

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, WEST BENGAL

Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the post of Sub-Inspector in the Subordinate Food & Supplies Service, Grade-III, under Food & Supplies Department, Govt. of West Bengal, 2018

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Public Service Commission, West Bengal will hold the Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the post of **Sub-Inspector in the Subordinate Food & Supplies Service, Grade-III, under Food & Supplies Department, Govt. of West Bengal, 2018** on the results of which recruitment will be made to the posts of Sub-Inspector in the Subordinate Food & Supplies Service, Grade-III, under Food & Supply Department, Govt. of West Bengal. The rules of the examination and other particulars are stated in the following paragraphs. A candidate should verify from the notified rules whether he/she is eligible for admission to the examination. The conditions prescribed cannot be relaxed.

- 1 The Recruitment will be made on the basis of written test (MCQ type) followed by Personality Test to be conducted by the Public Service Commission, West Bengal. The Public Service Commission, West Bengal shall have the discretion to fix qualifying marks in the written examination, the Personality Test and also in the aggregate. Candidates short listed on the basis of marks obtained in the Written Test (Objective Multiple Choice Question) will only be called for verification of testimonials and Personality Test. Final merit list will be prepared on the basis of the total marks obtained in the Written Examination and Personality Test. All appointments shall initially be made on a temporary basis.

The written test will be held at various centres in Kolkata and in certain other districts in West Bengal. Only scheduled tribe candidates of Darjeeling district and other candidates of the three hill sub-divisions, namely Darjeeling Sadar, Mirik and Kurseong will be allowed to appear at Darjeeling centre. Similarly all candidates from the Kalimpong district will be allowed to appear at KALIMPONG centre. The Personality Test will be held thereafter in the office of the Public Service Commission, West Bengal, in Kolkata.

LIST OF CENTRES FOR WRITTEN TEST WITH CODE NO.:

01-Kolkata (North), 02-Kolkata (South), 03-Baruipur, 04-Diamond Harbour, 05-Barrackpore, 06-Barasat, 07- Krishnanagar, 08-Howrah, 09- Chinsurah 10-Burdwan, 11-Asansol, 12- Purulia, 13-Medinipur, 14-Tamluk, 15-Jhargram, 16-Bankura, 17-Suri, 18-Berhampore, 19-Malda, 20- Balurghat, 21- Raiganj, 22-Jalpaiguri, 23-Alipurduar, 24-Cooch Behar, 25-Siliguri, 26-Kalimpong and 27-Darjeeling

Scale of pay : (PB-2) Rs.5,400/- to 25,200/- + G.P. Rs. 2,600/-

-besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

No. of Vacancy : **957** [Unreserved – **454**, SC – **208**, ST – **58**, OBC(A) – **98**, OBC(B) – **69**,
Ex Service Men -**50** (**Unreserved- 40, SC-10**) Meritorious Sportsperson- **20(UR)**]

N.B. : The benefits of reservation of vacancies are admissible to :

1. S.C./S.T./B.C.(Non- Creamy Layer) candidates of West Bengal only. The S.C./S.T./B.C. candidates of other States shall be treated as general candidates.
2. Meritorious Sportspersons in the area of International Competition, National Competition, Inter-University Tournament and National Sports/Games for School Education in the following list of Sports:-
(i) Athletics (including Track and Field events), (ii) Badminton, (iii) Basket Ball, (iv) Cricket, (v) Football, (vi) Hockey, (vii) Swimming, (viii) Table Tennis, (ix) Volley Ball, (x) Tennis, (xi) Weightlifting, (xii) Wrestling, (xiii) Boxing, (xiv) Cycling, (xv) Gymnastics, (xvi) Judo, (xvii) Rifle Shooting, (xviii) Kabaddi and (xix) Kho-Kho. - vide Govt. of West Bengal, Labour Department Notification No. 49-EMP/1M-25/98 dated 1st March, 2011.
3. Ex- Service men who have put in not less than six months' continuous service in any rank (whether as a combatant or non- combatant) in the Armed Forces of the Union.

Qualifications : A candidate must have the following qualifications which should be clearly stated in the application. The qualifications prescribed in the advertisement are as per the notified recruitment rules issued by the Govt. Candidates must fulfill the qualifications by the closing date of submission of application.

1. **Citizenship of India or such other nationalities as are declared eligible by Govt. of India.**
2. **Pass in Madhyamik Examination of the West Bengal Board of Secondary Education or its equivalent**
3. **Ability to read ,write and speak in Bengali (not required for those candidates whose mother tongue is Nepali)– vide Finance Department Notification No.- 1243-F(P) dated 02-23-2016.**
4. **Must possess sound health and ability to undertake extensive tours in rural areas of west Bengal.**

5. **Age :** Not below 18 years but not more than 40 years as on 01.01.2018 (i.e. born not earlier than 2nd January,1978 and not later than 1st January,2000).

Concession in age :

The upper age limit is relaxable by 5 years for S.C. & S.T. candidates and by 3 years for B.C. (Non- Creamy Layer) candidates. No relaxation is applicable to S.C./S.T./B.C. candidates of other States as they shall be treated as general unreserved candidates.

No claim for being a member of S.C./S.T./B.C. (Non- Creamy Layer), Ex-Servicemen or a meritorious sportsperson will be entertained after the closing date for submission of the application.

Upper age limit is also relaxable for Ex-Servicemen who have put is not less than six month's continuous service in any rank (whether as a Combatant or as a Non- Combatant) in the Armed Forces of the Union. For such Ex-Servicemen the upper age limit is relaxable by three years more than the period of his service in the Armed Forces. SC/ST/BC candidates not belonging to the State of West Bengal shall be treated as General candidates.

Note : Date of birth as recorded only in the Madhyamik or equivalent certificate will be accepted.
The age limits apply to all candidates whether in Government Service or not.

Fee : **Rs.110/-** (Rupees one hundred and ten) only + Service Charge 1% of Examination Fee subject to a minimum of Rs.5/- (Rupees Five) only for online payment through debit/credit card plus service charge /GST as applicable as Govt. Duty or Service Charge of Rs.5/- (Rupees Five) only for Net Banking or Service Charge of Rs.20/- (Rupees Twenty) only for payment through Bank Counter (off-line payment).

SC/ST candidates of West Bengal are not required to pay any fee. BC candidates of West Bengal are, however, required to pay usual fee as aforesaid. NO EXEMPTION OF FEE IS AVAILABLE TO SC/ST/BC CANDIDATES OF OTHER STATES. No claim for refund of the fee will be entertained nor will it be held in reserve for any other examination.

APPLICATION : Applications can be submitted by online mode only through www.pscwbapplication.in .

Particulars and Certificates required :

- (a) A candidate claiming to be S.C., S.T., B.C (Non Creamy layer), Ex-Serviceman, or Meritorious Sportsperson must have a certificate issued on or before closing date of submission of online application in support of his / her claim from a competent authority as specified below :

For S.C., S.T. & B.C. Candidates :-

- i) In the district, the Sub-Divisional Officer of the Sub-Division concerned, and
- ii) In Kolkata, the District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas or such Additional District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas, as may be authorized by the District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas, in this behalf and the District Welfare Officer, Kolkata and Ex-officio Joint Director, Backward Classes Welfare.
[vide the W.B.S.Cs. & S.Ts. (Identification) Act, 1994 and S.Cs. & Ts. Welfare Deptt. Order No. 261-TW/EC/MR-103/94 dated 6.4.95 read with B.C.W. Deptt. Order No.6320-BCH/MR-84/10, dated 24.09.2010 and No.2420-BCW/MR-61/2012 (Pt.), dated 12.07.2013]
- iii) BC candidates should renew / revalidate their BC certificates in due time.

For Ex-Servicemen :-

The claim of a candidate for being considered as an Ex-Serviceman should be supported by a certificate from the Army/ Air Force/ Naval Headquarters indicating therein the date of his joining the Armed Forces, the period of his / her service and the date of his/her release from the Armed Forces or the date of the completion of the period of his/her service requisite for being entitled to be released or transferred to the reserve.

For Meritorious Sportspersons :-

Competent Authorities for issuing Certificates to Meritorious Sportspersons are as follows :

Area	Competent Authority
International Competition	Secretary of the National Federation/National Association of the Sports concerned.
National Competition	Secretary of the State Association of the Sports concerned
Inter-University Tournament	Dean/Director of Sports or other Officer in overall charge of Sports of the University concerned.
National Sports / Games for School Education	Director or Deputy Director in overall charge of Sports/Games for Schools in the Directorate of School Education, West Bengal.

- (b) The Public Service Commission may require such further proof or particulars from the candidates as it may consider

necessary and may make enquiries about their character and other particulars regarding suitability and eligibility.

Caution :

- i. The candidates must abide by the instructions as may be given by Supervisors / Invigilators of the Examination. If the candidate fails to do so or indulges in disorderly or improper conduct, he / she will render himself / herself liable to expulsion from the Examination Hall and / or such other punishment as the Commission may deem fit to impose.
- ii. A candidate who has been reported against by the Supervisor of the Examination Centre for violating any of the instructions will be punished with cancellation of candidature and also debarment from future examinations and selections as may be decided by the Commission according to the circumstances of the case.
- iii. If at any stage even after issue of the letter of appointment, a candidate is found ineligible in terms of advertisement his / her candidature will be cancelled without further reference to him / her.
- iv. The conditions prescribed cannot be relaxed in any case other than those mentioned in this "**Important Information**".
- v. A candidate should note that his / her admission to the examination will be deemed provisional subject to determination of his / her eligibility in all respects. If at any stage after issue of the admit card a candidate is found ineligible for admission for this examination, his / her candidature will be cancelled without further reference to him / her. No candidate shall be allowed to take the examination unless he / she holds a valid admit card.
- vi. **The Public Service Commission, West Bengal, shall have discretion to fix qualifying marks in the Written Test, Personality Test and also in the aggregate.**
- vii. **Final Merit List will be prepared on the basis of total marks obtained in the written Test and in the Personality Test.**
- viii. **Candidates are not allowed to carry mobile phones or any other gadget of communication inside the examination halls. This instruction must be strictly enforced.**
- ix. **There will be arrangements for frisking of the candidates at entry points of venues – separately for male and female candidates so that candidates with mobile phones may not enter the venue.**

Medical Examination : Candidates who will be selected for appointment will be required to appear before a Medical Board for certificates of their fitness for Government service in the form prescribed for the purpose.

Canvassing : Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support for his / her application through persons, officials of Government, or agencies will disqualify him / her for appointment. Spontaneous recommendations from persons interested in the candidates, or otherwise known to them, will be disregarded and will render the candidates ineligible.

Results of the Examination : The names of the candidates called to Personality Test and those recommended for appointment will be published provisionally subject to determination of eligibility of the candidates in all respects and verification of original certificates etc. If at any stage of such verification any candidate is found ineligible, his / her candidature / allotment will be cancelled.

Commencement of submission of online application : **The 22nd August, 2018 from 11:00 a.m.**

Closing date for submission of online application : **The 18th September, 2018 (upto 12-00 midnight)**

Closing date for submission of fees through online : **The 18th September, 2018 (upto 12-00 midnight)**

Closing date for submission of fees through offline : **The 19th September, 2018.**

*** However, the Challan must be generated by the 18th September, 2018 positively.**

For further details and assistance the candidates may contact the following numbers on any working day from 11-00 a.m. to 5-00 p.m.

(033) 2262-4181 [Related to Offline Payment]

(033) 4003-5104 [Related to Online Payment]

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