



WEST BENGAL BOARD OF PRIMARY EDUCATION

A.P.C. Bhavan, DK-7/1, Sector-II, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091

NOTIFICATION FOR RECRUITMENT OF PRIMARY TEACHERS

This is to notify for all concerned that online applications are invited from TET, 2014 qualified trained candidates of West Bengal seeking appointment for the posts of Assistant Teachers against 16,500 state-wide vacancies in the Govt. Aided/Sponsored Primary/Junior Basic Schools. The selection and appointment of the candidates will be made in terms of West Bengal Primary School Teachers Recruitment Rules, 2016 as amended upto date and notified under No. 605-SE/EE/P)10M-6/09(Pt.VII) dtd. 22.12.2020.

1. **Vacancy** : Candidate will apply for the post of a primary school teacher against the State wide 16,500 vacancies. Preference for district shall be taken at appropriate time for empanelment (subject to availability of appropriate medium wise & category-wise vacancy).

The reservation quota for the candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), Other Backward Classes (OBC-A and OBC-B), Exempted Categories (EC), Ex-Servicemen and for Physically Handicapped (PH) candidates, shall be maintained as per the existing reservation rules as framed by the competent authority.

2. **Scale of Pay**: Basic ₹28,900/- plus DA as admissible plus HRA @12% of the basic plus MA as admissible.

3. **Qualification** : (a) No person shall be appointed by the Council as a teacher unless he is a citizen of India and has completed the age of 18 years as on 1st day of January of the year of advertisement (i.e. 01.01.2020) and has not completed the age of 40 years on the 1st day of January of the year of advertisement (i.e. 01.01.2020).

Relaxation of age as per the existing rule of the State Govt. is admissible.

(b) The candidate shall possess the minimum educational and training qualification as prescribed by the National Council for Teacher Education prevailing as on date of publication of recruitment notification.

AND

(c) Pass in the Teacher Eligibility Test (TET) 2014, conducted by the West Bengal Board of Primary Education under the order of the Govt. of West Bengal in accordance with the guidelines framed by the NCTE for the purpose.

Relaxation : Candidates belonging to reserved categories viz. candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), Other Backward Classes {OBC-A and OBC-B}, Exempted Categories (EC), Ex-Servicemen and for Physically Handicapped (PH) candidates, shall be allowed relaxation up to 5% in the qualifying marks.

AND

(d) Ability to read, write and speak in the language relating to the medium of schools for which the candidate wishes to apply.

Note 1. - Any candidate seeking appointment to the post of primary school teacher shall have studied and passed in the specific language as the first or second language in the Higher Secondary Level or equivalent for which medium of instruction, the candidate is seeking appointment.

Provided that in case of Santhali as medium of instruction, the candidate shall only be required to possess proficiency of reading, writing and speaking in Santhali. Here, Santhali means Santhali in Ol-chiki Script. It shall not be obligatory for the candidates seeking appointment to the post of primary school teacher in Santhali medium schools to have passed in the specific language as the first or the second language in the Higher Secondary Level or its equivalent for which medium of instruction, the candidate is seeking appointment.

Note 2.— In case of the certificate issued by the authority other than the West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education, the said certificate issuing authority shall either be set up as a statutory authority or the said certificate issuing authority shall be authorized by the Government of India or by the State Government of the concerned State, as the case may be, for issuing Higher Secondary Level certificates.

Note 3.—All candidates must have studied and obtained Madhyamik (Secondary) Pass Certificate or its equivalent with Mathematics and English as subjects.

Note 4.— The equivalent of Madhyamik certificate means the said certificate issuing authority shall either be set up on the basis of provisions of a legislation passed by the Government of India or by the State Government of the concerned State and or as the said statutory authority must be authorized by the Government of India or by the State Government of the concerned State, as the case may be, for issuing Secondary Level certificates.

Note 5.— The decision of State Government on the question of equivalence shall be final.

Note 6.— 10% of the vacant posts earmarked for Para-teachers.

Provided that the qualifications for such categories of candidates shall be the same as mentioned in the rules:

Interview : After prima facie scrutiny of the duly filled application forms submitted by the candidates having NCTE prescribed qualification and fulfilling the conditions prescribed in West Bengal Primary School Teachers Recruitment Rules, 2016 as amended upto date will be called for the Viva-voce / Interview and Aptitude Test on and from **10.01.2021 to 17.01.2021**.

(The eligible candidates will be intimated of their respective venues, date and time of their scrutiny/ verification of the testimonials, Viva-Voce / Interview and Aptitude Test in due course).

4. **Application Fees: Rs. 200/- (Rs. 50/- for SC/ST/PH).**

5. This Appointment Notification is also available in the website: www.wbbpe.org, wbbprimaryeducation.org.

6. The application form will be available online for submission in the websites: www.wbbpe.org, wbbprimaryeducation.org on and from **23.12.2020 to 06.01.2021**.

7. The procedure for filling up the online application form will be available on the aforesaid websites.

Date : 23.12.2020

Sd/-
Secretary
W.B. Board of Primary Education

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