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# NOTIFICATION FOR

# JOINT DAKSHANA SELECTION TEST (JDST) 2024

## JDST Exam dates:

**For Govt./Aided Schools**: Students can check the JDST exam date by Dakshana Registration No or Dakshana Roll No at
https://dakshana.org/jdstinvitation.php
**For JNVs**: The JDST 2024 is scheduled on March 29, 2024.
**For EMRS**: The JDST 2024 is scheduled on January 21, 2024.

## Selection Process for the JDST 2024: For Students studying in Govt./Aided schools (Not for JNV/EMRS school students)

**Step 1**: Check the **eligibility\*** at apply.scholarship.dakshana.org and fill out the application form.
**Step 2:** Shortlisting will be done based on the cutoff mentioned in the application form.
**Step 3:** After 1st round of shortlisting, Fill out the Dakshana Scholar Application (DSA) by January 20, 2024.
**Step 4**: After filling out the application form, invited students can appear for mock tests. Mock tests will familiarize students with the interface.
**Step 5**: Invited students with Admit Cards to appear for JDST 2024. Students can check the JDST exam date by Dakshana Registration No or Dakshana Roll No at https://dakshana.org/jdstinvitation.php
**Step 6**: After the 2nd round of shortlisting (based on JDST 2024), Appear for the Interview & Document Verification.
**Step 7**: Students selected in the interview will be offered a Dakshana One-year Scholarship.

**\*Eligibility:** Must meet all the 3 criteria to apply for the scholarship.
  i.    **School:** Currently studying in Class 12 Science at a Govt/Aided school (Academic Year 2023-24). Students should have appeared in their class XII board exam by May 2024.
  ii.   **Merit**: Aggregate marks of Maths & Science in Class 10 should be above the cut-off:  GEN/EWS/OBC: 85%, SC: 70%, ST: 60%, PD: No cut-off
  iii.  **Income**: Annual Family Income to be less than Rs. 2 lakhs.

## Selection Process for the JDST 2024: For JNV school students

**Step 1**: Students will be invited for the JDST 2024 based on Class 12 Term 1 results, which will be released by January 19, 2024.
**Step 2:** Invited students must complete the Scholar Application by February 10, 2024.
**Step 3**: After filling out the application form, invited students can appear for mock tests. Mock tests will familiarize students with the interface.
**Step 4**: Invited students with Admit Cards to appear for JDST 2024 (online at test centers) with their mobile phones on March 29, 2024.
**Step 5**: After the 2$^{nd}$ round of shortlisting (based on JDST 2024), Appear for the Interview & Document Verification.
**Step 6**: Students selected in the interview will be offered a Dakshana One-year Scholarship.

## Selection Process for the JDST 2024: For EMRS students

**Step 1**: Students will be invited for the JDST 2024 based on Class 12 Term 1 results, which will be released by January 05, 2024.
**Step 2:** Invited students must complete the Scholar Application by January 15, 2024.
**Step 3**: After filling out the application form, invited students can appear for mock tests. Mock tests will familiarize students with the interface.
**Step 4**: Invited students with Admit Cards to appear for JDST 2024 at test centers on January 21, 2024.
**Step 5**: After the 2$^{nd}$ round of shortlisting (based on JDST 2024), Appear for the Interview & Document Verification.
**Step 6**: Students selected in the interview will be offered a Dakshana One-year Scholarship.

## Filling of the Scholar application form:

To appear for the Mock test & JDST 2024 Invited students must fill out and submit the scholar application form at http://scholarship.dakshana.org/. Read the instruction document before filling out the form.

All online tests will be conducted through the **Dakshana Scholarship Test** Android Mobile App. Download the mobile app from the Google Play Store. Link to download the app: tinyurl.com/dakshanascholarshiptest. Watch the YouTube Video (https://youtu.be/Bkvy6e12064) to know how to install the app and appear for the mock test.

**Log in to the mobile app & the mock test can be appeared only after submitting Dakshana Scholar Application (DSA)**

## Mock Test & JDST 2024 Format:

The duration of each of the tests will be 3-hrs. The test will consist of 25 MCQ format questions in each of the following sections:

Section 1: Logical Reasoning |          Section 2: Mathematics/Biology |          Section 3: Physics |          Section 4: Chemistry

Each right answer is awarded 3 marks and 1 mark is deducted for every wrong answer. Engineering Aspirants to attempt Mathematics and Medical aspirants to attempt Biology. **A candidate is required to attain positive marks in each subject.**

## Mock Test & JDST 2024 Syllabus:

Aspirants can watch video lectures, on the below topics, on the Dakshana YouTube Channel. Click on the name of the topic for each subject given below, to watch the video lectures. Questions will be based on the following syallbus.

Note: Though the title of some videos for Physics/Chemistry on the Dakshana YouTube Channel may mention that the topic is for NEET, but JEE Aspirants can also watch those lectures.
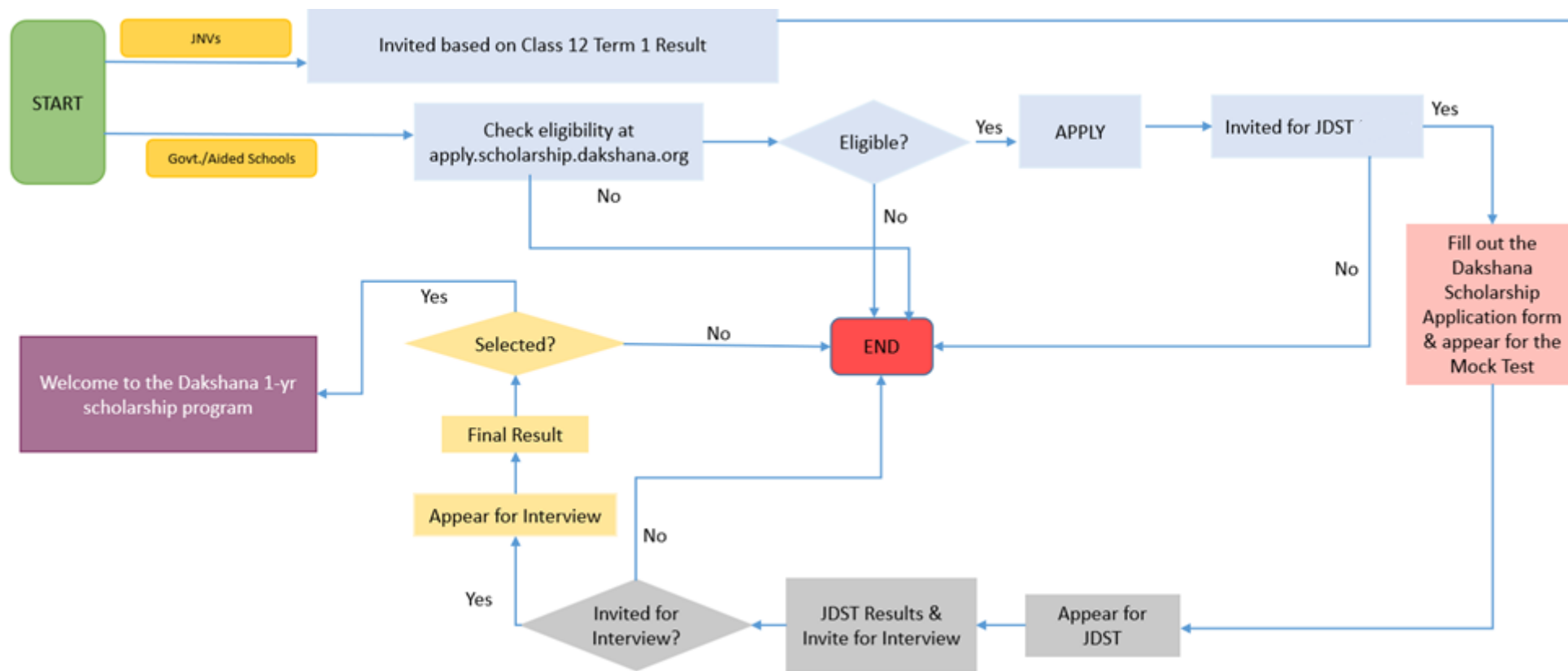
| Physics | Chemistry | Mathematics | Biology |
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| Geometrical Optics & Instrument | Solution & Colligative Properties | Matrices & Determinant | Sexual Reproduction in Flowering Plants |
| Wave Optics | Electrochemistry | Functions | Human Reproduction |
| Electrostatics | Chemical Kinetics | Limits, Continuity & Derivability | Reproductive Health |
| Current Electricity | Coordination Compound | Application of Derivative | Principle of Inheritance |
| Capacitance | Haloalkane & Haloarenes | Indefinite Integration | Molecular Basis of Inheritance |
| Magnetic Field and Magnetism | Alcohol, ether, & Phenol | Definite Integration & Its Application | Origin and Evolution |
| Electromagnetic Induction | Aldehyde and Ketones | Vector & 3–D | Human Health and Diseases |
| Alternating Current | Carboxylic Acid & its derivatives | Probability | Microbes in Human Welfare |
|  | Amines |  | Biotechnology: Principle and process |
|  |  |  | Biotechnology: Its Application |

## Logical Reasoning:

**Verbal:** Number Series, Letter Series, Analogies, Cause & Effect, Verbal Classification, Blood Relations, Logical Sequence of Words, Direction Sense Test, Logical Venn Diagram, Data Sufficiency, Coding Decoding, Assertion and Reason, Analysing Arguments, Logical Problems, Course of Action, Matching Definition, Syllogism, Statement and Assumptions

**Non-Verbal:** Image Series, Construction of Shapes, Classification, Picture Analogies, Rule Detection

# Flow Chart for Dakshana One-Year Scholarship Process



If you have any queries, please read the FAQ at: dakshana.org/jdst-faq
If your queries are not mentioned in the FAQ section, please email to scholarship@dakshana.org

**All clarifications related to the JDST will be addressed on the above email address ONLY. Kindly do not call or write to any other Dakshana email address.**