

SYLLABUS FOR DIRECT RECRUITMENT TO AVPA-III POSTS

Paper	Subject	Marks	Duration
Paper -I	General Knowledge (20 questions)	40	3 hours with additional time of 40 minutes for Visually handicapped / Cerebral palsy candidates
	General English (15 questions)	30	
	Essay Writing	20	
	English Comprehension	20	
	Simple Arithmetic (20 questions)	40	
	Basic Computer Knowledge (25 questions)	50	
	Total Marks	200	
Paper-II (Technical Paper for AVPA-III)	Theory - Photography (50 questions)	100	3 hours with additional time of 40 minutes for Visually handicapped/ Cerebral palsy candidates
	Practical - (Photography)	100	
	Total Marks	200	
Paper-III (technical paper for AVPA-III)	Theory - Videography (50 questions)	100	3 hours with additional time of 40 minutes for Visually handicapped/ Cerebral palsy candidates
	Practical - (Videography)	100	
	Total Marks	200	
	Grand Total Marks of Paper I+II+III	600	

Notes:

- 1) Question shall be set in Objective Type Multiple Choice pattern only except for essay writing and English comprehension under Paper-I with all questions carrying equal marks and answers for each of the questions shall be marked using blue or black ball point pen. In other words, there shall be multiple probable answers (at least four) wherein the candidate has to choose the correct answer for every objective type question.
- 2) Questions will be set in tune with the level of educational qualifications prescribed in the corresponding Recruitment Rules/Service Rules for the post(s).
- 3) A brief description of the syllabus for direct recruitment to AVPA-III posts is as follows:

Paper -I

General knowledge: Questions will be designed to test the candidate's knowledge of current events and of such matters of everyday observation and experience as may be expected of an educated person. The test will also include questions relating to Indian history culture, Indian polity including the Constitution of India, geography, economy and general science. Questions on Mizo history and culture will also form part of the syllabus.

General English: Questions will be designed to test the candidates understanding and knowledge of English language, vocabulary, spelling grammar, sentence structure, synonyms, antonyms, sentence completion, phrases and idiomatic use of words etc. There will be questions on comprehension of a passage also.

Essay Writing: Questions on essay writing will be designed to test the candidate's grasp of his material, its relevance to the subject chosen, and to his ability to think constructively and to present his ideas logically, constructively and concisely.

English Comprehension: There will be questions on comprehension of passage also to test the vocabulary, grammar, logical thought ability and overall grasp of the candidates over English language.

Simple Arithmetic: Number system, simplification, roots, averages, discounts, percentages, profit & loss, ratio and proportion, partnership, chain rule, time & work, time & distance, simple & compound interest, mensuration, permutations & combinations, heights & distances, line graphs, bar graphs, pie charts and tabulation.

Basic Computer Knowledge: Introduction to Computers, introduction to Graphical user interface based Operating System, elements of Word Processing, Spreadsheets, Power point presentations, Computer communication and internet, world wide web and web browser, communication and collaboration.

Paper-II

Photography:

- I. Introduction & Principles of Photography
- II. Camera Controls & common word meaning
- III. Camera Settings, Aperture, Shutter & ISO
- IV. Rules of Photography
- V. Framing & Composition
 - a. Still Life Photography
 - b. Nature & Landscape Photography
 - c. Portrait Photography
 - d. Street Photography
 - e. Documentary Photography
- VI. Outdoor & Studio Practice
- VII. Lighting Technique
- VIII. Post Processing Technique

Paper-III

Videography:

- I. Videography & Editing
 - a. Application of Adobe Premiere Pro
 - b. Sound Editing
 - c. Gimbal Handling
 - d. Green Screen utilization
- II. After Effect