

APPLICATION FORM
NATIONAL MEANS-CUM-MERIT SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION-2015
(for class VIII students of Govt. /Local Body/Private Aided School)

Last Date of Submission : August 20, 2014 (Wednesday)

Date of Examination : November 2, 2014 (Sunday)

Read the instructions carefully before filling in the application form. You may take the help of your teachers/parents for filling in the application form.

Examination Fee Rs. 40/- for General Category
Rs. 30/- for SC/ST/PCG

IPO/Demand Draft in Favour of Principal, SCERT, Solan

Amount	IPO/DD Number	Date of IPO/DD	Name of Bank/P.O.

Passport size
Photograph duly
attested by Head
of the Institution

(FILL UP YOUR FORM IN CAPITAL LETTERS)

Roll Number

Exam Code State Code Year Center Code Serial No. (to be filled in by the office) Date of Birth

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1. Name of the Candidate (Do not write Miss./Master)

2. Mother's Name (Do not write Ms.)

3. Father's Name (Do not write Mr.)

4. Sex

1

2

Male Female

5. Area in which candidate resides

1

2

Rural Urban

6. Category of the candidate

1

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General SC ST

7. Disability Status

1

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Orthopaedic Hearing Blind None
Impaired

8. Home address for correspondence (Do not write your name) :

Pin Code

9. Name and address of the institution in which studying

Pin Code

10. Type of the institution in which studying in (see definition overleaf*)

1

 Govt.

2

 Local Body

3

 Private Aided

11. Area in which the school is located

1

 Rural

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 Urban

12. Parental annual income : _____ (1.5 Lakh & less, enclose original income certificate from SDM/ Tehsildar/Naib Tehsildar)

13. Medium of examination English

13

 Hindi

15

14. Telephone

PHONE RESI.

PHONE SCHOOL

MOBILE No.1

15. Adhar Card No. (12 digits)

*See Centre Codes overleaf.

PHOTOSTAT COPY OF THIS APPLICATION FORM CAN ALSO BE USED

Date :

Place :

Signature of the
Candidate

फार्म भरने से पहले फार्म के पीछे दिये निर्देश पढ़ें

Verification by Head of the School/Institute

Certified that :

- (1) Master/Miss.....is a regular student of 8th class in this School/Institution and he/she has secured.....% marks in class VII in annual examination i.e. when he/she was promoted from class VII to class VIII. He/She has secured.....marks out ofin the session.....
- (2) The particulars given by him/her in the application form have been verified and found correct.
- (3) He / she belongs to Schedule Caste/Schedule Tribe category as per the records maintained in the Institution. (to be filled in by SC/ST candidates only.)
- (4) Certified that this institution is Govt. / Local Body / Govt. Aided Private School (Tick ☒) which ever is applicable)

Date :

**Signature of the Headmaster / Headmistress/Principal
with Seal**

(Name.....Ph. No.)

LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION : August 20, 2014 to The Principal, SCERT, Solan at Rabon, (H.P.) - 173211, Ph. : 01792-227235
The application forms received after last date or incomplete in any respect will not be entertained and examination fee shall be forfeited.

CODING PLAN

Read the instructions carefully before filling up the Application Form :

1. Use only Blue or Black Ball Point Pen, WRITE IN CAPITAL LETTERS, Do not mark or write outside the boxes.
2. Leave one box blank between two words. Limit your name and address within the space provided for it. Please see example as given below.
3. Cross (x) only one of the appropriate boxes in item nos. 4,5,6,7,10 and 11
4. Please write code number in item no. 13 as given below.
5. Code for English ☐ Hindi ☐ (Medium of Examination)
6. Please write your POSTAL ADDRESSES CAREFULLY, ALONGWITH PIN CODE & PHONE NUMBER

Example for writing Name and Address

Father's Name

Postal Address : Do not write complete address in one line. Break it appropriately as shown below :

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PIN

*TYPE OF SCHOOL/INSTITUTION (refer to item No. 10)

- GOVERNMENT** : A Government school is that which is run by the State Government or Central Government or Public Sector undertaking or an Autonomous Organization completely financed by the Government.
- LOCAL BODY** : A Local Body school is that which is run by Panchayati Raj and Local body institution such as Zila Parishad, Municipal Corporation, Municipal Committee, Notified Area Committee and Cantonment Board.
- PRIVATE AIDED** : A Private Aided school is that which is run by an individual or a private organization and receives grant from government or local body.

District	Centre	Centre Code
Bilaspur	GSSS (B) Bilaspur	0101
	GSSS (B) Ghumarwin	0102
	GSSS Berthin	0103
Chamba	GSSS (B) Chamba	0201
Hamirpur	GSSS (B) Hamirpur	0301
	GSSS (G) Hamirpur	0302
	GSSS (B) Sujampur Tihra	0303
	GSSS Bani	0304
Kangra	GSSS (B) Dharamshala	0401
	GSSS (G) Dharamshala	0402
	GSSS (G) Nurpur	0403
	GSSS Dehra	0404
Kinnaur	GSSS (B) Rekonageo	0501
Kullu	GSSS (B) Kullu	0601
Lahaul Spiti	GSSS (B) Keylong	0701
Mandi	GSSS (B) Mandi	0801
	GSSS (B) Sarkaghat	0802
	GSSS Karsog	0803
Shimla	GSSS (B) Rampur	0901
	GSSS (B) Rohru	0902
	GSSS (B) Lalpani Shimla	0903
	GSSS (B) Theog	0904
Sirmour	GSSS (G) Nahan	1001
	GSSS (B) Rajgarh	1002
	GSSS (B) Paonta-Sahib	1003
Solan	GSSS (B) Arki	1101
	GSSS (B) Solan	1102
	GSSS (G) Solan	1103
	GSSS (B) Barotiwala	1104
Una	GSSS (B) Una	1201
	GSSS (G) Una	1202
	GSSS Amb	1203

NATIONAL MEANS-CUM-MERIT SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION-2014

(For Class VIII Students of Govt./Local Body/Private Aided School)

Roll No.

ADMIT CARD

(To be filled in by the applicant)

Master/Miss _____

(In Capital Letters)

S/o / D/o Shri _____

Class in which studying _____

School Name _____

District _____

Exam Centre Opted. _____

Full Postal Address of Candidate _____

*Passport size
Photograph duly
attested by Head
of the School to
be affixed*

Signature of the Head
of the School with
Office Seal

Pin Code :

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(To be filled in by the Office of Principal, SCERT, Solan)

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Class Code State Code

Year

Centre Code

Serial No. (To be filled in by Office)

Date of Examination : 2 November, 2014 (Sunday)

Time of Examination : MAT - 10:00 AM to 10:45 AM

Language Test - 10:55 AM to 11:40 AM

SAT - 12:30 PM to 2:00 PM

Examination Centre allotted :

Scrutinized by
(Office Staff)

Office Seal

Signature of Liaison Officer/District
Level Officer

Signature of Invigilator	Signature of the Candidate in the presence of Invigilator
	MAT +Language Test
	SAT :

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATE

1. Make sure that the Admit Card is attached with the Application Form. It will be returned to you after the allotment of the Roll Number. Ensure that you bring your Admit Card to the Examination Centre .
2. Reach the Examination centre at least half an hour before the commencement of the examination and occupy the seat that bears your Roll Number.
3. **DO NOT** take calculator, mobile phone, mathematical & physical table or any other kind of ready reckoner to the Examination Hall.
4. The examination will be conducted in two sessions on the same day.
5. You have to take the examination in THREE PARTS :
 - (I) Part I comprises of Mental Ability Test (MAT) consisting of 50 questions.
 - (II) Part II comprises of Language test consisting of 40 questions each in Hindi & English. Student have to opt. one language only.
 - (III) Part III comprises of Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) consisting of 90 questions [From Social Science, Basic Science, Language (Hindi & English) & Mathematics.]
6. Time for Part I is 45 minutes, for Part II 45 minutes and for Part III 90 minutes.
7. Each question carries 1 (one) mark and there will be no negative marking.
8. Write your Roll Number and Centre Code Number as given in the Admit Card on the Answer Sheet and on the cover page of the question Booklet in the space provided.
9. **DO NOT** Write your name in any part of the Question Booklet or the Answer Sheet.
10. All Questions in the booklets are of objective type. For each question there are **four options** of which only one is correct. Your task is to find out the **correct option** and mark your choice in the Answer Sheet.
11. For one sheet use Blue or Black Ball Pen only. You have to indicate your answers on the answer sheet as advised by the Centre Superintendent.
12. During the examination, follow the Instructions of the invigilator strictly.
13. Hand over your Answer Sheet to the invigilator before you leave the Examination Hall.
14. Hand over the Admit Card to the Invigilator before leaving the Examination Hall.
15. All rights are reserved with SCERT, SOLAN in connection with the conduct of the Examination.
16. No re-evaluation is allowed because "Answer Sheets are evaluated thoroughly".

DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS IN SAT		
No.	Subject	Marks
1	Basic Science (Physics, Chemistry, Biology)	35
2	Social Science (History, Civics, Geography)	35
3	Mathematics	20

There is no prescribed syllabus for this examination. All the papers will be of elementary level.

**Any query related to Examination will be entertained by
Principal, SCERT - Solan at Rabon, Ph. 01792-227235**

E-mail address : scert-hp@nic.in

GENERAL INFORMATION

NATIONAL MEANS-cum-MERIT SCHOLARSHIP (NMMS) 2015

(Date of Exam : 2nd November, 2014 (Sunday))

- Ministry of Human Resource and Development has launched National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme to award 1,00,000 scholarships to the meritorious students whose parental income is less than Rs. 1.5 lakh per year.
- Himachal Pradesh has been allotted quota of 832 scholarships out of which 15% scholarships will be allotted to SC, 7.5% to ST and 3% to Physically Challenged Group (PCG)/SWSN (Children with special needs)
- The scholarship will be paid from class IX to XII. The amount of scholarship is Rs. 500/- (Per month) subject to the condition that he/she secures 55% or more marks in 8th, 9th, 10+1 & 60% in class 10th. Relaxable by 5% for SC/ST/PCG. The awardee of the Scholarship has to continue his/her education only in Govt./Local Body/Govt. aided private schools.

Eligibility Conditions :

- Any regular student of class VIII in academic session 2012-13 can appear provided he/she has secured 55% or more marks in aggregate in Class VII relaxable by 5% for SC/ST/PCG.
- The student should be studying in Govt./Local Body/Govt. aided private schools.
- The parental income of the candidate should be less than Rs. 1,50,000/- per year (Income certificate issued by SDM/Tehsildar/Naib Tehsildar must be attached in original).

Documents to be sent :

1. Application form duly signed by candidate and verified by head of the School along with Admit Card.
 2. Detail marks sheet of 7th Class Examination.
 3. Income certificate issued by SDM/Tehsildar/ Naib Tehsildar in Original.
 4. Candidates belonging to SC/ST must attach attested copy of SC/ST certificate issued by SDM/Tehsildar/ Naib Tehsildar.
 5. Candidates belonging to CWSN Category (Children with special need) should attached photo copy of the Certificate issued by CMO (Chief Medical Officer) The extent of physically disability should be 40% or above.
 6. A self addressed stamped envelop bearing stamps of Rs. 5/- be attached with the application form otherwise admission card will not be sent.
- Selection process for the award of NMMS scholarship has one stage only
 - The Examination will comprise of three tests namely **MENTAL ABILITY (MAT)**, **Language Test** and **SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT)**
 - MAT will judge the power of reasoning, ability to think and judge, evaluate or discriminate etc.
 - SAT will consist of Social Science, Basic science and Mathematics.
 - MAT will be of 50 Marks (45 Min.) Language Test will be of 40 Marks (45 Min.)
 - There will be no negative marking.
 - The minimum qualifying marks for general category candidates shall be 40% and for SC/ST/PCG is 32%
 - The scholarship shall be awarded to those selected candidates who secure 55% or more marks in class VIII. There will be relaxation of 5% for SC/ST/PCG.

राष्ट्रीय साधन एवं योग्यता छात्रवृत्ति - 2014

परीक्षा तिथि : 2 नवम्बर, 2014 (रविवार)

- केन्द्रीय मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय ने 1,00,000 छात्रों को छात्रवृत्तियां प्रदान करने के लिए राष्ट्रीय साधन एवं पात्रता छात्रवृत्ति योजना का प्रारम्भ किया है। इस छात्रवृत्ति के लिए हर वर्ष एक परीक्षा का आयोजन किया जाता है। परीक्षा में बैठने के लिए वही छात्र पात्र होंगे जिनके माता-पिता की वार्षिक आय 1,50,000 रुपये से कम होगी।
- इस योजना के अन्तर्गत हर वर्ष हिमाचल प्रदेश के 832 छात्रों को छात्रवृत्ति मिल सकेगी। 15 प्रतिशत छात्रवृत्तियां अनुसूचित जाति के छात्रों के लिए, 7.5 प्रतिशत अनुसूचित जनजाति के छात्रों के लिए और 3 प्रतिशत शारीरिक रूप से अक्षम छात्रों के लिए आरक्षित है।
- छात्रवृत्ति नौवीं कक्षा से 12वीं कक्षा अर्थात् 4 वर्ष के लिए देय होगी। छात्रवृत्ति की राशि 500/- रुपये प्रति माह होगी, शर्त यह है कि छात्र/छात्रा 8वीं, 9वीं, 11वीं कक्षाओं की वार्षिक परीक्षाओं में 55 प्रतिशत अंक तथा 10वीं में 60 प्रतिशत अंक प्राप्त करें। आरक्षित वर्ग के लिए 5 प्रतिशत की छूट होगी। विद्यार्थी केवल सरकारी, स्थानीय निकाय द्वारा संचालित अथवा सरकारी सहायता प्राप्त स्कूल में ही 4 वर्ष तक शिक्षा ग्रहण कर रहा हो।

पात्रता :

- सत्र 2014-15 में 8वीं कक्षा में पढ़ रहा कोई भी नियमित छात्र जिसने 7वीं कक्षा में 55 प्रतिशत अंक या अधिक अंक लेकर पास की हो, परीक्षा में बैठने के लिए पात्र है। आरक्षित वर्ग के लिए 5 प्रतिशत की छूट होगी अर्थात् 50 प्रतिशत अंक प्राप्त करने वाला छात्र भी इस परीक्षा में बैठ सकेगा।
- छात्र किसी भी सरकारी, स्थानीय निकाय द्वारा संचालित अथवा सरकारी सहायता प्राप्त स्कूल 95 प्रतिशत सरकारी सहायता से, शिक्षा ग्रहण कर रहा हो।
- छात्र के माता-पिता की सभी स्रोतों से वार्षिक आय 1,50,000/- रुपये से कम हो। उपमण्डलाधिकारी नागरिक, तहसीलदार अथवा किसी कार्यकारी मैजिस्ट्रेट द्वारा जारी आय प्रमाण-पत्र की मूल प्रति आवेदन के साथ संलग्न करें। अन्यथा पात्रता स्वीकार नहीं की जाएगी।
- अनुसूचित जाति/जनजाति के उम्मीदवार छात्र उपमण्डल अधिकारी नागरिक, तहसीलदार अथवा किसी कार्यकारी मैजिस्ट्रेट द्वारा जारी प्रमाण-पत्र की अनुप्रमाणित (Attested) छायाप्रति आवेदन के साथ संलग्न करें।
- शारीरिक रूप से अक्षम उम्मीदवार छात्र मुख्य जिला चिकित्सा अधिकारी द्वारा जारी इस आशय का प्रमाण-पत्र संलग्न करें। शारीरिक अक्षमता 40 प्रतिशत अथवा इससे अधिक हो।
- 5/- रुपये का डाक टिकट लगा अपना पता सहित लिखा लिफाफा आवेदन के साथ संलग्न करें अन्यथा परीक्षा के लिए प्रवेश-पत्र नहीं भेजा जाएगा।
- परीक्षा केन्द्रों की सूची और आवेदन पत्र भरने के लिए आवश्यक कोड आवेदन पत्र के पिछले पृष्ठ पर दिए गए हैं। इस छात्रवृत्ति के लिए चयन प्रक्रिया एक ही चरण में समाप्त होगी।

चयन प्रक्रिया

- परीक्षा के लिए 3 तरह के टेस्ट निर्धारित किए गए हैं - बौद्धिक योग्यता परीक्षा, भाषा परीक्षा तथा शैक्षिक योग्यता परीक्षा। बौद्धिक योग्यता परीक्षा में छात्र की तर्क शक्ति, सोचने, निर्णय लेने, मूल्यांकन, और अन्तर इत्यादि करने की योग्यता का परीक्षण किया जाएगा।
- नकारात्मक मूल्यांकन नहीं होगा।
- सामान्य श्रेणी के उम्मीदवार को न्यूनतम 40 प्रतिशत और आरक्षित श्रेणियों के लिए न्यूनतम 32 प्रतिशत अंक प्राप्त करने होंगे।
- छात्रवृत्ति उन्हीं छात्र/छात्राओं को देय होगी जो 8वीं कक्षा और उसके बाद की वार्षिक परीक्षाओं में न्यूनतम 55 प्रतिशत अंक और 10वीं परीक्षा में 60 प्रतिशत अंक प्राप्त करेंगे जिसमें कि आरक्षित वर्ग के लिए 5 प्रतिशत की छूट है।

आवेदन - पत्र जमा करने के लिए अन्तिम तिथि 20 अगस्त, 2014 (बुधवार)

अन्तिम तिथि के बाद, अपूर्ण रूप से भरे, आवश्यक प्रमाण-पत्रों और शुल्क के बिना आवेदन पत्र स्वीकार नहीं किए जायेंगे तथा न ही उनका परीक्षा शुल्क वापिस किया जाएगा।

कार्यालय : प्राचार्य, राज्य शैक्षिक अनुसंधान और प्रशिक्षण परिषद्, सोलन (हिमाचल प्रदेश) पिन - 173211

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