



Ref: No. SVIS/PC/2020-21/X/39

November 04, 2020

**Subject: National Talent Search Examination 2020-21 for Grade X Students**

**Dear Parents**

Please find enclosed the notification from the **Directorate of Education for registration** of students of grade X. School will register all eligible students online.

**Eligibility rules** : 60 % aggregate (Score in Class IX)  
55% aggregate for SC/ ST/ PH (Physical Handicapped) students in Class IX  
Submit self-attested copies of SC/ST/PH Certificate, if applicable by Saturday  
November 7, 2020

**Registration Fee** : Nil

Submission of COVID Undertaking for Exam: November 7, 2020  
(Sample enclosed)

**Examination Pattern :**

Paper I MAT	No. of Questions	Marks	Exam duration	
	100	100	2 hours	
Paper II SAT	SAT	No. of Questions	Marks	Exam duration
	Mathematics	20	20	2 hours
	Science	40	40	
	Social Science	40	40	
	Total	100	100	

**MAT Syllabus** comprises Problem solving and logical reasoning based questions. It also includes Data analytics, verbal and non-verbal reasoning, figure related problems, etc.

**SAT Syllabus: As prescribed by NCERT for Classes IX-X**

**Mode & Date of Examination** : Offline, Sunday, December 13, 2020

**Tentative Date of issue of Admit Cards** : Saturday, December 5, 2020

Name of the Examination Centre will be intimated on the day of issuing Admit Card.

Link for Previous Year Question Paper (Delhi Region)

<https://d2cyt36b7wnvt9.cloudfront.net/exams/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/04223827/delhi.pdf>

Best regards

*Nita Arora*

**NITA ARORA**

**Co-Learner, Co-Creator**

*Anuj Manchanda*

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**Headmaster**

**PS- COVID GUIDELINES**

- Parents will submit an undertaking with regard to permitting his/her ward to appear in the examination.
  - All the candidates will wear the mask and maintain social distancing and follow other COVID guidelines prescribed as per Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India at the examination centre.
  - Safety norms with regard to checking of temperature and sanitization is to be strictly followed by the all concerned.
  - Any other guidelines issued by the Competent Authority from time to time.
- Enclosure: Undertaking format, Circular issued by Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi

### UNDERTAKING

- a) I \_\_\_\_\_, father / mother/ guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_ of Sri Venkateshwar International School Sec. 18, Dwarka, New Delhi-78 do hereby give an undertaking that my ward is eligible to write the NTSE Exam and wishes to appear in the NTSE exam 2020-21.
- b) My ward will wear Mask and maintain social distance and follow other **COVID GUIDELINES** as per the **Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India** at the offline Examination Centre.
- c) My ward shall strictly observe all safety norms with regards of temperature and sanitization.
- d) I also give an undertaking on behalf of my ward that he/ she shall abide by any other guideline/s issued by the competent authorities from time to time.

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**Signature**

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**Relationship**

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**Date**

**Note: To be submitted in school on Saturday, November 7, 2020 between 9 am and 11 am**

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CIRCULAR

The National Talent Search Examination for students studying in Class-X is meant to identify the nurture talent. The examination is conducted every year at two levels : Stage-I (State Level) and Stage-II (National Level).

Date of Examination : Directorate of Education will conduct NTSE, Stage-I examination on 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 ( Sunday)

Eligibility : (i) The students presently studying in Class X in Govt., Govt. Aided and Unaided recognized Pvt. Schools including the Kendriya Vidyalaya, Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, School of MCD, NDMC, DCB, NIOS etc. in GNCT of Delhi.

(ii) Must have secured 60% marks in Class IX in the session 2019-2020, 5% relaxation in marks for the students belonging to SC/ST and PH category.

(iii) Students registered under Open Distance Learning (ODL) will also be eligible for scholarship, provided the students is below the age of 18 years (as on 1<sup>st</sup> July of the particular year), the students is not employed and she/he is appearing in Class-X examination for the first time.

Reservation :-At the State level for Stage-I Examination 15% of the students belonging to the SC Category, 7.5% for students belonging to the ST category and 27% for students belonging to OBC category (Non-creamy layer) as per central list available on [www.ncbe.nic.in/user\\_panel/centralistatateviewwasx](http://www.ncbe.nic.in/user_panel/centralistatateviewwasx), 10% for Economically Weaker Sections (EWSs) those who have not covered under the reservation scheme for SCs/STs/OBCs, 4% for children with benchmark disabilities, of which, one percent each shall be reserved for persons with bench mark Disabilities under clauses (a), (b) and (c ) and one per cent for persons with benchmark disabilities under clauses (d) and (e) namely :

(a) Blindness and low vision ; (BLV)

- (b) deaf and hard of hearing ; (DH)
- (c) locomotor disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims and muscular dystrophy ; (LD)
- (d) autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness ; (AID)
- (e) multiple disabilities from amongst persons under clauses (a) to (d) including deaf-blindness in the posts identified for each disabilities (MD)

**Examination Pattern :** The pattern of written examination will be as follows for Stage

–I :

Paper	Test	No. of Questions	No. of Marks	Duration (in minutes)
Paper-I	Mental Ability Test (MAT)	100	100	120
Paper-II	Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)	100	100	120
There will be no negative marking in Stage-I examination.				

**Selection :** (i) Qualifying Marks : Qualifying Marks for candidates from SC/ST/PH category is 32% in each paper and for others (General/OBC & EWS) categories it is 40% in each paper.

(ii) Stage-I selected students on merit as per state quota will be recommended to appear in Stage-II examination to be conducted by NCERT.

**How to Apply :** (i) The School HoS will register the students on Directorate of Education website [www.edudel.nic.in](http://www.edudel.nic.in) with their own school login ID and Password.

(ii) School can register their eligible enrolled students from date of circular to 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2020.

(iii) Directorate of Education, Science Branch will generate Roll Numbers of the candidates and allot Centre of Examination by 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2020.

(iv) Schools will take print out of the admit card duly attested by HoS and issue to the students by 8<sup>th</sup> December, 2020.

(v) Head of School will submit the following documents in hard copy to Science Branch latest by 05/12/2020 :-

- a) Print out of Admit Card must be attested by Principal/HoS.
- b) Caste/Category Certificate attested by HoS.
- c) Income certificate and assets certificate in respect of students who have applied under EWS category.
- d) Consolidated proforma of candidates details of each school duly verified by the HoS.
- e) Undertaking of the parents regarding COVID Guidelines.

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