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	LESSON PLAN					
		ARMED FORCES-6:				
	MODES OF ENTRY TO ARMY					
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	Period		-	One		
	Туре		-	Lecture		
	Term		-	II		
	<u>Traini</u>	ng Aid	l <u>s</u>			
	1.	OHP,	Comp	uter slides, pointer, screen, blac	k board and o	chalk.
	Time I	<u>Plan</u>				
	2.	(a)	Introd	luction.	-	05 mins
		(b)	Part I	-Types of Commission	-	05 mins
		(c)	Part I	I-Entry Scheme Officers (Men/V	Vomen)-	10 mins
		(c)	Part I	II-JCOs and Other Ranks	-	05 mins
		(d)	Part I	V-Recruitment procedure	-	10 mins
		(e)	Conc	lusion	-	05 mins
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	Gener	al : W	hat The	Army Offers.		
	3.			<del></del>	what vour ed	ucation will finally yield. If you are
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	questic	on of v	what the	e job offers in totality. Let us s	ee what attri	butes go into making an excellent
	career	. The a	attribute	s that one expects from a satisf	ying profession	on are:-
		(a)	Profe	ssional Advancement		
		(b)	Job S	Satisfaction		
		(c)	Job S	Security		

- (d) Economic Stability
- (e) Social Status
- (f) Quality of Life
- (g) Variety and Adventure
- 4. If these are what you are looking forward to, then Army is the profession for you.
- 5. All of us are aware that, professions are competitive, in so far as promotions are concerned. Army is no different. However, as said earlier the competition in the Army is clean and devoid of any other factor but competence.
- 6. The Indian Army is the land based branch and the largest component of the Indian Armed Forces. The president of India is the Commander –in Chief of the Army. The Chief of Army Staff (COAS), a General, is a four star commander who commands the army.
- 7. Its primary mission is to ensure the national security and defence of the Republic of India from external aggression and threats, and maintaining peace and security within its borders. It also conducts humanitarian rescue operations during Natural calamities and other disturbances. As a major component of national power alongside the Indian Navy and the Indian Air Forces, the roles of the Indian Army are as follows; Primary- preserves national interests and safeguard sovereignty, territorial integrity and unity of India against any external threats by deterrence or waging war. Secondary -assist Government agencies to cope with 'proxy war' and other internal threats and provide aid to civil authority when requisitioned for the purpose.

# **AIM**

8. Aim of the lecture is to introduce with the type of entries, procedures and other Qualitative Requirement of the entry into Indian Army.

## **PREVIEW**

9. The lecture shall be covered in following Parts:-

(a) Part-I - Types of Commission

(b) Part-II - Entry scheme (men and women)

(c) Part-III - JCO and Other Rank

(d) Part-IV - Recruitment Procedure

# **PART I:TYPES OF COMMISSION**

10. There are a number of ways in which one could get a commission in the Army. You can join

(a)

right after school or after graduation. The selection procedures are impartial, objective and are uniformly applied to one and all and have only one aim – to "select the best".

# **Types of Commission.**

11. The Army offers both Permanent and Short Service Commission. Permanent commission (PC) is granted through the Indian Military Academy (IMA) Dehradun and Short Service Commission (SSC) is granted through Officers Training Academy (OTA) Chennai. When you opt for 'PC', you are basically looking at a permanent career in the Army, a career till you retire. SSC is a wonderful option for all those of you who aspire to serve it for a few years. It gives you the option of joining the Army, and serving it as a commissioned officer for ten years. Once your tenure is over, you are allowed to opt for PC. Alternatively, you can also ask for a four years extension and can choose to resign from your post any time during this period.

# (a) **Permanent.**

- (i) NDA AFTER 10+2(Through UPSC)
- (ii) DIRECT ENTRY (Through UPSC)
- (iii) ENGINEERING GRADUATES TGC
- (iv) UNIVERSITY ENTRY SCHEME 10 +2 TES

# (b) Short Service.

- (i) NON-TECH (Both men & women)
- (ii) TECH (Both men & women)
- (iii) NCC SPECIAL ENTRY (Both men & women)
- (vi) LAW GRADUATES(Both men & women)

**Note.** Details of eligibility criteria duration and venue of training and other information is freely available through news papers or may be obtained from www.joinindianarmy.nic.in. The following telephone numbers may also be contacted. (011) 26173215, 26175473, 26172861.

# PermanentCommission.

12. A permanent commission means a career in the army till you retire. For a permanent commission you have to join the National Defence academy Khadakwasla or the Indian Military Academy Dehradun.

#### The National Defence Academy Pune.

13. You can take the NDA entrance exam right after class XI. Clear the UPSC exam and a 5-day Service Selection Board interview, pass your medicals, and you're in NDA Three years in NDA

and you will be a much improved person a part from providing graduation digress, NDA has the finest infrastructure for professional training. You'll find phenomenal opportunities to develop your personality and cultivate new interests three are 31 extra – curricular activities to choose from. You have aero –modelling, golf, gliding, sailing, wind surfing, astronomy, photograph and many more. For more details about NDA KHADAKWASLA visit website www.nda.nic.in

#### **Indian Military Academy Dehradun**

- 14. Indian Military Academy is another cradle of leadership. The IMA trains you to lead from the front. You are trained in all aspects of combat and tactics using computers and other modern tools and technologies. The IMA has excellent facilities for all-round development. You can go for adventure sports like river rafting, para jumping, rock climbing, trekking and mountaineering. From the IMA, you're commissioned as a "Lieutenant" and mountaineering. From the IMA, you're commissioned as "Lieutenant" in the India Army to go out into the world and live to the IMA motto-"Valour & Wisdom". There are four main entries to get into IMA:-
  - (a) <u>Combined Defence Service Examination (CDSE)</u> In final year of Graduation, you need to pass the Combined Defence Service Exams being conducted by UPSC, clear the SSB interview, be medically fit and join IMA as a Direct Entry provided you come in merit. For details of exam dates/notification visit UPSC website upsc. nic.inThe other entries are Non UPSC entries (There is no written exam. You are directly called for SSB interview)'-
  - (b) <u>10+2 Tech Entry.</u> You can apply after your12th Exams. Minimum aggregate of 70% is madatory in physics ,Chemistry and Mathematics. You will be detailed for SSB interview based on the cut off as decided by Recruiting Directorate. Look out for the advertisement published in leading newspapers/employment news in may/Dec every year. Total training is five year.( one year at OTA Gaya and four years at Cadets Training Wings )
  - (c) <u>University Entry Scheme ( Pre Final Year Students Only ).</u> This entry is for those of you who wish to apply for army in Pre-Final year of engineering. Look out for the advertisement published in leading newspapers/employment news in may every year.
  - (d) <u>Technical Graduate Course.</u> Those who are studying in final year/ have completed BE/B Tech in notified streams can also join IMA through Technical Graduate Course. The duration of training is 1 year though Technical Gradate Course. The duration of training is 1 year .Look out for the advertisement published in leading newspapers/employment news in may/Jun & Nov/Dec every year.

#### **Short Service Commission.**

- 15. You also have the option of joining the Army and service as a Commissioned Officer for 10 year and is extendable up to 14 year. At the end of this period you have two options. Either elect for a permanent Commission or opt out.
- 16. Those not selected for Permanent Commission have the option of a 4 year extension. They can resign at any time during analytical thinking, planning skills administrative and organization that you join after the Army and there are opportunities to side step to an alternate career for which Army will also help you.

# Officers Training Academy, Chennai

17. Once selected for Short Service Commission , you go to the officers Training Academy at Chennal. The selection process is written exam followed by the SSB interview and medicals. For Technical (Engineering) graduates and law graduates if is direct SSB interview and medicals. If you have done NCC Senior Division (Army) and obtained 'C' certificate with minimum 'B' grade, you can apply through your NCC Branch HQ/Zonal HQ to Recruiting Directorate for direct SSB interview. SSB qualified candidates undergo a medical examination. The duration of training is 49 weeks OTA training provides you with opportunities to broaden your perspective and widen your horizon. Whether It's skeet –shooting, golf, riding or angling...at OTA you can do if all.

# **Short Service Commission For Women (Officers)**

18. In 1992, an important landmark in the history of Indian Army was the induction of women into the officer cadre, and the onerous task of training them was undertaken by the Officer Training Academy.

# Revised Term and Conditions of Service of SSCOs( Women both ) Technical and Non-Technical )

19. Prominent features of the revised policy are :-

### (a) Extension of Tenure.

- (i) Tenure of Short Service Commission, Short Service Commission (SSC) in the Regular Army will be granted for 14 year i.e. for an initial period of 10 year, extendable by 4 years.
- (ii) Duration of Training. 49 weeks.
- (b) <u>Substantive Promotion.</u> SSCOs will be eligible for substantive promotion.

(i) To the rank of Capt. on completion of 2 years reckonable

Commissioned service.

(ii) To the rank of Maj. on completion of 6 years reckonable

commissioned service.

(iii) To the rank of Lt Col. on completion of 13 years reckonable

commissioned service.

# PART - II : ENTRY SCHEMES(MEN AND WOMEN)

20. The Indian Army is looking for a few "GOOD MEN". For the best and brightest amongst them Men with intellect idealism and courage. Men who could lead and inspire others. There are following Entry Schemes for MEN.

**Intermediate Level** (a)

(b)

- NDA (i)
- (ii) 10 + 2 TES
- (b) **Graduate UPSC** 
  - **(I)** IMA (CDS)
  - OTA SSC (Non Tech) (II)
- **Graduate Non UPSC** (c)

Law Graduate

- (d) **Engineers** 
  - (i) UES
  - **TES** (ii)
  - (iii) SS (Tech)
- (f) **Post Graduate**

# 10+2 Technical Entry Scheme (10+2 TES)

TentativeVacancies per course notify in Employment News and leadingDaily News **Papers** 

Notified by ADG Rtg AG's Branch IHQ of MOD (army) in Apr & Sept

Eligibility Criteria

(d)

 $16^{1/2}$  to 19 & 1/2 yrs as of first day of the month in which course Age between

is due to commence

12th Class of 10+2 System of Education /Equivalent with a Qualification minimum aggregate of 70% in Physical, chemistry & Maths

(PCM) Un Married

Marital Status Application to be Addressed to

Additional Directorate General of Rtg TES Section AG Branch IHQ of MOD (army)

West Block III

RK Puram

New Delhi-110066 Training Academy IMA Dehradun During of Tanning

01 Year pre-commision Trg at IMA Dehradun & 03 Years at CME Pune/MCTE Mhow/MCEMeSecunderabad

01 Yers Post Commision trg at CME Pune/MCTE Mhow/MCEME Secunderabad

# **National Defence Academy (NDA)**

Tentative Vacancies per course per 300 (Twice a years) or As notified from time to time Army-195

Air force-66 Navy-39

notify in Employment News and leadingDaily

News Paper

Jun and Dec as notified by UPSC

**Eligibility Criteria** 

**Tanning** 

Age between 161/2 to 19 & 1/2 yrs as of first day of the month in which course is

due to commence

Qualification 12th Class of 10+2 System of Education /Equivalent for Army and

with Physics and Maths for AF/Navy

Un Married Marital Status

Application to be Received by As per UPSC notification Sep to Oct and Jan to Apr Likely SSB date

Date Commencement of training Jan and Jul

Training Academy NDA, khadakwasla,pune

Duration 3 Yrs at NDA and 1 Yrs at IMA (For Army cadets) of

3 Yrs at NDA and 1 Yrs at Naval Academy (For Naval cadets)

3 Yrs at NDA and 1 & 1/2 Yrs at AFA Hyderabad (For AF cadets)

#### NCC (SPL) Entry Men

Tentative 50 (Twice a years)

Vacancies per course

notify in Employment News and leading Notified by Additional Directorate General Recruiting / AG Branch in Jun & Dec

Daily News Paper Eligibility Criteria Age between

Course 01 Jul of the Yr in which course is due to commence for Apr Course Final Years appearing/Graduate with 50% Aggregate marks, 2 Yrs service in NCC Senior Div army with minimum 'B' Grade in 'C' Certificate Exam. Qualification

19 and 25 Yrs as 01 Jul of the Yr in which course is due to commence for Oct

Marital Status Un Married /Married Application to be Received by Likely SSB Date Date Commencement of Trg Oct/Nov and Apr/ May through NCC Dte Dec/Jan and Jul/ Jun

Apr and Oct

Training Academy Duration of Trg OTA, Chennai 49 Weeks

# **Indian Military Academy Direct Entry (Non Technical Men)**

Vacancies per course

250 (Twice a year)

notify in Employment News and leading

Notified by UPSC under the aegis of CDSE in May/ Jun and

Nov/Dec

Daily News Paper

**Eligibility Criteria** 

Age between

19 and 24 yrs as of first day of month in which course is due

to commence

Qualification Graduation from Recognised University

Marital Status Un Married

Likely SSB Date Jul to Aug and Mar/Apr

Date of Commencement of Trg

Training Academy

During of Tanning

Jan and Jul

IMA Dehradun

18 Months

# Officer Training Academy (Non Technical Men)

Vacancies per course

Notify in Employment News and

leading

175 (Twice a year)

Notified by UPSC under the aegis of

CDSE in May/ Jun and Nov/Dec

Daily News Paper Eligibility Criteria

Age

19 and 24 yrs as of first day of month

in which course is due to commence

Qualification Graduation from Recognised

University

Marital Status Likely SSB Date

Date of Commencement of Trg

Training Academy
During of Tanning

Un Married /Merried Nov/Dec and May/Jun

Apr and Oct OTA, Chennai 49 Weeks

#### **TGC (Engineers)**

Vacancies per course

notify in Employment News and leading

As Notified (Twice a Year)

Notified by Additional Directorate General Recruiting

/ AG Branch in Apr and Oct

Daily News Paper Eligibility Criteria

Age Bron Between 20 to 27 years

2<sup>nd</sup>Jan to 1<sup>st</sup>Jan for Jan Course.

2<sup>nd</sup>Jul to 1<sup>st</sup>Jul for Jul Course.

Qualification BE/ B Tech in notified streams of Engineers

Marital Status

Application to be Received by

Likely SSB Date

Un Married /Merried

Apr/ May and Oct/ Nov

Mar/Apr and Sep/Oct

Date of Commencement of Trg Jan and Jul Training Academy IMA **During of Tanning** One Year

**University Entry Scheme** 

Vacancies per course

Notify in Employment News and leading

Daily News Paper

**Eligibility Criteria** 

Born Between

Qualification

Marital Status Application to be Received by

Likely SSB Date

Date of Commencement of Trg

Notified by Additional Directorate General Recruiting / AG Branch in May. Application to be forwarded to respective Command Headquarters as per the areas indicated in the

notification

19 to 25 yrs for Final Year, 18 to 24 Yrs for per Final Year

2<sup>nd</sup>Jul to 1<sup>st</sup>Jul for Jul Course.

Final and pre Final year student of Engineering Degree

Un Married

31 Jul or as specified in the notification.

Jan to Mar for final year Aug to Oct for pre final year

Jul at IMA Dehradun

# **Short Service Commission (Technical) (Men)**

Vacancies per course	As Notified (Twice a Year)		
Notify in Employment News and leading	Notified by Additional Directorate General Recruiting / AG Branch in Dec/Jan and Jun/Jul		
Daily News Paper			
Eligibility Criteria			
Age Between	20 to 27 yrs as on first day of the month in which course is due to commence		
Qualification	Engineering Degree in notified discipline		
Marital Status	Un Married /Married		
Application to be Received by	To Apply online & application to be fwd as given in advertisement		
Likely SSB Date	Nov to Jan for Apr Course and May to July for Oct Course		
Date of Commencement of Trg	Oct and Apr		
Training Academy	OTA Chennai		
During of Tanning	49 Weeks		

# JAG (Men)

Vacancies Per Course	As Notified
Notify in Employment News and leading Daily news	Paper
Eligibility Criteria	
Age between	21 and 27 yrs as on 01 Jul of the yr in which course is due to commence for Oct course and 01 Jan of the yr in which course is due to commence for Apr course
Qualification	Graduate with LLB / LLM with 55% marks. Registered with Bar Council of India / State
Marital Status	Un Married / Married
Application to be Received by	Oct / Nov and Apr / May
Likely SSB Date	Dec - Jan and Jul - Aug
Date Commencement of Trg	Apr and Oct
Training Academy	OTA CHENNAI
Duration of Trg	49 Weeks

# **TGC Education (AEC)**

Vacancies per course	As Notified (Twice a Year)
notify in Employment News and leading	Notified by Additional Directorate General Recruiting / AG
	Branch in May/Jun and Nov/Dec
Daily News Paper	
Eligibility Criteria	
Age	23 to years
Bron Between	2 <sup>nd</sup> Jan to 1 <sup>st</sup> Jan for Jan Course.
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Jul to 1 <sup>st</sup> Jul for Jul Course.
Qualification	MS/MSC in 1 <sup>st</sup> or 2 <sup>nd</sup> division in notified subject from
	December of university
Manifed Otation	Recognized university
Marital Status	Un Married
Application to be Received by	Jun/Jul and Dec/Jan
Likely SSB Date	Sept/Oct and Apr/May
Training Academy	IMA
During of Tanning	One Year

21. In 1992, an important landmark in the history of Army was the induction of women into the officer cadre, and the onerous task of training them was undertaken by officers Training Academy. So far, more than 1200 Lady cadets have already been commissioned into, into the various Arms Service of the Indian Army. You should be a graduate to apply.

# Revised Terms and Conditions of Service of SSCOs ( Men and Women ) both (Technical and Non –Technical)

22. Prominent features of the revised policy are :-

# (a) Extension of Tenure.

- (i) Tenure of Short Service Commission. Short Service Comission (SSC), in the Regular Army will be granted for 14 years i.e for an initial period of Ten years, extendable by Four years.
- (ii) Duration of Training 49 weeks

(b) <u>Substantive Promotion</u>. SSCOs will be eligible for substantive promotion.

(I) <u>To the rank of Capt</u> on completion of years reckonable commissioned service.

(ii) <u>To the rank of Maj</u> on completion of 6 years reckonable commissioned service.

(iii) <u>To the rank of Lt Col</u> on completion of 13 years reckonable commissioned service.

# NCC (SPL) Entry Women

Vacancies Per Course	As notified
, , ,	Notified by Additional Directorate General Recruiting / AG Branch in Jun / Dec
Eligibility Criteria	

Age between	19 and 25 yrs as on 01 Jan of the yr in which course is due to commence for Apr course and 01 Jul of the yr in which course is due to commence for Oct course
Qualification	Final Year appearing/Graduate in any discipline with 50% Aggregate marks, 2 Yrs service in NCC Senior Div Army with minimum 'B' Grade in 'C' Certificate Exam.
Marital Status	Un Married
Application to be Received by	Oct / Nov and Apr / May through NCC Gp HQ/NCC Dte
Likely SSB Date	Nov to Jan for Apr Course and May to July for Oct Course
Date Commencement of Trg	Apr and Oct
Training Academy	OTA, Chennai

**Short Service Commission Non Technical Women** 

Short Service Commission Non Technical Women				
Eligibility Criteria				
Age between	19 and 25 yrs as on 01 Jan of the yr in which course is due to commence for Apr course and 01 Jul of the yr in which course is due to commence for Oct course			
Qualification	Graduation / Post Graduation from Recognized University.			
Marital Status	Un Married			
Application to be Received by	applications to be forwarded to UPSC as per notification published in Apr/ Sep every year			
Likely SSB Date	May/Jun and Nov/Dec			
Date Commencement of Trg	Apr and Oct			
Training Academy	OTA Chennai			
Duration of Trg	49 Weeks			

# **Short Service Commission Technical Women**

Vacancies Per Course	As Notified (Twice a year)
Notify in Employment News and leading Daily news Paper	Notified by Additional Directorate General Recruiting / AG Branch in Dec/Ja
Eligibility Criteria	
Age between	20 and 27 yrs as on first day of the month in which course is due to comme
Qualification	Engineering Degree in notified discipline
Marital Status	Un Married
Application to be Received by	Feb / Mar and Jul / Aug
Likely SSB Date	Nov to Jan for Apr Course and May to July for Oct Course
Date Commencement of Trg	Oct and Apr
Training Academy	OTA Chennai
Duration of Trg	49 Weeks

JAG Women

JAG Women		
Vacancies Per Course	As Notified	
Notify in Employment News and leading Daily news Paper	Notified by Additional Directorate General Recruiting / AG Branch	
Eligibility Criteria		
Age between	21 and 27 yrs as on 01 Jan of the yr in which course is due to commence for Apr course and 01 Jul of the yr in which course is due to commence for Oct course	
Qualification	Graduate with LLB / LLM with 55% marks. Registered with Bar Council of India / State	
Marital Status	Un Married	
Application to be Received by	Oct / Nov and Apr / May	
Likely SSB Date	Dec - Jan and Jul - Aug	
Date Commencement of Trg	Apr and Oct	

Training Academy	OTA CHENNAI
Duration of Trg	49 Weeks

- 23. Incase of UPSC Entries ( NDA, IMA ( DE ) and OTA ( SSC ( Non Tech, men and women ), wait for the UPSC ,advertisement in Employment News/Rozgar Samachar/UPSC website Thereafter, apply to UPSC online to UPSC, as per instructions given by UPSC in the advertisement.
- 24. In case of other entries details are as under :-
  - (a) NCC Entry (Men and Women) After advertisement is issued in Dec or Jun, download common application form from this website and submit from duty filled with requisite documents to respective NCC unit/Group HQ. War Widows and Wards of battle Casualties: After downloading common application form from this website, post the form duty filled with attested photocopies of documents to Rtg Dte (Rtg-6), as per the address given in the advertisement.
  - (b) <u>10=2 TES,TGC,SSC (Tech,men and women</u>) Apply online through this website, after the advertisement is issued, within the period stipulated in the advertisement and mail the printed online application to ADG Rtg (Rtg-6), West Block 3, R K Puram New Delhi-110066, within the time period stipule in the advertisement.
  - (c) <u>University Entry Scheme ( Pre Final Year Students Only )</u>. Advertisement will be published in the month of Jun/Jul every year. Apply to concerned Command Headquarters as per the advertisement published Download the common application form for UES from DOWNLOAD Menu on the main page of this website and apply as per advertisement.

#### Points To Note for Non –UPSC Entries.

25. 10 th Class Certificate 12<sup>th</sup> Class Certificate and latest College Education documents (final mark sheet or previous semester marksheets or degree cert or provisional degree cert ) are required to be attached as attested photocopies with most application as given in the advertisement. The documents are be attested by gazette Officer,

# **PART III-JCO & OTHER RANKS**

Eligibility Criteria For Recruitment of JCOs and Other Ranks are given in the table below:-

# Minimum Educational Qualification and Age Criteria

S	Category	Education	Age
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1	Solder ( General Duty ) ( All Arms)`	SSLC/Metrics with 455 marks in aggregate and 32% in each subject No percentage considered in case candidate has passed higher qualification ie 10+2 and above	17 ½21 yer	
2	Solder (Technica I Technical Arms Artillery, Army Air Defence)	10+2/ intermediate Exam pass in Science with Physics, Chemistry, math's and English with 505% marks in aggregate and 40% in each subject (simple pass in 10+2 with requisite subject is acceptable up to 31 mar 2013.	17 ½23 Yrs	
3	Soldiers Clerk/Sto re Keeper Technical ( All Arms	10+2 Intermediate Exam pass any stream ( Arts, commerce, Science) with 50% marks in aggregate and minimum 40% in each subject. Should have studied and passed English and Maths/Accts/Book Keeping in CI X or CI XII with 40% marks in each subject. In case of graduate with marks and English as subject in Bsc the stipulation of 40% in CI or CI XII is waived off. In case of gradute withot English and Marks/Accts/Book Keeping he should have score more than 40% in English and Marths/Accts/Book Keeping at least once in CI X or CI XII	17 ½23 Yrs	
4	Soldier Nursing Assistant ( Army Medical Corpa )	10+2/Intermediate exam pass in Science with Physics, Chemistry Biology and Engish with Min 50% marks in aggregate and min 40% in each subject  OR  In case the candidate has a BSc Degree with (Botany/Zoology/Bio-Science) and English ,the  Stipulation of percentage I CI-XII is waived off However, the candidate should have studied all the four specified subjects in CI XII also	17 ½23 Yrs	
5	Soldier Tradesm en ( All Arms )	10 <sup>th</sup> ( except Syce Mess Keeper and House Keeper Who may be 8 <sup>th</sup> pass )	17 ½23 Yrs	
6	Soldier General Duty ( Matric Simple Pass ) ( All Arms	10 <sup>th</sup> Simple pass	17 ½23 Yrs	

	7	Surveyor Auto Carto ( Engineer s)	BA/BSc with Maths Must have also passed 12 <sup>th</sup> class (10+2) or equivalent with Marks and Science as main subject.	20-25 Yrs
	8	Junior Commissi oned officer Religious Teacher ( All Arms)	Gradute in any discipline In addition requisite qualification in his own religious denomination	27- 34Yrs
	9	Junior Commissi oned officer Catering ( Army Service Corps)	10+2 of eqwvelant exam and Diploma /Certificate  Course of a duration of one year or more in cookery/Hotel Management and Catering Tech from a recognized University/Food Craft Institute .AICTE recognition is not mandatory.	
	1 0	Havildar Educatio n (Army Educatio n Corps)	Group X MA/Msv/MCA or BA/BSC/BCA/Bsc (IT) with B Ed.)	20-25 Yrs

# Conclusion

26. Here if would be apt to reiterate- That all professions serve our motherland- but none of them is the same league as the Indian Army- for this is the only profession which affords you opportunity to live up to these stirring lines.

"To every man upon this earth,

death comes sooner or later

And how can a man die better

Facing fearful odds

For the ashes of his father

And the temple of his Gods"-Macauley