WEST BENGAL POLICE CONSTABLE

The West Bengal Police Constable recruitment is a state-level competitive recruitment process conducted for eligible candidates seeking appointment to the post of Constable / Lady Constable in the West Bengal Police force.

Particular	Details
Conducting Body	West Bengal Police Recruitment Board (WBPRB)
Post Nomenclature	Constable & Lady Constable in West Bengal Police
Application Mode	Online (via official WBPRB examination portal)
Examination Mode	Offline, OMR-Based Multiple Choice (MCQ)
Total Questions	100 Questions (preliminary Examination)
Exam Duration for Preliminary	60 Minutes (1 Hour)
Total Marks	85 Marks (Mains Written Exam) + 1 5 Marks (Interview) = 1 00 Marks Total
Exam Duration	60 Minutes (1 Hour)
Negative Marking	Yes (0.25 mark deducted for each incorrect answer)

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Academic Foundation & Statutory Standards

Academic Foundation: Passed Madhyamik Examination from the West Bengal Board of Secondary Education (WBBSE) or its equivalent examination recognized by the state/central board.

Language Competence: The candidate must be able to speak, read, and write in the Bengali language (relaxable for permanent residents of hill sub-divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong districts).

Age Bracket: 1 8 to 30 years as of statutory qualifying date (Unreserved category).

Age Relaxation: SC / ST (+5 years) | OBC (+3 years) | NVF, Home Guards & Civic Volunteers (+relaxation strictly as per Government Orders).

Nationality: Must be a Citizen of India.

PHYSICAL MESUREMENT TEST

Category / Class	Gender	Min. Height	Chest Specification	Min. Weight
Candidates of all categories (except hill tribes)	Male	1 67 cm	78 cm (5 cm expansion up to 83 cm)	57 kg
Gorkhas, Garhwalis,	Male	1 60	76 cm (5 cm expansion up to 81 cm)	53 kg

Rajbanshis and ST		cm		
Candidates of all categories (except hill tribes)	Female	1 60 cm	Not Applicable	49 kg
Gorkhas, Garhwalis, Rajbanshis and ST	Female	1 52 cm	Not Applicable	45 kg
Candidates of all categories (except hill tribes)	Third Gender	1 63 cm	Not Applicable	52 kg
Gorkhas, Garhwalis, Rajbanshis and ST	Third Gender	1 55 cm	Not Applicable	48 kg

RECRUITMENT & SELECTION PROCESS

ONLINE APPLICATION

- Online application submission via the official WBPRB recruitment portal
- Verification of age, credentials, photo, and fee

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WRITTEN EXAMINATION

- State-level competitive OMR written test comprising 100 objective questions
- Syllabus assesses General Awareness, Mathematics, and Reasoning

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PHYSICAL TESTS (PMT & PET)

- Physical Measurement Test (PMT): Height, chest, and weight verification
- Physical Efficiency Test (PET): Male 1 600m in 6m 30s | Female 800m in 4m 00s | transgender (third gender) 800 metres in 3 minutes 30 seconds

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WRITTEN MAINS EXAMINATION

- State-level competitive OMR written test comprising 100 objective questions Syllabus assesses General Awareness, English, Mathematics, and Reasoning

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INTERVIEW & PERSONALITY TEST

- Comprehensive 1 5-mark interview assessing Bengali fluency and executive aptitude
- Scrutiny of original certificates, category claims, and identity

credentials

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MEDICAL EXAM & POLICE VERIFICATION

- Statutory medical fitness screening in state government healthcare facilities
- Police verification report (PVR) prior to issuance of final appointment letter

EXAM PATTERN & DOMAIN-WISE SYLLABUS MATRI X (MAINS)

Cod e	Subject Domain	Qs	Core Conceptual Areas	Recommended Strategy Focus
01	**General Awareness & GK**	25	Indian History, Geography (emphasis on West Bengal), Polity, Static GK, Everyday Science, Recent Events	Focus on state-specific geography and daily revision of last 6–1 2 months of current affairs.
02	**English Language**	1 0	Vocabulary, Synonyms, Antonyms, Idioms, Sentence Correction, Spelling Errors, One Word Substitution	Master fundamental prepositions, sentence structure, error spotting, and contextual vocabulary.
03	**Elementary Mathematics**	25	Number System, Ratio, Percentage, Profit & Loss, Simple/Compound Interest, Time & Work, Mensuration 2D	Build speed through daily mental calculation drills and standard Madhyamik-level textbooks.
04	**Reasoning Ability**	25	Coding-Decoding, Series (Number/Alphabet), Blood Relations, Direction Sense, Venn Diagrams, Analogies	Solve mixed test sets within strict time constraints to refine pattern detection accuracy.

WB POLICE CONSTABLE CUT-OFF MARKS & FINAL EVALUATION

Categories	Written Exam Cut-Off Benchmark	Final Merit Benchmark (Out of 1 00)
General / Unreserved	Merit-based percentile depending on category	Cumulative evaluation (85 Marks Written + 1 5

	vacancies	Marks Interview)
OBC	Statutory relaxed threshold based on seat quota	Rank-ordered merit based on aggregate score
Scheduled Caste (SC)	Statutory relaxed threshold based on seat quota	Rank-ordered merit based on aggregate score
Scheduled Tribe (ST)	Statutory relaxed threshold based on seat quota	Rank-ordered merit based on aggregate score