

MIZORAM PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
LIMITED DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO
HEADMASTER, GOVERNMENT HIGH SCHOOL UNDER SCHOOL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,
GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM.
(SEPTEMBER-2026)

PAPER - IV

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Full Marks : 100

Pass Marks : 40

Marks for each question is indicated against it.

1. Are the following statements **true or **false**? (10×1=10)**

- (a) The Mizoram Prevention of Malpractices at Examination Act, 1990 defines 'Examination' as any examination conducted by various bodies or individuals.
- (b) The Kothari Commission recommends that English is to be used specifically as a 'library language'.
- (c) The curricular structure of 5+3+3+4 was suggested by NPE 1986.
- (d) There are ten (10) members in the MSCPCR as mandated by appropriate authority.
- (e) The Education Policy of Mizoram 2013 is of the opinion that English should be used as a medium of instruction from upper elementary level onwards for better job opportunities of students.
- (f) The POCSO Act 2012 defines a child as any person who has not attained the age of eighteen years.
- (g) Under the Mizoram Prevention of Malpractices at Examination Act, 1990, leaking a question paper carries a fine of up to ten thousand rupees.
- (h) The Programme of Action 1992 enhanced central assistance to 100% to promote appointment of Hindi teachers in non-Hindi speaking states.
- (i) The Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) was dissolved in 2018.
- (j) The Education Policy of Mizoram 2013 outlines a 14-point plan for transformation of Education in the state.

2. Write the full form of: (7×2=14)

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| (a) NPE | (b) POCSO |
| (c) CCE | (d) STEM |
| (e) NVEQF | (f) DIET |
| (g) MSCPCR | |

3. Fill in the blanks:

(8×2=16)

- (a) The Mizoram Prevention of Malpractices at Examination Act, 1990 excludes primary exams in _____.
- (b) The Kothari Commission recommended investment of _____ percent of the national income on education.
- (c) If a teacher or a member of the school management commits a sexual assault on a student within the educational institution, the crime is classified as _____.
- (d) The _____ programme was integrated and expanded after NPE 1986 to introduce computer literacy in schools.
- (e) The POA 1992 Mandated that _____% of future primary school teachers must be women to boost female literacy enrolment.
- (f) The Kothari Commission integrates productive manual work into general education as _____.
- (g) Under Section 21(2) of POCSO Act 2012, the maximum punishment for a school head who fails to report an offence committed by a subordinate under their control will amount to _____.
- (h) The Education Policy of Mizoram 2013 is a direct outcome of the _____ set up in 2019.

4. Choose the correct option:

(5×2=10)

- (i) The Mizoram Board of School Education Act came into force on:
 - (a) 1976
 - (b) 1992
 - (c) 1975
 - (d) 1982
- (ii) Under section 35(1) of POCSO Act 2013 the evidence of a child may be recorded after the Special Court takes cognizance of the offence within which period?
 - (a) 3 months
 - (b) 45 days
 - (c) 30 days
 - (d) 15 days
- (iii) Which educational structure did the Kothari Commission recommended?
 - (a) 10+2+4
 - (b) 10+2+3
 - (c) 5+3+3+4
 - (d) 2+5+3+4
- (iv) The National Literacy Mission (NLM) focussed on non-literates of which age group?
 - (a) 25- 40 years
 - (b) 14- 25 years
 - (c) 15- 30 years
 - (d) 15- 35 years
- (v) The Education Policy of Mizoram 2013 recommends introduction of vocational classes as a separate stream of study from:
 - (a) Class VI
 - (b) Class IX
 - (c) Class XI
 - (d) Class VIII

Direction (Question Nos. 5 - 9) : Answer the following questions:

(5×4=20)

5. Which important document in Indian education history introduced the +2 system and why?
6. Why did the Kothari Commission recommend the three-language policy?
7. What is the legal punishment under POCSO Act 2012 for a person who reveals the name, school, or photograph of a victim child in any media/ social media platform without permission?
8. The Education Policy of Mizoram 2013 stresses on the 'importance of conservation of the environment and natural resources'. How is this aim to be achieved according to the Policy?
9. What is the definition of 'Superintendent' under the Mizoram Prevention of Malpractices at Examination Act, 1990?

Direction (Question Nos. 10 - 12) : Answer the following questions:

(3×10=30)

10. What are the aims and objectives of the Education Policy of Mizoram 2013? Discuss the four (4) recommendations of the Policy to achieve the aims and objectives and its relevance for school education in Mizoram today.
11. "POCSO Act 2012 protects children from sexual assault, sexual harassment, and pornographic exploitation"- Elaborate this statement with reference to child-victims and its implications on their future academic prospects, personal growth and mental health and well-being and its relevance on today's digital era.
12. Describe the present curricular structure for school education in place in Mizoram. Trace the genesis of this structure and explain the core objectives of this particular curricular structure. Discuss its advantages and disadvantages for the state of Mizoram.

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