Plan of Written Examination

All the aspirants are informed as under with respect to the written test to be conducted for the recruitment of **Village Development Organizer**:-

- (i) The Exam will be conducted in MCQ (Multiple Choice Questions) format. OMR sheets will be used for answering the questions.
- (ii) There will be negative marking. Each question carries 1 mark.

 For every wrong answer, 1/4th mark would be deducted.

 The question(s) not attempted will receive no credit or discredit.
- (iii) The test would be of 2 hours duration.
- iv) Pattern of the written competitive examination is as follows:-

Sr. No.	Topic	No. of Questions	Marks (Each Question carries 1 mark)	Type of Questions
1.	Questions from General Knowledge and Current Affairs, English, Punjabi, Mental ability and Mathematical skills	100	100	Multiple Choice Questions(MCQs)
Total		100	100	

v) Tentative syllabus for the written examination for the recruitment of Village Development Organizer is annexed at Annexure-1

Annexure-1 (Syllabus) (V.D.O)

Sr.	Indicative Contents of Syllabus	Weightage
No.		(Approx.)
1.	General Knowledge and Current affairs of National and International importance including: (i) Political issues, (ii) Environment issues, (iii) Current Affairs, (iv) Science and Technology, (v) Economic issues, (vi) History of Punjab-14 th century onwards (vii) History of India with special reference to Indian freedom struggle movement. (viii) Sports, (ix) Cinema and Literature.	25
2.	Mental Ability: Verbal Reasoning: Coding, Decoding, Analogy, Classification, Series, Direction sense test, Blood Relations, Mathematical Operations, Time test, odd man out problems, Logical Venn Diagram, Cubes and Dices, Mirror images, Arithmetical Reasoning, Puzzle Test. Non Verbal Reasoning: Series, Analogy and classification.	25
3.	English:- Basic Grammar, Subject and Verb, Adjectives and Adverbs, Synonyms, Antonyms, One Word Substitution, Fill in the Blanks, Correction in Sentences, Spell Checks, Adjectives, Articles, Prepositions, Direct and Indirect Speech, Active and Passive Voice, Correction in Sentences, Idioms and their meanings, etc.	12
4.	ਪੰਜਾਬੀ:- ਸ਼ੁੱਧ-ਅਸ਼ੁੱਧ, ਸ਼ਬਦ ਜੋੜ, ਅਗੇਤਰ ਅਤੇ ਪਿਛੇਤਰ, ਸਮਾਨਾਰਥਕ/ਵਿਰੋਧੀ ਸ਼ਬਦ, ਨਾਂਵ, ਪੜਨਾਂਵ ਅਤੇ ਕਿਰਿਆ ਦੀਆਂ ਕਿਸਮਾਂ ਅਤੇ ਸਹੀ ਵਰਤੋਂ, ਲਿੰਗ ਅਤੇ ਵਚਨ, ਪੰਜਾ ਬੀ ਅਖਾਣ ਅਤੇ ਮੁਹਾਵਰੇ, ਅੰਗਰੇਜੀ ਤੋਂ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਅਨੁਵਾਦ ਅਤੇ ਬਹੁਤੇ ਸ਼ਬਦਾਂ ਦੀ ਥਾਂ ਇੱਕ ਸ਼ਬਦ ਆਦਿ।	13

	Mathematical Skills-	
5.	Basic numerical skills, Percentage, Number system, LCM and HCF, Ratio and Proportion, Number series, Average, Problems based on Ages, Profit & Loss, Partnership, Simple and Compound Interest, Work and Time, Time and Distance, Mensuration and Data Interpretation, Boats and Streams, Races, Mixtures.	25
	Maximum Marks	100

Note:-a) The distribution of marks/question in each section is indicative. It may vary slightly.

b) The syllabus is broadly classified as above but may vary to some extent.