NOTIFICATION

This is for information to all concerned that the Commission has been pleased to start the new syllabus & examination pattern as per Govt. Notification vide No. F.10(1)-GA(P&T)/2004(P) dated 5th January, 2018 from the next advertisement for the recruitment to the Tripura Civil Service, Grade-II and Tripura Police Service, Grade-II Examination (excluding ongoing selection process vide Advt. No. 04/2016 dated 30.04.2016).

In the new process, the main examination consists of 6(six) papers(all compulsory) instead of 56(fifty six) papers in the existing system.

The process mentioned above is being introduced in the interest of candidates and administrative expediency.

Details of the new syllabus & examination pattern is as follows:-

SYLLABUS OF LANGUAGE GROUP

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### SECTION - I

#### ENGLISH COMPOSITION

50 Marks

- A Passage for Comprehension with four questions  
  
  \((4 \times 3) = 12\) Marks
- Proper use of Articles and Prepositions  
  
  \((4 \times 2) = 08\) Marks
- Transformation of Sentences  
  
  03 Marks
- Correction of Error  
  
  04 Marks  
  (Correction shall be mainly based on use of Tense and Concord)
- Synonyms  
  
  04 Marks
- Antonyms  
  
  04 Marks
- Official Letter Writing with one alternative  
  
  15 Marks  
  (Word Limit-200)

### SECTION - II

#### (BENGALI OR KOKBOROK COMPOSITION AND TRANSLATION OR ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH)

50 Marks

#### BENGALI

1. প্রবন্ধ রচনা (৩টির মধ্যে ১টি)  
  
  \((৬০০ শব্দের মধ্যে)  
  
  20 Marks
2. প্রতিক্রিয়া রচনা (২টির মধ্যে ১টি)  
  
  \((২৫০ শব্দের মধ্যে)  
  
  10 Marks
3. পীর্য নাম সহ সার সংক্ষেপ (২টির মধ্যে ১টি)  
  
  \((২+৮)= 10 \) Marks
4. ইংরেজি থেকে বাংলায় অনুবাদ  
  
  \(( ১০ বাক্যের ২টি অনুুমুখের মধ্যে ১টি)  
  
  10 Marks

#### OR

#### KOKBOROK COMPOSITION AND TRANSLATION

1. Essay Writing (One out of three)  
  
  \((Word \ limit- \ 600)  
  
  20 Marks
2. Report Writing (One out of two)  
  
  \((Word \ limit- \ 250)  
  
  10 Marks
3. Précis Writing with Title  
  
  \((8 + 2)= 10 \) Marks
4. Translation-  
  a. English to Kokborok (five sentences)  
  
  05 Marks
  b. Kokborok to English (five Sentences)  
  
  05 Marks
### ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH

#### A. Text

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#### Question Pattern and Distribution of Marks

i. Five compulsory objective type questions covering both Prose and Poetry pieces --- (5x2) = 10 Marks

ii. Two short answer type questions from Prose Pieces

(Each question shall have one alternative)

iii. Two short answer type questions from Poetry pieces

(Each question shall have one alternative)

#### B. Summarizing a Prose Passage or making Substance of a Poetry Piece

--- 15 Marks

#### C. To make five meaningful sentences with Phrases and Idioms

--- (5 x 1) = 05 Marks
## SYLLABUS OF GENERAL STUDIES

**APER - I**

**FULL MARKS - 150**

**TIME - 3 HOURS**

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**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE AND CURRENT AFFAIRS OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL IMPORTANCE**

- **25 Marks**
- **(25 Multiple Choice Type Questions)**

**SECTION - B**

**EVERY DAY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

- **25 Marks**
- **(25 Multiple Choice Type Questions)**

2. Human Nutrition: Different nutrients - their sources and importance, Balanced Diet, Nutritional Disorders, Dietary Fibres- their sources and importance.
3. Plant Nutrients, improvement of Food Production using Chemical Fertilizers, Bio-Fertilizers and Vermicompost.
5. Health and Hygiene:
   - **i. Diseases:**
     - Communicable Diseases, Epidemic, Endemic, Pandemic and Vector Born Diseases. Basic knowledge of Infections caused by different groups of Microorganisms - Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cholera, Tuberculosis, Malaria, Ring Worm, Candidiasis. Viral Infections like HIV, Encephalitis, Chikungunya, Bird Flu, Swine Flu, Dengue – their Preventive Measures during outbreaks.
     - Non Communicable Diseases- Autoimmune Disease, Heart Disease, Diabetes, Cancer, Chronic Kidney Disease, Osteoporosis, Cataracts.
     - Substance abuse (Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco) – Health Hazards and impact on Society.
   - **ii. Immunity and Vaccination:**
     - Concept of Immunity- Innate and Acquired Immunity
     - Concept of Vaccinations: Vaccination Schedule
     - Live attenuated vaccine like OPV, MMR, BCG, Small Pox, Chicken Pox, Rota virus, Influenza etc.
     - Killed vaccine like Typhoid, Cholera, Rabies, Plague etc., Toxoid like Diphtheria, Tetanus etc.
     - Combination vaccine like DTP, MMR etc., Conjugated vaccine like Hepatitis B, Haemophilus, Influenza Type B etc.
   - **iii. National Health Mission – Different Initiatives.**
6. Biotechnology:
Bio-Fertilizer, Vermicompost, Biopesticides, Bio-fuels; Genetically Modified Crops like BT-Brinjal, BT-Cotton, Golden Rice etc; Transgenic Animals – examples and their uses in Human Welfare; Nano particles and their applications in Agriculture and Medical Science.
Application of DNA Finger Printing.

7. Bio-medical Engineering:
MRI, USG, CT SCAN, ECG, EMG, EEG, PET, ELISA - Full form and application.

8. Units of Physical Quantities; Force- Laws of Motion and Gravitation; Work, Power and Energy.
Light: Reflection, Refraction and Dispersion - Concepts and applications.
Heat and Thermometry; Sound- Propagation in different media - Concepts and applications.


10. Concept of Acid, Base, Salt and Neutral Solutions; pH scale - its importance and use in everyday life, Chemicals used in everyday life.


12. Communication Systems:
Geostationary Satellites, Space Programmes in India- INSAT and IRS Systems, Applications of Space Technology in India with special references to Educational, Agricultural and other Rural Developmental Activities, EDUSAT- its applications, Use of ICT in e-Governance and e-Commerce.
Principle of Optical Fibre Communication.

13. Basics of Computer:
Terminology and Abbreviations, Operating Systems, Hardware and Software, Number Systems, Basic Internet knowledge, Security Tools, Virus and Hacking.

14. Scientific Instruments in everyday use, Important National Scientific Laboratories, Contributions of Scientists in the development of Science and Technology with particular reference to India.

SECTION-C
NUMERICAL ABILITY (Class X Standard)
25 Marks
(25 Multiple Choice Type Questions)

1. Number System, Problem on Numbers and Order of Magnitude, Average, H.C.F and L.C.M., Ratio and Proportion, Percentage, Profit and Loss, Time and Work, Time, Speed and Distance, Simple and Compound Interest, Area and Perimeter of Simple Geometrical Figures.

2. Data Analysis (Tables, Bar diagram, Line graph, Pie - chart) Interpretation of Categorized Data: Mean, Median, Mode, Standard Deviation.

Elements of Set Theory- Equality, Union, Intersection, Difference of Two Sets, Venn Diagram.
SECTION D
TEST OF REASONING / MENTAL ABILITY TEST
25 Marks
(25 Multiple Choice Type Questions)
Alphabetical Test, Coding and Decoding Test, Finding out the Dissimilarities, Analogy Test, Arranging in Order, Problems relating to Relation, Logical Reasoning, Statement and Argument, Series Completion Test, Direction Sense Test, Assumption Type Test.

SECTION E
ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION AND DEGRADATION
25 Marks
1. Biodiversity and its Conservation:
   Types of Biodiversity; Genetic, Species and Ecosystem Biodiversity; Importance of Biodiversity; Hot Spot of Biodiversity; Mega Diversity Countries; Threats to Biodiversity: Rare, Endangered, Threatened and Endemic Species; Red Data Book; Biodiversity Conservation: In-Situ and Ex-Situ Conservation.

2. Ecological Concepts:
   Ecosystem Definition, Structure and Function of Ecosystem; Types of Ecosystem; Energy Flow, Food Chain and Food Web, Ecological Pyramids.

3. Environmental Resources:

4. Environmental Pollution:
   Types of Pollution; Causes of Pollution, Major Pollution – Air, Water, Soil, Noise, Thermal, Nuclear; Effects of Pollution and Control Measures; Solid Waste Management.

5. Global Environmental Issues:

6. Environmental Management and Legislation:
   Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA); Environmental Protection Acts in India: Air, Water, Biodiversity, Wildlife, Forest, Lake and River Action Programmes; Role of Pollution Control Boards.

7. Environmental Organizations and Agencies:
   International Organizations: United Nations Environment Program (UNEP), International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN), International Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), Earth Summit, Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD), World Wildlife Fund (WWF), National Organizations: Man and Biosphere Program (MAB), Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF), Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES), Role of NGOs.
SECTION- F
SECURITY AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT
25 Marks

1. Types of Hazards and Disasters: Natural Disaster - Volcanic Eruption, Earthquake, Tsunami, Cyclone, Flood, Drought, Wildfire Hazard, Landslide; Man-Made Disaster - Industrial Hazard, Nuclear, Biological, Engineering Hazard and Terrorism.

2. Management and Planning for Disaster - Preparedness, Adaptation to Hazards, Mitigation Strategies, Relief, Rehabilitation, Role of Administrators - Scientists, Planners, Volunteers, NGOs; Early Warning System And Forecasting.

3. Hazards and Disaster in Tripura:
   i. Earthquake Vulnerability of North East India.
   ii. Flood Hazards in Tripura.
   iii. River Bank Erosion.
   iv. Tropical Storm.
   v. Role of Govt. and NGO in Disaster.

REFERENCE STUDIES FOR THE PORTION “EVERY DAY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY” (COVERING SECTION- B) OF GENERAL STUDIES PAPER – I

1. NCERT Books of Class VII to X Standard - Physics, Chemistry, Biology
2. Science Reporter
3. Annual Reports - Ministry of Science And Technology
4. TMH/ Spectrum

REFERENCE STUDIES FOR THE PORTION ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION AND DEGRADATION (SECTION- E ) AND SECURITY AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT (SECTION- F) OF GENERAL STUDIES PAPER – I

5. Disaster Science and Management by Tushar Bhattacharya, Tata, McGraw – Hill Education.
6. IGNOU Disaster Management Study Material.
8. Tripura University Disaster Management Soft Skill Study Material, Tripura University, Agartala.
**QUESTION PATTERN AND DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS FOR EACH OF THE SECTIONS - E AND F**

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#### SECTION - A
#### MODERN HISTORY OF INDIA
50 Marks

3. Indian National Congress: Formation, Moderates and Extremists.
4. Revolutionary Activities: Bengal, Punjab, Maharashtra.
7. Dalit Movements – Bengal, Bombay and Madras Presidencies.
8. Muslim League Politics.
SECTION- B
HISTORY OF TRIPURA
20 Marks

i. Era of Reformatory Measures:
   ➢ Political Agent.
   ➢ Assistant Political Agents.
   ➢ Princely Tripura.

ii. Administrative and Reform Measures of
   ➢ Maharaja Birchandra Manikya
   ➢ Maharaja Radha Kishore Manikya
   ➢ Maharaja Birendra Kishore Manikya
   ➢ Maharaja Bir Bikram Kishore Manikya

iii. Socio-Political Movements
   ➢ Jamatia Uprising.
   ➢ Reang Uprising.
   ➢ Jarashiksha Movement.

iv. Towards Integration: Political Scenario in Princely Tripura from 1947 till Merger.

SECTION- C
INDIAN SOCIO - CULTURAL HERITAGE WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO TRIPURA
30 Marks

i. Salient Features of Ancient and Medieval Indian Literature - Sanskrit, Pali, Persian, Urdu, Bengali and Hindi.

ii. Salient Features of Art and Architecture of Ancient and Medieval India - Mauryas, Pallavas, Cholas, Sultanate and Mughal Periods.

iii. Syncretist Movements in Medieval India - Bhakti and Sufi Movements.


v. Art and Architecture of Tripura.

vi. Contribution of Princely State towards development of Bengali Language and Literature; Rabindranath Tagore and Tripura; Development of Kokborok language and literature in the 20th Century.
SECTION – D
GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA
35 Marks

i. Physical Background:

➢ Location, Physiography, Geology, Drainage and its characteristics, Climate and Climatic Divisions after Koppen and Trewartha, Soil and Natural Vegetation.

ii. Socio-Economic Background:

➢ Population: Distribution and Density, Growth, Sex Ratio, Literacy, Age - Sex Composition, Ethnic Composition, Racial Groups, Migration.

➢ Agriculture: Types of Farming:
   i. Intensive Subsistence Agriculture - Rice.
   ii. Extensive Commercial Agriculture - Wheat.
   iii. Plantation Agriculture - Tea.

➢ Power Resources.


SECTION – E
GEOGRAPHY OF TRIPURA
15 Marks

i. Physical Background

➢ Location, Physiography, Geology, Drainage, Climate.

➢ Soil: Types, Erosion and Conservation.

➢ Natural Vegetation.

ii. Economic and Socio-Cultural Background

➢ Population: Distribution and Density, Growth, Sex Ratio, Literacy, Ethnic Composition.

➢ Agriculture: Types, Distribution of Crops, Irrigation: Types and Importance.

➢ Forestry: Economic importance of Forests, Deforestation, Shifting Cultivation.

➢ Power Resources and their Utilisation.

➢ Industry: Agro-based and Small scale.

➢ Transport Systems and their importance.

➢ Rural and Urban Development Programmes.
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# SYLLABUS OF GENERAL STUDIES

## PAPER - III

### FULL MARKS - 150

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- i. Salient Features of the Constitution of India.
- ii. Fundamental Rights and Duties.
- v. Centre - State Relation; Recent Trends of Centre-State Relation.
- vi. Union and State Legislature: Composition and Functions.
- vii. Judiciary in India.
- viii. Provision for SCs, STs, OBCs and Minorities.
- ix. Right to Information Act.
- x. Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

## SECTION- B

### INDIAN POLITICAL SYSTEM AND GOVERNANCE, ETHICAL AND MORAL VALUES IN GOVERNANCE

### 35 Marks

- ii. Coalition Politics in India.
- iii. Local Self Government with special reference to 73rd and 74th Amendments to Indian Constitution.
- v. Election Commission: Composition and Functions.
- vi. Challenges to Indian Democracy: Communalism, Provincialism and Corruption.
- vii. Lokpal and Lokayukta: Composition, Functions and Role, Administrative Tribunal (Article 323 A).
- ix. Ethical and Moral Values in Governance.
SECTION- C
POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE SYSTEM OF TRIPURA
15 Marks

A Brief History of Political Development in Tripura: From Monarchy to Democracy

i. Socio-Political Movements in Tripura.
iii. Directorates and their Functions.
iv. Administrative Structure and Development Authorities: Districts, Sub-Divisions and Blocks: their Functions and Role.
v. TTAADC: Structure and Composition; Functions and Role.

SECTION- D
INDIAN FOREIGN POLICY
25 Marks

i. Features of Indian Foreign Policy.
ii. Determinants of Indian Foreign Policy.
iii. Relation of India with Neighbouring Countries.
iv. Look-East and Act-East Policy.

SECTION- E
INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTIONS AND THEIR ROLE IN MAINTAINING WORLD PEACE AND ORDER
25 Marks

i. UNO: Objectives and Principles. Composition, Functions and Role of the UNO in maintaining World Peace and Security.
ii. Role of Various Organs of the UNO.
iii. SAARC: Composition, Functions and Role.
REFERENCE STUDIES FOR THE GENERAL STUDIES, PAPER - III

7. Dipak Kumar Choudhury. The Political Agents and the Native Raj (Mittal)
9. Mahadev Chakraborty. Administrative Reports of Tripura - 4 Volumes
10. J. Gan Choudhuri. Political History of Tripura, Pand Prakashani, Agartala

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### SECTION – A
**INDIAN ECONOMY, POVERTY, UNEMPLOYMENT AND INFLATION**
30 Marks

1. Basic Features of Indian Economy.
3. Agriculture, Industry and Service Sector.
4. Poverty.
5. Unemployment.
6. Inflation.

### SECTION – B
**THE CONCEPT OF BUDGET, FISCAL AND MONETARY POLICY**
30 Marks

1. Concept of Budget.
2. Analysis of Central and State Budget (Latest Ones).
3. Fiscal Policy.
5. Finance Commission.
6. Monetary Policy.
7. Reserve Bank of India.

### SECTION – C
**BANKING, MONEY SUPPLY AND SHARE MARKET**
30 Marks

1. Banking System in India.
2. Role of Commercial Banks.
5. Capital Market Including Share Market in India.
SECTION - D
SOCIAL SECURITY MEASURES IN INDIA WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO TRIPURA
30 Marks
i. Social Security Measures: Concept and different aspects.
ii. Education.
iii. Health.
iv. Infrastructure.

SECTION - E
ECONOMY OF TRIPURA: AGRICULTURE, INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE
30 Marks
i. Agriculture.
ii. Forestry and Plantation.
iii. Industry, Commerce and Tourism.

REFERENCE STUDIES FOR PAPER – IV" (COVERING SECTION- A, B, C, D AND E) OF GENERAL STUDIES PAPER – IV

9. Other relevant documents, publications from Government agencies and National level publishers.
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