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Inviting Online Applications for National Entrance Test for Scheme for Residential Education for Students in High Classes in Targeted Areas (SHRESHTA (NETS))-2025

Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment has entrusted the responsibility of conducting National Entrance Test for Scheme for Residential Education for Students in Higher Classes in Targeted Areas (SHRESHTA (NETS))- 2025. Scheme for Residential Education for Students in Higher Classes in Targeted Areas (SHRESHTA) provides for high quality education for meritorious Scheduled Castes (SCs) students only, in CBSE-affiliated reputed residential schools. Approximately 3,000 seats would be provided in class 9th and 11th fully funded by the Central Government.

The National Entrance Test for SHRESTHA (NETS) will be conducted in offline mode by National Testing agency (NTA) towards the admission for class 9th and 11th for Schedule caste Students.

The schedule of Examination activities is as follows:

Submission of Application online	15 April 2025 to 05 May 2025
	(Upto 05:00 PM)
Correction in Particulars	06 May 2025 to 07 May 2025
Pattern of Test	Multiple Choice Question (MCQ)
Duration of Test	03 Hours (180 minutes)
Mode of Test	Pen & Paper on the OMR
Question Paper Medium	Bilingual (Hindi and English)
Date of Examination	01 st June 2025 (Sunday)
Exam Fee	NIL
Timing of Examination	02.00 PM to 05.00 PM (3 Hours)
Downloading of Admit Cards from NTA website	25th May 2025
Website (s)	https://exams.nta.ac.in/SHRESHTA/
Declaration of Result	With in 04 to 06 weeks after exam

The candidates are requested to fill the application form carefully. Information about the eligibility, scheme of examination, examination centers, examination timings, procedure for applying etc. are contained in the Information Bulletin hosted on the website of NTA: https://exams.nta.ac.in/SHRESHTA/.

Candidates who are desirous of applying for the exam may go through the Information Bulletin and apply online at https://exams.nta.ac.in/SHRESHTA/, only during the period between 15.04.2025 to 05.05.2025.

The candidates and their parents are advised to keep visiting the NTA website for latest updates.

For any queries or /clarifications, candidates can call NTA Help Desk at 011 40759000 (Call) or write to NTA at shreshta@nta.ac.in (Email).

Director Exam (NTA)



