



# INDIAN ARMY

## PERMANENT COMMISSION/SHORT SERVICE COMMISSION

### 10+2 TECHNICAL ENTRY SCHEME

### COURSE - 26 COMMENCING FROM JAN 2012



1. Applications are invited from unmarried, Male Candidates who have passed 10+2 examination with Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics (Hereinafter referred to as PCM) subjects and fulfill the eligibility conditions prescribed in the subsequent paragraphs, for the grant of Permanent Commission or Short Service Commission (SSC) in the Army after 4 years of Basic Military Training and Technical Training thereafter with the terms and conditions given in the succeeding paragraphs.

#### 2. ELIGIBILITY:

**(a) Nationality:** A candidate must either be : (i) A citizen of India, or (ii) A subject of Bhutan, or (iii) A subject of Nepal, or (iv) a Tibetan refugee who came over to India before the 1st of January 1962 with the intention of permanently settling in India or (v) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Sri Lanka and East African countries of Kenya, Uganda, the United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia, Malawi, Zaire and Ethiopia and Vietnam with the intention of permanently settling in India. Provided that a candidate belonging to categories (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) above shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to the examination provisionally subject to the necessary certificate being given to him by the Govt before declaration of result by SSB/joining training.

**(b) Age Limit, Sex and Marital Status:** Only unmarried male candidates are eligible for the entry. A candidate must not be below 16½ years and above 19½ years on the first day of the month in which the course is commencing i.e. the candidate should not be born before 01 Jul 1992 and not after 01 Jul 1995 (both days inclusive). The date of birth accepted by the office is that entered in the Matriculation or Secondary School Leaving certificate or in the certificate recognised by an Indian University as equivalent to Matriculation or in an extract from a Register of Matriculates maintained by a University which extract must be certified by the proper authority of the University or in the Higher Secondary or an equivalent examination certificate. No other document relating to age like horoscopes, affidavits, birth extract from municipal corporation, service records and the like will be accepted. The expression Matriculation/Higher Secondary Examination Certificate in this part of the instruction includes the alternative certificate mentioned above.

**NOTE 1:** Candidate should note only the date of birth as recorded in the Matriculation/ Higher Secondary Examination Certificate or an equivalent certificate on the date of submission of applications will be accepted and no subsequent request for its change will be considered or granted.

**NOTE 2:** Candidates should also note that once a date of birth has been claimed by them and entered in the records, no change will be allowed subsequently or a subsequent examination on any ground whatsoever.

**NOTE 3:** The Candidates should exercise due care while entering their date of birth in the application form. If on verification at any subsequent stage any variation is found in their date of birth form one entered in their matriculation or equivalent examination certificate, disciplinary action will be taken against them under rules.

**NOTE 4:** Candidates must undertake not to marry until they complete their full training. A candidate who marries subsequent to the date of his application, though successful, will not be selected for training. A candidate who marries during training shall be discharged and will be liable to refund all expenditure incurred on him by the government.

**(C) Educational Qualification:** Only those candidates who have passed 10+2 Examination or its equivalent with a minimum aggregate of 70% marks in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics are eligible to apply for this entry.

3. **VACANCIES:** The number of vacancies for this course for both Permanent Commission and Short Service Commission are 85. Vacancies are provisional and can be changed depending on the training capacity at the training Academy for this course. The vacancies are subject to increase/decrease keeping the organizational requirement at the point of time.

**Note :** While candidate may give their first and/or second option between Short Service Commission and Permanent Commission at this stage but the firm vacancies in each category will only be known when released by the Govt. Accordingly, successful candidates may be given a fresh option at that stage, but the candidates need to be aware that Govt. may allot all vacancies to Short Service Commission and none to Permanent Commission or all to Permanent Commission and none to Short Service Commission or a part of the vacancies to Permanent Commission and rest to Short Service Commission. No claims in this regard will be entertained.

4. **TYPE OF COMMISSION:** On successful completion of 4 years of the course cadets will be granted Permanent Commission / Short Service Commission in the Army in the rank of Lt. as under:-

**(a) Reg Commission.** Those candidates who were selected for Reg Commission and completed trg as above.

**(b) Short Service Commission.** To those candidates who were selected for Short Service Commission and completed training as above.

#### TRAINING

5. Total training will be 5 years, Details as under:

**(a) Basic Military Training :** 1 year (Training Academy). **(b) Technical Training:** (i)Phase-I (Pre Commission Training): 3 Years (CME Pune, MCTE Mhow and MCEME Secunderabad), (ii) Phase-II (Post Commission Training): 1 year at CME Pune, MCTE Mhow and MCEME Secunderabad. **(c) Award of Degree:** The candidates will be awarded Engineering degree after successful completion of training as given out in para 5 (a) and (b) above. No ante date seniority will be admissible to candidates on account of this Engineering degree. The officers who fail to qualify in Engineering will re-appear in the examination in the following year. In case they fail to qualify in the following year examination also, the same will result in loss of seniority to them and they will forfeit seniority to the extent of delay in passing Engineering degree examination. If they fail to qualify even within three years of their commissioning, their commission will be terminated.

#### COST OF TRAINING

6. The entire cost of training including books and reading material is borne by the Army. Cadets are also provided with free clothing and messing. In case the GC is withdrawn from training academy due to reasons other than Medical ground or the reasons not beyond his control, he will be liable to refund cost of training @ Rs. 7075/- per week for the period of his stay at the training academy.

7. **The selection procedure is as follows:**

**(a)** Short listed candidates will be called for Services Selection Board (SSB) interview at Bhopal, Bangalore or Allahabad. Interviews will be held in Aug/Sept 2011 onwards. **(b)** Duration of SSB interviews is five days excluding day of arrival. During their stay at SSB, Candidates are put through psychological Test, Group test and Interviews. **(c)**Candidates will be put through stage - I of the selection procedure on the first day. Only successful candidates shall be retained for balance of the testing. Candidates who fail to qualify in stage - I, will be returned on the first day itself, Stage I are psychologically originated test including intelligence test. **(d)** Successful candidates at the SSB will be required to undergo medical test lasting 3 to 5 days less Sundays and gazetted holidays. **(e)** Candidates recommended by the SSB and declared medically fit, will be appointed for training in the order of merit, depending on the number of vacancies available. In the respective cadre and the choice given by the cadet for Regular or Short Service Commission. The merit of the candidate will take precedence over the preference/ choice. **(f)** The finally selected candidates will execute all the Bonds/Certificates as prescribed for the Cadets of NDA entry under AI 53/78 with specific mention of Reg or Short Service Commission, wherever required and as applicable. **(g)** One AC-III Tier/AC Chair Car fare is admissible for the interview (to and fro) for the first time only.

#### STIPEND/PAY AND ALLOWANCES

8. The candidates will be given a stipend of Rs. 21,000/- p.m. (Rs 15,600/- as pay in Pay Band plus Grade Pay of Rs. 5,400/-) as is admissible to NDA cadets on completion of 3 years training. On completion of 4 Years training they will be commissioned in the rank of Lt and entitled to pay as admissible to the rank.

The Pay Bands are as under:-

(a) Rank	Pay Band (Rs.)
Lt to Maj	15,600-39,100 (PB-3)
Lt Col to Maj Gen	37,400-67,000 (PB-4) (After 13 year of service)
Lt Gen HAG Scale	67,000 (annual increment @ 3%)-79000
HAG + Scale*	75,500 (annual increment @ 3%)-80000

(\* Admissible to 1/3rd of total strength of Lt Gnes)

VCOAS/Army Cdr/Lt Gen (NFGS) 80,000 (fixed)

COAS 90,000 (fixed)

**(b) In addition to pay, Grade pay will also be given as under: -**

Lt	Rs 5,400/-
Capt	Rs 6,100/-
Maj	Rs 6,600/-
Lt Col	Rs. 8,000/-
Col	Rs 8,700/-
Brig	Rs 8,900/-
Maj Gen	Rs 10,000/-

**(c)** A fixed sum of Rs 6,000/- p.m. is also payable as Military Service Pay (MSP) to the officers from the rank Lt to Brig.

#### Qualification Pay and Grant

Officers possessing certain prescribed qualification are entitled to lumpsum

Qualification Grant of 6,000/-, 9,000/-, 15,000/- or 20,000/- based on the qualification held by the them.

The Army Aviators (Pilots) serving in Army Aviation Corps are entitled to the Qualification Pay, based on the Qualification held by them, as under: -

(i) Master Aviation Instructor - Rs. 500/- p.m.

(ii) Senior Aviation Instructor Class I - Rs. 400/- p.m.

(iii) Senior Aviation Instructor Class II - Rs. 280/- p.m.

(iv) Aviators holding Master Green-Card - Rs. 400/- p.m.

(v) Aviators holding Green Card - Rs. 280/- p.m.

The Army Aviators (Pilots) serving in the Army Aviation Corps are entitled to flying allowance as under:-

(a) Brig & above Rs 10,500/- (b) Maj to Col Rs 14,000/- (c) Capt Rs 11,000/-

(d) Lt Rs 9,000/-

#### Allowances

In addition to pay, an officer at present receives the following allowances: .

(a) Dearness Allowances are admissible at the same rates and under the same conditions as are applicable to the Civilian Gazetted Officers from time to time.

(b) A kit maintenance allowances of Rs 400/- p.m.

(c) Depending upon rank and area of posting, officer, posted 'to Field Areas will be eligible for compensatory Highly active Field' Area Allowance at the rate of Rs 6,780/- to Rs 8,400/- p.m., Compensatory Field Area Allowance at the rate of Rs 4,200/- to Rs 5,200/-p.m. and Compensatory Modified Field Area Allowance at the rate of Rs 1,600/- to Rs 2,000/-p.m.

(d) In addition to the Compensatory Field Area Allowance, officers posted to areas situated at a height of 9,000 ft and above are entitled for High Altitude Allowance in the range of Rs 1,060 pm to Rs 11,200 pm depending upon rank of the officer and place of posting.

(e) Uniform allowance: Initial allowance for one time kit (@) Rs 14,000/- and Rs 3,000/- for every three years.

(f) Transport allowance: Transport allowance @ Rs 3,200/- + DA thereon p.m. in A-I/A class cities and Rs 1,600/-+DA thereon p.m. at other places shall be admissible to officers.

#### PROMOTION

**(a) Substantive promotion**

The following are the service limit for the grant of the substantive promotion to higher ranks:

#### By time scale :

Lt.	(on Completion of training)
Capt.	2 years of reckonable commissioned service
Major	6 years of reckonable commissioned service
Lt. Col.	13 years of reckonable commissioned service
Col (TS)	26 years of reckonable commissioned service
<b>By Selection :</b>	
Col.	20 years of reckonable commissioned service
Brigadier	23 years of reckonable commissioned service
Major Gen.	26 years of reckonable commissioned service
Lt. Gen.	28 years of reckonable commissioned service
General	No restriction

**(b) Acting promotion**

Officers are eligible for acting promotion to higher ranks on completion of the following minimum Service limits subject to availability of vacancies.

Captain	3 years
Major	6 years
Lt. Colonel	6½ years
Colonel	8½ years
Brigadier	12 years
Major General	20 years
Lt. Gen	25 years

**RETIREMENT BENEFITS (Applicable to officer granted Permanent Commission only)**

Pension gratuity and casual pensionary award will be admissible in accordance with the rules in force from time to time.

#### TENURE OF ENGAGEMENT

Officers granted Short Service Commission will have an obligation to serve in the Army for period of 14 years.

**LEAVE:** Leave will be admissible in accordance with the rules in force from time to time.

9. On commission, officers are entitled to 60 days annual leave and 20 days casual leave LTC, free medical service for self and family, canteen facilities and other concessions.

10. On being commissioned, all officers will be guided by the terms and conditions as given out by the Army Group Insurance Scheme and as amended from time to time.

**(a)** Army Group Insurance Fund Provides Insurance cover of Rs. 15 Lac on payment of one time non-refundable premium of Rs. 8200/- by cadets from the date of joining for pre-commission training i.e. for 3 years. If a cadets is relegated an additional premium of Rs. 1,444/- per relegated term will be paid. Those who are medically boarded out on account of disability, the disability cover provided for 100% disability will be Rs. 7.5 Lac reduced up to Rs. 1.5 Lac for 20 per cent disability. However, disability for less than 20 percent, an ex-gratia of Rs. 50,000/- will be paid and Rs. 1 lac ex-gratia will be paid to cadets invalid out during their last year of trg wef 01 Jan 2011. There is no saving component under this scheme. Disability due to alcoholism and drug addiction will not qualify for disability benefit and ex-gratia.

**(b)** The Gentlemen Cadets when in receipt of stipend of Rs. 21,000/- per month are insured for Rs. 40 lac wef 01 Apr 2011. For those who are medically boarded out of Academy on account of disability, the disability cover provided for 100% disability will be Rs. 15 Lac which is proportionately reduced up to Rs. 4 Lac for 20% disability. However, for disability less than 20 percent an ex-gratia of Rs. 50,000/- will be paid and Rs 1 lac ex-gratia will be paid to cadets invalid out during their last year of trg wef 01 Jan 2011. Disability due to alcoholism and drug addiction will not qualify for disability benefit and ex-gratia. Premium at the rate of Rs. 4000/- will have to be paid in advance on monthly basis by the Gentlemen Cadets to become member under the main AGI Scheme as applicable to Regular Army Officers. The premium for the relegated period would also be recovered at the same rate.

**GUIDELINES FOR PHYSICAL STANDARDS FOR ADMISSION TO THE 10+2 (TES) ENTRY PERMANENT/SHORT SERVICE COMMISSION CAN BE SEEN AT [www.joinindianarmy.nic.in](http://www.joinindianarmy.nic.in)**

**11. HOW TO APPLY:** Application will only be accepted on line. To do so the candidates needs to click on the "online application" button on website [www.joinindianarmy.nic.in](http://www.joinindianarmy.nic.in)

(i) Candidates must enter their particulars in the online application. Terms and conditions linked to the form must be read, prior to submitting the form

(ii) After submitting the form an acknowledgement with a Roll number will be provided to the candidate. If the system does not generate Roll Number, if is an indication of non acceptance of application by the system. The last date of applying online is 30 Jun 2011.

(iii) After submitting online application, candidates are required to obtain two copies of the application printout and the Roll Number generated by the system. One copy of the print out application duly Signed and affixed photograph attested by a gazetted officer of Central/State Govt. Photocopies of Class 10th Certificate/Mark sheet showing date of birth and 12th Class Certificate alongwith mark sheets duly attested by Gazetted officer are to be forwarded to "Additional Directorate General of Recruiting (Rtg-6), TES Section, West Block-III, R.K puram, New Delhi- 110066". The last date of receipt of such printouts of online applications is 10 Jul 2011 While forwarding these applications the words "Online application 10+2 TES and the Roll No.... and PCM %age must be written boldly outside the envelope. The second copy of the printout of application form alongwith the Roll No and all the above certificates in original are to be carried to the Selection Centre by the candidate for the SSB interview. Any candidate who does not carry all these document for the SSB interview, his candidature will be cancelled.

(iv) Candidates must submit only one application, Receipt of multiple applications from the same candidate will result in cancellation of candidature.

12. **Note.**(a) Any change in your postal address after submission of application must be communicated by post duly quoting your Roll No, name and course opted for.

(b) All original certificates along with two attested copies each Will be carried by the candidate for SSB interview. Originals will be returned after verification at the Service Selection Board itself.

13. Original certificates should not be attached with the application form. Additional Directorate General of Recruiting, Adjutant General's Branch, Integrated Headquarters, Ministry of Defence (Army) will not take responsibility for loss of original certificates, if attached with application. Photo should be pasted and not stapled. Attestation made on the backside of the photo will not be entertained.

#### 14. IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

(a) The candidate needs to apply 'on line' on Indian Army Website [www.joinindianarmy.nic.in](http://www.joinindianarmy.nic.in)

The candidate while applying for grant of commission under this entry will also specify his specific option for Regular and / or Short Service Commission. Candidate may give the first and the second choice. In case a candidate applies for both, he needs to give his first and second preference. The application will be screened at Recruiting Directorate, Integrated Headquarters, Ministry of Defence (Army) and the candidate thereafter will be detailed for SSB. **(b)** Print out of online application must be accompanied by attested (By a Gazetted Officer of the Central/State Govt/1st Class Magistrate etc.) photocopies of 10th class certificate issued by the Board concerned (CBSE/ State Boards/CSE) in which date of birth is reflected for proof of date of birth (Admit card/Marksheet/Transfer/Leaving Certificate etc. are not acceptable for proof of date of birth) and 10+2 certificate and marksheet for proof of education. Revised marksheets issued by a Board/University after last date of receipt of application will not be accepted for this course, however, the same will be accepted for the subsequent course. **(c)** While filling up the application form, candidate are required to indicate exact PCM percentage of Class 12th upto two decimals and are not to be rounding off. Any false entry of PCM percentage, detected at any stage of selection will be outrightly rejected. **(d)** Army Headquarters reserves the right to short list applications and to fix cut off percentage of PCM marks without assigning any reason. No communication will be entertained on this account. **(e)** Shortlisted candidates will be detailed to undergo SSB interview from Aug 2011 onwards. No compensation will be paid in respect of any injury sustained as a result of test conducted at SSB. All application received late or incomplete will be rejected outright. No intimation will be given to the candidate In writing or verbally to submit fresh application/certificate/or any other required documents. **(f)** Candidate! withdrawn from NDA, OT A, IMA, Naval Academy, Air force Academy on disciplinary grounds are not eligible to apply. **(g)** Final merit list will be displayed at the notice board of Rtg Dte., (Offers Selection), ADG Rtg, West Block-III, R.K Puram, New Delhi PIN-110066 as well as Indian Army, Recruiting Directorate website [www.joinindianarmy.nic.in](http://www.joinindianarmy.nic.in) before induction for pre-commissioning training. For any queries regarding SSB interview centre, call up details, reporting date and merit list, contact: 011-26175473 and 26173215 between 0900 hrs to 1700 hrs on working days or visit [www.joinindianarmy.nic.in](http://www.joinindianarmy.nic.in).

**15. CHANGE OF INTERVIEW DATES** Request for change of SSB Interview date should be avoided. However, under most unavoidable circumstances, such change may be considered based on the circumstances of the case. This will be an exception rather the rule. Request for such change should be forwarded to Selection Centre from where the call-up letter for SSB interview has been received and not to Additional Directorate General Recruiting. The Selection Centre may permit change of date at their discretion.

#### 16. REASONS FOR REJECTION OF APPLICATION

(a) Incomplete applications in any respect and/or without copies of requisite certificate(s). Documents submitted at a later stage will not be entertained. **(b)** Variation in names and spellings as recorded in application/Matric or equivalent certificate not supported by affidavit. **(c)** Non-attachment of copy of 10th class certificate for age proof and 12th class marksheet for proof of PCM % duly attested by a Govt. Gazetted officer No other certificate is valid for authentication of age. **(d)** Without attested photograph affixed on application form **(e)** Application not signed by Candidate **(i)** Submission of more than ONE application. **(g)** Receipt of applications after due date of submission of applications. **(h)** Any ambiguity/erasures/unattested cuttings/false information/concealment of information detected in the above certificate will result in cancellation of the candidature at any stage of selection.