

**EXTRA ORDINARY GAZETTE DATE : 30/12/2019**

**LAST DATE : 05/02/2020**

**GENERAL RECRUITMENT – DISTRICT WISE**

**CATEGORY NO: 417/2019**

Applications are invited online only by One Time Registration exclusively from qualified candidates of for selection to the under mentioned post.

1. Department : Education
2. Name of Post : High School Assistant (Social Science)-Tamil Medium
3. Scale of pay : Rs. 29200-62400/-
4. No. of vacancies : District wise  
Thiruvananthapuram - 2 (Two)  
Kollam 1(One)

Note (i) Conventional type applications will be summarily rejected. Candidates shall apply : online only by One Time Registration to [www.keralapsc.gov.in](http://www.keralapsc.gov.in).

- ii) Separate Ranked List will be prepared for each districts in pursuance of this notification. Ranked List thus prepared and published by the Commission shall remain in force for a minimum period of one year, subject to the condition that the said list will continue to be in force till the publication of a new list after the expiry of the minimum period of one year or till the expiry of three years which ever is earlier. Candidates will be advised for appointment against the vacancies, if any, reported during the currency of the list. In case no candidate is advised from the ranked list till the expiry of the period of three years, the duration of the ranked list shall be extended for a further period of one year or till at least one candidate is advised from the list whichever is earlier.
- iii) The selection in pursuance of the notification will be made on a revenue district basis, subject to the special conditions laid down in G.O.(MS)No.154/71/PD, dated 27.5.1971. A candidate advised for appointment in one revenue district from the Ranked List prepared is not eligible for transfer to another district unless he/she completes five years continuous service from the date of commencement of service in the former district. Even if transfer is allowed after five years, it will be subject to the rules in G.O.(Ms)No.4/61/PD, dated 2.1.1961. Candidates already in Government service holding the same post in any one district are prohibited from applying again for this post, but they can apply to higher posts when notified.
- iv) Candidates should apply to the concerned District Offices and should note the name of that District against relevant column of the application. Application should not be submitted to more than one district in response to this notification. If applications are submitted contrary to the above direction and if he / she is selected his/her name will be removed from the ranked lists and disciplinary action will be taken against him/her.
- v) 3% of the vacancies for the post shall be reserved for differently abled candidates

with Locomotor disability /Cerebral palsy,Blindness,Low vision ,Hearing impairment as per as per GO (P) No. 01/2013/SJD dtd 03.01.2013.

- vi) In case of change in Caste/Community noted in the SSLC book, candidates must claim then original Caste/Community in the application and shall produce Caste/Community certificate or Non Creamy Layer Certificate as the case may be issued by the Revenue Authorities and the original Gazette Notification publishing the change Caste /Community at the time of OTR verification of selection to the above post or as and when required by the Commission.

**5 Method of appointment :** Direct Recruitment

**6. Age Limit :** 18-40. Only candidates born between 02.01.1979 and 01.01.2001 (Both dates included) are eligible to apply for this post with usual relaxation to SC/ST and Other Backward Communities.

Note: For concessions allowed in upper age limit subject to the condition that the maximum age limit shall in no case exceed 50 (Fifty) years, please see para (2) of the General Conditions under Part II of this Notification.

### 7. Qualifications:

1) A Degree in the concerned subject and B.Ed/BT in the concerned subject both conferred or recognized by the Universities in Kerala. (concerned subjects are specified in Note (ii) below.

2) Must have passed the Kerala Teacher Eligibility Test (K-TET) for this post conducted by the Government of Kerala

**Exemption:** Candidates who have qualified CTET/NET/SET/M.Phil/Ph.D/M.Ed. in the respective subjects are exempted from acquiring TET (G.O. (P) No. 145/16/G.Edn. Dated 30.08.16 and G.O. (P) No. 206/16/G.Edn. Dated 08.12.2016).

3) i) Must have passed SSLC/Plus Two/Pre-Degree with Tamil as I or II Language  
OR

ii) A pass in Degree or Post Graduation in Tamil Language.

In the absence of the qualifications referred in (i) & (ii) above its equivalent shall also be considered. (G.O. (P) No. 166/16/G.Edn. Dated 30.09.2016)

**Note:-**(i) M.Phil in the concerned subject be the one awarded by any of the Universities in Kerala or recognised as equivalent by any of the Universities in Kerala.

(ii) The applicant should have taken History or Economics or Geography or Politics or Commerce or Philosophy or Music or Sociology as main subject for Graduation.

(iii) Diploma in Rural Service awarded by the National Council for Rural Higher Education will also be treated as equivalent to Degree for the above purpose.

(iv) Post Graduates in concerned subject with B.Ed/BT in the concerned subject are also eligible to apply for the post.

(v) The following qualifications are also acceptable for appointment to the post of High School Assistant (Social Science)

a) BA Degree in Islamic History and Urdu Double main and B.Ed in Social Studies  
OR

b) BA Degree in Islamic History (Main) General Economics and Indian History (Subsidiaries) and B.Ed in History.

OR

c) BA Degree in Islamic History and Arabic main and B.Ed in History  
(a, b & c above as per GO(MS)No.254/90/G.Edn dated 05.12.1990)

OR

d) BA Degree in Islamic History (Main) General Economics and Political Science (Subsidiaries) and B.Ed in History (GO(MS)No.21/94/G.Edn dated 21.02.1994)

OR

e) BA (Islamic History and Arabic Main) and B.Ed (Social Studies)

OR

f) BA Islamic History (Main), Indian History and Political Science (Subsidiaries) and B.Ed (History) or B.Ed (Social Studies)

OR

g) BA Islamic History(Main), Political Science and General Economics (Subsidiaries) and B.Ed (Social Studies)

OR

h) BA Islamic History (Main), outlines of Indian Culture and Freedom Movement and Political Science (Subsidiaries) and B.Ed (Social Studies).  
(e, f, g & h above as per GO(MS)No.327/2001/G.Edn dated 07.11.2001)

- (vi) Candidates applying to the post should have sufficient knowledge in Tamil which will be tested at the time of interview. Question papers for the written test if any will be in Tamil. The candidates should answer the question in Tamil.
- (vii) The disciplines in which graduation and post graduation were obtained should be mentioned in the application.
- (viii) Candidates claiming equivalent qualification should produce relevant Government orders during verification to prove that the qualification claimed is equivalent to the prescribed qualification for the post

**NB:** Rule 10(a) ii of Part II of KS&SSR is applicable for this post.

## **8. SPECIAL CONCESSIONS REGARDING APPOINTMENT AND AGE LIMIT**

- (i) Preference will be given as laid down in G.O.(MS) No. 50/70/PD dated 12.02.1970 and G.O.(MS) No. 9/78/G.Edn. Dated 21.01.1978 to the wives of Jawans in the matter of recruitment as Teachers, if they possess the prescribed qualifications. Soldiers in active service and those working in Base Establishment are included under the term `Jawans'. Such candidates should obtain proper certificates from the Officer Commanding stating the name, military rank and military address of their husbands and produce the same as and when required by the Commission (G.O (MS) No. 509/64/Edn. Dated 19.09.1964, G.O.(MS) No. 614/65/Edn. Dated 09.11.1965 and G.O (MS) No. 243/66/Edn. Dated 27.05.1966).
- (ii) First Class Scouts and Guides will be given preference in the matter of appointment as Teachers (G.O (MS) No. 122/75/G.Edn. Dated 27.05.1975).
- (iii) Laboratory Attenders in the departmental High Schools in the State who have rendered at least 5 years satisfactory service and who possess the prescribed qualification will be exempted from age limit. They should produce proper certificates from the headmaster of the school specifying the date of commencement of their service and the total service put in by them as and when required by the Commission. The candidates who claim exemption on this basis will be considered only against vacancies to be filled up by open competition on the basis of merit alone (G.O (MS) No.315/62/Edn. Dated 14.05.1962)
- (iv) Teachers of the Government Primary and Nursery Schools who are graduates and are otherwise qualified will be exempted from upper age limit (G.O (Ms) No 185/70/Edn dated 18.4.1970 and G.O (Ms) No 466/70/Edn dt 11.11.1970). They should produce proper certificates from authorities concerned as and when required by the Commission.

Note: The candidates who are eligible for the above preferences or concessions in upper age limit or concessions by virtue of any of the reason mentioned in Para 2 of the General Condition should claim the same through the “weightage and preferences” link provided in their One Time Registration Profile and give details in the space provided. The applications of candidates who are eligible for concession in upper age limit and who do not claim the same, are liable to be rejected presuming that they are over aged candidates. Upper age limit after allowing the relaxation as per rule should not exceed 50 years of age (see para 2 of General Conditions).

9 Last Date for receipt of applications : **05.02.2020** Wednesday upto 12.00 Midnight.

#### **10 Mode of submitting Application :**

Candidates must register as per “ ONE TIME REGISTRATION” with the Official Website of Kerala Public Service Commission '[www.keralapsc.gov.in](http://www.keralapsc.gov.in)' before applying for the post. Candidates who have registered shall apply by logging in to their profile using their user ID and password. Candidates must click on the `Apply Now' button of the respective posts in the Notification Link to apply for a post. The photograph uploaded should be one taken after 31.12.2010. Name of the candidate and the date of taking photograph should be printed at the bottom portion. The photograph once uploaded meeting all requirements shall be valid for 10 years from the date of uploading of the photograph.

There is no change in other instructions regarding the uploading of photographs. No application fee is required. Candidates can view the details in their profile by clicking the link 'Registration Card' in their profile. A print out of the same can be taken if needed. Candidates are responsible for the correctness of the personal information and secrecy of password. Before final submission of the application on the profile, candidates must ensure correctness of the information in their profile. They must quote the User ID for further communication with the Commission. Application once submitted is provisional and cannot be deleted or altered after submission. Application will be summarily rejected if noncompliance with the notification is found in due course of processing. Documents to prove qualification, Experience, community, Age, etc., have to be produced as and when called for. **“Candidates who have AADHAAR card should add AADHAAR card as I.D. Proof in their profile”.**

- 11 Address to which applications are to be sent : [www.keralapsc.gov.in](http://www.keralapsc.gov.in).
- 12 If written /OMR/Online Test is conducted as part of this selection, candidates shall submit a confirmation for writing the examination through their One Time Registration profile. Such candidates alone can generate and download the Admission Tickets in the last 15 days till the date of Test. The applications of candidates who do not submit confirmation within the stipulated period, will be rejected absolutely. The periods regarding the submission of confirmation and the availability of Admission Tickets will be published in the Examination Calender itself. Information in this regard will be given to the candidates in their respective profiles and in the mobile phone numbers registered in it.

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