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List A

ADVISORY FOR ADMISSION OF CHILDREN IN APSs

1. Please refer to the following letters of HQ AWES :-

(a) B/45902/Admt/APS/AWES dt 08 Feb 2023.

(b) B//45767/Misc/AWES dt 22 Mar 2023.

2. A query has been raised in the envt wrt the age of admission to CI-I in the Academic Year 2024-25. It is intimated that age criteria for admission to CI-I will be in accordance with the letter referred under para 1 above for AY 2024-25.

3. A onetime dispensation given earlier was applicable only for AY 2023-24. Even this has come under obsn when schools in some states had applied for UDISE registration for CI-I children.

4. For info and compliance pl.



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List A & F

AMENDMENT IN ARTICLE (ARTICLE 206 TO RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, VOL-I (ADMINISTRATIVE))

1. The Article 206 of Rules and Regulations for Army Public Schools Volume-I (Administrative) Mar 2019), will be replaced as under :-

Age

206. **Age Limit.** Where state rules are not being enforced, the age of a student on first admission to various classes in Army Public Schools shall be regulated as indicated below :-

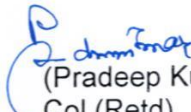
<u>For Admission to Class</u>	<u>Minimum age on 31 Mar of the year in which admission is sought</u>	<u>Maximum age on 31 Mar of the year in which admission is sought</u>
I	6 Years*	8 Years
II	6 Years@	8 Years
III	7 Years	9 Years
IV	8 Years	10 Years
V	9 Years	11 Years
VI	10 Years	12 Years
VII	11 Years	13 Years
VIII	12 Years	14 Years
IX	13 Years	15 Years
X	14 Years	16 Years

*As per mandate of NEP 2020 entry age for Class I has been revised to 6+ years with effect Academic Session 2023-24

@To avoid disturbance of previous years.

Notes:-

1. The table above shall not be applicable if a student arrives on transfer from a CBSE recognized school with an age not matching the ones given above.
2. **For differently Abled Children**. The maximum age limit can be relaxed by two years in case of Differently abled children by the Principal.
3. There is no age restriction for admission to Class XI provided the student is seeking admission in the year of passing Class X examination. Similarly, there will be no upper & lower age limit for admission to Class XII provided there has been no break in the continuous study of the student after passing Class XI.
4. For the purpose of this clause, it is clarified that those born on 01 Apr of the year shall be considered to have completed the age on 31 Mar of the same year.


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- Para 206 of Rules and Regulations for Army Public Schools, Vol-I (Administrative), Seventh Edition, known as Red Book lays down age limit for admissions of Class I to X from 5 years onwards. This provision has been incorporated to align the admissions in CI-I with the NEP 2020 Directives as promulgated by KVS with effect from Academic Year 2022-23. The same has also been ratified/upheld by the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

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**AGE CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION IN ARMY PRE PRIMARY SCHOOLS FOR ACADEMIC
SESSION 2023-24**

1. Further to HQ AWES letter No B/45902/Amdt/APS/AWES dt 08 Feb 2023.
2. In view of implementation of NEP 2020, age for admission to Pre-Primary classes with effect from academic session 2023-24 is as under:-
 - (a) Nursery - Three years as on 01 Apr
 - (b) LKG - Four years as on 01 Apr
 - (c) UKG - Five years as on 01 Apr
3. This letter supersedes our letter No B/45767/Misc/AWES dt 11 Mar 2022.
4. For information and necessary action please.



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