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VAIDIKA VIJÑĀNA VIKĀSINĪ SABHĀ

(Examination Unit of OM Charitable Trust)

EXAMINATION CIRCULAR – 2027

1. Examinations Offered

Applications are invited online from eligible candidates desirous of appearing for the examinations conducted by VaidikaVijñānaVikāsinīSabhā at the following three levels on or before **30th November 2026**:

- **Praveśa Level:** Prakṛtipāṭha (Mūlam) – Pūrvabhāga
- **Pravṛddha Level:** Kramapāṭha – Uttarabhāga
- **Prakṛṣṭa Level:** GhanāPāṭha – Viśeṣabhāga

The examinations shall be conducted in the following Vedas and their respective Śākhās:

1.Ṛg Veda:ŚākalaŚākhā **2. ŚuklaYajur Veda:**Kāṇva and MādhyandinaŚākhās

3.KṛṣṇaYajur Veda: TaittirīyaŚākhā **4. Sāma Veda:**Kauthuma, Jaiminīya and RāṇāyanīyaŚākhās

5. Atharva Veda:Śaunaka and PippalādaŚākhās

Click the link https://omcharitabletrust.com/vedaexam for the online application. For Help: 9600043276

2. Age Limit and Eligibility

The applicant's age shall not exceed 30 years as on 30 June 2027.

The following categories of candidates are eligible to apply:

a) Students studying in Pāṭhaśālās or learning individually under a teacher, who have completed the prescribed syllabus.

b) Students pursuing higher studies in the same Pāṭhaśālā or elsewhere.

c) Persons who, having completed their Vedic studies, are self-employed or employed in any organisation or establishment.

3. Eligibility for Admission to Different Levels

Those who have passed the examinations conducted by other organizationsas mentioned in the first column below, and those who have passed the examinations of the VVVS referred to in the second column, are eligible to appear for the examinations of the VVVS specified in the third column.

Examination passed elsewhere	Examination passed at VVVS	Eligible to appear for VVVS examination
Ghanapāṭha / Viśeṣabhāga	Kramapāṭha / Uttarabhāga	Prakṛṣṭa
Kramapāṭha / Uttarabhāga	Mūlāpāṭha / Pūrvabhāga	Pravṛddha
Mūlāpāṭha / Pūrvabhāga	—	Praveśa

The above eligibility shall be subject to fulfilment of the other conditions prescribed in this circular.

4. Examination Procedure

The examinations shall be conducted in two levels, both of which shall be held online through the "v3exam"Web App.Only candidates securing high marks (ordinarily more than 70%) in the first-level examination shall be shortlisted and permitted to appear for the second-level examination.

5. Mode of Examination and General Instructions

a) The examinations shall be entirely oral. Candidates shall be required to recite the prescribed portions entirely from memory.

b) Reference to any book, manuscript or other material or apparatus during the examination is strictly prohibited.

c) No external assistance of any kind shall be permitted during the examinations.

d) Candidates shall participate in the online examinations through a broadband internet connection only. The use of mobile data connectivity shall not be permitted for the second-level examination.

6. Examination Schedule

- **First-level examinations:** January 2027.
- **Second-level (Final) examinations:** March–April 2027.

Both levels of examination shall be conducted exclusively online through the "v3exam"Web App.

7. Presentation of Certificates and Awards

Certificates and cash awards shall be presented at a special function to be held in Chennai in July 2027.

Reimbursement of eligible travel expenses and disbursement of cash awards shall be made exclusively through NEFT bank transfers.

8. Improvement of Performance

Candidates shall be permitted to reappear for the Sabha examinations to improve their earlier performance subject to the following conditions:

a) The candidate shall satisfy the prescribed age limit of 30 years.

b) The candidate may reappear within three years from the year in which the examination was originally passed.

c) Reimbursement of travel expenses and any incremental cash award shall be admissible only if the candidate secures an improvement in performance in the subsequent examination.

9. Reimbursement of Travel Expenses

The following norms shall govern the reimbursement of travel expenses for attending the award function:

a) **Students:** Travel expenses from the applicant's place ofthePāṭhaśālā (for students appearing privately and those who left their studies at thePāṭhaśāla after the exams - from their place of residence) to the venue of

the function shall be reimbursed at the actual fare incurred or the equivalent of Second Class Sleeper (Non-AC) train fare by the shortest route, whichever is less. Food expenses at actuals not exceeding Rs.250 for 12 hours is allowed.

b) **Accompanying Teachers:** Travel expenses of teachers accompanying the students shall be reimbursed at actuals, subject to a maximum of the equivalent fare for travel by Third AC Sleeper Class by ordinary train. This allowance will be extended to their students provided the travel time one-way is more than 16 hours.

c) **Local Conveyance:** Expenses incurred towards local conveyance by auto-rickshaw shall be reimbursed at actuals.

10. Right of Rejection

The Trust reserves the right to reject any application if the applicant is found ineligible on any ground whatsoever, whether expressly specified in this circular or otherwise.

11. Evaluation and Finality of Results

The examinations and evaluation procedures shall be conducted strictly in accordance with standardised norms. The marks awarded by the panel of examiners constituted by the Trust shall be final and binding. No appeal or dispute in respect of the marks awarded shall be entertained.

12. Pattern of Examination and Types of Questions

Candidates shall be subjected to a comprehensive and rigorous examination to assess their proficiency, accuracy and command over the prescribed Vedic portions.

A major component of the examination shall be **SamānāPaṅktiPraśna**, wherein candidates shall be required to recite the relevant Pañcaśat, Ṛk, Mantra or Sāma beginning with the words specified by the examiners.

In addition to SamānāPaṅktiPraśna, the following types of questions shall also be asked:

a) SaṁkhyāPraśna (Numerical Questions)

Questions shall be posed by specifying only the serial number of the Kāṇḍa, Adhyāya, Praśna, Pañcaśat, Varga, Ṛk, Mantra, etc. Candidates shall identify and recite the corresponding portions.

b) UttarāPaṅktiPraśna (Next-Paragraph Questions)

Candidates shall be required to recite the next Pañcaśat, Varga, Ṛk or Mantra immediately following the one specified by the examiner.

c) ViśeṣaPraśna (Special-Questions)

Questions shall be designed to test the candidates' knowledge of the special and repeated portions or features of the prescribed Mantras.

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Exam Syllabus

Exam / Veda	(Śākhā)	Praveśa Level	Pravṛddha Level	Prakṛṣṭa Level
Ṛk Veda	(Śākala)	SaṁhitāAṣṭakam 1 – 8 Prakṛtipāṭha	SaṁhitāAṣṭakam 1 – 8 Kramapāṭha and Aitareya Upaniṣad	SaṁhitāAṣṭakam 1 - 8 Ghanapāṭha and Aitareya Upaniṣad
ŚuklaYajur Veda	(Kānva&Mādhyandina)	SaṁhitāAdhyāya 1 - 40 Prakṛtipāṭha	SaṁhitāAdhyāya 1 - 40 Kramapāṭha and Bṛhadāranyakopaniṣad	SaṁhitāAdhyāya 1 – 40 Ghanapāṭha and Bṛhadāranyakopaniṣad
KṛṣṇaYajur Veda	(Taitirīya)	SaṁhitāKāṇḍam 1 - 7, Taitirīya-BrāḥmaṇamAṣṭakam 1 - 3, Āraṇyakam, Kāṭhakam, Upaniṣad &EkāgnikāṇḍamPrakṛtipāṭha	SaṁhitāKāṇḍam 1 - 7 Kramapāṭha and TaitirīyaŚākhā	SaṁhitāKāṇḍam 1 - 7 Ghanapāṭha and TaitirīyaŚākhā
Sāma Veda	(Kauthuma&Rāṇāyanī)	Prakṛti, Āraṇam, Pūrvārcikam, Uttarārcikam& Mantra-brāhmaṇam	Ūham, Rahasyam and Chāndogyopaniṣad	Aṣta-brāḥmaṇam
Sāma Veda	Jaimini	Prakṛti, Āraṇam, Pūrvārcikam, Ārṣeya-brāhmaṇam and Kenopaniṣad	Uttarārcikam, Ūham and Rahasyam	SaṁhitopaniṣadBrāhmaṇam and JaimineyaMahā-brāhmaṇam
Atharva Veda	(Śaunakaśākha&Pippalādaśākha)	SamhitāKāndam 1 to 20Prakṛtipāṭha	SamhitāKāndam 1 to 20 Muṇḍaka&Māndukya Upaniṣad Prakṛtipāṭhaand GopathaBrāḥmaṇam	