D. Language: (i) The applicant must be able to speak, read and write Bengali Language. However, this provision will not be applicable to the persons who are permanent residents of hill sub-divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong Districts. (ii) For the applicant of hill sub-divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong District, the provisions laid down in the West Bengal Official language Act, 1961 (24 of 1961) will be applicable.

Note:-

- The applicants must possess the above noted Qualifications on or before the date of publication of the advertisement.
- If it is found during verification of testimonials at any stage that any candidate has acquired qualification as stated above at any date after the date of publication of this advertisement, his/her candidature will summarily be rejected.
- · Request for change of category will not be entertained after the scheduled date of his/her Personality Test.

The shortlisted candidates of Hill Sub-Divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong districts have to produce their domicile certificate at the time of document verification during Personality Test.

E. Female applicants are only eligible for the post of Sub-Inspectress (Unarmed Branch) in Kolkata Police.

F. MINIMUM PHYSICAL MEASUREMENT OF CANDIDATES:-

S1. No.	Name of the Post	Class	Height (in cm)	Chest (in cm)	Weight (in kg.)
1	Sub-Inspector of Police [Unarmed Branch (UB) in Kolkata Police]	Candidates of all categories (except Gorkhas, Rajbansis, Garwalis and Scheduled Tribes)	167 cm	79 cm with a minimum expansion of 5 cm	56 kg.
		Gorkhas, Rajbansis, Garwalis and Scheduled Tribes	160 cm	76 cm with a minimum expansion of 5 cm	52 kg.
2	Sub-Inspectress of Police [Unarmed Branch (UB) in Kolkata Police]	Candidates of all categories (except Gorkhas, Rajbansis, Garwalis and Scheduled Tribes)	160 cm	-	49 kg.
		Gorkhas, Rajbansis, Garwalis and Scheduled Tribes	155 cm	-	45 kg.
3	Sergeant in Kolkata Police	Candidates of all categories (except Gorkhas, Rajbansis, Garwalis and Scheduled Tribes)	173 cm	86 cm with a minimum expansion of 5 cm	60 kg.
		Gorkhas, Rajbansis, Garwalis and Scheduled Tribes	163 cm	81 cm with a minimum expansion of 5 cm	54 kg.
4	Sub-Inspector of Police [Unarmed Branch (UB) in Kolkata Police] for Transgender persons	Candidates of all categories (except Gorkhas, Rajbansis, Garwalis and Scheduled Tribes)	162 cm	-	51 kg.
		Gorkhas, Rajbansis, Garwalis and Scheduled Tribes	157 cm	-	47 kg.

G. Must qualify the following Physical Efficiency Tests:-

Sl. No.	Name of Post	Test
1.	Sub-Inspector (Unarmed Branch) and Sergeant in Kolkata Police	800 meters run within 3 (three) minutes.
2.	Sub-Inspectress (Unarmed Branch) in Kolkata Police	400 meters run within 2 (two) minutes.
3.	Transgender person for the post Sub-Inspector of Police (Unarmed Branch) in Kolkata Police	400 meters run within 1 (one) minute 40 seconds.

H. Physically Handicapped candidates shall not be eligible to apply.

5. METHOD OF RECRUITMENT:-

The posts of Sub-Inspector/Sub-Inspectress (Unarmed Branch) and Sergeant in Kolkata Police shall be filled up on the basis of qualifying the Preliminary Examination which will act as screening examination followed by the Physical Measurement Test (PMT), Physical Efficiency Test (PET), Final Combined Competitive Examination and Personality Test to be conducted by the West Bengal Police Recruitment Board.

A. Preliminary Examination: (Full Marks - 200): Candidates provisionally considered as eligible will be called for a Preliminary Examination to be held in General Studies, Logical & analytical reasoning and Arithmetic with full marks of 200 (100 marks in General Studies having 50 questions, 50 marks in Logical & Analytical reasoning having 25 questions and 50 marks in Arithmetic having 25 questions), the duration of the examination being 90 minutes. The preliminary examination will be a screening test for selection of candidates for the Physical Measurement Test and Physical Efficiency Test. The West Bengal Police Recruitment Board shall be the competent agency to prescribe minimum cutoff marks for each social category and posts taking into account the number of vacancies proposed to be filled up in each category and post.

The preliminary examination will be an OMR based MCQ type written examination. The question paper will be set in two languages (English and Bengali).

The marks obtained by the candidate in preliminary examination shall not be counted for the purpose of determining the final merit list.

Note: - There will be NEGATIVE marking for each incorrect answer in the preliminary examination. 1/4th of the allotted marks for a particular question will be deducted for each incorrect answer.

B. Physical Measurement Test (PMT) & Physical Efficiency Test (PET):-

The Physical Measurement Test (PMT) as specified under para **3(F)** above relating to height, weight and chest of the candidates qualified in the preliminary examination shall be taken followed by the Physical Efficiency Test (PET) of the eligible candidates as specified under para **3(G)**. Qualified candidates in the PMT only will be eligible to appear in the PET. The PMT & PET shall be conducted by the West Bengal Police Recruitment Board at the venues selected by the Board for the purpose. Only qualified candidates of both PMT & PET shall be eligible to appear in the Final Combined Competitive Examination.

- C. Final Combined Competitive Examination (Full Marks 200): The Final Combined Competitive Examination will consist of three papers of conventional type questions, namely
 - a) Paper-I: General Studies and Arithmetic for 100 marks (50 marks for General Studies and 25 marks for Logical & Analytical reasoning and 25 marks for Arithmetic) of 2 (two) hours duration.