

17TH NATIONWIDE EDUCATION AND SCHOLARSHIP TEST – 2017 (NEST-I&II SCHOLARSHIPS)

I N S T R U C T I O N S

Please read the following instructions before filling the application form.

1. **PLEASE NOTE THAT YOU ARE APPLYING TO PARTICIPATE IN OUR ONLINE TEST SCHEDULED FOR 29TH JANUARY, 2017 (SUNDAY) TO WIN A NEST SCHOLARSHIP BASED ON MERIT. WE DO NOT OFFER ADMISSION TO ANY CLASS, COURSE OR TRAINING. IT'S AN INITIATIVE TO AWARD ONLY CHOLARSHIPS.**

2. You can apply for **NEST-I or NEST-II of 2017** only if you are appearing in or passing out your class 12th (science) or Diploma Engineering (Final Year) or 1st to 4th Year exam of a degree course in science, engineering or medical sciences in any school/college/university in India in the year 2017. (Read all the eligibility criteria carefully in the ABOUT NEST menu of our website www.nest.net.in before filling up the application form.)

3. Please note that if you are paying your registration fee through Demand Draft, then it must be in favour of SEMCI INDIA payable at MUMBAI. You must have your DD ready before filling up the application form as you need to enter your DD details at the time of registration OR you should keep your Credit Card / Debit Card / Internet Banking Account details ready for online payment at the time of registration. **You must write your own name and/or Registration Number on the back-side of your DD before sending it to our Mumbai office.**

4. You must send the Demand Draft by registered post /speed post /courier to:

The Director, NEST,
c/o SEMCI INDIA,
B-1, Piccadilly Flats,
57-J, Clare Road, Byculla,
Mumbai-400 008 (MS).

5. REGISTRATION FEE:

NEST-I: Rs. 600/- (Rupees Six Hundred only) till **30th September, 2016.** *Thereafter, there is late fee of Rs. 100/- in October & November and Rs. 200/- in December.*

NEST-II: Rs. 700/- (Rupees Seven Hundred only) till **30th September, 2016.** *Thereafter, there is late fee of Rs. 100/- in October & November and Rs. 200/- in December.*

NOTE: If you want last 6 years' (2006 to 2011) unsolved question papers of NEST, then add Rs. 300/- to the fee.

However, the book is FREE in July & August.

6. Test Centres are available only in the below mentioned cities:

AGRA, AHMEDABAD, AMRITSAR, AURANGABAD, BANGALORE, BHOPAL, BHUBANESHWAR, CHANDIGARH, CHENNAI, COIMBATORE, CUTTACK, DEHRADUN, DELHI & NCR, DHANBAD, DURGAPUR, ERNAKULAM (COCHIN), GANGTOK, GOA, GUWAHATI, GWALIOR, HUBLI, HYDERABAD, INDORE, ITANAGAR, JABALPUR, JAIPUR, JAMMU, KOLKATA, LUCKNOW, LUDHIANA, MADURAI, MEERUT, MUMBAI & SUBURBS, NAGPUR, NASHIK, PATNA, PUNE, RANCHI, ROHTAK, SHIMLA, TRICHY, TRIVANDRUM, VADODARA, VIJAYWADA, VISHAKHAPATNAM.

*DELHI & NCR includes Faridabad, Ghaziabad, Gurgaon and NOIDA.

**NOTE: Although the choice of centre is not guaranteed, yet we try our level best to allot the nearest centre to your correspondence address.

7. Write your **Full Name** as it appears in your school/college certificates.

8. Write **Full Name** of your father.

9. Fill up your **Date of Birth** as per your **High School Certificate**.

10. You are eligible for either **NEST-I** or **NEST-II**. Please note that **NEST-I** has **TWO** groups, viz. **Biology** and **Mathematics**. But, **NEST-II** has **FOUR** groups of disciplines (**A/B/C/D**) and you must tick-mark any **ONE** of them.

11. Give your full and correct **Address for Correspondence** along with correct **Pin Code** of the area/town.

12. Select the **Name of the City** (in the registration form) from where you would like to appear for the test. A test center would be allotted to you in the particular city.

13. Write your correct permanent and functional **Land-line** and **Mobile number/s** as well as any other alternative telephone number to enable us to instantly inform you about any important matter regarding the test. Please do not change your numbers till your final result is declared. Alerts will be sent to your first mobile number.
14. Write clearly and correctly your **E-mail Id** as we need it to send you all our notices or alerts first by **e-mail** and then by phone call and/or **SMS**. Alerts will be sent to your first **E-mail Id**.
15. Write full **Name of College** and its **Location** (i.e. **town/city** where you are currently a bona fide student and pursuing your studies) for **2017 Exams**.
16. Provide **Percentage of Marks** you obtained in class **10th, 12th** and other **most recent exam**. If you have a grade system, convert it to percentage. Please note that the percentage of marks in the qualifying and other previous exams is no bar to apply for NEST, this will only help us verify your details when you win a high rank and/or a scholarship based on your performance in the test.
17. Please note that any incorrect information provided by you in the application form may lead to rejection of your application and candidature for the test. *You must undertake the responsibility of the correctness of all the information that you give in the application form.*
18. You must **Paste/Upload Your Latest and Clear Photograph** as proof of your identity in the application form. The photo must either be in (**JPG, JPEG, GIF, TIF**) format & it should be of a passport-size and its **Memory Size Should NOT be More than 100 KB**. **Please keep the scanned copy of your photo ready before you start the registration process.**

NOTE: Please also go through other important instructions as –

- i. Anyone who has won the **Top Prize (Rank#1)** CANNOT appear again in the same category.*
- ii. If your mode of payment is by DD, your application will be accepted and you will receive the confirmation of its acceptance **only after your DD is received in our office and accepted by our bank.***
- iii. Fees once deposited will **NOT** be returned even if the test is cancelled for any reasons.*
- iv. Your test venue can be changed to another nearest available venue due to any strategic or other reasons. **We Will NOT Pay** for your travelling To and Fro or for staying in the city for the test.*
- v. The result will be declared and displayed in the **RESULT** menu of our website www.nest.net.in on **April 5, 2017**. You will be able to download your **Score Card and Certificate of Appreciation with All India Ranking (AIR)** in the **1st week of June, 2017**. Results may sometimes be delayed due to any unforeseen reasons. So, you need to keep patience while waiting for it. Winners of scholarships will be informed individually as soon as the final list is ready.*
- vi. **Admit Cards of all the candidates will be sent by e-mail just one week before the date of test. It will also be available on our website www.nest.net.in on 22nd January, 2017.***

Please visit the website regularly to know more about any issues related to your admit card, venue address, result, etc. or call our executives on students' support lines as given below.

For more information about NEST (24×7×365)
Phone - 022-6529 2506 / 6529 2507 OR E-mail: info@nest.net.in

For Technical queries (9:30 AM to 6 PM - Monday to Friday)
Phone: 011-4050 8149 OR E-mail: support@exon.in
