

PRELIMINARY INTERVIEW BOARD FOR TERRITORIAL ARMY COMMISSION - 2019

DATE OF WRITTEN EXAMINATION :28 JULY 2019

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION :26 May to 25 June 2019

Applications are invited from gainfully employed young citizens for an opportunity of donning the uniform and serving the nation as Territorial Army Officers (Non Departmental), based on the concept of enabling motivated young citizens to serve in a military environment without having to sacrifice their primary professions. You can serve the nation in two capacities – as a civilian and as a soldier. No other option allows you such an expanse of experiences.

CONDITIONS OF ELIGIBILITY:

- (a) **Nationality:** Only citizens of India (**male and female**).
- (b) **Age Limits:** 18 to 42 years on the date of application.
- (c) **Educational Qualifications:** Graduate from any recognized university.
- (d) **Physical Standards:** A candidate must be physically and medically fit in all respects.
- (e) **Employment:** Gainfully Employed.

Note: Serving member of the Regular Army/ Navy/ Air Force/ Police/ GREF/ Para Military and like forces are not eligible.

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The date of holding the examination as mentioned above is liable to be changed at the discretion of the competent authority.

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS: The Online Registration and Applications can be filed from **26 May to 25 June till 11:59 PM** after which the link will be disabled.

CENTRES OF EXAMINATION: The Examination will be held at the following Centres:

JAIPUR, PUNE, BENGALURU, HYDERABAD, NAGPUR, KOLKATA, SILIGURI, GUWAHATI, DIMAPUR, CHANDIGARH, JALANDHAR, SHIMLA, HISAR, LUCKNOW, PATNA, UDHAMPUR, SRINAGAR.

HOW TO APPLY. Candidates are required to apply online by using the website www.jointerritorialarmy.gov.in Brief instructions for filling up the online form [IAF (TA)-9 (Revised) Part-1] has been given on the website.

INSTRUCTION TO THE CANDIDATE FOR FILLING ONLINE APPLICATION :

- Online application can be filled from 26 May 2019 to 25 June 2019 till 11:59 PM after which link will be disabled.
- The applicants must ensure that while filling their Application Form, they are providing their valid and active E-mail IDs as the concerned authorities may use electronic mode of communication while contacting them at different stages of examination process.
- Candidates are strongly advised to apply online well in time without waiting for the last date for submission of online applications.
- While filling in the Application Form, the candidate should carefully decide about his choice for the centre for the examination.
- Candidates should note that no request for change of centre will be granted.
- Candidates in their own interest are advised to keep a copy of print out of filled form submitted online.

FEE DETAILS: Candidates' are required to pay a fee of Rs 200/- (Rupees two hundred only). Candidates should note that payment of examination fee can be made only through the modes prescribed at website. Payment of fee through any other mode is neither valid nor acceptable. Applications submitted without the prescribed fee/mode shall be summarily rejected. Fee once paid shall not be refunded under any circumstances nor can the fee be held in reserve for any other examination or selection.

ADMIT CARD FOR WRITTEN EXAM: The admit card will be made available online for being downloaded after submission of application by the candidates. The instructions will be available on the website.

STANDARD OF THE EXAMINATION: The standard of the papers in Elementary Mathematics will be a Matriculation level. The standard of papers in other subjects will approximately be such as maybe expected of a graduate of an Indian university.

**SYLLABUS OF THE EXAMINATION:
PAPER 1.**

Subject	Time Allotted	Numbers of Questions	Marks
Part - 1 Reasoning	2 Hours	50	50
Part - 2 Elementary Mathematics	2 Hours	50	50

PAPER 2.

Subject	Time Allotted	Numbers of Questions	Marks
Part - 1 General Knowledge	2 Hours	50	50
Part - 2 English	2 Hours	50	50

TIME: Maximum time for each paper is 02 hrs and will be conducted in two sessions.

TYPE OF EXAM: Objective (OMR Answer Sheet will be used).

QUALIFYING MARKS: Minimum 40% marks in each part of the paper separately and overall average of 50%

PENALTY FOR WRONG ANSWERS: Candidates should note that there will be penalty (Negative Marking) for wrong answers marked by a candidate in the Objective Type Question Papers.

SELECTION PROCEDURE:

- (a) Candidates whose application forms are found correct will be called for screening (written exam followed by interview only if passed in written exam) by a Preliminary Interview Board (PIB) by the respective Territorial Army Group Headquarters.
- (b) Successful candidates will further undergo tests at a Service Selection Board (SSB) and Medical Board for final selection.
- (c) Vacancies of male and female candidates will be determined as per organisational requirement.

CANDIDATES TO ENSURE THEIR ELIGIBILITY FOR THE EXAMINATION: The candidates applying for the examination should ensure that they fulfill all eligibility conditions for admission to the Examination. Their admission at all the stages of the examination will be purely **provisional** subject to satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions. **Mere issue of Admission certificate to the candidate will not imply that his candidature has been finally cleared by the competent authority.**