

"The mediocre teacher tells. The good teacher explains. The superior teacher demonstrates. The great teacher inspires."

Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), Central Teacher Eligibility Test (CTET) Central Teacher Eligibility Test (CTET) July-2013 for Primary/ Elementary Teachers

March 21, 2013

The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), Delhi will be conducting the Central Teacher Eligibility Test (CTET) for a person to be eligible for appointment as a teacher for classes I to VIII on **28/07/2013**.

Candidates can apply On-line for CTET July-2013 on CBSE/ CTET website.

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**The art of teaching
Is the art of
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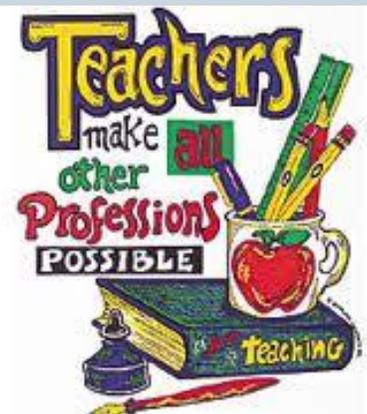
The Madhya Pradesh Teacher Eligibility Test MPETET 2013 entrance examinations notification is released by the Madhya Pradesh Government.

February 7, 2013

The **MPETET 2013** will be conducted by the Department of School Education according to the formalities and procedures prepared by the National Council for Teacher Education / Central Board of Secondary Education NCTE / CBSE and in the norms of Central Teacher Eligibility Test CTET.

find Madhya Pradesh Teacher Eligibility Test details like nature of the question papers, exam structure, eligibility, qualifications and application procedure: Now it is compulsory for the B.Ed. candidates to score in the MPETET to be eligible and ready for teacher jobs in Government, Aided and Private schools.

MPETET information is made available with <http://www.sednmp.nic.in> or SCERT of Madhya Pradesh. Here you can

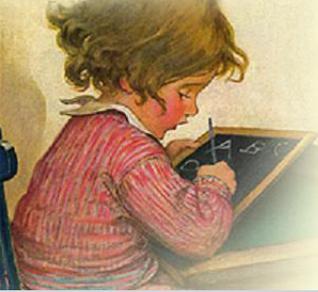


"A teacher who loves learning earns the right and the ability to help others learn."

NORMS RELAXED FOR TEACHERS' APPOINTMENT

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Thank you for being such a wonderful teacher!



To teach is to learn twice.

The government has given consent to 13 states, including Madhya Pradesh, who had sought permission to relax minimum qualification for appointment of teachers under Sarv Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA). The other states are: Assam, Manipur, Meghalaya, Nagaland, Tripura, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Himachal Pradesh, Odisha, Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal.

The relaxation was sought, due to the non-availability of teachers possessing minimum qualifications as laid down by the National Council for Teacher Education,

under the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009. To address this issue, the government has sanctioned over Rs. 6300 crore project to strengthen Teacher Education in the country during the 12th Plan.

The main components of the revised scheme are the setting up of new District Institutes of Education and Training (DIETs), Colleges of Teacher Education (CTEs) and Institutes of Advance Study in Education (IASEs), as well as strengthening of existing DIETs, CTEs and IASEs.

99% fail test for school teachers Jan 2, 2013,

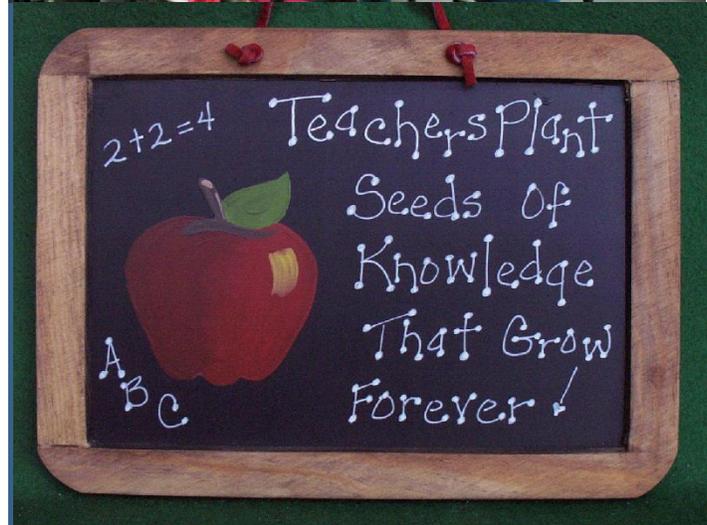
NEW DELHI: In an alarming indictment of the quality of training given to prospective school teachers, over 99% aspirants failed to clear the Central Teacher Eligibility Test (CTET) 2012.

The results of the competency test conducted by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), declared on December 27, 2012, showed that less than 1% of the 7.95 lakh who appeared managed to clear the exam. In fact, since the exam was introduced in 2011, the pass percentage has been consistently declining. Educationists described [the situation](#) as alarming and "a wakeup call for the quality of BEd degree being granted in the country."

Terming the results as alarming, Anita Rampal, former dean of Delhi University's faculty of education, said: "Assuming that the questions of the nature are good and adequately challenging, then certainly this is a concern. The question is what the students are learning in BEd? And I am not surprised as we know how these degrees (BEd) are being awarded."

Another reason for the poor pass percentage, according to Rampal, "could be that many of our students (of BEd) are from Hindi medium."

In fact after the 2011 dismal show, MHRD has asked CBSE to analyse the results institution wise and provide feedbacks to teacher education institutions so that they can improve on their teaching and training.



Training program for teachers

Upon ratification by governing body and various committees constituted by the board and in the light of the Right to Free and Compulsory education introduced by the government of India, a need for the training of teachers was being felt. The board has modified the Affiliation Bye-laws and included a clause on the training of teachers.

Rule 3.3 h (vi) prescribes that – Every School should organize at least one week training programme for teachers every year .

In teaching others we teach ourselves.

Teacher's from MP and Maharashtra show agitation over Sixth Pay Commission

Jan 15, 2013

New Delhi: While thousands of government school teachers from the state of Madhya Pradesh staged a demonstration in Bhopal over much less increment in their salaries, around 40,000 college teachers in Maharashtra called a massive boycott of exam work like supervision, evaluation and conducting practical's.

The Boycott was called by the Maharashtra Federation of University and College Teachers Organisation (MFUCTO) as the state government failed to meet its assurances on the Sixth Pay Commission arrears disbursement.

The teachers are demanding arrears for the 2006-2010 periods. Due to this students from colleges and universities across the state are facing uncertainty over exam season.

The boycott will affect not only the university exams, but also in-house college exams.

In MP, the teachers held their demonstration in the backdrop of an announcement by the State Government made on Saturday raising the salaries of the teachers from Rs 2,300 to an abysmal sum of Rs 3,500.

The congregating teachers who had come from all over the state observed a mahakumbh at Yaadgar-e-Shahjahan Park in the city. Chief Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan, who had earlier assured the teachers of his participation in the mahakumbh cancelled the plan to participate at the last moment.

Moral stories

Face difficulties positively

This parable is told of a farmer who owned an old mule. The mule fell into the farmer's well. The farmer heard the mule praying or whatever mules do when they fall into wells. After carefully assessing the situation, the farmer sympathized with the mule, but decided that neither the mule nor the well was worth the trouble of saving. Instead, he called his neighbours together, told them what had happened, and enlisted them to help haul dirt to bury the old mule in the well and put him out of his misery.

Initially the old mule was hysterical! But as the farmer and his neighbours continued shovelling and the dirt hit his back, a thought struck him. It suddenly dawned on him that every time a shovel load of dirt landed on his back, HE WOULD SHAKE IT OFF AND STEP UP!

This he did, blow after blow. "Shake it off and step up...shake it off and step up...shake it off and step up!" He repeated to encourage himself. No matter how painful the blows, or how distressing the situation seemed, the old mule fought panic and just kept right on SHAKING IT OFF AND STEPPING UP!

It wasn't long before the old mule, battered and exhausted, stepped triumphantly over the wall of that well! What seemed like it would bury him actually helped him . . . all because of the manner in which he handled his adversity.

THAT'S LIFE! If we face our problems and respond to them positively, and refuse to give in to panic, bitterness, or self-pity.

Editorial

"A good teacher is like a candle, it consumes itself to light the way for others" Ducate is an attempt to transform the candle into a knowledge beam so that instead of getting consumed it increases and advances while showing the light to others.

Ducate helps meet the talent in the teacher fraternity with the aspiring schools so that the schools can build their "real assets" and the teachers also receive the respect and warmth long due to them.

The present state of the non availability of quality teachers is the drive behind Ducate. 99% of candidates, nationwide, flunked in the CTET conducted in December 2012. The government of MP is also conducting MPETET and the as per the norms the private unaided schools are free to decide between the CTET and MPETET qualified teachers. However, looking at the abysmal dearth of talented teachers it is another issue for debate that how the private unaided school will be able to follow the law of the land.

Nonetheless, Ducate wants to see this challenge as it was seen by the farmer and the mule.



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