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- Pay the application fee, if needed.
- Click on the submit button for submission of the application.
- Take a print out the application for future use

#### **Important Instructions:**

• Before Applying, Candidates are advised to go through the instructions given in the notice of examination very carefully.

### **Focusing Dates:**

Application Submission Dates: 24.01.2020 to 23.02.2020

#### **Official Links:**

- Notification Link: <a href="http://dsssb.delhi.gov.in/sites/default/files/All-PDF/advertisement%2004-20%20pdf">http://dsssb.delhi.gov.in/sites/default/files/All-PDF/advertisement%2004-20%20pdf</a> 0.pdf
- Application Link: <a href="http://dsssb.delhi.gov.in/home/Delhi-Subordinate-Services-Selection-Board">http://dsssb.delhi.gov.in/home/Delhi-Subordinate-Services-Selection-Board</a> (
   Online Application Starting Date: 24.01.2020)

Source: https://yoyosarkari.com/dsssb-notification-2020-3358-physical-education-teacher-posts/

#### **CURRENT AFFAIRS OF DECEMBER – JANUARY 2019**

## **Awards**

- The country which has announced launching of Gandhi Citizenship Education Prize to be given every year **Portugal**
- The Indian author who has been chosen for the 2019 DSC Prize for South Asian literature for his novel Half the Night is Gone **Amitabha Bagchi**
- The Indian actress who has been chosen for the 2020 Crystal Award for spreading awareness about mental health by the World Economic Forum **Deepika Padukone**
- The contestant from Jamaica who has been crowned Miss World at a beauty pageant in London (Indian contestant Suman Rao was the 2nd Runner-up) **Tony-Ann Singh**
- The environmental activist from Sweden who has been named Time Person of the Year 2019 Greta Thunberg
- The noted Hindi writer who has been chosen for the 33rd Moortidevi Award 2019 for his work Asti aur Bhavati **Vishwanath Prasad Tiwari**
- The South African contestant who has been crowned Miss Universe 2019 in a ceremony in Atlanta, USA **Zozibini Tunzi**
- The Indian actress who has been awarded the Danny Kaye Humanitarian Award by UNICEF
   Priyanka Chopra
- The Indian journalist and author who has been awarded the Shakti Bhatt First Book prize for his book Early Indians: The Story of our Ancestors and Where we came from **Tony Joseph**

## **Defence**

- The two day pollution response exercise conducted by Indian Coast Guard off the coast of Vadinar in Gulf of Kutch was named **Swachchh Samudra NW-2019**
- The anti-hijacking exercise conducted jointly by the Indian Navy and Indian Coast Guard off the coast of Kochi was code named **Apharan**
- The joint, tri services exercise between India and Russia conducted from 10 to 19 December 2019 simultaneously at Babina (near Jhansi), Pune, Gwalior and Goa was named Exercise Indra
- The venue of the 14th edition of bilateral annual military exercise SURYA KIRAN-XIV between Indian and Nepal Army Salijhandi, Rupendehi (Nepal)
- The venue of the 8th edition of India-China joint training exercise 'HAND-IN-HAND 2019' with the theme counter terrorism under United Nations mandate scheduled conducted from 07 to 20 December 2019 **Umroi, Meghalaya**
- The Naval officer who has become the first woman pilot of the Indian Navy Sub Lt Shivangi

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The venue of joint military exercise of India and Sri Lanka, MITRA SHAKTI- 2019 which commenced on 01 December and concluded on 14 December – Aundh Military Station,
 Pune

#### Persons

- The first Chief of Defence Staff, a four star rank created by the Union Cabinet recently –
   General Bipin Rawat
- The US astronaut who has created a new record for the longest single space flight by a woman breaking the record of 288 days held by Peggy Whitson Christina Koch
- The activist from Pakistan who has been named as the most famous teenager in the world by the United Nations in its decade review report **Malala Yousafzai**
- The Indian contestant who has become the first from the country to be crowned Miss Teen International at a beauty pageant held in Jai Bagh Palace in Jaipur **Ayushi Dholakia**
- The Jharkhand Mukti Morcha leader who has been sworn-in as the 11th Chief Minister of Jharkhand **Hemant Soren**
- The veteran Hindi and Marathi film and theatre actor who passed away on 17 Dec 2019 –
   Dr. Shriram Lagoo
- The present Vice Chief of Army Staff who has been chosen to be the next Chief of Army Staff from 31 Dec 2019 Lt Gen Manoj Mukund Naravane, PVSM, AVSM, SM, VSM
- The American engineer well known for inventing the Universal Product Code (Bar Code) who passed away on 05 Dec 2019 **George J. Laurer**
- The German politician who has taken over as the first female President of European Commission –Ursula Gertrud von der Leyen

#### **Places**

- The place in Uttar Pradesh where India's first university for the transgender community is being set up by the Akhil Bhartiya Kinnar Siksha Seva Trust **Kushinagar**
- The country which has become the first in the world to recognise Indian Pharmacopoeia (The IP specifies the standards of drugs manufactured and marketed in India in terms of their identity, purity and strength.) **Afghanistan**
- The State to which Inner Line Permit regime was extended by a Presidential order making it the 4th state after Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland and Mizoram where the regime is applicable **Manipur**
- The country to which India has gifted a Made in India patrol vessel named KAAMIYAAB –
   Maldives
- The venue of UN Climate Change Conference (COP25) under the presidency of Chila, India was represented by Environment Minister Prakash Javadekar **Madrid, Spain**

#### **Sports**

- The tennis players who have been named International Tennis Federation's World Champions for 2019 – Rafael Nadal and Ashleigh Barty
- The European nation whose football team has been named FIFA Team of the Year 2019 (for the second time in a row) **Belgium**
- The Indian cricketer who has become the first bowler from the country to claim 2 hat tricks in one-day internationals **Kuldeep Yadav**
- The English international cricketer who has been chosen as the BBC Sports Personality of the Year 2019 **Ben Stokes**
- The Australian tennis player who has won the WTA (Women's Tennis Association) Player of the Year 2019 **Ashleigh Barty**
- The Australian cricketer who has become the fastest to score 7000 runs in test cricket by reaching the milestone in 126 innings (breaking the record of Wally Hammond 131 innings) **Steve Smith**

- The team which has won the Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy 2019-20 (cricket) defeating Tamil Nadu in the finals **Karnataka**
- The country which has been banned by World Anti-Doping Agency for 4 years from all major sporting events **Russia**

#### Railways

- The railway route on which Him Darshan Express, comprising all new vistadome coaches has been unveiled by the Indian Railways Kalka to Shimla
- The railway station which has been conferred with the Eat Right Station certification with four stars rating by the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) as a part of 'Eat Right India' movement launched last year **Mumbai Central**

## **Miscellaneous**

The eight west African countries, Benin, Burkina Faso, Côte d'Ivoire, Guinea Bissau,
 Mali, Niger, Senegal and Togo have renamed their common currency CFA-Franc to –
 Eco

#### The World's 100 Most Powerful Women

Released by: Forbes

#	Name	Country
1.	Angela Merkel	Germany
2.	Christine Lagarde	France
3.	Nancy Pelosi	USA
34.	Nirmala Sitharaman	India
54.	Roshni Nadar Malhotra	India
65.	Kiran Mazumdar Shaw	India

## 13th South Asian Games 2019

- Venue: Kathmandu and Pokhara (Nepal) Held from 01 to 10 December 2019 Mascot: A pair of blackbucks
- Participant countries: Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka Medals Tally

#	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1.	India	173	93	45	311
2.	Nepal	51	60	95	206
3.	Sri Lanka	41	83	128	252
4.	Pakistan	32	41	59	132

## **Bhartiya POSHAN Anthem**

• Title: Poshanam

• Launched by: Vice President Shri Venkaiah Naidu

• Written by: Prasoon Joshi

• Composed and sung by: Shankar Mahadevan

• Aim: To inspire people to join the movement to fight the scourge of malnutrition

## **FICCI India Sports Awards 2019**

- Sports Person of the Year Female: Rani Rampal (Hockey)
- Sports Person of the Year Male: Saurabh Chaudhary (Shooting)
- Best National Sports Federation: National Rifle Association of India
- Best Company Promoting Sports (Public Sector): Railway Sports Promotion Board
- Best Para-athlete: Sandeep Chaudhary (Javelin).
- Breakthrough Sports Person: Amit Panghal (Boxing)
- Lifetime Achievement: Pankaj Advani (Cue sports)
- Best State promoting sports: Odisha

### Sahitya Akademi Awards 2019

Language	Title and Genre	Author	
Assamese	Chanakya (Novel)	Joyshree Goswami Mahanta	
Bengali	Ghumer Darja Thele (Essays)	Chinmiy Guha	
Bodo	Akhai Athumniphrai (Poetry)	Phukan Ch. Basumaraty	
Dogri	Bandraita Darpan (Essays)	Om Sharma Jandriari	
English	An Era of Darkness (Non-Fiction)	Shashi Tharoor	
Gujarati	Mojma Revu Re (Essays)	Ratilal Borisagar	
Hindi	Cheelate Hue Apne Ko (Poetry)	Nand Kishore Acharya	
Kannada	Kudi Esaru (Autobiography)	Vijaya	
Kashmiri	Akh Yaad Akh Qayamat (Short Stories)	Abdul Ahad Hajini	
Konkani	The Words (Poetry)	Nilba A. Khandekar	
Maithili	Jingik Oriaon Karait (Poetry)	Kumar Manish Arvind	
Malayalam	Achan Piranna Veedu (Poetry)	Anuradha Patil	
Manipuri	Ei Amadi Adungeigi Eethat (Novel)	L. Birmangol Singh	
Marathi	Kadachit Ajoonahi (Poetry)	Anuradha Patil	
Odia	Bhaswati (Short Stories)	Tarun Kanti Mishra	
Punjabi	Antheen (Short Stories)	Kirpal Kazak	
Rajasthani	Bareek Baat (Short Stories)	Ramsawroop Kisan	
Sanskrit	Prajnachakshusham (Poetry)	Penna Madhusudan	
Santali	Sisirjali (Short Stories)	Kali Charan Hembram	
Sindhi	Jeejal (Short Stories)	Ishwar Moorjani	
Tamil	Sool (Novel)	Cho. Dhaman	
Telugu	Saptabhoomi (Novel)	Bandi Narayana Swamy	
Urdu	Sawaneh-E-Sir Syed: Ek Bazdeed (Biography)	Shafey Kidwai	

## **Launch of RISAT-2BR1**

- Launch date: 11.12.2019 Launch vehicle: PSLV-C48
- Launched from: SDSC SHAR, Sriharikota
- RISAT-2BR1 is radar imaging earth observation satellite weighing about 628 kg. The satellite will provide services in the field of Agriculture, Forestry and Disaster Management. The mission life of RISAT-2BR1 is 5 years.

• Alongwith RISAT, nine customer satellites of Israel, Italy, Japan and USA were also injected into their designated orbits. These satellites were launched under a commercial arrangement with NewSpace India Limited (NSIL).

## The Citizenship (Amendment) Act, 2019

The Act provides for the following, namely:—

- Hindus, Sikhs, Buddhists, Jains, Parsis and Christians from Afghanistan, Bangladesh and Pakistan, who entered India on or before December 31, 2014, will not be treated as illegal migrants.
- Hindus, Sikhs, Buddhists, Jains, Parsis and Christians from Afghanistan, Bangladesh and Pakistan, can apply for citizenship by naturalization on completion of 5 years instead of 11 years.
- These provisions on citizenship for illegal migrants will not apply to the tribal areas of Assam, Meghalaya,
- Mizoram, and Tripura, included in the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution. Further, it will not apply to the "Inner Line" areas notified under the Bengal Eastern Frontier Regulation, 1873. (applicable to Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram, Nagaland and Manipur.)

## **Important Days of December**

World AIDS Day: 01 December 2019	United Nations Human Rights Day: 10	
Designated by: World Health Organisation	December 2019 Designated by : United	
Theme: Communities make the difference	Nations General Assembly Theme: Youth	
First Observed in: 1988	Standing up for human rights	
	First Observed in: 1948	

**International Day of Persons with Disabilities**: 03 December 2019 Designated by : United Nations General Assembly

Theme: Promoting the participation of persons with disabilities and their leadership: taking action on the 2030 Development Agenda

First Observed in: 1992

International Volunteer Day: 05 December	International Mountains Day: 11	
2019 Designated by : United Nations General	December 2019 Designated by : United	
Assembly Theme: Volunteer for an inclusive	Nations General Assembly Theme:	
future First Observed in: 1986	Mountains Matter for Youth	
	First Observed in: 2003	
World Soil Day: 05 December 2019	International Universal Health Coverage	
First launched by: International Union of	Day: 12 December 2019 Designated by:	
Soil Sciences (2002) Endorsed by : Food and	United Nations General Assembly	
Agricultural Organisation (Jun 2013)	Theme: Keep the Promise First Observed in:	
Accepted by : United Nations General	2017	
Assembly (Dec 2013) Theme: Stop Soil		
Erosion, Save our Future		

International Civil Aviation Day: 07	International Migrants Day: 18 December	
December 2019 Established by : International	2019 Designated by : United Nations General	
Civil Aviation Organisation (1994) Adopted	Assembly Theme: We together	
by : United Nations General Assembly	First Observed in: 2000	
(1996)		
International Anti Corruption Day: 09	International Human Solidarity Day: 20	
International Anti Corruption Day: 09 December 2019 Designated by: United	International Human Solidarity Day: 20 December 2019 Designated by : United	
December 2019 Designated by : United	December 2019 Designated by : United	

## **Abbreviations in News**

- IMI Intensified Mission Indradhanush
- PPRTMS Political Parties Registration Tracking Management System

The Air Force station in Tamil Nadu which has been chosen for induction of Sukhoi 30MKI aircraft in 222 Squadron (Tigersharks)	Thanjavur
The venue of the 5th Science Film Festival of India being held from 15 to 18 Jan 2020	Panaji, Goa
The well-known social worker and founder of Rashtriya Seva Samiti who has been chosen for Muppavarapu National Award for Social Service instituted by the Swarna Bharat Trust	Gutta Muniratnam
The agricultural scientist who has been chosen for the Muppavarapu Venkaiah Naidu National Award for Excellence instituted by the Muppavarapu Foundation for his contribution to agriculture	MS Swaminathan
The temperature which has been made default setting for airconditioners with effect from 01.01.2020 by the Central Govt in consultation with Bureau of Energy Efficiency	24 <sup>o</sup> Celsius
The Indian cricketer who has announced retirement from all forms of cricket after having played 29 tests, 120 ODIs and 24 T20Is	Irfan Pathan
The year 2020 has been declared by World Health Organisation as the year of	Nurse and Midwife
The 13-year old Indian girl who has won Global Child Prodigy Award in Dubai for her talent in being able to sing in 120 languages	Sucheta Satish
The north-eastern state which has been declared a disturbed area under the AFSPA Act for a period of 6 more months	Nagaland
The editor-in-chief of Jagran who has been chosen to be honoured with the Lokmanya Tilak National Journalism Award by the Kesari-Maratha Trust	Sanjay Gupta
The mobile app launched by the Reserve Bank of India to help visually challenged persons in identifying currency notes is named	MANI (Mobile Aided Note Identifier)
The place in Tamil Nadu which is the proposed site for India's second spaceport (launch site for satellites)	Thoothukodi
The theme of 28th edition of New Delhi World Book Fair 2020 inaugurated by the Union HRD Minister Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank'	Gandhi: Writer' Writer
The venue of 107th Indian Science Congress held from 03 to 07	University of
Jan with the theme Science and Technology: Rural Development	Agricultural Sciences, Bengaluru

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The 5 cities in which Young Scientists Laboratories of Defence
Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) were
inaugurated by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi recently

Bengaluru, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata and Hyderabad

#### Best Performance in a Motion Picture - Drama

Actor: Joaquin Phoenix (Joker)
 Actress: Renée Zellweger (Judy)

# Best Performance in a Motion Picture – Musical or Comedy

1. Actor: Taron Egerton (Rocketman)

2 Actress: Awkwafina (The Farewell)

The film which received the most nominations (6) - Marriage Story

## Launch of GSAT-30

Launch date: 17 Jan 20

Launched from: Kourou, French Guiana Launch vehicle: Arian 5 VA-251

GSAT-30 has a lift-off mass of 3357 kg. It will replace INSAT-4A. The satellite will provide communication services to Indian mainland and islands through Ku-band and wide coverage covering Gulf countries, a large number of Asian countries and Australia through C-band".

### **Integrated Helpline number "139"**

Indian Railways has integrated railway helplines into single number 139 for the passengers for quick grievance redressal and enquiry during their journey. It has discontinued all other helpline numbers

Menu of 139 Helpline (IVRS) is as under:

- 1. For security & medical assistance, passenger has to press 1, which connects immediately to a call center executive
- 2. For enquiry, passenger has to press 2 and in the sub menu, information regarding pnr status, arrival/departure of the train, accommodation, fare enquiry, ticket booking, system ticket cancellation, wake up alarm facility/destination alert, wheel chair booking, meal booking can be obtained.
- 3. For catering complaints, passenger has to press 3
- 4. For general complaints, passenger has to press 4
- 5. For vigilance related complaints, passenger has to press 5
- 6. For queries during accident, passenger has to press 6
- 7. For status of complaints, passenger has to press 9
- 8. For talking to call center executive, passenger has to press \*

## **BCCI Awards 2018-19**

- Col CK Nayudu Lifetime Achievement Award: Krishnamachari Srikanth
- BCCI Lifetime Achievemnt Award for Women: Anjum Chopra
- BCCI Special Award: Dilip Doshi
- Dilip Sardesai Award Highest Run Getter in Test Cricket: Cheteshwar Pujara Dilip Sardesai Award - Highest Wickets in Test Cricket: Jasprit Bumrah Highest Run Getter in ODIs - Women: Smriti Mandhana
- Highest Wickets in ODIs Women: Jhulan Goswami
- Polly Umrigar Award Best International Cricketer Men: Jasprit Bumrah
- Best International Cricketer Women: **Poonam Yadav** Best International Debut Men: **Mayank Agarwal** Best International Debut Women: **Shafali Verma**