



**Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Schools of Specialised Excellence**  
**Shaheed Bhagat Singh - Armed Forces Preparatory School**  
**Aptitude Test Blueprint: 2024 - 25**  
**Class IX**

SBS-AFPS provides training and preparation for the students of the 9th to 12th standards for a successful enrolment into the National Defence Academy (NDA) and Indian Army/ Indian Navy/ Indian Air Force as well as other services in the uniform.

**Admission Process:**

1. The admission process will have **TWO** rounds.
  - First Round: **Written Test**
  - Second Round: **Physicals, Personal Interview and Medical Screening**

The written examination will consist of 100 multiple choice questions to be answered in 3 hours. To qualify the examination, students need to obtain a minimum of 25% marks in each section and a minimum of 40% aggregate marks. The design of test is as under:

2. **First Round: Written Test**

- ~ Duration of the written test will be **3 hours**.
- ~ There will be **negative marking** for answers marked wrongly.
- ~ Blueprint of the written test (Round 1) is as follows:

Section	Syllabus (Class 8 Level)	Total no. of Questions	Type of Questions
Section A: General English	Content of different boards upto Class 8	15	MCQ*
Section B: Reasoning Ability	Verbal and Non-verbal Reasoning Questions	15	MCQ
Section C: General Science	Content of different boards upto Class 8	15	MCQ
Section D: Mathematics	Content of different boards upto Class 8	15	MCQ
<b>Total</b>		<b>60</b>	

\*MCQ – Multiple Choice Question

**Only Shortlisted applicants from Round 1 will be invited for Round 2.**

### **3. Second Round**

- **Physical fitness test**

- 800 mtrs – With a cut-off - 7 mins for boys and 8 mins for girls.
- 100 mtrs sprint – With a cut-off - 18 sec for boys and 19 sec for girls.
- Push-ups – With a cut-off - 10 for boys and 5 for girls.
- Sit Ups – With a cut-off – 25 for both boys and girls.
- Shuttle – With a cut-off - 12 for boys and 11 for girls.

A candidate will be awarded 2 marks for passing each test and zero marks for failing in a test. A candidate must score 50% marks to qualify in the physical tests.

- **Personal Interview and communication skills test**

All candidates appearing for the screening will be put through a personality test & interview and tested for communication skills (oral & written). It will consist of:

- Personal Information questionnaire
- Paragraph / Essay Writing
- Elocution
- Personal Interview

- **Medical Screening**

During Round II itself, comprehensive medical check will be carried out by one of the Medical Doctor/ Practitioner either from the Defence or otherwise within the school campus or in nearby Govt. hospital.

Some of the must medical standards which will not be compromised are as under:

- Height – Minimum 152 cm for girls and for boys, minimum 157 cm.
- Weight – As per height and as per the medical standards specified.
- Eyesight:
  - The distance vision (corrected) should be 6/6 in the better eye and 6/9 in the worse eye.
  - Myopia and Hypermetropia should not be more than 2.0 D including astigmatism.
- Tattoo – None on the body
- Flat Foot, Knock Knees, and Colour Blindness – Not acceptable.

**\*\* Note:** Candidates who do not clear Medicals will be declared UNFIT and their candidature for admission into SBS-AFPS will not be considered.

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