

**GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY DELHI**  
**DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION: SCHOOL BRANCH**  
**OLD SECRETARIAT: DELHI-110054**

DE.23 (28)/Sch.Br./2020-21/537

Dated: 05/08/2020

**CIRCULAR**

**Sub: Admission Criteria for Class XI in Govt. Schools.**

All the Heads of Govt. Schools are hereby directed to observe the following criteria while admitting the students in Class XI in various streams w.e.f. academic session 2020-21.

Students declared passed in the Secondary School Examination will be considered for admission in any stream of Class XI subject to the following eligibility criteria:-

| Stream                   | Aggregate pass %  | Subjects/Grades required (minimum %) |   |                    |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------|
| Science (with Maths)     | 55%   | English-50%                          | Standard Maths/Maths-50%                      | Science-50%        |
| Science (without Maths)  | 55%   | English-50%                          | Standard Maths/Maths-40% or Basic Maths – 45% | Science-50%        |
| Commerce (with Maths)    | 50%   | English-45%                          | Standard Maths/Maths-50%                      | Social Science-45% |
| Commerce (without Maths) | 50%   | English-45%<br>or<br>Hindi-45%       | Social Science-45%                            | _____              |
| Humanities               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A student must have been declared pass at the Secondary School Examination by the CBSE or its equivalent board.</li> <li>For giving Economics as a subject, a student must have, at least, 45% in Aggregate.</li> <li>For giving Mathematics as a subject, a student must have secured, at least, 50% in Standard Mathematics/Mathematics.</li> </ul> <p><b>Note:- Admission in Humanities is not to be denied to own students who have been declared pass in Class X examination.</b></p> |                                      |   |                    |

All Heads of Govt. Schools are hereby informed that relaxation of 5% marks in any one of the three subjects mentioned above for admission in particular stream is to be given in respect of candidates belonging to the categories SC/ST/ Minorities/OBC(Non Creamy Layer)/Kashmiri Migrants & those students having I/II/III position in National Games.

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**For Specially Abled Students, relaxation of 5% marks in all subjects mentioned for admission in particular stream is to be given.**

The above criteria are for regular students and students of Directorate of Education studying regularly under NIOS Project.

Students who have passed their Secondary Examination (Class X) directly from NIOS with 55% marks or above in aggregate of 5 main subjects are eligible for admission in Humanities without Skill Subjects & with 50 % marks or above in aggregate of 5 main subjects are eligible for admission in Humanities with Skill Subjects.

Age relaxation as per circular No.DE.23 (363)/Sch.Br./2016/1553 dated 19.09.2016 may be allowed to students who have passed class X from NIOS without gap year i.e. who have passed class X from NIOS after last date of admission of the previous session.

For Non Plan Admissions, students residing in Delhi with one of the following valid proof will be eligible.

- a. BPL/Ration Card issued in the name of any of the parents having name of the child.
- b. Domicile certificate of the child/ any of the parents.
- c. Voter ID Card of any of the parents.
- d. Electricity/Water/MTNL bill in the name of any of the parents.
- e. Bank / Post Office passbook in the name of the child / any of the parents.
- f. Aadhaar Card of the child/ any of the parents.
- g. Passport in the name of the child/ any of the parents
- h. Driving licence of any of the parents.

The HoS must also ensure that the students fulfill the subject-wise eligibility criteria for admission in Class XI as per required percentage of marks, at Secondary Examination (Class X).

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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5.8.2020

**Addl. DE (School)**

**All Heads of Govt. Schools under Directorate of Education through DEL-E.**

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**CIRCULAR**

**Sub: Age Criteria for Non-Plan Admissions in Govt. Schools.**

Section 4 of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act 2009 says, "Where a child above six years of age has not been admitted to any school or though admitted, could not complete his or her elementary education, then, he or she shall be admitted in a class appropriate to his or her age". The concept of age appropriateness prescribed by the law up to the completion of elementary education cannot be ignored in subsequent classes as it is required from peer learning and pedagogical point of view as well. Therefore, building upon the "age-class" relation established under the RTE Act, the Directorate of Education has continued with the prescribed age in natural progression for subsequent classes as well. Further, the Directorate also recognizes the fact that the stipulation of age cannot be in a straight jacket form. Hence, a relaxation of 6 months in terms of under and over age is also allowed.

In supersession to circulars No. DE.23(363)/Sch.Br./2014/452 dated 04.04.2014, DE.23(363)/Sch.Br./2016/683 dated 29.04.2016, DE.23(363)/Sch.Br./ 2016/1170 dated 13.07.2016 and DE.23(363)/Sch.Br./2016/1246 dated 01.08.2016 regarding Appropriate Age Criteria for Admission in Govt. Schools under Directorate of Education, all the Heads of Govt. Schools under Directorate of Education are hereby informed that the following criteria is to be followed for **Non Plan Admission** in Govt. Schools:

The age criteria for class KG to XII will be as mentioned below:-

| Class | Appropriate Age as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March of the year |
|-------|--|
| KG    | The age of child should be 4+ but less than 5 years      |
| I     | The age of child should be 5+ but less than 6 years      |
| II    | The age of child should be 6+ but less than 7 years      |
| III   | The age of child should be 7+ but less than 8 years      |
| IV    | The age of child should be 8+ but less than 9 years      |
| V     | The age of child should be 9+ but less than 10 years     |
| VI    | The age of child should be 10+ but less than 12 years    |
| VII   | The age of child should be 11+ but less than 13 years    |
| VIII  | The age of child should be 12+ but less than 14 years    |
| IX    | The age of child should be 13+ but less than 15 years    |
| X     | The age of child should be 14+ but less than 16 years    |
| XI    | The age of child should be 15+ but less than 17 years    |
| XII   | The age of child should be 16+ but less than 18 years    |

- In addition to the above Table, further age relaxation is being granted at the level of Heads of Schools in the maximum as well as minimum age for 1 month for classes KG to V level as on 31<sup>st</sup> March of the year.
- Simultaneously, age relaxation is also being granted at the level of Heads of Schools in maximum as well as minimum age for 6 months as on 31<sup>st</sup> March of the year to all students seeking admission from class VI to X and XII in all the Govt. Schools under Directorate of Education.

- However, for class XI in addition to the above table, relaxation shall be granted in maximum and minimum age for one year as on 31<sup>st</sup> March of the year to those students seeking admission in class XI in the Govt. Schools under Directorate of Education, who have passed class X from CBSE or equivalent Board and there is no gap year.


**Illustration:**

A student who has completed 14 years of age on 31<sup>st</sup> March of the year and has passed Class X from CBSE or an equivalent Board may be granted admission in Class XI after allowing 1 year age relaxation in the minimum age criteria.

A student who is above 17 years of age but has not completed 18 years of age on 1<sup>st</sup> April of the year and has passed Class X from CBSE or an equivalent Board may be granted admission in Class XI after allowing 1 year age relaxation in the maximum age criteria.

- The above age criteria is not applicable to Plan Admissions and the existing students of Government Schools.
- The child who is below 14 years of age and have an SLC of a class lower than his age appropriate class may be enrolled in Special Training Centres (STC) and then brought to his age appropriate class. This provision is intended to mainstream all out of school children, including those who due to extreme learning deficiencies cannot be admitted to age appropriate classes.
- The Directorate of Education is going to introduce class IX in Patrachar Vidyalaya from next academic session i.e. 2017-18 for students who do not meet the appropriate age criteria. In case of a student who is at least 13 years old as on 31<sup>st</sup> March of the year when seeking admission, there will be no upper age bar and neither the School leaving certificate nor class VIII pass certificate is required for admission.
- Patrachar Vidyalaya is already functional for classes X to XII. The child should be at least 14 years of age as on 31<sup>st</sup> March of the year of seeking admission in Class X. Here again, there is no upper age bar and no requirement for school leaving certificate nor class VIII pass certificate.

This issues with the prior approval of the Competent Authority.

  
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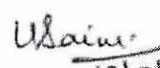
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