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BPSC TRE 4.0 Syllabus 2026 (Advt. 15/2026) — Class 1 to 12

BPSC School Teacher Recruitment Examination (TRE 4.0) 2026 · Bihar Public Service Commission (BPSC) · Teaching · Bihar · 2026

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Overview

Official exam structure for BPSC TRE 4.0 (Advt. No. 15/2026, 32,388 school teacher posts in the Education Department, Bihar). Each class level has one objective paper of 150 questions and 150 marks in 2½ hours: a qualifying language part plus General Studies (and, from class 6 upwards, a subject part). Wrong answers cost one third of a mark, and selection is on the written exam.

Important information

Item	Details
Posts	32,388 school teachers (Advt. 15/2026 replaces Advt. 14/2026)
Online application	25.09.2026 to 26.10.2026 (fee payment until 25.10.2026)
Selection	Written (objective) examination
Each paper	150 questions · 150 marks · 2 hours 30 minutes
Negative marking	One third of a mark per wrong answer
Answer options	Five options A–E; mark E to skip a question. Leaving all five blank also costs one third of a mark
Language part	Qualifying: at least 30%
Minimum qualifying marks	UR 40% · BC 36.5% · EBC 34% · SC/ST/women/PwD 32%
Syllabus basis	SCERT/NCERT syllabus, at the level of the minimum qualification for the post
Re-evaluation	Not provided

Exam pattern

Paper / Stage	Subjects	Questions	Marks	Duration
Class 1–5	Part I Language (30, qualifying) + Part II General Studies (120)	150	150	2 h 30 min
Class 6–8	Part I Language (30, qualifying) + Part II General Studies (40) + Part III Subject (80)	150	150	2 h 30 min
Class 9–10 (incl. special school)	Part I Language (30, qualifying) + Part II General Studies (40) + Part III Subject (80)	150	150	2 h 30 min
Class 11–12	Part I Language (30, qualifying) + Part II General Studies (40) + Part III Subject (80)	150	150	2 h 30 min

Detailed syllabus

1. Part I: Language (qualifying) — all papers (30 marks)

- Practical knowledge of English
- Practical knowledge of Hindi, Urdu or Bangla (one chosen)

30 questions; at least 30% needed. The language chosen applies to every class level applied for.

2. Class 1–5: Part II General Studies (120 marks)

- Elementary mathematics
- Mental ability test
- General awareness
- General science
- Social science
- Indian national movement
- Geography and environment

SCERT-based, at the level of the minimum qualification for primary teachers.

3. Class 6–8: Part II General Studies (40 marks)

- Elementary mathematics
- General awareness
- General science
- Indian national movement
- Geography

4. Class 6–8: Part III Subject (choose one) (80 marks)

- Mathematics and Science
- Social Science
- Hindi
- Urdu
- Sanskrit
- English

Social Science: choosing History in Section I means one of Geography/Economics/Political Science in Section II; choosing Geography in Section I means Economics or Political Science in Section II.

5. Class 9–10 and special school: Part II General Studies (40 marks)

- Elementary mathematics
- General awareness
- General science
- Indian national movement
- Geography

Questions related to the secondary school syllabus.

6. Class 9–10 and special school: Part III Subject (choose one) (80 marks)

- Hindi
- Urdu
- Sanskrit
- English
- Science
- Mathematics

- Physical Education
- Music
- Social Science
- Bangla
- Fine Arts
- Dance
- Maithili
- Arabic
- Persian

Social Science: choosing History in Section I means one of Geography/Economics/Political Science in Section II; choosing Geography in Section I means Economics or Political Science in Section II.

7. Class 11–12: Part II General Studies (40 marks)

- Elementary mathematics
- General awareness
- General science
- Indian national movement
- Geography

Questions related to the higher secondary school syllabus.

8. Class 11–12: Part III Subject (choose one) (80 marks)

- Hindi
- English
- Sanskrit
- Urdu
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Botany
- Zoology
- History
- Political Science
- Geography
- Economics
- Sociology
- Psychology
- Home Science
- Music
- Philosophy
- Computer Science
- Business Studies
- Entrepreneurship
- Accountancy
- Bangla
- Bhojpuri
- Magahi
- Maithili

- Pali
- Prakrit
- Arabic
- Persian

Official sources

Official syllabus: https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/BPSC_content/Notices/Advertisement-152026-TRE-4.0_BPSC-20260922-dbsf04.pdf

Official website: https://bpsc.bihar.gov.in

Online version: https://www.jobnirdesh.com/syllabus/bpsc-tre-syllabus-2026

Always confirm the syllabus with the official notification of the conducting body before you prepare or apply.