

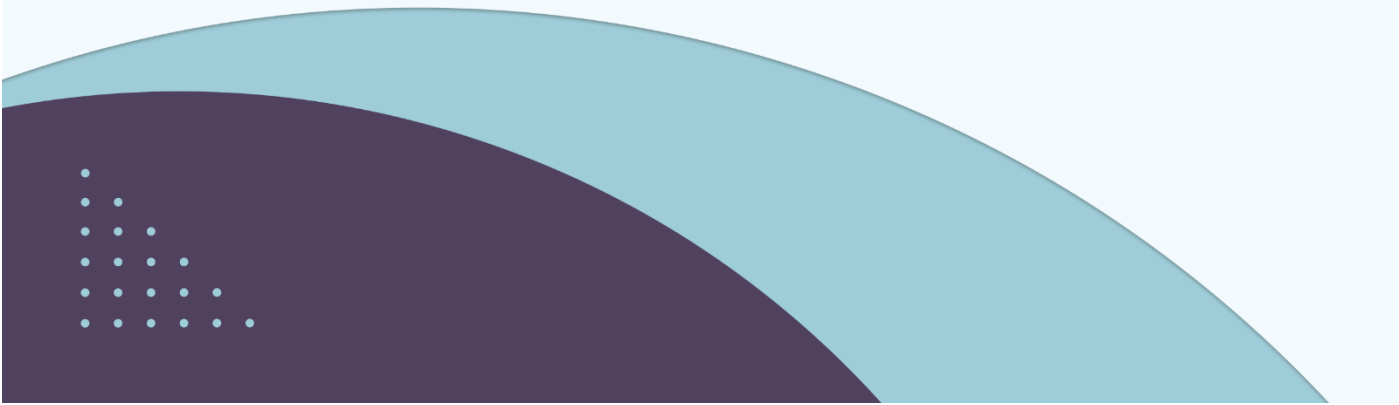


INFORMATION BROCHURE

Pre-Entry Test (PET)-2023

for admission into 2-year Diploma in Elementary Education (D.El.Ed.)
course for the session 2023-2025

DIRECTORATE OF STATE COUNCIL OF EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH AND TRAINING (SCERT), ASSAM,
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General Information:

This is for information that the youths of the state who are permanent residents of Assam and aspiring to take up teaching as a profession at elementary level may apply to appear in the Pre-Entry Test (PET)-2023 for admission into **2-year Diploma in Elementary Education (D.El.Ed.) course** for the session 2023-2025 in the NCTE recognised Teacher Education Institutes (TEIs) of the state.

It is to be noted that acquiring of this diploma by a person will not automatically be able to claim for recruitment in any Govt. elementary schools.

Applications are therefore, invited from the intending candidates having aptitude to serve with dedication as teachers in Elementary Schools for admission into the **2-year Diploma in Elementary Education (D.El.Ed.) course for the session 2023-2025.**

Admission will be open for each Teacher Education Institute (i.e. DIET, CTE, Normal School, BTC and Private Institutes). District wise merit list will be prepared and allotment will be made in Teacher Education Institutes (TEIs) in the districts as per merit and availability of seats. In each district there will be reservation of 30% of total seats for candidates having **Science stream** and 70% of total seats for **Arts & other streams.**

Course Structure:

The course will be of 2-year duration consisting of 4 semesters.

Eligibility Criteria for applying for Pre-Entry Test(PET)-2023:

i) The candidate must have passed Higher Secondary (HS) [10+2] examination from recognized Boards/Councils with at least 50% marks in aggregate excluding marks secured in the optional/extra/fourth subject.

[For candidates belonging to SC/ST(P)/ST(H) category there will be relaxation of 5% of marks in aggregate excluding marks secured in the optional/extra/fourth subject].

ii) The candidate must be a permanent resident of Assam.

iii) The candidate must not be less than 18 years and not more than 34 years as on 1st July, 2023. There will be relaxation by 2 years in upper age for candidates belonging to SC, ST(P) & ST(H) categories.

How to Apply: Candidates can apply online to appear in the Pre-Entry Test (PET)-2023 by logging into the portal <https://www.scertpet.co.in>

Application Fees: Rs. 600.00 (Rupees Six Hundred Only) for all categories to be paid online through Internet Banking/Debit Card/Credit Card etc. during online submission of application form.

Selection Procedure:

The candidates will have to appear in the Pre-Entry Test (PET)-2023 of 100 marks comprising of 100 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ). District wise Merit list of the candidates will be prepared on the basis of marks secured in Pre-Entry Test (PET) by the candidates.

Total Intake Capacity for conducting the course is 4200.

Course Fee:

i. For Govt. TEIs i.e. DIET/CTE/Normal School/BTC payable per semester:

Admission fee : Rs.50/- to be paid at the time of admission.

Tuition fee : Rs.50/- per month.

Examination fee : Rs. 800/- for each regular semester end evaluation.

(To be paid at the time of form fill up for each semester end evaluation) : Rs.100/- per paper for repeaters in semester end evaluation.

Electricity charges : (i) Rs.35/- per month for the candidates staying in the hostel.
(ii) Rs. 25/- per month for the candidates staying outside.

ii. For Private Institutes payable per semester:-

Total fees is Rs 27,000/- (Twenty Seven Thousand) only per year. It includes admission, tuition fees etc.

Mode of payment for candidates selected for admission: Will be notified later on.

N.B. Admission fee as well as tuition fee will be deposited in the Govt. exchequer by The Principals of TEIs through Treasury Challan in the head of account "0202"-Education. The divisible pool formed by the examination fee will be shared by SBTE and TEIs @ Rs 400/- each.

POST ADMISSION CRITERIA:

(i) ***A student who is found absent from classes continuously for 5 (five) working days and students whose attendance is found to be below 80% of total 15 (fifteen) working days from the very first day of class of the session then his/her admission will be cancelled by the concerned Principal and vacancies caused thereof shall be filled up from the waiting lists.*** However, if a student cannot attend classes for his/her health problem in that case he/she will have to intimate the concerned Principal in written form along with medical certificate for consideration.

(ii) ***Students whose attendance is below 75% of the total working days of a semester will not be allowed to appear in the semester end evaluation.***

(iii) Hostel accommodation will be provided free of cost subject to availability of hostels and seats. However, the students will have to carry their bedding, bucket, mug, dish, glass, etc. for their personal use. In the event of non-availability of hostel facilities, the candidates will have to arrange their accommodation themselves.

iv) Cost of food will have to be borne by the students themselves.

v) Breaking of any institutional discipline will be dealt with strictly which may cause disqualification for appearing in the semester end evaluation/s.

vi) A student has to secure 50% of total marks to pass for each internal and external paper of semester end evaluation of 2-year D.El.Ed. Course.

vii) If a student fails in certain papers in a semester end evaluation in that case, he/she can repeat maximum 3 (three) papers. If a student fails in more than 3 (three) papers then he/she will have to appear for the entire papers of the concerned semester. Unsuccessful students of any semester will be given only TWO more chances consecutively to clear the concerned semester by appearing together with the next semester end evaluation. Moreover, there is a provision of re-evaluation of answer scripts with an application fee of Rs. 300/- per paper.

District wise list of Teacher Education Institutes (TEIs):

Sl. No	District	Name of Teacher Education Institutes (TEIs)
1	Barpeta	DIET, Barpeta, Howly
2		Normal School, Howly
3		BTC, Chenga
4		BTC, Howly
5		Bajali Teachers' Training College. (Private)
6		Ataur Rahman College of Education. (Private)
7		Barpeta B.T. College. (Private)
8	Bongaigaon	DIET, Bongaigaon
9		Normal School, Bongaigaon
10	Cachar	DIET, Cachar, Udharbond
11		Normal School, Silchar
12	Darrang	DIET, Darrang, Dalgaon
13		BTC, Dalgaon
14	Dhemaji	DIET, Dhemaji
15	Dhubri	DIET, Dhubri, Golakganj
16		BTC, Golakganj
17	Dibrugarh	DIET, Dibrugarh, Chabua
18		BTC, Chabua
19	Dima Hasao	DIET, Dima Hasao, Haflong
20	Goalpara	DIET, Goalpara, Dudhnoi
21		BTC, Dudhnoi
22	Golaghat	DIET, Golaghat, Dergaon
23		BTC, Dergaon
24	Hailakandi	DIET, Hailakandi
25		BTC, Hailakandi
26		Dr. Shashi Bhushan Institute of Education. (Private)
27	Tinsukia	DIET, Tinsukia
28	Jorhat	DIET, Jorhat, Titabor
29		Normal School, Jorhat
30	Majuli	BTC, Ravanapara, Majuli
31	Kamrup	DIET, Kamrup
32		BTC, Rangia
33		West Guwahati College of Education, Maligaon, Guwahati. (Private)
34		Baihata Chariali B.Ed. College, Kamrup. (Private)
35		College of Education, Boko, Kamrup. (Private)
36	Karbi Anglong	BTC, Diphu

Sl. No	District	Name of Teacher Education Institutes (TEIs)
37	Karimganj	DIET, Karimganj, Kaliganj
38		BTC, Kaliganj
39		Patharkandi College of Education, Karimganj. (Private)
40		Vivekananda College of Education. (Private)
41	Kokrajhar	DIET, Kokrajhar, GourangNwgwr
42		BTC, Kokrajhar
43		Gossaigaon B.Ed. College, Kokrajhar. (Private)
44	Lakhimpur	DIET, Lakhimpur, Azad
45		Normal School, Dhakuakhana
46		BTC, Azad
47	Morigaon	DIET, Morigaon
48		College of Education, Morigaon (Private)
49	Nagaon	DIET, Nagaon, Samaguri
50		CTE, Nagaon
51		Normal School, Nagaon
52		BTC, Raha
53		Krishna Bora B.Ed. College, Lanka, Hojai. (Private)
54		HAM-AK Rural College of Education. (Private)
55		Kaliabor College of Education, Kuwaritol. (Private)
56	Nalbari	DIET, Nalbari, Karia
57		BTC, Nalbari
58		SDP College of Teacher Education, Tihu, Nalbari. (Private)
59	Sivasagar	DIET, Sivasagar
60		BTC, Sonari
61		BTC, Joysagar
62	Sonitpur	DIET, Sonitpur, Biswanath Chariali
63		CTE, Tezpur
64		Normal School, Sootea
65		Biswanath College of Education, Biswanath Chariali. (Private)

Total

NB: **DIET-District Institute of Education and Training**
CTE-College of Teacher Education
BTC-Basic Training Centre

IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO THE CANDIDATES:

- A) After declaration of district wise result with score & category wise rank, **online counseling** will be held where candidates will have to mandatorily give their preferences of TEIs where he/she intends to study. However, candidates will be allotted in their preferred TEI based on their score and category.
- B) In each district 30% of total intake capacity will be reserved for candidates having Science stream and 70% for Arts & other streams. District wise merit list of candidates for (i) Science and (ii) Arts & other streams will be prepared separately as per reservation policy.
- C) Reservation of seats for the candidates belonging to reserved categories including OBC/MOBC, SC/ST(P)/ST(H)/Person with Disability (PWD)/ EWS will be as per Reservation Policy.
- D) The following categories of Person with Disability (PWD) will be considered for admission subject to maintenance of benchmark disability that means a person with not less than forty per cent:
- i. Visually Impaired (VI)
 - ii. Hearing Impaired (HI)
 - iii. Orthopedically Handicapped (OH)

**Original Documents needs to be produced by the selected
Candidates at the time of document verification in concerned Teacher Education
Institutes (TEIs)**

- i.** Certificate for proof of age. (Admit Card of H.S.L.C. / equivalent examination)
- ii.** Pass Certificate & Mark sheet of Higher Secondary (HS) [10+2]
- iii.** Certificate of Caste (if any) from Competent Authority.
- iv.** Document to proof that he/she is permanent resident of Assam.
- v.** Person with Disability (PWD) & EWS certificate (if any) issued from the Competent Authority.
- vi.** All the selected candidates have to submit an undertaking to the principals of the concerned TEIs in Rs.10/- court fee paper with their signature as follows:----

“I do here by declared that I have not taken any admission in other regular courses except 2-year Diploma in Elementary Education (D.El.Ed.) Course for the session 2023-25. The authority may cancel my candidature immediately with disciplinary action if anyone produce evidence of my engagement in any other regular courses or department in the same academic year and in the event of any information/document being found false or not satisfying any of the stipulated eligibility criteria for the course.”

Signature:

Full Name

Date:

Address:

(N.B.: Candidate who fails to submit original relevant documents will not be admitted.)

QUESTION PATTERN, MARKING SYSTEM & FILLING OF OMR SHEET

And SYLLABUS for Pre-Entry Test (PET)-2023 for Admission into 2-year D.El.Ed. Course, 2023-2025

The Test shall have Two Sections: Section-I and Section-II

Total Marks-100

Time- 2 hours

Type of question-----MCQ

Number of question -----100

Mark carried by each question----- 1

Filling of OMR SHEET and Marking system:

There will be four sets of Question Booklet (A/B/C/D). Candidate will have to answer only one Question Booklet. Candidate should note that OMR Answer Sheet shall be used for indicating the answers. The evaluation of OMR sheet will be done with the help of software. No manual evaluation of OMR sheet shall be done. The performance of the candidates shall be evaluated both on the basis of correct and incorrect responses recorded on the OMR sheet. For each correct response 1 (one) mark will be secured by the candidate. There will be negative marking for every incorrect response. For every incorrect response, 0.25 mark shall be deducted from the marks secured by the candidate for correct responses. If more than one response is given to a question then the answer will be treated as incorrect response. While appearing in the test candidates should follow the instructions given in the Question Booklet, OMR sheet & Admit Card and carefully fill up the relevant particulars like Roll No., Question Booklet set (A/B/C/D) etc. Use only **Black or Blue Ball point pen** while filling the choices in OMR Sheet.

Section: I : **35 Marks**

A. General English : **10 Marks**

B. General Knowledge : **15 Marks**

C. Reasoning : **10 Marks**

Section: II : **65 Marks**

A. General Mathematics : **15 Marks**

B. General Science & EVS : **15 Marks**

C. Social Science : **20 Marks**

D. Language (Assamese/Bangla/Bodo) : **15 Marks**

Section-I

- A. General English:** vocabulary, tenses, verbs, preposition, comprehension, voice-change, narration, adverbs, synonyms, antonyms.
- B. General Knowledge:** Current affairs, who is who, abbreviations, constitution of India, History of Assam, Inventions and discoveries, Sports. Art and culture, Every day Science, World Organizations, Geography of India, Educational Commissions and Committees, New Educational Initiatives, Educational Organizations.
- C. Reasoning:** Logical and analytical reasoning, pattern etc.

Section-II

A. Mathematics :

- Numbers: Natural, whole, even and odd numbers, prime and composite numbers, place value, four fundamental operations of number, factors and multiples, prime factors, LCM and HCF, ascending and descending order.
- Fractions: Concept of fraction and its uses.
- Percentage: Concept of percentage, solving problems involving percentage, profit and loss.
- Money: Concept of money, solving problems involving money.
- Geometry: Angles, types of angles, types of triangle, types of quadrilateral, circle.
- Measurement: Length, area, volume and perimeter of different geometrical figures, Measurement of weight and time.
- Data handling: Representation of data, bar diagram, Pie diagram.
- Square & square root: Concept of square root, solving problems involving square root.
- Ratio and proportion.
- Simple algebraic equation.

B. Science & Environmental Science :

- Natural and Social Environment.
- Factors influencing environment.
- Causes of environmental degradation: Air, water, sound and soil pollution.
- Bio-diversity.
- Environmental Issues: Flood, erosion, earthquake, deforestation, population explosion.
- Environmental protection- Constitutional provision, Protection Acts, Role of individual and local bodies, NGOs and Government.
- Different states and characteristics of matter, physical and chemical change.
- Chemical reaction.
- Force, energy, motion.
- Cell--Plant and animal cell, structures.
- Adaptation in plants, reproduction in plants.
- Microorganism.
- Heat and temperature, measurement of temperature.
- Acid, Bases and Salt.
- Light and Reflections.
- Weather and climate.
- Respiration in organism and in plants.

C. Social Science:

- Natural and human resources.
- Atmosphere and its different layers.
- Freedom movement of India and role of India.
- Constitution of India and its importance.
- Democracy and its principles.
- Rise and fall of Ahom kingdom.
- Ancient urban civilization.
- Government: State and Central.
- Earth and its structure.
- Consumer protection and right.
- Role of financial institutions in socio economic development of the society.
- Transport and communication.
- Agricultural and Industrial development.
- India after independence.
- Contribution of medieval administrators on socio economic development in Assam.

D. Language:

- Objectives of Language learning .
- Importance of language learning.
- Application of phrases and idioms.
- Skills of language learning (listening, speaking, reading and writing skill).
- Methods of language teaching.
- Difference between home language and mother tongue.
- Suffix, prefix, gender, coalescence of two words according to rules of grammar (sandhi).
- The verb and number (singular and plural).
- Reading Comprehension Test.
- Nattabidhi, Sattabidhi.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

HOW TO APPLY

Candidates must submit their application forms through online mode only by visiting the official site i.e., <https://scertpet.co.in>. No other forms of application will be entertained.

Candidates must follow the following steps during submission of Online Applications

- ❖ Register in the Portal using valid mobile number.
(Note: Candidates are advised to keep the mobile number unchanged until the admission process is over)
- ❖ After successful registration candidates will fill the details as per the application form.
- ❖ After Successful submission of application and payment is made, the applicant will get an Acknowledgement Receipt consisting of unique Application ID.
- ❖ Candidates must keep the Application ID/Registration ID until the Admission Process is over.

Candidates will be required to upload scanned copies of the following documents:

a) Passport Size Photograph: -

Please pay attention to upload good quality passport size photograph. Poor quality of photograph uploaded will lead to rejection of your application. The admit card will be printed with the photograph you uploaded.

- i.** The photograph must be in color.
- ii.** The file format should be JPEG.
- iii.** The maximum file size should be 100 kb (kilo bytes).

b) Signature: -

- i.** Please put your signature with a black or dark blue ink on a white paper.
- ii.** The file format should be JPEG.
- iii.** Dimension of signature image should be 3.5cm (width) x 2.5cm (height).
- iv.** The maximum file size should be 100 kb (kilo bytes).

c) Other document:-

- i.** Admit Card of Class 10. The maximum file size should be 450 kb (kilo bytes). The file format should be PDF.
- ii.** Mark sheet of Higher Secondary (HS) [10+2] examination. The maximum file size should be 450 kb (kilo bytes). The file format should be PDF.

Incomplete/ defective/ invalid application will be summarily rejected.

N.B. Candidates can download the Admit Card from the SCERT official website by entering their Application ID/Mobile number & Date of Birth.

IMPORTANT DATES

1.	Opening of Online Submission of Applications	25 th July, 2023
2.	Closing of Online Submission of Applications with fee payment	14 th August, 2023
3.	Downloading of ADMIT Card	From 1 st September, 2023 onwards
4.	Date of Pre-Entry Test (PET)-2023	10 th September, 2023 (Sunday)
5.	Declaration of Result	20 th September, 2023

HELP DESK

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(10:00 AM To 5:00 PM on All Working Days)
