

SYLLABUS FOR GROUP 'C' DRIVER

Paper	Subject	Marks	Duration
Paper-I	Part- A		3 hours with additional time of 20 minutes for Visually handicapped/ Cerebral palsy candidates
	General Knowledge (50 questions)	100	
	General English (25 questions)	50	
	Part-B		
	Essay writing	30	
	English Comprehension	20	
	Total	200	
Paper-II	Simple Arithmetic (50 questions)	100	3 hours with additional time of 20 minutes for Visually handicapped/ Cerebral palsy candidates
	General Intelligence & Reasoning (50 questions)	100	
	Total	200	
	Grand Total	400	

Notes:

- 1) Questions shall be set in Objective Type Multiple Choice pattern only except for essay writing and English comprehension under Paper-I with all questions carrying equal marks and answers for each of the questions shall be marked using blue or black ball point pen. In other words, there shall be multiple probable answers (at least four) wherein the candidate has to choose the correct answer for every objective type question. Overmarking / overwriting answer shall be considered as wrong answer.
- 2) Questions will be set in tune with the level of educational qualifications prescribed in the corresponding Recruitment Rules/Service Rules for the post(s).
- 3) A brief description of the common syllabus for direct recruitment to Driver is as follows:

Paper-I

General Knowledge: Questions will be designed to test the candidate's knowledge of current events and of such matters of everyday observation and experience as may be expected of an educated person. The test will also include questions relating to Indian history and culture, Indian polity including the Constitution of India, geography, economy and general science. Questions on Mizo history and culture will also form part of the syllabus.

General English: Questions in this components will be designed to test the candidates understanding and knowledge of English language and will be based on error recognition, fill in the blanks (using verbs, preposition, articles etc), vocabulary, spellings, grammar, sentence structure, synonyms, antonyms, sentence completion, phrases and idiomatic use of words etc.

Essay Writing: Question on essay writing will be designed to test the candidate's grasp of his material, its relevance to the subject chosen, and to his ability to think constructively and to present his ideas logically, constructively and concisely.

English Comprehension: There will be questions on comprehension of passages also to test the vocabulary, grammar, logical thought ability and overall grasp of the candidates over English language.

Paper-II

1. **Simple Arithmetic**: Number system, simplification, roots, averages, discounts, percentages, profit & loss, ratio and proportion, partnership, chain rule, time & work, time & distance, simple & compound interest, mensuration, permutations & combinations, heights & distances, line graphs, bar graphs, pie charts and tabulation.

2. **General intelligence & Reasoning** :It would include questions of both verbal and non-verbal type. This component may include question on analogies, similarities and differences, spatial visualization, spatial orientation, problem solving, analysis, judgement, decision marking, visual memory, discrimination, observation, relationship concept, arithmetical reasoning and figural classification, arithmetic number series, non-verbal series, coding and decoding, statement conclusion, syllogistic reasoning etc.