

IMPORTANT
CANDIDATES ARE REQUESTED TO GO THROUGH THESE
INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES

ONLINE SCREENING TEST (OST): SEP 2025

General

1. Army Public Schools (APS) are located in various Cantonments and Military Stations across India. These schools are administered and managed by Local Military Authorities and are affiliated to CBSE. A list of these schools is placed at **Appx A**.
2. An **Online Screening Test** will be conducted for potential teachers/ teachers under various categories. The exact number of vacancies available in respective schools would be announced by each School Management through advertisements published in newspapers and respective school website/notice boards. Appointments would be transferable in organizational interest.

Selection Procedure.

3. The selection of teachers will be carried out as follows:-
 - (a) **Online Screening Test (OST).** A computer based online screening test will be held on **20 Sep 2025 and 21 Sep 2025 with 22 Sep 2025 & 23 Sep 2025** as reserve dates. The test shall be conducted centrally and **online** by an agency identified by HQ AWES to ensure uniform quality of teachers in all Army Public Schools. **THOSE WHO APPEAR IN THE EXAMINATION WILL BE GIVEN A SCORE CARD WHICH SHALL BE VALID FOR LIFE.** Passing the Online Screening Test is not mandatory for appearing for the interview and evaluation of teaching skills & computer proficiency. However, OST qualified candidates will be **preferred and OST marks carry a weightage at interview stage.** After selection in the post of a teacher, a non-OST qualified candidate must pass the OST within two years of being appointed with a minimum overall raw score of 50 % (100 marks). In addition to fresh candidates, the following may also appear for the **OST**: -

- (i) Holders of score cards who want to improve their scores.
 - (ii) Those desirous of applying for different post. For eg, candidates holding score card of TGT may wish to obtain a card for PGT, having acquired additional qualifications or vice versa.

Note. For candidates who have already qualified in OST, the eligibility conditions as applicable in the year of passing will apply.

(b) **Interview.**

- (i) Every school will announce the vacancies available in their school through various means like local newspapers, the school website, notice board etc. Candidates would have to apply to respective school where they wish to work in response to these announcements/ advertisements. The interviews may or may not be held at the location of the school. They may be held at the discretion of the local management at a convenient place/or in any of the other schools.
 - (ii) **Call for Interview by the Selection Board.** The shortlisted candidates would be called for the interview depending upon the number of vacancies available and location of employment.
 - (iii) **Evaluation of Teaching Skills and Computer Proficiency.** For Language teachers, a written test comprising an essay writing and comprehension of 15 marks each would be held along with evaluation of teaching skills. The Selection Committee may also hold computer proficiency tests if they so desire. In case the computer proficiency test is held, the same will be held for all candidates.

Note:

- (i) The interview shall be for a Group of Schools called a cluster and the selected candidates may be appointed in any one of the schools in that cluster.
 - (ii) Authorities conducting the Interview may carry out additional screening of candidates if the number of candidates is large and administratively unmanageable.

(iii) Candidates who receive a letter of offer of appointment for the post of a teacher in any category are required to get a police verification certificate at the earliest and in no case later than 30 days from date of joining. Spouses of serving Army, Air Force and Navy personnel will get verification of their antecedents from the Commanding Officer/ Formation Commander/ Station Commander of the establishment where their spouses are serving.

Guidelines for the Conduct of the Online Screening Test (OST)

4. **List of Subjects.** OST will be held for the posts of PRT, TGT and PGT. The list of subjects for PRT, TGT and PGT is given at **Appx B**. Candidates must ensure that they meet educational and age criteria as given below before registering for the OST. If a discrepancy is noticed later at any stage during the selection process, the candidate is liable to be disqualified without refund of examination fees. Candidates who meet the educational criteria for more than one post may apply separately for each post (PGT/TGT/PRT) and clear the OST applicable for that post.

5. **Qualification Criteria.** The requisite qualifications are: -

(a) **Educational/Professional Qualification.**

Ser No	Post	<u>Minimum Qualifications</u>			
		Education	Aggregate %	Professional	Aggregate %
(i)	PGT	Post-Graduation	50	B. Ed (From a NCTE recognized institution)	50
(ii)	TGT	Graduation	50*	B. Ed (From a NCTE recognized institution)	50
(iii)	PRT	Graduation	50*	B.El.Ed /Two-year D.El.Ed (From a NCTE recognized institution) OR Teachers who were already in service with Army Public Schools/APPS prior to 11 Aug 2023 with B Ed degree can also apply / continue, subject to completion of Bridge Course as and when launched by NCTE.	50

Note:

(i) ***A Post-Graduate with less than 50% aggregate marks in Graduation can also apply for the post of a TGT / PRT provided the candidate has scored a minimum of 50% or more aggregate marks in Post-Graduation.**

(ii) **Aggregate percentage will be based on the marks for the entire duration of Graduation/Post Graduation.**

(b) Qualified in CTET or appropriate State TET. CTET/TET is not mandatory for appearing in the Online Screening Test. However, CTET/TET conducted by Centre/state government is mandatory at the time of appointment as TGTs/PRTs. Therefore, candidates must ensure that they clear CTET/TET before their appointment as TGTs/PRTs. Candidates who have not qualified CTET/TET but found fit in all other aspects may be considered for appointment on vacancies which may be ADHOC in nature.

(c) Candidates are required to ensure that they at least fulfill NCTE rules, regulations and notifications for minimum qualifications, KV Sangathan recruitment rules and regulations and Appendix- VII of CBSE Affiliation Bye-Laws 2018 before they register for OST.

6. Detailed list of minimum qualifications for candidates in addition to the above is given at **Appx C**.

7. **Age and Experience Criteria of Candidates.** As on 01 April of the year of appointment, the age and experience of the candidates should be as under: -

(a) **Army Spouses (Experience).**

Ser No	Age (in years)	Minimum (Teaching) Experience Required	Remarks
(i)	Below 40	Nil	-
(ii)	40 to 55	05 years	Experience is cumulative

Note. For Ser 7 (a) (ii) experience should be in the appropriate category (For PGT category the candidate should have worked as PGT/TGT. Experience gained as PRT in the same period shall not be counted for appointment as PGT. For the post of TGT, experience gained as PRT shall however be accepted and as per extant qualifications laid down by regulatory bodies).

(b) **Others (Experience).**

Ser No	Age (years)	Minimum (Teaching) Experience Required	Remarks
(i)	Below 40	Fresh Candidates (No Teaching Experience)	-
(ii)	40 to 55	05 years	In last ten years

Note. For Ser 7 (b) (ii), 05 years experience is mandatory in the appropriate category in the last ten years (For PGT category the candidate should have worked as PGT/TGT. Experience gained as PRT in the same period shall not be counted for appointment as PGT. For the post of TGT, experience gained as PRT shall however be accepted and as per extant qualification laid down by regulatory bodies).

8. **Modalities of Conduct of Online Screening Test.**

- (a) **Date.** 20 Sep and 21 Sep 2025. Reserve Date is 22 Sep 2025 & 23 Sep 2025 (In case due to increased strength of candidates applying for the exam and they cannot be adjusted on 20 and 21 Sep 2025).
- (b) **Method.** Test will be conducted ON-LINE in the MCQ format. The questions will be randomly generated from a subject specific question bank. A detailed blue print of the question paper is given at **Appx D**.
- (c) **Exam Centres.** A list of Exam Centres will be available on the Registration Portal. A tentative List is also placed at **Appx E**. The candidates are required to fill in three choices in order of preference. All efforts will be made to allot one of the three preferred choices. If none of the choices are available, the application fees shall be refunded.
- Note:** There may be some changes in the list of examination centres due to administrative reasons. However, no change will be made after issue of Admit Cards.
- (d) For each category there will be one question paper of 200 marks, i.e., one question paper for PRT, and one question paper in each subject for PGT as well as TGT.
- (e) The question paper will have 200 questions for one mark each. For each correct response the candidate will be awarded one mark. There will also be **NEGATIVE MARKING, of 1/4 mark for each wrong answer.**
- (f) **Result.** The result would be generated as follows:-

(i) **Absolute Result Exam Summary.** Once the candidate has finished attempting the question paper and the answer sheet is submitted an automatic **Absolute Result Exam Summary** will be generated instantly. The candidate can note down the result immediately from the result displayed on the screen. The Absolute Result Exam Summary would indicate the following:-

- (aa) Question offered.
- (ab) Questions attempted.
- (ac) Questions not attempted.

(ii) **Score Card.** The After declaration of the result, all candidates will be issued with a score card valid for life. The score card will reflect the raw scores obtained in each section as well as the overall aggregate raw score. It can be downloaded from www.awesindia.com.

(iii) The score card will be available on the site till **31 Mar 2026**. Once the results are removed from portal, a **Duplicate Score Card** can be obtained on a special request and on payment of an administrative charge of ₹ 250/- (₹ Two Hundred Fifty only).

(iv) In case a candidate who is not satisfied with the score obtained in the current examination, the candidate can apply again for the next schedule of OST to improve the score.

9. Registration. Candidates are expected to register ON-LINE for the screening exam by logging onto the Registration Portal www.awesindia.com. Candidates can register between **05 Jun 2025 to 16 Aug 2025**. Thereafter the portal will be closed for registration. The procedure to be followed will be as per details available on the website. **CANDIDATES ARE STRONGLY ADVISED NOT TO LOG IN TO ANY OTHER WEBSITE FOR INFORMATION ON THE ONLINE SCREENING TEST AND FOR REGISTRATION.** Please use the steps given below to give general information about yourself to register your profile:-

- (a) For profile registration, you need to have a valid AADHAR CARD, MOBILE NUMBER and e-mail ID.
- (b) You will receive an OTP on your Mobile number and e-mail ID for registration.
- (c) You can edit your Post/Other details any time before submitting, except Basic Details.
- (d) While entering the required information in on-line form, you will be asked by system to attach the following documents: -
 - (i) Photograph and signatures.
 - (ii) Proof of date of birth.
 - (iii) Certificates of academic qualifications.
- (e) The system will then ask you to pay the exam fee of Rs 385/- (Rupees three hundred eight five only) ON-LINE. Payment options are UPI/Debit/Credit Cards/ Net banking. A payment gateway has been integrated with the web-site for the purpose and candidates will be guided through the payment process.
- (f) Once registration is completed, you will get a confirmation that registration is successful. You will also be informed through e-mail and SMS regarding the same.
- (g) You may seek assistance till the examination on the following HELPLINE number: +917969049948 and Helpdesk email : awes25.helpdesk@smartexams.in .
- (h) Candidates can apply for more than one post, viz PRT/TGT/PGT, provided they fulfill the criteria for the post applied for. In such cases the candidate will have to apply afresh for each post.
- (j) All candidates must keep a print out of the application submitted.

10. **Mock Questions.** 10 % of total questions of each paper as per the blue print will be provided in PDF format and will be uploaded on the AWES website for the candidates reference wef 01 Sep 2025.

11. **Admit Cards.** Admit Cards will be available **ON-LINE**. Candidates may download and print the same. The Admit Card should be produced for gaining entry to the Exam Centre. **Candidates are advised to read the instructions appended to the Admit Card carefully.**

12. **Tentative Timelines.**

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| (a) | Registration | - 05 Jun 2025 to 16 Aug 2025 |
| (b) | Application Correction Window | - 22 Aug 2025 to 24 Aug 2025 |
| (c) | Availability of Admit cards on-line | - 08 Sep 2025 |
| (d) | Examination | - 20 & 21 Sep 2025 |
| (e) | Reserve Date | - 22 & 23 Sep 2025 |
| (f) | Publication of Result | - After 08 Oct 2025 |

13. After publication of the result, **candidates must contact the school/regularly check the website of the schools in which they are interested for employment or look for advertisement in newspapers for details of vacancies in various schools.** Selection shall be conducted by respective school / their controlling management as per details enclosed in the advertisement / available on the school website.

14. Army Welfare Education Society, under the Adjutant General's Branch, Integrated HQ of Ministry of Defence (Army) conducts the Online Screening Test on behalf of the Boards of Administration at Regional Command Headquarters. Selection and appointment will be done by the Board of Administration/School Administration and Management Committee. Grievances in selection procedure in Stage 2 and Stage 3, if any should be addressed to 'The Chairman, Board of Administration of respective commands as given below: -

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| (a) | The Chairman, Board of Administration
Army Welfare Education Society
HQ, Southern Command
Pune – 411001 |
| (b) | The Chairman, Board of Administration
Army Welfare Education Society
HQ, Eastern Command, Kolkata
Pin-700021. |
| (a) | The Chairman, Board of Administration
Army Welfare Education Society
HQ, Central Command, Lucknow
Pin-226002 |
| (e) | The Chairman, Board of Administration
Army Welfare Education Society
HQ, Western Command, Chandimandir
Pin - 134107. |
| (b) | The Chairman, Board of Administration, Army Welfare Education Society
HQ, Northern Command Udhampur
Pin-182101 |
| (c) | The Chairman, Board of Administration
Army Welfare Education Society
HQ, South-Western Command, Jaipur
Pin-302001 |

LIST OF ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

S. No.	Name of School/Cluster	S. No	Name of School/Cluster	S. No	Name of School/Cluster
	<u>CLUSTER 1</u>		<u>CLUSTER 6</u>	45.	APS Bengdubi
1.	APS Pune	23.	APS Secunderabad (RKP)	46.	APS Sukna
2.	APS Kirkee	24.	APS Secunderabad (Bolarum)	47.	APS Gangtok
3.	APS Dighi	25.	APS Golconda	48.	APS Darjeeling
4.	APS Dehu Road		<u>CLUSTER 7</u>	49.	APS Kalimpong
5.	APS Khadakvasla	26.	APS Bangalore		<u>CLUSTER 12</u>
	<u>CLUSTER 2</u>	27.	APS ASC Centre & College	50.	APS Tezpur
6.	APS Devlali	28.	APS PRTC	51.	APS Tenga Valley
7.	APS Mumbai	29.	APS Chennai	52.	APS Missamari
8.	APS Ahmednagar	30.	APS Wellington	53.	APS Rangapahar
9.	APS Kamptee	31.	APS Trivandrum		<u>CLUSTER 13</u>
10.	APS MIC &S Ahmednagar	32.	APS Cannanore	54.	APS Agartala
	<u>CLUSTER 3</u>	33.	APS Belgaum		
11.	APS Jaisalmer		<u>CLUSTER 8</u>		<u>CLUSTER 14</u>
12.	APS Jodhpur	34.	APS Kolkata	55.	APS Dinjan
13.	APS Nasirabad	35.	APS Barrackpore		<u>CLUSTER 15</u>
	<u>CLUSTER 4</u>	36.	APS Panagarh	56.	APS Chandimandir
14.	APS Ahmedabad		<u>CLUSTER 9</u>	57.	APS Dagshai
15.	APS Dharangdhara	37.	APS Narangi		<u>CLUSTER 16</u>
16.	APS Bhuj	38.	APS Basistha	58.	APS Ambala
	<u>CLUSTER 5</u>	39.	APS Shillong	59.	APS Patiala
17.	APS Bhopal	40.	APS Umroi	60.	APS Sangrur
18.	APS Gwalior	41.	APS Happy Valley	61.	APS Nahan
19.	APS Babina		<u>CLUSTER 10</u>		<u>CLUSTER 17</u>
20.	APS Saugor	42.	APS Jorhat	62.	APS Jalandhar
21.	APS Jhansi		<u>CLUSTER 11</u>	63.	APS Kapurthala
22.	APS Talbehath	43.	APS Binnaguri	64.	APS Ferozpur
		44.	APS Bagrakote	65.	APS Amritsar

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66.	APS Tibri	91.	APS Faizabad	114.	APS Meerut
67.	APS Beas	92.	APS Kunraghat	115.	APS Raiwala
68.	APS Ludhiana	93.	APS Agra	116.	APS Clement Town
	<u>CLUSTER 18</u>		<u>CLUSTER 22</u>	117.	APS Birpur
69.	APS Mamun Cantt	94.	APS Bareilly		<u>CLUSTER 28</u>
70.	APS Yol Cantt	95.	APS Pithoragarh (BCJ)	118.	APS Gopalpur
71.	APS Unchibassi	96.	APS Ranikhet		<u>CLUSTER 29</u>
72.	APS Kandrori	97.	APS Almora	119.	APS Udhampur
73.	APS Janglot	98.	APS Hempur	120.	APS Dhar Road
74.	APS Madhopur	99.	APS Fatehgarh	121.	APS Leh
75.	APS Pathankot		<u>CLUSTER 23</u>	122.	APS Srinagar
	<u>CLUSTER 19</u>	100.	APS Jabalpur No.1	123.	APS Akhnoor
76.	APS Kaluchak	101.	APS Jabalpur No.2	124.	APS RakhMuthi
77.	APS Sunjwan		<u>CLUSTER 24</u>	125.	APS Nagrota
78.	APS Damana	102.	APS Mhow		<u>CLUSTER 30</u>
79.	APS Ratnuchak		<u>CLUSTER 25</u>	126.	APS Jaipur
80.	APS BD Bari	103.	APS Danapur	127.	APS Itarana (Alwar)
81.	APS Samba	104.	APS Ramgarh	128.	APS Kota
82.	APS Jammu	105.	APS Gaya	129.	APS Bharatpur
83.	APS Miran Sahib		<u>CLUSTER 26</u>		<u>CLUSTER 31</u>
	<u>CLUSTER 20</u>	106.	APS Allahabad	130.	APS Bikaner
84.	APS Delhi Cantonment	107.	APS Varanasi	131.	APS Suratgarh
85.	APS Dhaula Kuan	108.	APS Mathura		<u>CLUSTER 32</u>
86.	APS Shankar Vihar	109.	APS Old Cantt Allahabad	132.	APS Bhatinda
87.	APS NOIDA	110.	APS Kanpur	133.	APS Fazilka
	<u>CLUSTER 21</u>		<u>CLUSTER 27</u>	134.	APS Faridkot
88.	APS Lucknow (SP)	111.	APS Roorkee No.1	135.	APS Abohar
89.	APS Lucknow (NR)	112.	APS Roorkee No.2	136.	APS Ganganagar
90.	APS Lucknow (LSB)	113.	APS Lansdowne	137.	APS Lalgarh

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	<u>CLUSTER 33</u>		
138.	APS Hisar		
	<u>CLUSTER 34</u>		
198.	APS Ranchi		
	<u>CLUSTER 35</u>		
140	APS Brichgunj (A&N)		

LIST OF SUBJECTS FOR THE ONLINE SCREENING TEST AT PGT/TGT/PRT LEVEL

S No	PGT	TGT	PRT
1	PGT - Accountancy	TGT - Computer Science	PRT - Physical Education
2	PGT - Biology	TGT - English	PRT (Without Physical Education)
3	PGT - Biotechnology	TGT - Hindi	
4	PGT - Business Studies	TGT - Mathematics	
5	PGT - Chemistry	TGT - Physical Education	
6	PGT - Computer Science	TGT - Sanskrit	
7	PGT - Economics	TGT - Science	
8	PGT - English Core.	TGT - SST	
9	PGT - Fine Arts		
10	PGT - Geography		
11	PGT - Hindi		
12	PGT - History		
13	PGT - Home Science		
14	PGT - Informatics Practices		
15	PGT - Mathematics		
16	PGT - Physical Education		
17	PGT - Physics		
18	PGT - Political Science		
19	PGT – Psychology		

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR TEACHERS IN ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**Level—PGT (Eligible for teaching classes IX-XII)**

S. No	Name of Post	Post Graduate Teacher (PGT)	
1.	Essential and other qualification less PGT (Computer Science), PGT (Informatics Practice) and PGT (Physical Education)	Essential: - 1. Two years Integrated Post Graduate MA/M.Sc. Course of Regional College of Education of NCERT in concerned subject with at least 50% aggregate marks. OR Post-Graduation with minimum 50% marks or equivalent grade and three-year integrated B.Ed./M.Ed. OR Master Degree from a recognized University with at least 50 % marks in aggregate in any of the following subjects: -	
		S. No	Subject
		(i)	PGT English
		(ii)	PGT Hindi
		(iii)	PGT Economics
		(iv)	PGT History
		(v)	PGT Geography
		(vi)	PGT Pol Science
		(vii)	PGT Psychology
		(viii)	PGT Home Science
		(ix)	PGT Mathematics
		(x)	PGT Fine Arts
		(xi)	PGT Physics
		(xii)	PGT Chemistry
		(xiii)	PGT Biology
		(xiv)	PGT Biotechnology
		(xv)	PGT Accountancy
		(xvi)	PGT Business Studies

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR TEACHERS IN ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Level—PGT (Eligible for teaching classes IX-XII)

S. No	Name of Post	S. No	Subject	Educational Qualification (Master Degree)
2.	PGT	(xvii)	PGT Computer Science	At least 50% marks in aggregate in any of the following: - 1. B.E or B. Tech (Computer Science/IT) from a recognized University or equivalent Degree or Diploma from an Institution/ university recognized by the Govt of India OR B.E or B Tech (any stream) and Post Graduate Diploma in Computer from recognized University. OR M.Sc. (Computer Science/ MCA or Equivalent from a recognized University. OR B.Sc. (Computer Science/BCA or Equivalent and Post Graduate degree in subject from a recognized University. OR Post Graduate Diploma in Computer and Post Graduate degree in any subject from recognized University. OR 'B' Level from DOEACC Ministry of Information and Communication Technology and Graduation.
		(xviii)	PGT Informatics Practices	At least 50% marks in aggregate in any of the following: - B.E./B.Tech. in Computer science/IT/ Computer Engineering/ Electronics/ Electronics& Communications OR M.CA./M.Sc. Computer Science/IT OR M.Sc. Math/Physics/ Statistics and B.Sc. Computer Science/BCA/ 3yr Diploma in Computer Engineering or IT/PGDCA recognized by AICTE OR B Level from DOEACC
		2. B.Ed. or equivalent degree from a NCTE recognized university / institution with minimum 50% aggregate marks. 3. Proficiency in teaching in English and Hindi. 4. Knowledge of Computer Application.		

S.No	Name of Post	Educational Qualification (Master Degree)
3.	PGT (Physical Education)	(a) Bachelor of Physical Education (B.P.Ed.) or Bachelor of Physical Education (BPE) or Bachelor of Science (B.Sc) in Health and Physical Education and Degree in Sports with at least 55 % marks as per National Council for Teacher Education (Recognition Norms and Procedure) Regulations, 2009. Or At least 50 % marks in the B.P.Ed. degree/B.P.Ed. (Integrated) 4 years professional degree in accordance with the and National Council for Teacher Education (Recognition Norms and Procedure) Regulations, 2007 notified on 10.12.2007). Or B.P.Ed. with at least 55 % marks or B.P.E Course (or its equivalent) of 3 years duration with at least 50% marks (in accordance with the National Council for Teacher Education Form of application for recognition, the time of submission of application, determination of norms and standards for recognition of teacher education programmes and permission to start new course or training) Regulations, 2002 notified on 13.11.2002. And (b) M.P.Ed. of at least 2 years duration from any National Council for Teacher Education recognized Institution.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR TEACHERS IN ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Level—TGT (Eligible for teaching classes VI-X)

S. No	Name of Post	Trained Graduate Teacher (TGT)		
1.	Essential and other qualification required (Less TGT) (Physical Education)	Essential: -		
		1. Four years “Integrated Degree Course of Regional College of Education of NCERT in the concerned subject with at least 50 % marks in aggregate. OR Post-Graduation with a minimum 50% marks or equivalent grade and three-year integrated B.Ed./M.Ed. OR Bachelor Degree with at least 50 % marks in the concerned subjects/ combination of subjects and in aggregate in one of the following: -		
		S. No	Subject	Educational Qualification
		(i)	TGT (Sanskrit)	Sanskrit as a subject in all three years of Graduation
		(ii)	TGT (Hindi)	Hindi as a subject in all three years of Graduation
		(iii)	TGT (English)	English as a subject in all the three years of Graduation
		(iv)	TGT (S.St.)	Any two of the following: - History, Geography, Economics and Political Science of which one must be either History or Geography.
		(v)	TGT (Mathematics)	Bachelor degree in Mathematics with any two of the following subjects: - Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Economics, Computer Science, Statistics.
		(vi)	TGT(Science)	Bachelor degree in Science with any two of the following subjects: - Botany, Zoology, Chemistry and Physics
		(vii)	TGT (Computer Science)	BCA or Graduation in Computer Science or BE/B.Tech (Computer Science/IT) or Graduation in any subject and A level course from DOEACC, Min of Info & Communication & Technology, GOI
		2. B.Ed. from a NCTE recognized institution / University with minimum 50% marks.		
3. Pass in Central Teacher Eligibility Test (CTET) / Teachers Eligibility Test (TET), conducted by CBSE/State Govts in accordance with the guidelines framed by the NCTE for the purpose.				
4. Proficiency in teaching in English and Hindi medium.				
5. Knowledge of Computer Application.				

2	TGT (Physical Education)	(a) Bachelor's degree with Physical Education as an elective subject with 50% marks. OR Bachelor's degree with physical Education as an elective subject with 45 % marks and participation in National or State or Inter University competition in sports or games or athletics recognized by Association of Indian University or Indian Olympics Association. OR Bachelor's degree with 45 % marks and having participated in National or State or Inter-University sports or games or athletics. OR For deputed in-service candidate (i.e. trained Physical Education Teachers/Coaches)- Graduation with 45 % marks and at least 3 years of teaching experience as per National Council for Teacher Education (Recognition Norms & Procedure) Regulations, 2009. OR Graduation in Physical Education with 40 % Mark OR Graduation with Physical Education as an elective subject with 40 % marks OR Graduate who participated school, Inter-Collegiate in sports/games or passed NCC 'C' Certification in accordance with the National Council for Teacher Education (Recognition Norms and Procedure) Regulations, 2007 notified on 10.12.2007 OR Graduation in Physical Education i.e., B.P.Ed. course (or its equivalent) of 3 years duration. OR Graduate having represented State/University in sports/games/athletics. OR Graduate who has secured 1st, 2nd or 3rd position in Inter-Collegiate sports/games tournaments/possessing NCC 'C' Certificate or passed basic course in Adventure Sports. OR Graduate with one-year training programme in Sports Science, Sports Management, Sport Coaching, Yoga, Olympic Education, Sports Journalism etc. (in accordance with the National Council for Teacher Education Form of application for recognition, the time limit of submission of application, determination of norms and standards for recognition of teacher education programmes and permission to start new course or training) Regulations, 2002 notified on 13.11.2002 And (b) Bachelor of Physical Education (B.P.Ed) of at least one year duration (or its equivalent) from any National council for Teacher Education recognized institution.
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MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR TEACHERS IN ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Level—PRT (Eligible for teaching classes I-V)

S. No	Name of Post	Primary Teacher (PRT)
1.	Essential and other qualification required less PRT (Physical Education)	Essential: - 1. Graduate holding Bachelor's degree with at least minimum 50% marks in aggregate. 2. B.El.Ed./ 02-year D.El.Ed. OR Teachers who were already in service with Army Public Schools/APPS prior to 11 Aug 2023 with B Ed degree can also apply / continue, subject to completion of Bridge Course as and when launched by NCTE. 3. Pass in Central Teacher Eligibility Test (CTET)/Teachers Eligibility Test (TET), conducted by CBSE/State Govt for PRTs in accordance with the guidelines framed by NCTE for the purpose. 4. Proficiency in teaching in English and Hindi medium. 5. Knowledge of Computer Application.
2.	PRT (Physical Education)	(a) Bachelor's degree with Physical Education as an elective subject with 50% marks. Or Bachelor's degree with physical Education as an elective subject with 45 % marks and participation in National or State or Inter University competition in sports or games or athletics recognized by Association of Indian University or Indian Olympics Association. Or Bachelor's degree with 45 % marks and having participated in National or State or Inter-University sports or games or athletics. Or For deputed in-service candidate (i.e., trained Physical Education Teachers/Coaches)- Graduation with 45 % marks and at least 3 years of teaching experience as per National Council for Teacher Education (Recognition Norms & Procedure) Regulations, 2009. Or Graduation in Physical Education with 40 % Marks Or Graduation with Physical Education as an elective subject with 40 % marks Or Graduate who participated school, Inter-Collegiate in sports/games or passed NCC 'C' Certification in accordance with the National Council for Teacher Education (Recognition Norms and Procedure) Regulations, 2007 notified on 10.12.2007 Or Graduation in Physical Education i.e., B.P. Ed course (or its equivalent) of 3 years duration. Or Graduate having represented State/University in sports/games/athletics. Or Graduate who has secured 1st, 2nd or 3rd position in Inter-Collegiate sports/games tournaments/possessing NCC 'C' Certificate or passed basic course in Adventure Sports. Or Graduate with one year training programme in Sports Science, Sports Management, Sport Coaching, Yoga, Olympic Education, Sports Journalism etc. (in accordance with the National Council for Teacher Education (Form of application for recognition, the time limit of submission of application, determination of norms and standards for recognition of teacher education programmes and permission to start new course or training) Regulations, 2002 notified on 13.11.2002 And (b) Bachelor of Physical Education (B.P.Ed) of at least one year duration (or its equivalent) from any National council for Teacher Education recognized institution.

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FOR PRIMARY TEACHERS (PRTs)

Time limit: 3 hrs.

MM: 200

Type of Qs: Multiple Choice Questions No. of Qs: 200

Section	Section % weightage No. of Qs & S No. of Qs	Sub Section	Section % weightage No. of Qs & S No. of Qs
Section A- Basic GK & Current Affairs	5 %, 10 Qs from Ser No. 1- 10	National level current affairs	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 1-4
		International events (in Indian context)	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 5-8
		Global level	1 %, 2 Qs from Ser No. 9-10
Section B- Pedagogy, Curriculum & Education Policy matters	10 %, 20 Qs from Ser No. 11-30	Pedagogy of Foundational & Preparatory stage	4 %, 8 Qs from Ser No. 11-18
		Child Psychology/Inclusive Education	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 19-22
		RTE, NEP 2020 & NCF 2005/latest NCF beyond 2005	4 %, 8 Qs from Ser No. 23-30
Section C- Academic Proficiency	85%, 170 Qs From Ser No. 31-200	Science (NCERT books based 20 Qs I-V std, 20 Qs VI-X std)	25%, 50 Qs from Ser No. 31-80
		Social Studies (NCERT books based 20 Qs I-V std, 20 Qs VI-X std)	20%, 40 Qs from Ser No. 81-120
		Mathematics (NCERT books based 20 Qs I-V std, 20 Qs VI-X std)	20%, 40 Qs from Ser No. 121-160
		English (NCERT books based 10 Qs I-V std, 10 Qs VI-X std)	10%, 20 Qs from Ser No. 161-180
		Hindi (NCERT books based 10 Qs I-V std, 10 Qs VI-X std)	10%, 20 Qs from Ser No. 181-200

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FOR TRAINED GRADUATE TEACHERS (TGTs)

Time limit: 3 hrs.

MM: 200

Type of Qs: Multiple Choice Questions No. of Qs: 200

Section	Section % weightage No. of Qs & S No. of Qs	Sub Section	Section % weightage No. of Qs & S No. of Qs
Section A- Basic GK & Current Affairs	5 %, 10 Qs from Ser No. 1- 10	<i>National level current affairs</i>	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 1-4
		<i>International events (in Indian context)</i>	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 5-8
		<i>Global level</i>	1 %, 2 Qs from Ser No. 9-10
Section B- Pedagogy, Curriculum & Education Policy matters	10 %, 20 Qs from Ser No. 11-30	Pedagogy of Middle & Secondary stage	4 %, 8 Qs from Ser No. 11-18
		Child Psychology/Inclusive Education	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 19-22
		<i>RTE, NEP 2020 & NCF 2005/latest NCF beyond 2005</i>	4 %, 8 Qs from Ser No. 23-30
Section C- Academic Proficiency	85%, 170 Qs From Ser No. 31-200	Basic subject Knowledge based on VI-X std NCERT Books	35%, 70 Qs from Ser No. 31-100
		Moderate subject Knowledge based on VI-X std NCERT Books	20%, 40 Qs from Ser No. 101-140
		Higher subject Knowledge based on IX-X NCERT topics with a difficulty level of XI-XII std	20%, 40 Qs from Ser No. 141-180
		Proficient level of subject Knowledge based on IX-X NCERT topics with a difficulty level of Graduation	10%, 20 Qs from Ser No. 181-200

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FOR POST GRADUATE TEACHERS (PGTs)

Time limit: 3 hrs.

MM: 200

Type of Qs: Multiple Choice Questions No. of Qs: 200

Section	Section % weightage No. of Qs & S No. of Qs	Sub Section	Section % weightage No. of Qs & S No. of Qs
Section A- Basic GK & Current Affairs	5 %, 10 Qs from Ser No. 1- 10	<i>National level current affairs</i>	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 1-4
		<i>International events (in Indian context)</i>	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 5-8
		<i>Global level</i>	1 %, 2 Qs from Ser No. 9-10
Section B- Pedagogy, Curriculum & Education Policy matters	10 %, 20 Qs from Ser No. 11-30	Pedagogy of Secondary & Senior Secondary stage	4 %, 8 Qs from Ser No. 11-18
		Child Psychology/Inclusive Education	2 %, 4 Qs from Ser No. 19-22
		<i>RTE, NEP 2020 & NCF 2005/latest NCF beyond 2005</i>	4 %, 8 Qs from Ser No. 23-30
Section C- Academic Proficiency	85%, 170 Qs From Ser No. 31-200	Basic subject Knowledge based on IX-XII std NCERT Books	35%, 70 Qs from Ser No. 31-100
		Moderate subject Knowledge based on XI-XII std NCERT Books	20%, 40 Qs from Ser No. 101-140
		Higher subject Knowledge based on XI-XII std NCERT topics with a difficulty level of Graduation	20%, 40 Qs from Ser No. 141-180
		Proficient level of subject Knowledge based on XI-XII std NCERT topics with a difficulty level of Post-Graduation	10%, 20 Qs from Ser No. 181-200

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1.	Agra	22.	Jhansi
2.	Ahmedabad	23.	Jodhpur
3.	Ambala	24.	Kanpur
4.	Bengaluru	25.	Kolkata
5.	Bareilly	26.	Lucknow
6.	Bathinda	27.	Mathura
7.	Bhopal	28.	Meerut
8.	Chandigarh	29.	Mumbai
9.	Chennai	30.	Nagpur
10.	Dehradun	31.	NOIDA
11.	Delhi	32.	Pathankot
12.	Gorakhpur	33.	Patiala
13.	Guwahati	34.	Patna
14.	Gwalior	35.	Prayagraj
15.	Hisar	36.	Pune
16.	Hyderabad	37.	Ranchi
17.	Indore	38.	Roorkee
18.	Jabalpur	39.	Siliguri
19.	Jaipur	40.	Trivandrum
20.	Jalandhar	41.	Varanasi
21.	Jammu		