

3. ELIGIBILITY:-

- a. Must be a Citizen of India.
- b. **AGE: - (i)** The applicant must not be less than **18 (eighteen)** years old and must not be more than **27 (twenty seven)** years old as on **01/01/2018**. The Upper-age limit shall be relaxed for the SC/ST candidates of **West Bengal only** by **05 (five)** years and OBC candidates of **West Bengal only** by **03 (three)** years. The upper age limit is also relaxable for the Ex-servicemen, NVF and Home Guards Personnel (serving in West Bengal Police only) as per existing Government Rules. However Age relaxation is **NOT** available to Civic Volunteers.
(ii) There is no upper age limit for those applicants under O.A. Nos. and W.P.S.T. No. as mentioned under the 'Note (ii)'.

- Note:-**
- (i) **A candidate belonging to OBC-A or OBC-B category, if shortlisted for interview, has to produce revalidated/renewed or fresh OBC-A / OBC-B certificate issued from the competent authority within 01 (one) year preceding the date of his interview during verification of testimonials at the time of interview.**
 - (ii) *The Ex-servicemen, NVF personnel and Home Guards (serving in WBP only), if shortlisted, have to produce relevant documents regarding service rendered by them, in original, in support of their claim for Age Relaxation at the time of verification during interview.*
- c. **Educational Qualification :-** The applicant must have passed **Madhyamik Examination** from the West Bengal Board of Secondary Education or its equivalent.
 - d. **Language :-** (i) The applicant must be able to speak, read and write the Bengali language. However, this provision will not be applicable to the persons who are permanent residents of hill sub-divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong Districts. (ii) For the applicant of hill sub-divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong District, the provisions laid down in the West Bengal Official Language Act, 1961 will be applicable.

Note :-

- The applicants must possess *the above noted Qualifications on or before the date of publication of the advertisement.*
 - *The shortlisted candidates of Hill Sub-Divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong districts have to produce their domicile certificate at the time of document verification during interview.*
- e. **MINIMUM PHYSICAL STANDARD:-**

Sl. No.	Category	Height (Barefoot) (in cm.)	Weight (in kg.)	Chest (in cm)
1.	Candidates of all categories (except Gorkhas, Garhwalies, Rajbanshis and Scheduled Tribes)	167	57	78 cms. (without expansion) 83 cms. (with expansion – 5 cms.)
2.	Gorkhas, Garhwalies, Rajbanshis and Scheduled Tribes	160	53	76 cms. (without expansion) 81 cms. (with expansion – 5 cms.)

4. METHOD OF RECRUITMENT :-

A. Preliminary Written Test (Marks - 100) :-

Applicants provisionally considered eligible will have to appear in an **MCQ based** preliminary written test which is **qualifying in nature**. There would be **100** objective type questions having multiple choice (**four choices**) of answers carrying equal marks each. The duration of this tests will be **1(one) hour**. **Question paper will be set in two languages (Bengali & Nepali)**. Questions of the Preliminary Written Test shall be from the following subjects :-

- i. General Awareness and General Knowledge : 50 Marks
- ii. Elementary Mathematics (Madhyamik Standard) : 30 Marks
- iii. Reasoning : 20 Marks

Note :- There will be **NEGATIVE** marking for each wrong answer. $\frac{1}{4}$ th of the allotted marks for a particular question will be deducted for each wrong answer. West Bengal Police Recruitment Board will decide the prescribed scheme and syllabus for the Preliminary Written Test. The qualifying marks in the Preliminary Written Test to appear for the next stage will be fixed by the West Bengal Police Recruitment Board. **The marks obtained by a candidate in the preliminary written test will not be considered for preparing final merit list.**

B. PHYSICAL MEASUREMENT TEST (PMT) :-

The physical standards (height and weight) of the candidates as given under 3(e) will be tested by using Electronic Machines of those who qualify in the Preliminary Written Test.

C. PHYSICAL EFFICIENCY TEST (PET) :-

Candidates who will qualify in PMT will be allowed to take part in PET which consists of **1600 (Sixteen hundred) meters run within 06 (six) minutes 30 (thirty) seconds.**

Note: - I. *Timing of an individual runner shall be taken with the help of Radio Frequency Identification Device (RFID) technology. Only one chance will be given for Physical Efficiency Test. The venues for PMT & PET will be decided by the West Bengal Police Recruitment Board, in due course.*

II. *PMT & PET are qualifying in nature.*

5. FINAL WRITTEN EXAMINATION :- Full Marks - 85;

All the candidates who qualify in the Physical Measurement Test (PMT) & Physical Measurement Test (PET) will be called to appear in the Final Written Examination to be conducted by the West Bengal Police Recruitment Board.

The Final Written Examination will have **85 (eighty five) Multiple Choice (Four choices) Objective Type Questions (MCQs) carrying equal marks each.** The duration of the examination will be **1 (One) hour.** **Question paper will be set in two languages (Bengali & Nepali) except questions on English language.** Question of the Final Written Examination shall be from the following subjects:-

A. General Awareness and General Knowledge	- 25 Marks
B. English	- 25 Marks
C. Elementary Mathematics (Madhyamik standard)	- 20 Marks
D. Reasoning and Logical Analysis	- 15 Marks

Note: - *There will be NEGATIVE marking for each wrong answer. ¼th of the allotted marks for a particular question will be deducted for each wrong answer. West Bengal Police Recruitment Board will decide the prescribed scheme and syllabus for the Final Written Examination. The qualifying marks in the Final Written Examination to appear for the next stage will be fixed by the West Bengal Police Recruitment Board.*

6. INTERVIEW :- Full Marks - 15

A limited number of candidates will be called for Interview in accordance with merit. In the Interview, the general awareness and suitability of the candidate for public service will be tested.

On the basis of the marks obtained in the Final Written Examination and the Interview, a merit list of the provisionally selected candidates will be prepared by the West Bengal Police Recruitment Board.

7. VERIFICATION OF CHARACTER ANTECEDENTS:-

All provisionally selected candidates will be required to fill up a '**Verification Roll**' which will be thoroughly enquired into by the authority concerned.

8. MEDICAL EXAMINATION:-

- All provisionally selected candidates will be sent for Medical Examination at the State Government designated hospitals.
- The selected candidates should be in good mental and physical health. They should be free from any deformity likely to interfere with efficient performance of their work.
- The candidates will undergo all necessary medical tests as prescribed by the Department of Health and Family Welfare, Government of West Bengal from time to time.
- The certificate of medical fitness will be issued by an authorized medical officer.

9. APPOINTING AUTHORITY :-

Assistant Inspector General of Police or Superintendent of Police.