

DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL PRODUCTION & HEALTH

Competitive Examination for Admission to the Schools of Sri Lanka Animal Husbandry - 2021 Higher National Diploma in Livestock Production Technology (NVQ 5,6) for Academic Year 2021/2023

APPLICATIONS are called for the competitive examination for admission of students for the academic year 2021/2023 of Sri Lanka Schools of Animal Husbandry in Karandagolla to follow the Higher National Diploma in Livestock Production Technology conducted by the Department of Animal Production & Health. This examination will be conducted in Sinhala and Tamil medium which will be held in 2021 in a nominated examination centre in Kandy or will be conducted on-line due to the prevailing Covid - 19 pandemic situation. To complete this diploma, after the two year full time residential training in the School of Animal Husbandry, it is compulsory to go on a 06 month job training at two nominated institutes.

2. Diploma

- 2.1 This full time course conducted in English medium which is open for both unmarried male and female students.
- 2.2 The Diploma course is purely a vocational training course and in case of obtaining a government employment, the extra qualifications specified in the Scheme of Recruitment relevant to the particular post are essential additionally to these professional qualifications.
- 2.3 An allowance is paid during this period and the student should support himself in his additional expenses.
- 2.4 Students are allowed to leave the hostel only once a month in the week end as practicals will be conducted in Saturdays and Sundays while lectures also conducted on some days.

3. Qualifications for Admission

3.1 (a) Should have passed the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) in one sitting with six (06) subjects including credit passes for Sinhala Language and Literature/Tamil Language and Literature, Maths, Science and one other subject with an ordinary pass for English subject.

Should have passed the G.C.E. (Advance Level) Bio Science stream subjects ,i.e. Biology, Physics & Chemistry in one sitting.

or

(b) Should have passed the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) in one sitting with six (06) subjects including credit passes for Sinhala Language and Literature/Tamil Language and Literature, Maths, Science and one other subject with an ordinary pass for English subject.

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Should have passed the G.C.E. (Advance Level) Bio Science stream subjects, i.e. Biology, Agri Science & Chemistry in one sitting.

or

(c) Should have passed the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) in one sitting with six (06) subjects including credit passes for Sinhala Language and Literature/Tamil Language and Literature, Maths, Science and one other subject with an ordinary pass for English subject.

and

Should have passed the G.C.E (Advance Level) Technology Stream subjects ,i.e. Bio Technology, Science for Technology and Agri Science in one sitting.

- 3.2 The candidate should not be less than 17 years and not more than 25 years as at 08th October 2021.
- 3.3 Applications will be rejected if the candidates have not completed the required qualifications and/or are not within the required age limit.
- 3.4 Applicants with pending results are not qualified to apply for this.

4. Applications

- 4.1 Applications should be prepared by the applicant on A4 size papers as per the specimen application form appearing at the end of this notice.
- 4.2 The examination fee is Rs. 150/- . The fee should be credited to the Peradeniya People's Bank Acc. No. 057100179027275 of Director General of Animal Production & Health and original of the receipt obtained thus should be affixed in the application form. Further, Photostat copy of the receipt should be kept for your own safety. The fee paid for this examination may not to be transferred to another examination. Examination fee is not refundable in any reason. The application without the receipt will be rejected without any notification.
- 4.3 Completed applications should be sent only by registered post to reach the Director (Human Resource Development), Dept, of Animal Production & Health, P.O. Box 13, Gatambe, Peradeniya on or before 08th October, 2021.
- 4.4 On the top left comer of the envelope containing the application the words "Admission to the School of Animal Husbandry- 2021/2023" should be clearly mentioned.
- 4.5 The copies of the educational certificates and the birth certificate should be attached to the application. Applications of those who have not fulfilled the qualifications as specified in this notification as well as those have not been duly completed and without photo copies of the required certificates will be rejected without any notice. Original copies of all certificates should be submitted at the interview.

5. Recruitment

- 5.1 Selection of students will be made subsequent to an interview which will be held for qualified candidates after the written examination.
- 5.2 Syllabus for the written examination is as follows.
 - (I) Animal Husbandry Multiple choice questions prepared according to the section of Animal Husbandry in Agriculture Syllabus prescribed for (G.C.E. O/L) 01 hour
 - (II) General Knowledge 01 hour
- 5.3 Any kind of allowance will not be paid in case of appearing for the written test or the interview or both.
- 5.4 Candidates will be required to prove their identity at the examination hall to the satisfaction of the supervisor. For this purpose any of the following documents will be accepted.
 - (i) The National Identity Card Issued by the Commissioner of the Dept. of Registration of Persons
 - (ii) A valid passport
- 5.5 If any information herein provided by and applicant is found to be false orincorrect his/her studentship will be terminated immediately and he/she is liable to pay the expenses incurred by the Department on account of his/her training to the Director General, Dept. of Animal Production & Health. Director General, Animal Production & Health reserves the right to determine the expenses.
- 6. Candidates signature should be attested by the Head of a Government School, Grama Niladhari of the Division, Justice of Peace, Commissioner of Oaths, Attorney- at-Law or Notary Public, a Commissioned Officer of the Army, a permanent government or local government staff officer drawing an annual consolidated salary of Rs. 498,960/- or over a Chief Incumbent in a Buddhist Temple or NayakaThero, or any other religious dignitary in charge of a religious place.
- 7. If Sinhala/Tamil or English versions of the *Gazette* notification are comparative the Sinhala version will be accepted.

Dr. K.A.C.H.A. Kothalawala,

Director General of Animal Production & Health

Dept. of Animal Production & Health, Gatambe, Peradeniya, 19th August 2021.

APPLICATION

Department of Animal Production & Health Sri Lanka School of Animal Husbandry Higher National Diploma in Livestock Production Technology (NVQ 5, 6) (2021/2023)

Language medium in which the applicant wishes to sit for the exam: (Mark a cross in the relevant cage)

Sinhala

Tamil

- 1. (i) Applicant's name in full (In block letters)
 E.g.: (HERATH MUDIYANSELAGE SAMAN KUMARA GUNAWARDHANA)
 - (ii) Last name with initials (In block letters):-E.g.: GUNAWARDHANA H.M.S.K.

(iii) Name in Full (In Sinhala/Tamil):,			
Address: (To dispatch the admission card) (In block letters)			
N.I.C. No.			
District:———,			
Divisional Secretary's Division:———,			
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