Instructions for the Candidates/Principal of Schools
For Filling up the Application Form For
State Level National Talent Search Examination, 2013-14
AND
Indian Students Studying Abroad for NTSE, 2014
(For the Students Studying in Class X)

General Instruction
1. Use Legal (8.5" x 14") size paper for taking print.

Instructions for Filling up the Application Form for State Level National Talent Search Examination
2. This application form is meant for the students appearing at the State Level NTS examination conducted by each State/ UT.
3. The candidate/Principal of the school must confirm the last date for submission of Application Form and where to submit it, from the State/ UT liaison officer. No application should be sent to NCERT.
4. The candidate/Principal must deposit the application fee, if any, prescribed by state/union territory with the application form.
5. The candidate/ Principal should leave the 4-digit Center code blank, to be filled by the liaison officer/ concerned district officer/ Center Superintendent.
6. Incomplete/wrongly filled in application forms are liable to be rejected.
7. Applicants are requested to refer/consult the application form, published by the States/ UTs, for caste category reservation. Some options of Caste Category (like OBC, Other 1 and Other 2), given in the form are applicable for the State/ UT only. No reservation will be given against these categories by the NCERT in the national level examination.
8. NCERT is not responsible, if any other item, which is not given in the common application form, has been included by the State/UT.

Instructions for Indian Students Studying Abroad
9. The Indian Students Studying Abroad should fill the relevant items of the application forms and should forward it to NCERT along with Class IX mark sheet latest by March 31, 2014, for consideration.
10. Please mention the name of State/ UT, where the candidate wants to appear in the national level NTS examination, in the covering letter.
Read the instruction carefully given on the next page before filling the application form. You may take the help from your teacher/parent for filling up the application form.

- Date of Examination:
- Name & address of the State Agency:
- Name of the State/UT (where the candidate is studying in Class X as a regular student):  
- Name of the Examination Center (where the candidate is studying in Class X or likely to appear in Exam):  
- Application fee, if any (write NIL if there is no fee):

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<th>State Level 12 digit Roll Number</th>
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<td>Class X Code</td>
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1. Name of the Candidate (Do not write Miss/Master):

2. Father’s Name (Do not write Mr./Dr./Prof.):

3. Mother’s Name (Do not write Ms./Dr./Prof.):

4. Sex 5. Area in which candidate resides

| 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | Male | Female | Rural | Urban |

6. Category of candidate 7. Disability Status

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | General | SC | ST | Orthopedic | Hearing | Impaired | Visually | Impaired | None |

(Please enclose a copy of the relevant reservation certificate in support of information at Sr. No.6 & 7)

8. Postal address for correspondence (Do not write father’s or your name):

9. Name and address of the school/institution in which studying at Class X level:

10. Type of the institution in which studying at Class X level (see definition overleaf)*

11. Area in which the school is located

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Govt. | Local Body | Private Aided | Private Unaided | Rural | Urban |

12. Medium of examination (a) at the State level (b) at the NCERT Level

13. Father’s education

14. Father’s occupation

15. Mother’s education

16. Mother’s occupation

17. No. of family members living in the house

18. Number of brothers

19. Number of sisters

20. At what number is the candidate among his/her brother and sisters

21. Parental annual income

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | Up to 50,000 | 50,001 to 100,000 | 100,001 to 2,00,000 | 2,00,001 to 5,00,000 | More than 5,00,000 |

22. Telephone:

STD Code | Phone

23. E-mail address

To be filled in by the Head of the Institution/Gazetted Officer

Certified that:

(1) Master/Miss………………………………………………is a regular student of this School/Institution and he/she has secured % marks in the Class IX annual examination i.e. when he/she was promoted from Class IX to Class X. He/She has secured …………………… marks out of ……………………
(Candidate must fulfil the criteria announced by State/UT)

(2) The particulars given by him/her in the application form have been verified and found in order.

(3) Master/Miss……………………………………………… belongs to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe category as per the records maintained in the Institution. (to be filled for SC/ST candidates only)

Date

Signature of the Headmaster/Headmistress/Gazetted Officer

With Seal

(See Instructions overleaf)
Coding Plan

Read Instructions carefully before filling up the Application Form

1. Use only Blue or Black Ball Point Pen. WRITE IN CAPITAL LETTERS. Do not mark or write outside the boxes.
2. Leave one box blank between two words. Limit your name and/or address within the space provided for it. Please see example as given below.
3. Cross (x) only one of the appropriate boxes in item nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11 and 21.
4. Please write code number in item nos. 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 as given overleaf.
5. It is the responsibility of the candidate and the Principal of the school to deposit the filled in form with the State concerned Officer before the last date. No request for condoning delay in submission will be entertained whether it is due to the fault of the Candidate or the Headmaster/Principal of his/her institution.
6. Incomplete or defective applications are liable to be rejected.

Example for writing Name and Address

Postal Address: Do not try to write complete address in one line. Break it appropriately as shown below.

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Father’s Name: O P G U P T A

Medium of Examination

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<td>Bangla</td>
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<td>English</td>
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Father’s/Mother’s Occupation

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<td>Agriculture, Fishery</td>
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<td>Production and Transport</td>
<td>6</td>
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<td>Operators and Labourers</td>
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<td>Not employed</td>
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*TYPE OF SCHOOL/INSTITUTION (Refer to item No. 10)

GOVERNMENT

A Government School is that which is run by the State Government or Central Government or Public Sector Undertaking or an Autonomous Organization completely financed by the Government.

LOCAL BODY

A Local Body School is that which is run by Panchayati Raj and local body institutions such as Zila Parishad, Municipal Corporation, Municipal Committee, Notified Area Committee and Cantonment Board.

PRIVATE AIDED

A Private Aided School is that which is run by an individual or a private organization and receives grant from government or local body.

PRIVATE UNAIDED

Private Unaided School is that which is managed by an individual or a private organization and does not receive any grant either from government or local body.
STATE LEVEL NATIONAL TALENT SEARCH EXAMINATION – 2014
(For the Students Studying in Class X)

Name of the State/UT: _________________________________________
(Which will conduct the Examination)

ADMISSION CARD

To be filled by the applicant

Master/Miss. ________________________________________________
S/o /D/o Sri. ________________________________________________
Of (School) ________________________________________________
Of (District/Centre) __________________________________________
is permitted to appear for the above said examination.

Full Postal Address: __________________________________________

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________________________________________________________________

PIN Code __________________

She/He is allotted 12 digit Roll Number:

Class X Code State Code Year Center Code Serial No. (to be filled by the Office)

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Date of Examination: _________________________________________

Venue of Examination centre

________________________________________________________________

Signature of the Head of the School
With office seal

Scrubivized by (Office Staff) Office Seal

Signature of Liaison Officer/District Level Officer /Authorized for State Level NTS Examination

Signature of the Invigilator at the examination Centre

Signature of the Candidate in the presence of Invigilator

MAT:------------------------

SAT:------------------------

Language:-------------------
1. Make sure that the Admit Card is not detached from the application form. Admit cards will be sent to the chief superintendent of the examination centre after allotting the Roll Numbers. Candidate can collect the Admit Card from the chief superintendent of the examination centre at least one week before the examination.

2. Reach the Examination Centre at least half an hour before the commencement of the examination; and occupy the seat that bears your Roll Number.

3. DO NOT take mobile phones, calculator, mathematical & physical table or any other kind of ready reckoner to the examination hall.

4. The examination will be conducted in three sessions on the same day.

5. You will have to take the examination as per details given below:
   - Mental Ability Test (MAT)
   - Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), which includes tests in Language comprehensive and Aptitude separately.

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<td>Language</td>
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<td>Comprehensive Test</td>
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<td>Aptitude Test</td>
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   The applicants are requested to refer/consult State Liaison Officer for the composition of the test.

6. Each question carries 1 (one) mark.

7. Write your Roll Number, as given in the Admit Card, on the Answer Sheet and on the cover page of the Question Booklet in the space provided.

8. All questions in the booklets are objective type. For each question, FOUR possible answers are given, but only one is correct. Your task is to find out the correct answer and mark your choice in the Answer Sheet.

9. Record your answer using Ball Point Pen only. You have to indicate your answer on the answer sheet as advised by the State/UT.

10. During the Examination follow the instructions of the Invigilator strictly.

11. Hand over your Question booklet and Answer sheets to the invigilator before you leave the Examination Hall.

12. Hand over the admission card to the Invigilator before leaving the examination hall.

Full Postal Address of the candidate for despatch of admission letter:

________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________

_________________________________  PIN Code ___________________