

SCHOOLS OF SPECIALISED EXCELLENCE

GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI
OLD SECRETARIAT; DELHI-110054

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Subject: Guidelines for Admission in class 9th of the Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Schools of Specialised Excellence affiliated with the Delhi Board of School Education (DBSE) - Session 2023-24

The Government of the NCT of Delhi has established Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Schools of Specialised Excellence (ASOSEs). These Schools were formed to align with the vision of NEP- 2020 so that students with deep interest and aptitude in a particular domain get specialised learning opportunities from the Secondary stage onward (from classes 9th to 12th).

The Schools of Specialised Excellence are choice-based schools. These schools have state of art infrastructure and learning facilities suited to transact new-age curriculum and assessment in the specialised domains. Students will have the opportunity for experiential learning through projects, field visits, internships, etc. in their chosen field of interest and also have the opportunity to learn foreign languages. This will nurture students for all round development and at the same time provide avenues for success in their chosen area of specialisation.

Further, to give exposure to a wide range of subjects with an emphasis on specialisation, the curriculum for these schools is divided into two parts:

***Common across all ASOSEs:** Foundational level of learning- languages, basic mathematics, basic science, social science, design, etc.

***As per the specialisation:** Subjects specific to the specialisation. This is aligned with prospects of higher education or new age employment opportunities.

In order to provide students an access and exposure to the best possible expertise in their respective fields, the schools have strong tie-ups with knowledge partners of global repute.

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In the academic year (2023-24), admissions in the "Schools of Specialised Excellence" are open in the following specialisations:

- I. Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM)
- II. Humanities
- III. Performing and Visual Arts.
- IV. High-end 21st Century Skills, and
- V. Armed Forces Preparatory School (AFPS)

ASoSEs are affiliated with Delhi Board of School Education (DBSE) operating in partnership with International Baccalaureate (IB). Admissions will be offered in class 9 in all the schools through an aptitude tests to be conducted in the month of February, 2023.

Admissions open for 36 Schools of Specialised Excellence for the session 2023-24.

The operational guidelines for admission and other relevant details are as follows:

1. The admission in the ASoSEs (Refer **Annexure-1** for list of schools with specialisation) shall be on the basis of an aptitude test to be conducted at these 36 and/or its nearby schools in the first week of February, 2023 tentatively.
2. The total number of tentative seats offered for the academic year 2023-24 is 4410 (Refer to **Annexure-2** for detailed breakup of seats with respect to each specialisation, subject to change as per availability).
3. The selection process for each specialisation is attached in **Annexure - 3**.
4. The online application form shall be available from 20th December, 2022 to 10th January, 2023 at <http://www.edudel.nic.in/sose>. The applications will be accepted **ONLINE** only.
5. Admissions shall be offered for class 9th in all five specialisations.
6. Admissions are open only for students who are **residents of NCT of Delhi (with a valid address proof) and are studying in any recognized school of NCT of Delhi**. Both the residence and school conditions need to be met to be eligible for admissions in ASoSEs.
7. At least 50% of the seats in each ASoSE will be filled by students of Government or Government aided schools in Delhi and remaining

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seats will be available for students studying in any recognized school in Delhi.

8. Age-related eligibility for admission is as per the norms of the Directorate of Education, Government of NCT of Delhi.
9. Reservation criteria for admission in ASoSE is -
 - 15% for SC
 - 7.5% for ST
 - 27% for OBC (non-creamy layer) as per Delhi Government norms.
 - 3% for Divyang children as per Government of India norms.
10. Qualifying cut off score for each specialisation will be fixed by the SoSE.

All details with respect to admissions, selection process, course design, future prospects, etc. are available at <http://www.edudel.nic.in/sose>.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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**Deputy Director of Education
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Annexure 1: Total number of schools specialisation wise

No.	Name of School	Specialisation 1	Specialisation 2 (if any)
1	Saheed Bhagat Singh AFPS, Jharoda Kalan, New Delhi - 110072	AFPS	-
2	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Near Gate No. 4 Yamuna Sports Complex. Surajmal Vihar, Delhi - 110082	HE-21	-
3	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sector A10, Pkt. 5, Narela, Delhi - 110040	HE-21	-
4	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sec-11, Rohini, Delhi - 110085	HE-21	-
5	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sector 5, Dwarka, Delhi - 110075	HE-21	-
6	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Nr Krishna Market, C Block, Lajpat Nagar-I, New Delhi - 110024	HE-21	-
7	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Raj Niwas Marg, Delhi - 110054	HE-21	-
8	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, B-Block, Yamuna Vihar - Delhi - 110053	HE-21	-
9	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, DESU colony, Janakpuri	HE-21	Humanities
10	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Mehram Nagar	HE-21	-
11	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Kohat Enclave	HE-21	-
12	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Gandhi Nagar, Delhi - 110031	Humanities	STEM
13	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, D-1, Nand Nagri, Delhi - 110093	Humanities	-
14	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sec-17, Rohini, Delhi - 110089	Humanities	-
15	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sector 22, Dwarka, New Delhi, 110075	Humanities	-
16	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, JJ Colony, Phase 2, Madanpur Khadar, Delhi - 110076	Humanities	HE-21
17	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Nai Basti, Kishanganj, Delhi - 110007	Humanities	STEM
18	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, A-6, Paschim Vihar, New Delhi - 110063	Humanities	-
19	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sarojini Nagar	Humanities	-
20	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sec -21, Rohini, Delhi - 110086	PVA	-
21	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sector-19, Dwarka, Delhi - 110075	PVA	-
22	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, I.P. Extn., Patparganj, Delhi - 110092	PVA	-
23	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Main Road Andrewsganj, New Delhi - 110049	PVA	-
24	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Khichripur, Delhi - 110091	STEM	Humanities
25	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, BT Block, Shalimar Bagh, Delhi - 110088	STEM	-
26	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Libaspur	STEM	Humanities
27	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Civil lines, Delhi - 110054	STEM	-
28	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sec-23, Rohini, Delhi - 110085	STEM	-
29	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, BE Block, Hari Nagar (Maya Puri Road), Delhi, 110064	STEM	-
30	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sector 10, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110075	STEM	-
31	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, G block, Kalkaji, Delhi -110019	STEM	Humanities
32	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Plot No.-1, Link Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi - 110005	STEM	-
33	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Gautampuri, Delhi - 110053	STEM	-
34	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sector-18, Rohini, Delhi - 110089	STEM	HE-21
35	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, INA Colony, Near Vikas Sadan (DDA), New Delhi - 110023	STEM	-
36	Dr. B R Ambedkar SOSE, Sector-6, Dwarka, Delhi - 110075	STEM	-

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Annexure 2: Number of Seats*

No.	Specialisation	Total No. of schools	Total number of seats	Total number of seats (rounded off)
1	STEM IX	15	1290	1300
2	PVA	4	360	360
3	Humanities	12	1190	1200
4	HE-21	12	1440	1450
5	AFPS	1	100	100

*The number of seats are tentative and are subject to change as per availability

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Annexure 3: Details of selection process

No.	Specialisation	Number of rounds	Details of round 1	Details of round 2	Details of round 3
1	Armed Forces Preparatory School	3	Written Aptitude test	Physical and interview	Medical screening
2	High End 21st Century Skills	2	Written Aptitude test	Project work and interview	-
3	Humanities	2	Written Aptitude test	Group Discussion	-
4	Performing and Visual Arts	2	Written Aptitude test	Auditions	-
5	STEM	1	Written Aptitude test	-	-



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