2.2 Choice of Papers & Syllabus

a) Any candidate can apply for a maximum of 3 (three) papers given below from the following table:

Paper	For Admission into	Syllabus	Version of question paper
I	Geography	Geography (100 marks)	English and Bengali
II	English	English (100 marks)	English
III	Economics Statistics Mathematics	Mathematics and Basic English (80+20 = 100 marks) *	English and Bengali
IV	Political Science	Political Science (100 marks)	English and Bengali
V	Bengali	Bengali (100 marks)	Bengali
VI	Hindi	Hindi (100 marks)	Hindi
VII	Chemistry Physics Geology	Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry (40+30+30 =100 marks) *	English and Bengali
VIII	History	History (100 marks)	English and Bengali
IX	Life Sciences	Biology (100 marks)	English and Bengali
X	Philosophy/ Sociology/ Performing Arts	Basic English, Logical reasoning and General Knowledge (50+30+20 = 100 marks) *	English

*Distribution of marks are given within parenthesis.

b) Applicants must go through the schedule of test/timetable given in section 2.3 before choosing the paper(s).

c) Syllabus of Test: The tests will be based on the syllabi of 11th and 12th standard of recognized Boards/Councils.

2.4 **Pattern of Question Papers**

In every paper, all questions will be of **Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ)** type, with four answer options. There will be **50 (fifty)** questions in each paper with full marks **100** and the duration of test will be **90** minutes.

2.5 **Mode of answering in the examination**

- Questions are to be answered on specially designed optical machine-readable response **(OMR)** sheet, which will be evaluated by Optical Mark Recognition method. Thus, it is very important to follow the correct method of marking.
- Candidates will indicate response to the questions by **darkening the appropriate circle/bubble completely with blue/black ink ball point pen**.
- Any other kind of marking e.g., filling the circle/bubble incompletely, filling with pencil, cross mark, tick mark, dot mark, circular mark, over writing, scratching, erasing, white ink, marking outside the circle/bubble etc. may lead to wrong/partial/ambiguous reading of the response. **WBJEEB will be, in no way, responsible for such eventuality and this may lead to cancellation of OMR sheet.**
- Response marking cannot be edited/changed/erased/modified. Hence it is advised that candidate should be sure about the answer before marking and should not put any stray mark on which he/she does not want to attempt.

2.6 **Scoring Methodology**

a) All questions will have four answer options.

b) Only one option is correct.

c) Correct response will yield 2 (two) marks.

d) Incorrect response will yield -1/2 (25% negative) marks.

e) For any combination of response with more than one option, the said answer will be treated as incorrect and will yield -1/2 (25% negative) marks

f) No response will yield zero mark.