



National Council of Educational Research and Training
Sri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi 110016

NATIONAL TALENT SEARCH EXAMINATION 2020
For Class X

ADMISSION CARD

(to be submitted to the invigilator in the examination center)

National Roll No (Stage - II)

Name of the Candidate

Date of Birth :

Mother's Name :

Father's Name :

Category

(General/OBC/SC/ST/EWS) :

Whether OBC as per Central
List :

PWD/CWSN Category :

Mobile No.*:

E-mail*:

Postal Address*:

Name of Candidate (in Hindi)*

Mother's Name : (in Hindi)*

Fathers Name (In Hindi)*

* to be filled by the candidate

VENUE OF EXAMINATION
CENTER :

Signature of the Candidate
during Examination

(in the presence of the Invigilator in the
Examination Hall)

Signature of the Invigilator

Paste a passport size
photograph attested by
the Head of the institution
where you are/were
studying or by a Gazetted
Officer

for MAT

for SAT

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

- Keep your E-Admit Card very carefully and bring it to the Examination Hall on the day of the examination after affixing your passport size photograph attested by the Principal/Headmaster of the Institution where you are/were studying in Class X or by any Gazetted officer.
- Do write down your mobile number , email ID and postal address on E-Admit Card.
- Please bring your own black or blue ball point pen.
- Write your Roll No. (as given in the E-Admit Card) on the cover page of the test booklet and on the OMR Sheet (in international numerals only) in the space provided for the purpose and also write your name on the OMR sheet.
- Write down the booklet number on the OMR Sheet (in the box provided for it) as given on the test booklet.
- You have to indicate your responses on separate OMR Sheets provided to you at the time of examination as per instructions given on them.
- You may get yourself familiarized with OMR sheets provided on the NCERT Website.
<http://www.ncert.nic.in>
- Sign on the e-Admit card, in the space provided, in the examination hall in the presence of the invigilator.
- Hand over the OMR sheets to the invigilator before you leave the examination hall.
- The name of the examination centre and the **National level Roll No.** should be indicated while making any reference to the NCERT.
- Postal address, if changed, should be intimated immediately to **Section Officer, Examination Section, (NTS-I) ESD, NCERT, Sri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi-110016.**
- Candidates have to bear the expenses for appearing in this examination.
- **There will be No Negative Marking.**
- It may be noted that the qualifying marks in each i.e. MAT and SAT tests is 40% for General & OBC category candidates and 32% for the candidates belonging to SC/ST/Physically Challenged categories.
- Use of calculators, log tables, cell phones and any other electronic devices are not allowed.

Important

If you belong to the OBC(NCL as per central list)/SC/ST/PWD category then, submit the photocopy of the current certificate to the Centre Superintendent/ Invigilator. Photocopies of the following certificate should be submitted along with E-Admit Card as applicable :

- Current OBC(NCL as per central list)/SC/ST certificate issued by competent authority
- Disability certificate (having disability 40% and above) as per PWD Act issued by competent authority
- Without these certificate(s), the prescribed concession for OBC(NCL as per central list)/SC/ST/Disability category shall not be given.
- Candidates are advised to report latest by 8:30 AM at the examination centre.
- Since examination centre are set up in Kendriya Vidyalayas, it may happen that they are located outside the city limits in cantonments/naval base/remote areas. Candidates are advised to get familiarized with the location one day in advance and reach the centre on time.
- Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for COVID-19 as preventive measures to be followed while appearing in examination.
- Candidates are advised to carry facemask, water bottle, hand sanitizer etc and light refreshment for lunch.
- No candidate will be permitted to go out of examination centre during examination timing (8:30-4.00PM).
- Due to restriction parents will not be permitted in the examination centres.

ADMISSION LETTER
(To be retained by the candidate)

**Sub: Second level National Talent Search Examination 2020
For Class X**

Dear Candidate,

On the basis of your performance at the first level screening test, you are to appear in the National Level Talent Search Examination for award of scholarship on the date and time given as under. Under no circumstances you will be permitted to enter the examination centre after **09.15 A.M.**

- Date of Examination :** 14 Feb, 2021(SUNDAY)
- Time : Reporting time** 8:30 A.M.
- Details of Examination schedule as under**

Examination Date	Paper	Test	Timings	Number of Questions	Number of Marks	Time Duration	Qualifying	Selection Criteria
14.02.2021 (In all the States/UTs of the country)	Paper-I	Mental Ability Test (MAT)	09.30am to 11.30am (All candidates except benchmark disabilities Candidates)	100	100	120 Minutes	32% SC, ST and PWD and 40% for General & OBC(NCL as per central list)/ Category separately in both papers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ There will be No Negative Marking ❖ Only candidates qualifying in both the papers separately will be considered for merit ❖ Selection of the awardee will be made on the basis of total Marks scored in MAT & SAT based on merit
			09.30am to 12.00 noon (For benchmark disabilities candidates)					
	Paper-II	Scholastic Aptitude Test(SAT)	13.30pm to 15.30pm (All candidates except benchmark disability candidates)	100 (Science-40, Mathematics-20, Social Science-40)	100	120 Minutes		
			13.30pm to 16.00pm (For benchmark disabilities candidates)					

4. Venue :

You are advised to carefully study the instructions and bring the **Admission Card** with duly pasted passport size photograph to the Centre of Examination and hand it over to the invigilator concerned.

Head
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NCERT, New Delhi