ADVERTISEMENT NATIONAL TALENT SEARCH EXAMINATION (NTS) FOR (CLASS-X) 2015 - 2016

Applications are invited from the intending students studying in **class –X** (Ten) for the State Level National Talent Search Examination (NTS)- 2015-16.

About the Scheme (NTS)

National Talent Search Scheme is a flagship activity of National Council of Educational Research & Training (NCERT). The purpose of the scheme is to identify the talented students and nurture their talent on the basis of examination conducted. Scholarship will be awarded as per NCERT Rules.

Scholarship:

About One thousand scholarships are awarded for different stages of education as follows:

- (a) Scholarship of Rs. 1250/- per month for Class XI to XII.
- (b) Scholarship of Rs. 2000/- per month for Undergraduates and Post-graduates.
- (c) Amount of Scholarship for Ph.D. be fixed in accordance with the UGC norms.

Reservation:-

15% for students belonging to the SC category, 7.5% for students belonging to the ST category and 3% for **Physically challenged** Group of students.

Selection:-

There will be two stage selection process for award of scholarship.

Stage-I, selection will be done by State /UTs and those who qualify **Stage-I**, will be eligible to appear for **Stage-II** examination, conducted by NCERT

Qualifying Marks:-

Qualifying marks for candidates from General category is 40% in each paper and for candidates from SC, ST, PH is 35% in each paper.

Eligibility:

Students of **Class-X** studying in Government, Local Body, Govt. Aided, Private Schools are eligible to appear for **Stage -I** examination.

Application Form :-

Students may visit our website $\underline{www.madhyamik.in}$ for online submission of application which will be available from 15th August, 2015, 11.00 A.M.

Examination Centre:-

Stage-I NTS Examination will be held at almost all the District Headquarters. However centre of examination may be increased or decreased by the authority depending upon the number of candidates for the Examination from the District.

Important Dates:-

- 1. Last date of submission of Application Form :- 15th September 2015 upto 5.00 P.M.
- 2. Examination Date :- 8th November 2015(Sunday).

Admit Card:-

The Admit Card for the candidate will be available online. The candidate may download his/her admit card by putting his/her application number or user name on or after 30th October' 2015. If any candidate fails to submit required information or deposit required fee, their application will be rejected and no admit card will issued against them.

Rate of Examination Fee:-

Rs.150/- per student of General Category. Rs.100/- per student of SC/ST Category.

How to deposit fee:-

For **ONLINE** submission of application, the candidates have to deposit fee in any SBI Branch by e-challan generated by ONLINE PORTAL.

In case any confusion, the students may contact the Liaison Officer (Ms. M.Hojai) Jt. D.S.E. over telephone number is 0361-2381657(O)during working hours Helpline No.09769199421 (Monday to Saturday: 10 A.M to 6 P.M.)

ADVERTISEMENT NATIONAL MEANS CUM-MERIT SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION NMMS 2015-2016 FOR (CLASS-VIII)

Applications are invited from the eligible and intending students studying in class VIII for National Means-Cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme [NMMS-2015-16].

About the Scheme [NMMS]

Under this Scheme Scholarship is awarded to benefit the children of weaker sections of the society. The scholarship is paid to the students till they complete their studies up to class XII i.e. for a maximum period of 4 years @ Rs. 500 /- (Five Hundred) per month.

Terms & Conditions:

- (a) The students studying in Govt. School/ Local Body School/ Govt. aided Schools are only eligible for NMMS Examination.
- (b) The Parent's/ Guardian's income should not exceed Rs.1.5 lacs per annum.
- (c) The students should have at least 55% marks in class VII.

Selection Test for NMMS

A written examination will be held for selection of candidates under the NMMS Scheme.

Application Form:-

Students can submit application for NMMS Examination both in *OFFLINE* and *ONLINE*. For offline submission, application form can be collected from the office of the concern Inspector of Schools during the office period i.e. from 10.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. within 15th August to 15th September 2015.

For **ONLINE** submission, student can visit our website <u>www.madhyamik.in</u> for details.

Examination Centre:-

NMMS Examination will be held at almost all the District Headquarters. However centre of examination may be increased or decreased by the authority depending upon the number of candidates for the Examination from the District.

Important Dates:-

- 1. Last date for submission of application for both OFFLINE & ONLINE is on 15th September/2015.
- 2. Date of Examination is on 8th November/2015. (Sunday)

Admit Card:-

Admit Card for the candidate will be available online. The candidate may download his/her admit card by putting his/her application number or user name on or after 30^{th} October' 2015. If any candidate fails to submit required information or deposit required fee, their application will be rejected and no admit card will issued against them.

Rate of Examination Fee:-

Rs.150/- per student of General Category.

Rs.100/- per student of SC/ST Category.

How to deposit fee:- For OFFLINE submission of application, the examination fee shall have to be deposited in the Bank A/C given below and the original receipt of pay – in-slip must be enclosed with the application.

Name and style of current A/C "National Talent Search Examination" Account No.30294941517 Bank SBI, Kahilipara Branch. Application fee deposited/sent by other way shall not be entertained.

In case of **ONLINE** submission of application, the candidates have to deposit fee in any SBI Brach by e-challan generated by ONLINE PORTAL.

How to submit the application Form:-

For offline: Application must be submitted to the following address: Application for NMMS Examination "Office of the Director of Secondary Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati, PIN-781019".

In case any confusion, students may contact the Liaison Officer (Ms. M.Hojai) Jt. D.S.E. over **telephone number** 0361-2381657(0) during working hours. Helpline No.09769199421 (Monday to Saturday: 10 A.M to 6 P.M.)
