkata

Secretary
W.B. Central School Service Commission