

HOW TO APPLY

DETAILED GUIDELINES/PROCEDURES FOR

A. GUIDELINES FOR FILLING ONLINE APPLICATION

B. PAYMENT OF FEES

C. PHOTOGRAPH & SIGNATURE SCAN AND UPLOAD

Candidates should have valid email ID which should be kept active till the declaration of results. It will help him/her in getting call letter/interview advices etc. by email.

a) GUIDELINES FOR FILLING ONLINE APPLICATION:

- i) Candidates will be required to register themselves online through Bank's website www.statebankofindia.com or www.sbi.co.in and pay the application fee using debit card/ credit card/ Internet Banking etc.
- ii) Candidates should first scan their latest photograph and signature. Online application will not be registered unless candidate uploads his/her photo and signature as specified.
- iii) Candidates should visit Bank's website www.statebankofindia.com or www.sbi.co.in and open the appropriate Online Application Format, available in the 'Recruitment link'.
- iv) Candidates should fill the application carefully. Once the application is filled in completely, candidate should submit the data. In the event of candidate not able to fill the data in one go, he can save the data already entered. When the data is saved, a provisional registration number and password will be generated by the system and displayed on the screen. **Candidate should note down the registration number and password.** They can re-open the saved data using registration number and password and edit the particulars, if needed. This facility will be available for three times only. Once the application is filled in completely, candidate should submit the data and proceed for online fee payment.

b) PAYMENT OF FEES:

- i) Fee payment will have to be made online through payment gateway available thereat.
- ii) After ensuring the correctness of the particulars of the application form candidates are required to pay fees through the payment gateway integrated with the application. No change/edit will be allowed thereafter.
- iii) The payment can be made by using debit card / credit card / Internet Banking etc. by providing information as asked on the screen. Transaction charges for online payment, if any, will be borne by the candidates.
- iv) On successful completion of the transaction, e-receipt and application form with the date entered by the candidate will be generated, which should be printed and retained by the candidate.
- v) If the online transaction is not successfully completed, please register again and make payment online.
- vi) There is also a provision to reprint the e-Receipt and Application form containing fee details, at later stage.

C. GUIDELINES FOR PHOTOGRAPH & SIGNATURE SCAN AND UPLOAD

Before applying online, a candidate will be required to have a scanned (digital) image of his/her photograph and signature as per the specifications given below.

Your online application will not be registered unless you upload your photograph and signature as specified.

On uploading your photograph and signature as specified your online application will be provisionally registered.

(i) **Photograph Image :-**

- Photograph must be a recent passport size colour picture.
- The picture should be in colour, taken against a light coloured, preferably white background.
- Look straight at the camera with a relaxed face.
- If the picture is taken on a sunny day, have the sun behind you, or place yourself in the shade, so that you are not squinting and there are no harsh shadows.
- If you have to use flash, ensure there's no "red-eye".
- If you wear glasses make sure that there are no reflections and your eyes can be clearly seen.
- Caps, hats and dark glasses are not acceptable, religious headwear is allowed but it must not cover your face.
- Dimensions 200 x 230 pixels (preferred)
- Size of the file should be between 20kb – 50kb.
- Ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 50kb. If the size of the file is more than 50kb, then adjust the settings of the scanner such as the DPI resolution, no of colours etc during the process of scanning.

(ii) **Signature Imaging :-**

- The applicant has to sign on white paper with Black Ink Pen.
- The signature must be signed only by the applicant and not by any other person.
- If the applicant's signature on the answer script at the time of the examination does not match the signature on the Attendance Sheet/ Hall Ticket, the applicant will be disqualified.
- Dimensions 140 x 60 pixels (preferred)
- Size of the file should be between 10kb – 20kb.
- Ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 20kb.

Scanning the photograph & signature :-

1. Set the scanner resolution to a minimum of 200 dpi (dots per inch).
2. Set the colour to True Colour
3. File size as specified above
4. Crop the image in the scanner to the edge of the photograph/ signature, then use the upload editor to crop the image to the final size (as specified above).
5. The image file should be JPG or JPEG format. An example file name is: image01.jpg or image01.jpeg. Image dimensions can be checked by listing the folder files or moving the mouse over the file image icon.

Candidates using MS Windows/ MS Office can easily obtain photo and signature in .jpeg format not exceeding 50kb and 20kb respectively by using MS Paint or MS Office Picture Manager. Scanned photograph and signature in any format can be saved in .jpg format by using 'Save As' option in the File menu and size can be reduced below

50kb (photograph) & 20kb (signature) by using crop and then resize option (Please see point (i) & (ii) above for the pixel size) in the 'Image' menu. Similar options are available in other photo editor also.

If the file size and format are not as prescribed, an error message will be displayed.

While filling in the Online Application Form, the candidate will be provided with a link to upload his photograph and signature.

Procedure for uploading the Photograph and Signature :-

- (i) There will be two separate links for uploading Photograph and Signature.
- (ii) Click on the respective link 'Upload Photograph/ Signature'.
- (iii) Browse and select the location where the scanned photograph/ signature file has been saved.
- (iv) Select the file by clicking on it.
- (v) Click the upload button.

Your Online Application will not be registered unless you upload your photograph and signature as specified.

Note :-

- 1. In case the face in the photograph or signature is unclear, the candidate's application may be rejected.**
- 2. In case the photograph or signature is unclear, the candidate may edit his application and reupload his photograph or signature prior to submission.**

Procedure for Uploading the Photograph and Signature

- There will be two separate links for uploading Photograph and Signature.
- Click on the respective link "Upload Photograph / Signature".
- Browse & Select the location where the Scanned Photo/ Signature file has been saved.
- Select the file by clicking on it.
- Click the 'Upload' button.