

Pattern of Examination & Syllabus

There will be two tests (CBT-Computer Based Test & PET-Physical Efficiency Tests) and document verification in the complete recruitment process.

Computer Based Test (CBT)

All the eligible candidates have to undergo a Computer Based Test on the specified date, time and venue as per the e-call letter to be downloaded by the candidates from the websites of RRBs. The information about the e-call letter download shall be communicated through the websites as well as personal email communication to the candidates.

Eligibility

Minimum percentage of marks for eligibility in various categories: UR -40%, EWS-40%, OBC-30%, SC-30%, ST-30%. These percentage of marks for eligibility may be relaxed by 2% for PWD candidates in case of shortage of PWD candidates against vacancies reserved for them.

Syllabus & Pattern of Exam

The questions will be of (100) Objective Type with multiple choices. Total duration of exam is 90 min. Each question carries one mark and 1/3 mark will be deducted for each wrong answer. Questions are pertaining to the following sections:

a. Mathematics (25 Que.) Number system, BODMAS, Decimals, Fractions, LCM, HCF, Ratio and Proportion, Percentages, Mensuration, Time and Work; Time and Distance, Simple and Compound Interest, Profit and Loss, Algebra, Geometry and Trigonometry, Elementary Statistics, Square root, Age Calculations, Calendar & Clock, Pipes & Cistern etc.

b. General Intelligence and Reasoning (30 Que.) Analogies, Alphabetical and Number Series, Coding and Decoding, Mathematical operations, Relationships, Syllogism, Jumbling, Venn Diagram, Data Interpretation and Sufficiency, Conclusions and Decision making, Similarities and Differences,

Analytical Reasoning, Classification, Directions, Statement – Arguments and Assumptions etc.

c. General Science (25 Que.) The syllabus under this shall cover Physics, Chemistry and Life Sciences of 10th standard level.

d. General Awareness & Current Affairs (20 Que.) in Science & Technology, Sports, Culture, Personalities, Economics, Politics and any other subjects of importance.

Physical Efficiency Tests (PET)

Based on the merit of the candidates in the CBT, candidates shall be called for PET Two times the community wise total vacancy of the Posts notified against RRBs. However, Railways reserve the right to increase/decrease this limit as required to ensure availability of adequate candidates for all the notified posts. Passing Physical Efficiency Test (PET) is mandatory and the same will be qualifying in nature. The criterion for PET is as under:

Male Candidates

They should be able to lift and carry 35 kg of weight for a distance of 100 metres in 2 minutes in one chance without putting the weight down

and

They should be able to run for a distance of 1000 metres in 4 minutes and 15 seconds in one chance.

Female Candidates

They should be able to lift and carry 20 kg of weight for a distance of 100 metres in 2 minutes in one chance without putting the weight down

and

They should be able to run for a distance of 1000 metres in 5 minutes and 40 seconds in one chance.

Based on the performance of candidates in the CBT subject to their qualifying in PET, candidates will be called for document verification