

SSLC

Introduction of Online System

The Directorate of Government Examinations have introduced the online system from March 2012 session for the purposes of online application registration for private candidates through service centres and regular candidates by school Headmasters, Retotalling, Downloading of Hall Tickets, Result Releasing and Downloading of Provisional Mark Certificates

Secondary School Leaving Certificate (SSLC)

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1. Conduct of Examination

The Directorate of Government Examinations conduct SSLC Public Examination three times in a academic year, as in March/April, Instant Special Supplementary Examinations in June/July and Supplementary Examinations in September/October Sessions.

March/April Sessions

Private Candidates can register themselves for SSLC Public exam in Government Examination Service Centres located in all educational districts. Service Centre officials shall upload all the datas of individual candidate through online and upload the photo at that place itself. For School pupil, Nominal Roll is Prepared by the concerned School Headmasters (Students Name list) and is uploaded through online in dge website.

Instant Special Supplementary June/July sessions

This Examination is conducted only for those candidates who failed in March/April Sessions of the same year.

Supplementary Examination September/October

Students who have failed in one or more subjects in difference sessions and direct private candidates can apply for this Examination subject to completion of Science Practical Training.

2. Scheme of Examination

Uniform System of Education

The Government of Tamil Nadu have issued G.O.(Ms).No.21, School Education (Q) Department, Dated 01.02.2010 and has implemented the Uniform System of Education in Tamil Nadu for all students studying in Government, Government Aided, Self-financing, Matric and Anglo-Indian Schools.

Directorate of Government Examinations is conducting SSLC Examination from March 2012 session under the syllabus of Uniform System of Education implemented by the Government for the above said School students.

Science Practical Classes for Private Candidates Name Enrolment procedure

As per G.O.Ms.No.144, School Education (Q) Department, Dated:20.09.2011 all direct private candidates should register their name for Science Practical Classes before the end of June every year at the concerned District Educational Officers' office for forthcoming SSLC Public Examinations of March/April Session.

Differently abled candidates can avail Exemption from doing Science Practicals if they desire to do so. Also Jail candidates are exempted from science practical examination as per G.O.(Ms)No.23 School Education (V1) Department, Dated: 11.02.2013.

The Department of Government Examinations is conducting SSLC Examination for the following subjects on the dates fixed by the Director of Government Examination. Duration of each examination is 2^{1/2} Hours.

Part	Subject	Paper	Maximum Marks	Minimum Marks to be Obtained for pass
Part I	Tamil (Compulsary)	Paper I	100	035
	Tamil (Compulsary)	Paper II	100	
Part II	English	Paper I	100	035
	English	Paper II	100	
Part III	Mathematics		100	035
	Science		100	035
	Social Science		100	035
Part IV	Optional Language Telugu, Arabic, Malayalam, Kannada, Hindi, Gujarati Sanskrit. French and Urdu		100	Not Prescribed

Candidates should take minimum 35% marks in each subject out of 100 marks. This is applicable for passing in compartmental system also.

For subjects (Non Language) in Part III Question Papers will be in English, Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, Kannada, Hindi, Gujarati and Urdu.

3. Award of Certificate

Minimum for a pass:

Must secure a minimum of 35 marks out of 100 in each subject. For the "Science subject consisting of theory and practical Examination, minimum mark for a pass is 20 marks out of 75 in Theory and 15 marks

out of 25 in Practical. This includes passing under the compartmental system also.

OPTIONAL LANGUAGE:

Marks secured in this subject is not taken into Account for declaration of a pass.

P: தேர்ச்சி / PASS F: தேர்ச்சி பெறவில்லை/FAIL

4. Pupil Candidates:

a. Eligibility for appearing of SSLC Examination

There shall be a Government Examination at the end of the course in X Standard and the school students i.e Pupil Candidates who are studying in a recognized High school and Higher Secondary School and have completed the required age criteria are eligible to appear for the SSLC Public Examination conduct by this department during the month of March/April every year

b. Age Limit

As per the G.O. (Ms) No.1906, Education Department Dated: 22.08.77 the School pupil should have completed the age of 14 years on the first day of the month in which the examination is to be conducted.

Age Exemption

However, if the school pupil has not completed 14 years as on the prescribed date they should submit an order from the under mentioned authorities to relax the rules and to grant exemption upto the limit specified against each for writing the Examination

<u>District Educational Officer</u>	In cases in which the age of the pupil is less than 14 by not more than two years
<u>Chief Educational Officer</u>	In cases in which age of pupil is less than 14 by more than two years

Every application for exemption shall be accompanied by a Medical Certificate signed by the registered Medical Practitioner testifying the Physical fitness of the pupil to withstand the strain and stress of the examination and by such certificate from the head of the school as may be required by subsidiary Rules.

C. Examination Fees:

Examination Fee	Rs.100.00
Mark Certificate Fee	Rs.10.00
Service Charges Fee	Rs.05.00
Total	Rs.115.00

d. Mode of Remittance

Respective Headmaster of the institution should collect and remit the cash into Government account.

e. Fees Exemption

1.	As Per G.O. (Ms) No.237, School Education (V1) Department, Dated: 21.09.2007 all students belongs to all community studying in Tamil Medium be exempted from the payment of the prescribed Examination Fees.
2.	Government and Government Aided Schools' SC, SCA, SS, ST, MBC/DC Students even they are studying in other medium also are exempted from the payment of Examination fees.
3	As Per G.O. (Ms) No.53, Backward, Most Backward and Denotified Welfare (CN2) Department, Dated: 09.07.2013 candidates parents annual income below Rs.2 lakhs of OB, BC, BCM Candidates are exempted from the payment of Examination fees.
4	As per G.O. (Ms) No.1166, Education Department Dated 8 th July 1974 and G.O. (Ms).No.2194, Education Department Dated 10.10.1980 all Blind and Deaf and Dumb disabled Candidates are exempted from the payment of Examination fees

f. Procedure for applying for examination: (Pupil Candidates)

At the end of the course in X standard SSLC Public Examination shall be held Name list Prepared by the concerned School Headmasters for the candidates who will be appearing for the SSLC Public Examinations conduct by the Board and who are in his opinion competent to appear for that examination.(Students Name list i.e., Nominal Roll) can upload through online in dge Website.

5.Direct Private Candidates:

a. Eligibility for appearing of SSLC Public Examination

VIII Standard Passed with English as a Language, 9th Standard discontinued, ESLC passed certificates, Studied 8th standard under SSA, Non-formal and Residential school scheme and got TC with 8th Standard pass, "C" Level certificate from open school, 14^{1/2} years completed child Labourers who got TC with 8th pass from Non-Formal under the Child Labour Education Scheme of Labour Ministry are all eligible to appear for SSLC Examination.

b. Age

Direct private Candidate should have completed the age of 14^{1/2} as on 1st March/ 1st September and as on 1st April /1st October.

c. Examination Fees

Examination Fee	Rs.100.00
Mark Certificate Fee	Rs.10.00
Registration Fee	Rs.10.00
Service Charge Fee	Rs.05.00
Total	Rs.125.00

d. Mode of Remittance of the fees

All Direct Private Candidates should pay the examination fees at the **Government Examination Service Centres** by means of cash.

e. Procedure for applying for Examination

Private Candidates have to apply for SSLC Public Examination in Government Examination Service Centres located in all Educational Districts in person. Service Centres' officials will upload all the datas' such as name, Date of Birth, Language and Subjects to be appeared, Educational qualification, Photo and Address and contact Numbers candidates should be given personal/parent address and contact numbers. (Should not given anyother person/institution address and contant numbers)

The service centre officials after uploading all the above particulars will give download filled application along with Registration Slip. The candidates must check all the data given by them are uploaded correctly and must submit the application to the officials with the following document duly signed

1. Educational Qualification proof:

8th std Record Sheet/Original ESLC Marksheet /Other State Board Certificate in original with Residential Proof in Tamil Nadu/ Matric X std Board Certificate in Original.

2. Date of Birth Proof:

School Document / TC

f. Notifications

Notification for online registration of application will be issued from time to time in all Newspapers and medias. **The last date for online application also be published in the above notification.**

6. Downloading of Hall Tickets:

Private Candidates who are eligible to write SSLC Public Examination can take their hall ticket printouts from dge website itself instead of travelling to exam centres. Also for School Candidates the concerned School Headmasters can download hall tickets and distributed to the Candidates.

7. Examination Timetable:

Examination will be conducted by the Directorate of Government Examinations as per Time-Table scheduled by the Director.

In the event of any holiday being declared after the publication of Time-Table the examination will be conducted as scheduled, unless and otherwise it is intimated by the DGE, Chennai – 600 006

The Examination starts at 9.15 a.m. as per details given below:

9.15 a.m. to 9.25 a.m.	Reading the question paper
9.25 a.m. to 9.30 a.m.	Verification of Particulars by the Candidates
9.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon	Duration of the Examination

8. Retotalling:

Candidates are permitted to apply for retotalling in all subjects within the dates prescribed by this Department after the publication of results. Only increase in marks will be given effect.

(i) Details of applying:

Students who have appeared for the SSLC Public Examination including Private Candidates can register through online for all subjects. School candidates through their schools in where they

studied and for Private candidates through Examination Centres where the candidates appeared for examination.

(ii) Fees and Mode of payment:

For the single paper subject Rs.205/-

For the Language with two papers Rs.305/- (1st paper & IInd Paper)

Fees to be paid by cash in Schools and in Examinations centers where the Candidates are registering for retotalling.

Concessions for differently abled Candidates:

Concessions are given as per G.O mentioned herein

1. G.O. (Ms)No.28 School Education (V1) Department Dated: 10.02.2010
2. G.O. (Ms)No.2 School Education (V1) Department Dated: 07.01.2012
3. G.O. (Ms)No.268 School Education (V1) Department Dated: 19.10.2012
4. G.O. (Ms)No.23 School Education (V1) Department Dated: 11.02.2013

9. Result Release:

Results of School Candidates and Private Candidates will be published through internet in official websites with the marks secured. Apart from this Tabulated Mark List (TML) will be sent to the respective schools for school candidates and examination centres for private candidates and also to the District Collector Offices and Central Libraries.

10. Provisional Mark Certificates:

Candidate who have written SSLC Public Examination (Regular and Private Candidates) can download their Provisional Certificates from dge website. Private students need not wait for their turn to get mark sheet after the publication of results of regular students. Any defect in this Provisional Certificate can be brought to the notice of this department and error free Mark Certificate can be received by them.