

Dr B. R. Ambedkar Schools of Specialised Excellence: Humanities

<u>Aptitude Test Blueprint: 2023 - 24</u> Class XI

ASoSE Humanities believes in promoting a strong acumen for learning in students, equipping them for success in an ever-dynamic world. Students are provided with ample opportunities to expand their knowledge in the integrated social sciences and humanities fields. The Humanities School focuses on building skills such as critical thinking, research, and analysis and providing rigorous domain expertise in various social science and humanities subjects.

Admissions are open for grade 11 for the academic year 2023-24.

1. Details:

- a. Duration of the written exam will be 3 hours.
- b. The exam will be bi-lingual except the English Reading and Comprehension section.
- c. Blueprint of the written assessment is as follows:

| S. No. | Sections | Syllabus (Grade 10 level) | Number of questions | Question Type |
|--------|---|---|---------------------|------------------|
| 1 | English Reading and Comprehension | Read and comprehend different types of texts to: retrieve information interpret and infer information evaluate and reflect on texts Basic language elements like grammar, punctuation, spelling, etc. in context | 25 | MCQ |
| 2 | Data Interpretation and Logical Reasoning | Understand data and numbers to: Organize data as per requirement interpreting data to get to meaningful conclusions Thinking logically through numbers, identify relation between numbers or number series by finding patterns that may be hidden Understanding abstract concepts hidden in words, or generalize beyond vocabulary recognition Reasoning with signs and shapes & graphical presentations Identifying logical flow based on change in patterns | 10 | MCQ |
| 3 | Career Orientation | Demonstrate basic understanding of different careers in humanities field such as Journalism, Social work, Law, Research, etc. | 15 | MCQ |

| 4 | Critical Thinking | Clearly and rationally understand the logical connection between ideas. To be tested on: Compare and contrast, pointing out the similarities and differences between two or more event/statement/people Fact vs opinion separate facts from subjective opinion Cause and effect between events *The critical thinking section will test the abovementioned skills through theme specific to humanities subjects such as History, Political Science, Geography etc. from grade 10th social sciences curriculum. | 15 | MCQ |
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| 5 | Research Methods | Understand different Research methods and tools: Data analysis Separation between primary and secondary research Qualitative vs quantitative data Different research tools such as survey, interviews | 10 | MCQ |