

**OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF GOVERNMENT EXAMINATIONS,  
ANDHRA PRADESH :: HYDERABAD.**

Rc.No.01/E2-3/2012

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**PRESS NOTE**

It is hereby notified that the central Govt decided to shift the State Level **National Talent Search (1<sup>st</sup> level) Examinations from class VIII to class X students from this year and onwards** and the Test will be conducted on **18-11-2012 (Sunday)** from 10.00am to 01.00pm in Telugu/ Hindi/ Urdu and English media at all the Head quarters of 23 Districts in the State. The students who are studying X Class during the current academic year i.e., 2012-2013 in any recognised school in Andhra Pradesh including Kendriya Vidyalayas and schools affiliated to I.C.S.E. & C.B.S.E., New Delhi are only eligible to appear for the above said Examination. The candidates those who are selected for NTSE scholarships in VIII class are not eligible to appear for the Test. The students who have selected for NMMS scholarships and studying X class now may also eligible for NTS Exams but such candidates have to forego the further NMMS scholarships, if he/she are selected in NTS Examination.

The Examination consists of two parts. Part-I Consists of General Mental Ability Test for 90 marks. Part - II of Scholastic Aptitude Test for 90 marks comprising Social Sciences, Sciences and Mathematics.

The following are the **due dates** for remittance of Examination fee and for submission of applications.

a)	Last date for submission of Application Form along with fee in the shape of Demand Draft by the candidate to the Head Masters of the schools concerned. Attested copy of the caste certificate in case of SC/ST/PH should be enclosed	:	31-08-2012 (FRIDAY)
b)	Last date for submission of filled Applications along with Demand Draft to the concerned DEO by the School Authorities. under any circumstances.	:	01-09-2012 (SATURDAY)
c)	Last date for submission of Nominal Rolls and soft copy along with fee receipts (DDs) by the concerned DEO's to the O/o the Director of Government Examinations A.P., Hyderabad. The District Educational Officer has to prepare the Nominal Rolls in prescribed Proforma only. Without Soft copy the Nominal Roll will not be accepted.	:	05-09-2012 ( WEDNESDAY)

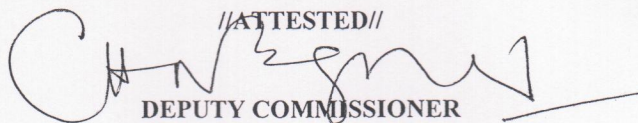
The Examination fee is Rs.100/- (Rupees Hundred only) per candidate. The examination fee has to be paid in form of **Demand Draft through SBH/SBI in favour of "THE SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR GOVERNMENT EXAMINATIONS; AP; HYD "** only.

The application form and other information can be obtained from the concerned District Educational Officer or from the under signed. Application forms can also be download from the NCERT website [www.ncert.nic.in](http://www.ncert.nic.in) or [www.bseap.org](http://www.bseap.org) and filled application form should be submitted in DEO's office of the District concerned only. For any further details in this regard the concerned District Educational Officer or Office of the Director of Government Examinations, A.P., Hyderabad may be contacted.

**Sd/- B.Manmadha Reddy  
DIRECTOR**

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All the District Educational Officers & ACGE's in the state.

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