Applications are invited from qualified candidates who wish to be considered for enlistment as Trainee Primary School Educator in the Ministry of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research for the following fields:-

(i) Health and Physical Education and Road Safety;
(ii) the Arts; and
(iii) Civic and Values Education.

II. AGE LIMIT

Candidates should be between 18 and 40 years of age by the closing date for the submission of applications.

III. QUALIFICATIONS

1. Candidates should possess -

   A. a Cambridge School Certificate with credit in at least five subjects including English Language, French and Mathematics obtained at not more than two sittings or

   Passes not below Grade C in at least five subjects including English Language, French and Mathematics obtained at not more than two sittings at the General Certificate of Education “Ordinary Level” provided that at one of the sittings, passes have been obtained either (i) in five subjects including English Language with at least Grade C in any two subjects or (ii) in six subjects including English Language with at least Grade C in any one subject.

   Note

   Candidates not possessing a credit in English Language at the Cambridge School Certificate will also be considered provided they possess passes in at least two subjects at “Principal Level” and one subject at “Subsidiary Level” as well as the General Paper obtained on one certificate at the Cambridge Higher School Certificate Examinations; and

   B. a Cambridge Higher School Certificate or Passes in at least two subjects obtained on one certificate at the General Certificate of Education “Advanced Level”.

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Equivalent qualifications to A and B above acceptable to the Public Service Commission.

2. Candidates should be computer literate.

NOTE

1. Qualification at 1.A above should have been obtained prior to qualification at 1.B above.

2. Candidates should produce written evidence of knowledge claimed.

3. The onus for the submission of equivalence of qualification (if applicable) from the relevant authorities (Tertiary Education Commission or Mauritius Qualifications Authority) rests on the candidates. Applications will not be considered failing the non-submission of Equivalence Certificate, as appropriate, by the closing date.

4. The Commission reserves the right to convene only the best qualified candidates for interview.

IV. CONDITIONS OF TRAINING AND ALLOWANCE

Selected candidates will be required to follow a two-year training course, both theoretical and practical, in all aspects of the work of a Primary School Educator leading to the award of a Teacher’s Diploma (Primary) at such institution as may be approved.

Candidates selected for the teaching of non-core subjects related to holistic development of pupils will be exposed to the broad aspects of the school curriculum and will be trained in the teaching of the following fields –

(i) Health and Physical Education and Road Safety;
(ii) the Arts; and
(iii) Civic and Values Education.

During the training period, Trainee Primary School Educators will draw an allowance in scale Rs 14,325 x 275 – 14,875 a month. They will, however, have to meet from their allowance their expenditure on such items as books and such articles of personal equipment as required. Travelling expenses incurred by bus from residence to place of work/training and back will be refunded.
On successful completion of their training, Trainee Primary School Educators will be considered for appointment to the grade of Primary School Educator as and when vacancies occur.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in scale Rs 19,575 x 475 – 21,950 x 625 – 23,200 x 775 – 32,500 x 925 – 35,275 QB 36,200 x 925 – 37,125 x 1,225 – 39,575 a month.

V. BOND

Selected candidates will be required, after serving a satisfactory trial period of fifteen days, to enter into a bond (which will start as from the date of enlistment) together with two sureties in the sum of four hundred and twenty thousand and six hundred and fifty rupees (Rs 420,650) to the effect that they will follow and complete the training course and serve in Government Primary Schools or Aided Primary Schools chosen by the Senior Chief Executive, Ministry of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research for a period of five years as from the date of appointment in the grade of Primary School Educator.

VI. MODE OF APPLICATION

1. Qualified candidates should submit their application on PSC Form 7 which may be obtained either from the Enquiry Counter of the Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms, Ground Floor, Emmanuel Anquetil Building, Port Louis or from the Enquiry Counter of the Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side or from the Chief Commissioner’s Office, Port Mathurin, Rodrigues.

2. Candidates already in the service should submit their application in duplicate, the original to be sent directly to the Secretary, Public Service Commission and the duplicate through their respective Supervising/Responsible Officers.

3. This advertisement together with the Application Form (PSC Form 7) are available on the website of the Public Service Commission at http://psc.govmu.org

4. Candidates are encouraged to submit on-line application through the government web portal at http://www.govmu.org

5. Acknowledgement of applications will be made, as far as possible, by e-mail. Candidates are therefore advised to submit their e-mail address.
6. Candidates are also advised to read carefully the “NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES” before filling in the Application Form. Care should be taken to fill in the Application Form correctly. **Incomplete, inadequate or inaccurate filling of the Application Form may entail elimination of the applicant.**

VII. CLOSING DATE

Applications should reach the Secretary, Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side, **not later than 3.00 p.m. on Thursday 24 November 2016.**

Date: 11 November 2016

Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, **FOREST SIDE.**