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RECRUITMENT RALLY FOR GROUP 'X' (EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR) TRADE AND GROUP 'Y' (FOR AUTOMOBILE TECHNICIAN, GROUND TRAINING INSTRUCTOR AND INDIAN AIR FORCE (POLICE)) TRADES AT 8 AIRMEN SELECTION CENTRE, AIR FORCE STATION TAMBARAM, TAMBARAM EAST, CHENNAI (TAMIL NADU) FROM 20 SEPTEMBER 2015 TO 24 SEPTEMBER 2015

1. Indian Air Force offers opportunities for **UNMARRIED MALE INDIAN CITIZENS** (Married candidates above 22 years of age on the date of Enrolment in Indian Air Force are also eligible for Group 'X' (Education Instructor) trade only) from all the Districts of State of Tamil Nadu and designated Districts of UT of Puducherry (Puducherry and Karaikal Districts only) to become airmen. The Recruitment Test for Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade and Group 'Y' (For Automobile Technician, Ground Training Instructor and Indian Air Force (Police)) Trades will be held at 8 Airmen Selection Centre, Air Force Station Tambaram, Tambaram East, Chennai (Tamil Nadu) from 20 September 2015 to 24 September 2015 as per the Selection Programme given below.

2. **Selection Programme.** The Recruitment Test will be conducted from 7 AM onwards as per the details given below. Candidates (from respective Districts covered below) reporting up to 10 AM on 20 & 22 September 2015 at the Rally Venue will only be permitted to appear in the Recruitment Test.

Note: The Recruitment Test is not for selection as Commissioned Officers/ Pilots/ Navigators.

DATE	STREAM / ACTIVITIES	DISTRICTS TO BE COVERED
20 September 2015	Written Test and Adaptability Test for Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade only	ALL DISTRICTS OF STATE OF TAMIL NADU AND PUDUCHERRY & KARAİKAL DISTRICTS OF UT OF PUDUCHERRY
21 September 2015	Physical Fitness Test (PFT) and Interview of candidates passed written test & Adaptability Test on 20 September 2015	
22 September 2015	Written Test and Adaptability Test for Group 'Y' (Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF(P)) Trades	
23 September 2015	Physical Fitness Test (PFT) and Interview of candidates passed written test & Adaptability Test on 22 September 2015	
24 September 2015	RESERVE DAY	

Note: Adaptability Test will be conducted as per policy in vogue.

ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS

3. DATE OF BIRTH BLOCK.

- (a) **Candidates for Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade.**
- For Graduates. Should be born between 01 August 1991 and 31 May 1996 (both days inclusive).
 - For Post-Graduates. Should be born between 01 August 1988 and 31 May 1996 (both days inclusive).
 - Upper age limit on date of enrolment is 25 years and 28 years, for graduate and post graduate candidates respectively.
- (b) **Candidates for Group 'Y' (Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF(P)) Trades.**
- Candidates should be born between 01 February 1996 to 31 May 1999 (both days inclusive).
 - Upper age limit on date of enrolment is 21 years.

4. EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

- (a) **Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade**
- Graduate in Arts or Commerce or Science with B.Ed Degree or Two years teaching experience in a Government recognized School/ College, with minimum 50% marks in aggregate in Graduation as well as B.Ed.
- OR
- Passed MA English (or) M.Sc in Mathematics or Physics or Computer Science (or) MCA with B.Ed Degree or Two years teaching experience in a Government recognized School/College.
- (b) **For Group 'Y' (For Automobile Technician, GTI and IAF(P)) Trades.**
- Passed Intermediate / 10+2 / Equivalent Examination in any stream/subjects approved by Central/State Education Boards with minimum 50% marks in aggregate and 50% marks in English.
- OR
- Passed Two years Vocational Course affiliated/recognised by CBSE / State Education Boards / Councils duly recognised at par with 10+2 by Association of Indian Universities (AIU) with minimum 50% marks in aggregate and 50% marks in English in Vocational Course or in Intermediate/Matriculation, if English is not a subject in Vocational Course.

Note: Exact aggregate percentage of marks up to first place of decimal for all subjects as mentioned in the Marks Sheet of Intermediate or 10+2 or equivalent will only be considered (For example, 49.9% will be treated as 49% only).

5. **Domicile Requirement.** To be eligible to appear in the rally at 8 Airmen Selection Centre, Air Force Station Tambaram, Tambaram East, Chennai (Tamil Nadu) the candidates are required to satisfy the following conditions.

- Boards recognized/affiliated by Council of Boards for Secondary Education (COBSE) will only be permitted.
- The School / College / Institute from where candidates have passed the qualifying examination should be within the geographical / administrative limits of State of Tamil Nadu or specified Districts of UT of Puducherry (as mentioned in Paragraph 2 above) . If the name of District is not mentioned with the name of Institution in the certificate / marks sheet of qualifying examination, the candidates are to produce 'Domicile Certificate' issued by Taluk Tehsildar or any official authorised by the State Government of Tamil Nadu and UT of Puducherry (Puducherry & Karaikal districts only).
- Permanent Domicile of State of Tamil Nadu or specified Districts of UT of Puducherry (as mentioned in Paragraph 2 above) who have passed the qualifying examination from anywhere in India. However, such candidates have to produce the Domicile Certificate prior to commencement of examination from appropriate authority as given in sub-paragraph 5(b) above.
- Sons of Serving / Retired / Discharged / Deceased Air Force Personnel, irrespective of their domicile status may be permitted to appear in the rally subject to submission of Son of Air Force Personnel (SOAFP) Certificate or Discharge Book as a proof in the following categories:-
 - Father/Mother is presently serving in any Air Force Unit located in the State of Tamil Nadu or specified Districts of UT of Puducherry (as mentioned in Paragraph 2 above).
 - Ex-IAF personnell/families of deceased personnel who are residing in the State of Tamil Nadu or specified Districts of UT of Puducherry (as mentioned in Paragraph 2 above) on production of proof of minimum stay of one year along with Original and a photocopy of discharge book.

6. Medical Standards.

(a) **General Medical Standards for both Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade and Group 'Y' (For Automobile Technician, GTI and IAF(P)) Trades are as follows:-**

- Chest: Minimum range of expansion: 5 cm
- Weight: Proportionate to height and age.
- Corneal Surgery (PRK/LASIK) not acceptable.
- Hearing: Candidate should have normal hearing i.e. able to hear forced whisper from a distance of 6 meters with each ear separately.
- Dental: Should have healthy gums, good set of teeth and minimum 14 dental points.
- Health: Candidate should be of normal anatomy without loss of any appendages. He should be free from all communicable diseases and skin ailments. Candidate must be physically and mentally FIT to perform duty in any part of the world, in any climate and terrain.
- Body Tattoo: Permanent body tattoos on inner face of the fore arms (inside of elbow to the wrist), Back (dorsal) part of the hand/reverse side of palm and Tribals with tattoos which are as per custom and traditions of their tribes only are permitted. However, right to decide on acceptability/ unacceptability of the individual rests with the Selection Centre. Candidates with permanent body tattoos are to submit a photograph of the tattoo with details of size and type of the Tattoo.

(b) Height, Leg Length, Visual Standards and Colour Vision for Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade and Group 'Y' (For Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF (P)) Trades are as follows:-

Trades	Height	Leg Length	Visual Acuity	Maximum limits of Refractive Error	Colour vision
For Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade					
Education Instructor	152.5 cms	Not Applicable	6/36 each eye correctable to 6/9 each eye	Not exceeding +3.50D including astigmatism	CP-III
For Group 'Y' (For Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF (P)) Trades					
Automobile Technician	165 cm (162.5 cm for North East & Hill States)	Minimum leg length required is 99 cm	6/12 each eye correctable to 6/6 each eye.	Hypermetropia +2.0D Myopia -1D including ± 0.50 astigmatism	CP-II
Ground Training Instructor (GTI)	167 cm (162.5 cm for North East & Hill States)	Not Applicable	6/12 each eye correctable to 6/6 each eye.	Hypermetropia +2.0D Myopia -1D including ± 0.50 astigmatism	CP-II
Indian Air Force (Police) [IAF(P)]	175 cm	Not applicable	Unaided Visual acuity of 6/6	Not Applicable	CP-II

Note: Candidates should bring latest prescription (one month validity) and spectacles for corrected vision, if used. The prescription must bear the signature, stamp and registration number of eye specialist.

7. Candidates discharged from Indian Army/Indian Navy/Any other Government Organisation are also eligible subject to their discharge with no adverse entries (Original discharge certificate to be produced at rally venue on the day of testing). **Candidates discharged from Indian Air Force for any reason are not eligible to appear in rally.**

8. **Writing Materials and Documents Required.** Candidates are to bring the following:-

- HB Pencil, Eraser, Sharpener, Gum tube, Stapler and Black/Blue Ball Point Pen for writing.
- Seven copies of recent front portrait (without headgear except for Sikh) passport-size (5 cm X 4 cm) colour photograph taken on or after date of publication of advertisement. Photographs should be on good quality "photo paper".
- Original and four self-attested photocopies of Matriculation Passing Certificate (required for Date of Birth verification).
- Original and four self-attested photocopies of Matriculation Marks Sheet (only applicable for two years Vocational Course holders when English is not a subject in Vocational Course).
- Original and four photocopies of Domicile, Son of Air Force Personnel (SOAFP) Certificate or Discharge Book and NCC Certificates (if applicable).
- Specific for Group 'X' (Education Instructor only) Trade.**
 - Original Passing Certificates and Mark sheets of all semesters of Graduation or Post-Graduation, along with four self-attested photocopies of each.
 - Original B.Ed Degree Certificate or Two years teaching experience certificate from a Government recognised school/college, along with four self-attested photocopies of the same.

(g) **Specific for Group 'Y' (Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF (P)) Trades**

- Original and four self-attested photocopies of Intermediate/10+2/ Equivalent Examination Passing Certificate and Marks Sheet. OR
- Original and four self-attested photocopies of Two year Vocational Course Passing Certificate and Marks Sheets of all semesters.

Note. Under any circumstances the candidates will not be permitted to appear in the Rally without Original Educational Marks Sheets/ Passing Certificates mentioned above in paragraph 8 (c) to (g). However, candidates with photocopies of Educational Marks Sheets/ Passing Certificates can be permitted to appear in the Rally only on production of a certificate from College/School Principal certifying that Educational Certificates/Marks sheets are deposited with College/School.

(h) **Consent Form:** (as per the format given below) Candidates are to bring the 'Consent Form' to the Examination Venue and submit it before the Physical Fitness Test. Candidates below 18 years of age are to get the Consent form filled and signed by their parent/guardian. The candidates of 18 years of age and above can sign the consent form themselves.

CONSENT FORM

(Applicable in respect of candidates both above and below 18 years of age)

I,son/father/guardian ofwhose date of birth is do hereby give my consent for myself/son/ward to appear in the physical/medical tests, as prescribed for selection in the Indian Air Force, at my/his own risk. I am aware that no compensation in any form shall be claimed, in respect of injuries if any, sustained by myself/son/ward, during such test.

Signature.....
Name of candidate/parent/guardian.....
Relationship with the candidate.....
Date:.....

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

9. **Tenure & Training.** Enrolment is for an initial period of 20 years extendable upto the age of 57 years. Candidates of Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade will be enrolled in the rank of **Sergeant (Under Training)**. Initially candidates will be sent for a Joint Basic Phase Training (JBPT) at Basic Training Institute, Belagavi (Karnataka). On successful completion of JBPT, candidates will be sent for trade training of specified durations. Training is however liable to be terminated at any time if the trainee fails to achieve the required standards in academics, profession, physical fitness and discipline or is found to be medically unfit. **After successful completion of training, airmen of Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade will be deployed to run training programmes at instructional schools and to improve education level of Air Force personnel at Air Force Stations/ Units and the airmen of Group 'Y' (Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF (P)) Trades will be deployed on ground based jobs as per their allotted trades.**

10. **Pay & Allowances.** During training, a stipend of Rs. 11,400/- per month will be paid. On completion of training the starting gross emoluments at the minimum of scale of pay including Grade Pay, Military Service Pay (MSP), Group 'X' Pay (applicable for Education Instructor trade only) and Dearness Allowance (DA) will be as follows:-

- Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade. Rs. 25,780/- per month (approximately) which, in subsequent years, may rise up to Rs. 54,360/- per month (approximately).
- Group 'Y' (Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF(P)) Trades. Rs. 20,500/- per month (approximately) which, in subsequent years, may rise up to Rs. 38,720/- per month (approximately).

Other allowances such as Transport allowance, Composite personal maintenance allowance (CPMA), Leave Ration allowance (LRA), Family planning allowance, HRA etc. are also admissible to airmen.

11. **Perquisites.** Perks such as Ration, Clothing, Medical facilities, Accommodation, CSD(Canteen) facilities, Leave (60 days Annual and 30 days Casual in a Calendar year as a privilege), Educational concession to children, Recreational facilities, Transport for school going children and Leave Travel Concession (LTC) are also provided as per the existing rules. Notwithstanding the above, Group Insurance Cover of Rs. 25, 00,000/- at a premium of Rs. 1,730/- per month is covered for all airmen and facility of Group Housing Scheme is also extended. Other facilities by Air Force Wives Welfare Association (AFWWA) are also extended to the family of airmen.

12. Job Specification

- Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade.** As an Education Instructor you will run training programmes at instructional schools and improve education level of Air Force personnel.
- Group 'Y' (Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF(P)) Trades** involve jobs as given below:
 - Automobile Technician.** As an Automobile Technician you will drive all types of light, medium and heavy automobiles, load carriers and specialist vehicles like cranes, towing tractors, fork lifters etc., subject to service exigencies. You will also carry out minor repairs, day to day maintenance and basic level servicing of the common user vehicles and specialist vehicles in the Indian Air Force inventory.
 - Ground Training Instructor.** As a Ground Training Instructor, you will train personnel on drill, parade, handling of arms and physical exercise. You are also responsible for organizing and conducting all games and sports activities.
 - Indian Air Force (Police).** As an Indian Air Force (Police) your responsibilities involve assuming police duties and investigation of offences. You are also in-charge of maintenance of security.

Note: Group 'X' and Group 'Y' Airmen will also have to undertake any other tasks as assigned by superior authorities.

SELECTION PROCEDURE

13. **Verification of Eligibility.** Original Certificates, Marks Sheets and other required documents (NCC 'A', 'B' or 'C' certificate, Son of Air Force Personnel certificate (SOAFP), Domicile certificate etc.) will be scrutinized and verified at the examination venue prior to commencement of Written Test to ascertain the prima-facie eligibility. Detailed verification will be carried out in respect of candidates who pass Written Test later. Candidature of those who do not meet the laid down educational criteria is liable to be rejected even after written test after detailed verification of original documents.

Note: The original Passing Certificates / Marks Sheets will not be retained by the Selection Centre. The same will be returned to the candidates on completion of detailed verification.

SEQUENCE OF EXAMINATION

14. **Written Test.** Written test will be conducted as per the following details:-

- Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade.** There will be two papers – an Objective type and a Descriptive type. The Objective type of paper would cover **General English, General Awareness and Current Affairs.** The Descriptive type of paper would aim to test the **language comprehension and power of expression.** Both the question papers will be administered in one go with duration of 30 minutes and 45 minutes for Objective and Descriptive papers respectively. (b) **Group 'Y' (Automobile Technician, GTI & IAF(P)) Trades.** Duration of the written test will be 45 minutes and will comprise of English as per 10+2 CBSE syllabus and Reasoning & General Awareness (RAGA).

CANDIDATES ARE TO QUALIFY IN EACH PAPER SEPARATELY. Results of the written test will be declared on the same day. All candidates who pass the written test will have to undertake **Adaptability Test** as per policy in vogue.

15. **Physical Fitness Test (PFT).** All candidates who pass the Written Test and Adaptability Test are to undergo **Physical Fitness Test (PFT)** on the same or the next day. PFT consists of a 1.6 Km run to be completed within 8 minutes. Candidates will also have to complete 10 push-ups, 10 sit-ups and 20 squats within the stipulated time to qualify in the Physical Fitness Test. Candidates are advised to bring their sports shoes and shorts.

16. **Interview.** Candidates who have passed the Written Test, Adaptability Test and PFT will be interviewed. Working knowledge of English is a pre-requisite.

17. **Medical Examination.** Candidates who qualify in the interview will be medically examined in the month of **January 2016.** Medical Examination will be conducted by Air Force Medical Team as per IAF medical standards and existing policy in vogue. Medical Examination would also include Baseline Investigation of:-

- Hb, TLC, DLC
- Urea, Uric Acid and Creatinine
- Serum Cholesterol
- ECG (R)
- Blood Sugar Fasting/PP
- Serum bilirubin, SGOT, SGPT
- X-Ray chest PA view (Plain)

Candidates declared Medically Unfit can avail the option for Appeal Medical Board (AMB) against their Unfitness by depositing Rs. 40/- in a Government Treasury/RBI/SBI through Military Receivable Order (MRO). The application for AMB along with original copy of MRO, photocopy of Unfitness Certificate and Postal Stamp worth Rs. 25/- affixed on a self-addressed envelope are to be submitted at **MBC (Medical Board Centre), SMC, Air Force Station Tambaram, Tambaram East, Chennai (Tamil Nadu)** within three working days from the date of issue of Medical Unfitness Certificate.

Note: Candidates are advised to get tartar & stains removed from their teeth before appearing for the medical examination. Ears should be free of wax. Candidates should be prepared to travel / stay for the medical test for four to five days under their own arrangement. No TA/DA will be admissible.

18. **Publishing of AISL.** The All India Select List (AISL) will be displayed at 8 Airmen Selection Centre, Air Force Station Tambaram, Tambaram East, Chennai (Tamil Nadu) – 600 046 on **30 April 2016.** Copies of the Display List will be sent to District Magistrate of Chennai (Tamil Nadu) (through Airmen Selection Centre) and will also be available at Indian Air Force website www.indianairforce.nic.in. The inclusion of names of the candidates in the AISL depends upon the performance of the candidates in the Rally. Inclusion of name in the All India Select List (AISL) does not guarantee automatic enrolment. Enrolment is strictly in order of merit from the AISL subject to medical fitness, availability of vacancies, not exceeding the age of 21 years on date of enrolment (except for Group 'X' (Education Instructor) Trade) and meeting laid down eligibility criteria as and when called for enrolment.

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