

Government of West Bengal
WEST BENGAL STATE HAJ COMMITTEE
(A Statutory Body under Minority Affairs & Madrasah Education Deptt.)

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SCHEME AND SYLLABUS AND OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION IN CONNECTION WITH FREE RESIDENTIAL COACHING FOR WBCS EXAM -2023 (3rd Batch) AT HAJ TOWER, KAIKHALI, KOLKATA-52 TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE WEST BENGAL STATE HAJ COMMITTEE.

Commencement of submission of online application : The 15th February, 2023

Closing date for submission of online application : The 06th March, 2023 (upto 12-00 midnight)

Date for download Admit Card : From 09th March, 2023 to 12th March, 2023 www.wbhaj.com (By using Application No./ Date of Birth or user ID.)

List of Admission Test Centres with Code No.:

- A) KOLKATA (01)
- B) BERHAMPURE (02)
- C) SILIGURI (03)
- D) MALDA (04)
- E) ASANSOL (05)

Date of Admission Test: The 12th March, 2023 (SUNDAY)

Reporting Time: 11:30 A.M

Gate Closing Time: 12 noon

Exam Time: 12:30 P.M to 3:00 P.M

Date of Personality Test & Essay Writing 18/03/2023 & 19/03/2023

SCHEME AND SYLLABUS

The scheme and syllabus of the Admission Test shall be as detailed in the Schedule below:-

Scheme of the Admission Test : The Preliminary Examination will consist of only one paper, viz., a paper on "General Studies" . The paper will be of an objective type consisting of 200 multiple-choice questions. The paper will carry 200 marks and will be of 2½ hours duration. The standard of the paper will be of the level of knowledge as expected of a graduate of any faculty of a recognized University. The paper will include questions covering the following fields of knowledge:

Sl. No.	Subject Name	Marks
1	English Composition including Grammar	25
2	General Science	25
3	Current events of National & International Importance	25
4	History of India	25
5	Geography of India with special reference to West Bengal	25
6	Indian Polity and Economy	25
7	Indian National Movement	25
8	Arithmetic and Test of Reasoning / General Mental Ability	25

The Admission Test is meant to serve as a Screening Test only for the purpose of selection of candidates for the Free Residential Coaching for WBCS Exam-2023 at Haj Tower, Kaikhal, Kolkata-52 to be conducted by WBSHC.

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AN OUTLINE OF THE SYLLABI FOR ADMISSION TEST :

Questions on English Composition will cover Synonyms, Antonyms, Idioms and Phrases, Vocabulary test, Phrasal Verbs, the same words bearing more than one meaning, use of appropriate and qualifying words etc. Questions on General Science will cover general appreciation and understanding of science, including matters of everyday observation and experience as may be expected of a well-educated person who has not made a special study of any scientific discipline. In History, emphasis will be on broad general understanding of the subject in its social, economic and political aspects. Questions on the Geography of India will relate to Physical, Social and Economic Geography of the country, including the main features of Indian Agricultural and Natural Resources with special reference to West Bengal. Questions of Indian Polity and Economy will test the knowledge of the country's Political System, Panchayatee Raj, Community Development and Planning in India, Questions on the Indian National Movement will relate to the nature and character of the Nineteenth Century Resurgence, Growth of Nationalism and Attainment of Independence. General Mental Ability will relate to Logical perception, understanding and natural conclusion.

Eligible Qualification : i) Graduate from any recognized University of Central/State Government,
ii) Must be domicil of West Bengal.
N.B :Candidate(s) who have already undertaken free coaching facility from any Govt. agency(ies) will not be eligible.

Deduction of marks :

There shall be negative marking for each wrong answer to multiple-choice questions (MCQ) type.

For each wrong answer, one-third (1/3rd) marks will be deducted i.e. for three (3) wrong answer, one mark will be deducted as penalty.

MODE OF APPLICATION :

Applications can be submitted through online only. **SUBMISSION OF MORE THAN ONE APPLICATION BY THE SAME CANDIDATE IS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN AND SUCH APPLICATIONS ARE LIABLE TO CANCELLATION.**

Hard copy NOT to be submitted in the office of West Bengal State Haj Committee.

MODE OF ADMISSION TEST (EXAM) : OFFLINE

MODE OF SELECTION :

- 1) **ADMISSION TEST**
- 2) **PERSONALITY TEST (10 Marks) + ESSAY WRITING (10 Marks)**
Date of Personality Test & Essay Writing 18/03/2023 & 19/03/2023
Venue : Bait-ul Hujjaj (Haj House), 26/B Dilkusha Street, Kolkata-700 017

CANDIDATES RANKING IN THE ADMISSION TEST WILL ONLY BE CALLED FOR THE ESSAY WRITING AND PERSONALITY TEST.

HOWEVER FINAL SELECTION WILL BE MADE BASED ON TOTAL MARKS OBTAINED IN ADMISSIONTEST, PERSONALITY TEST AND ESSAY WRITING.

N.B. : I) CANDIDATURE OF SELECTED CANDIDATES WILL BE DISCONTINUED, IF HE/SHE FAILS TO

QUALIFY IN PRELIMS OF WBCS EXAM-2023.

II) IN THE EVENT OF ANY VACANCY ARISING OUT, BECAUSE OF ANY REASON WHAT SO EVER, PREFERENCE WILL BE GIVEN FOR WAITLISTED CANDIDATES.

CAUTION :

- i. The candidates must abide by the instructions as may be given by Executive Officer /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 West Bengal State Haj Committee (WBSHC) 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 WBSHC according to the circumstances of the case.
- iii. If at any stage even after issue of the letter of selection, 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 the Advertisement.

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- 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 WEST BENGAL STATE HAJ COMMITTEE, SHALL HAVE DISCRETION TO FIX QUALIFYING MARKS IN ANY PAPER /SUBJECTS / PERSONALITY TEST AND IN THE AGGREGATE.
- vii. Candidates are not allowed to carry mobile phones or any other gadget of communication inside the examination halls. This instruction must be strictly adhered to.
- viii. 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 or any other gadget of communication may not enter the venue.
- ix. If a candidate gives more than one answer, it will be treated as a wrong answer, even if one of the given answers happens to be correct.
- x. Female candidates wearing "HIJAB" must show their faces on demand and keep their ears open so that she can't listen using an ear phone.
- xi. **CANDIDATES ALLOTTED IN A PARTICULAR VENUE WILL IN NO CASE BE ADMITTED TO A VENUE OTHER THAN THAT INDICATED IN THE ADMIT CARD ISSUED BY THE WBSHC.**

By Order,

Executive Officer
West Bengal State Haj Committee
&
ex-Officio Sr. Dy. Secretary
to the Government of West Bengal

Name & Mobile No of contact persons for assistance if required:

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- 5) Md. Danish : **83348 29291** (for technical assistance)

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