

DEPARTMENT OF EXAMINATIONS, SRI LANKA
GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF EDUCATION (ADVANCED LEVEL)
EXAMINATION - AUGUST 2018

Applications of private candidates for the above examination will be received from 01.02.2018 to 23.02.2018. Candidates are advised to read this notice carefully and follow the instructions given herein before filling up the application forms and also to make sure to select exactly the correct **Town Number** and **Subject Numbers**. Candidates are allowed to offer a maximum of three main subjects.

02. Applications

The applications of Private Candidates should be prepared in compliance with the specimen form given herein.

2. **Only those who have obtained the school-leaving certificate can apply as private candidates. It is completely prohibited for anyone to sit this examination as a private candidate, while still being in school. If such a sitting is discovered, the examination results will be invalidated and they will be debarred from sitting any future examinations.**

2.1 (A) (13) General English

Apart from the three main subjects and the Common General Test, candidates may apply for the subject, "General English" too. However, **the grade obtained for this subject will not be considered for University Entrance**. The grade obtained will be entered in the G.C.E. (A.L.) Certificate.

This subject may also be offered as a single subject.

(B) (12) Common General Test

A pass in this subject is a must for entering a University in Sri Lanka.

(C) All applicants who sit the written test of subject numbers. 28, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 65 and 66 will be called for a practical test.

2.2 The application form should be prepared on a white sheet of paper (**28 cm x 21 cm in size**) in accordance with the specimen application form **DP/AL/2018/5** given in this Notice. Cages **01 to 11** should be on one side (page 1) while the cages **12 to 14** are on the reverse (page 2). Applications should be sent by registered post to be received by "**The Commissioner General of Examinations, P.O. Box 1503, Colombo**" **on or before 23.02.2018**. Applications posted after the closing date and those which are not prepared in accordance with the specimen application form will be rejected.

2.3 Further please note that, even if the receipt of the payment of due examination fees has been obtained prior to the closing date, application forms posted after the closing date will not be accepted.

2.4 **An applicant is expected to send only one application. In an instance where an applicant has forwarded more than one application, all his/her applications will be rejected and legal action will be taken against him/her. If any student is found to have sent more than one application, even after the release of the results of the examination, his/her results will be invalidated and relevant legal measures will be taken.**

03. Only one application should be enclosed in one envelope and **the top left-hand corner of the envelope**, should bear the wordings "**G.C.E. (A/L) Examination - August 2018 - Town No. and Town**". Enter the selected Town No. and the Town on the dotted line clearly.

04. When using application forms prepared by outsiders, carefully check whether the subject numbers, town numbers and all the other details are in compliance with those given in this notice. The Department will hold no responsibility for any mis-prints in respect of the structure of the application form, subject lists, town numbers etc. It is the responsibility of the candidates to prepare their applications in compliance with the specimen given in this notification which is the official notification of the Department of Examinations.

05. Since the data will be processed by computer, extra care should be taken when writing the **Subject Numbers and the Town No.**, in the application form. **Thus check for correctness of all information including Subject Numbers and Town No. entered, before it is posted. Better if another party rechecks the application before it is posted.**

Examination centre, subjects applied or medium applied will not be changed under any circumstances. Thus complete your application properly.

06. For any inquiry relating to the information given in your application, you should visit the School Examinations Organization Branch of this Department, immediately after the receipt of your admission card. Remember to bring the admission card when you visit.

07. **Proof of Identity**

Candidates should prove their identity at the time they sit each paper at the examination centre. National Identity Card issued by the Department of Registration of Persons or a valid Passport should be produced as a proof of identity.

If any candidate who does not have a National Identity Card, he/she should apply for it through Grama Niladhari to the Commissioner General of Registration of Persons.

08. Candidates applying for the examination for the first time and for the second time through State Schools, Non-Fee Levying/Fee Levying Government Approved Private Schools and Approved Pirivenas are not required to pay the due examination fees. Others will have to pay the stipulated fees. Applications for which the stipulated fees have not been paid will be rejected.

09. If there are applicants with **special needs** who apply for this examination, forward an application, prepared as per the instructions, published in the notice under the heading " Providing relief to students with special needs" in this newspaper.

Note: No examination fee paid will be refunded partly or in full, nor will it be transferred for any other examination.

Only those who have not sat any of the papers of this examination will be considered as candidates who have not appeared for this examination. The number of attempts that affect their entitlement to enter the University will not therefore be affected. Hence, such candidates are not required to submit a Medical Certificate to that effect. However, they are advised to retain the Admission Card safely which is the only proof of evidence of not having sat the examination.

Ref. No. 6/3/AL/2018
School Examinations Organization & Results Branch,
Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka,
P.O. Box 1503, Colombo.
01.02.2018

B. Sanath Pujitha
Commissioner General of Examinations

Batticaloa District

Town	Town No.
Batticaloa	216
Eravur	217
Kattankudy	218
Valachchanai	219
Kalawanchikudy	220
Chenkalady	221
Ottamavady	222

Ampara District

Town	Town No.
Ampara	231
Damana	232
Uhana	233
Dehiattakandiya	234
Serankada	235
Potuvil	236
Kalmunai	237
Akkaraipattu	238
Sammanthurai	239
Nintavur	240
Thirukkivil	241

Puttalam District

Town	Town No.
Wennappuwa	251
Dankotuwa	252
Madampe	253
Chilaw	254
Marawila	255
Nattandiya	256
Puttalam	257
Mundalama	258
Anamaduwa	259
Kalpitiya	260

Kurunegala District

Town	Town No.
Kuliyapitiya	266
Bingiriya	267
Hettipola	268
Pannala	269
Narammala	270
Giriulla	271
Polgahawela	272
Kurunegala	273
Ibbagamuwa	274
Dodangaslanda	275
Morathiha	276
Mawathagama	277
Wariyapola	278
Nikaweratiya	279
Kobeigane	280
Maho	281
Galgamuwa	282
Alawwa	283

Anuradhapura District

Town	Town No.
Medawachchiya	291
Padavi parakramapura	292
Kekirawa	293
Galnewa	294
Anuradhapura	295
Galenbindunuwewa	296
Kahatagasdigiliya	297
Nochchiyagama	298
Thambuttegama	299
Kebitigollewa	300
Rambewa	301
Mihintale	302
Horowpotana	303
Padaviya	304

Polonnaruwa District

Town	Town No.
Polonnaruwa	306
Hingurakgoda	307
Manampitiya	308
Bakamuna	309
Medirigiriya	310
Giritale	311

Badulla District

Town	Town No.
Bandarawela	316
Haldummulla	317
Welimada	318
Badulla	319
Passara	320
Mahiyanganaya	321
Girandurukotte	322
Hali-Ela	323
Ambagasdowa	324

Moneragala District

Town	Town No.
Bibile	331
Moneragala	332
Wellawaya	333
Badalkumbura	334
Buttala	335

Kegalle District

Town	Town No.
Kegalle	341
Deraniyagala	342
Dehiowita	343
Rambukkana	344
Mawanella	345
Warakapola	346
Hemmathagama	347
Aranayake	348
Ruwanwella	349
Yatiantota	350

Ratnapura District

Town	Town No.
Eheliyagoda	356
Ratnapura	357
Pelmadulla	358
Godakawela	359
Balangoda	360
Kalawana	361
Nivithigala	362
Embilipitiya	363