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**INSTRUCTION FOR CLASS XI ADMISSION INTO GOVERNMENT HIGHER
SECONDARY SCHOOLS (HSS)**

As per the approved Note Sheet number MoE/DSE/SPCD/ADM(1.1)/2022/558 dated 23 April 2022 of the Ministry of Education (MoE) and considering the overall intake capacity of 10,254, all BCSE class X 2021 pass students shall be absorbed in 75 Government Higher Secondary Schools as per the guidelines outlined;

1. Admission Guidelines:

1. All students awarded with Pass Certificate (PCA) BCSE 2021 examination are eligible for admission in the Government HSS.
2. A total of 10,254 seats will be available for class XI admission in 75 Government HSS.
3. Advisory Note for Student Admissions as circulated vide letter no. DSE/SPCD/Adm12/2017/84 dated 25 January 2017 should be strictly followed.
4. Students must apply online from 29 April to 02 May 2022 in the Dzongkhag/Thromde where they have appeared in their class X examination.
5. The admission shall be conducted by a committee under the chairmanship of the Chief Dzongkhag Education Officers (CDEOs)/Chief Thromde Education Officers (CTEOs) in line with the letter No. DSE/SPCD/Adm/(1.1-A)/2022/329 dated 05 April 2022 of the MoE.
6. Students whose parents have been transferred and require Dzongkhag/Thromde/School change for admission may do so by applying to the respective DEOs /TEOs from 29 April to 02 May 2022.
7. Students opting to study Rigzhung in Taktse Rigzhung HSS shall apply online in the school Facebook Page at <https://www.facebook.com/taktse2017> till 02 May 2022.
8. The Admission Committee must update the students admitted in the admission portal developed and maintained by the MoE from 03 to 05 May 2022.
9. The admission should be based on the consolidated result sheets issued to Chief DEO/TEO and Principals by Bhutan Council for School Examination and Assessment (BCSEA).
10. Based on the admission portal, the MoE will arrange the placement of students who could not be absorbed in the parent Dzongkhag/Thromde.
11. All students are required to produce a **Character Certificate, Transfer Certificate, and Citizen ID card** or any other relevant **documents** as may be issued by the Ministry of Home and Cultural Affairs (MoHCA) at the time of admission in the school.
12. All the students admitted in class XI shall report to the respective schools on 15 May 2022 for boarders and 16 May 2022 for the day-scholars.



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1. Choice of stream and school:

1. Students opting for **Science Stream** should have a minimum aggregate of **40% in Mathematics, 55% in Science**. However, students must score a minimum of **51% in each science subject**. Merit order listing will be based on the sum of **Science and Mathematics**.
2. Students opting for **Commerce Stream** should have a minimum of **40% in Mathematics**. Merit order listing will be based on marks in **Mathematics**.
3. Students opting for **Arts Stream** should be based on the aggregate of **English and the best four subjects**.
4. Students opting for the **Rigzhung Stream at Taktse Rigzhung HSS** should have a minimum of **50% in English and 60% in Dzongkha**. Merit ranking shall be based on the ability ranking mentioned below:
 - i. Dzongkhag x 5
 - ii. English x 5
 - iii. Best 3 subjects x 3

1. Seats:

1. The school shall maintain a class size of maximum 34 students as projected by the MoE in consultation with the schools.
2. Schools shall maintain the boarding capacity as per the existing policy to avoid overcrowding, safety, hygiene, and overall well-being of the students.

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