



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA – ANNUAL (II) EXAMINATION 2026

1. Grade IX

- **Regular:** Candidates who have passed Grade VIII Exam in 2025 or before may appear in Grade IX Regular (Age limit: 12 to 20 years).
- **Private:** Any fresh candidate (at least 12 years old) may appear in Grade IX Private with the basic document requirements.

Requirements

- B-form/CRC Form/CNIC
- Recent photo with blue/white background.

2. Grade X

Candidates who have passed Grade IX **in 2023 or later** from ZUEB may appear in Grade X, provided their Grade IX enrollment remains valid within the prescribed **three-year validity period**.

3. Grade XI

- **Regular:** Candidates who have passed SSC Exam in 2025 or the last 5 years (**in 2020 or later**) may appear in Grade XI Regular (Age limit: Not more than 25 years).
- **Private:** Candidates having gap of more than 5 years after passing SSC Exam may appear as a private candidate.

Requirements

- B-form/CRC Form/CNIC
- Recent photo with blue/white background
- SSC Marksheet & Certificate

4. Grade XII

Candidates who have passed Grade XI **in 2023 or later** from ZUEB may appear in Grade XII, provided their Grade XI enrollment remains valid within the prescribed **three-year validity period**.

5. Combine (Gap)

Candidates having at least two-year gap after passing Grade VIII / SSC Exam may appear in Part I & II Combined SSC / HSSC Examination as a **private** candidate.

Age limit: 14 to 20 years (SSC Science)
 14 to (No upper age limit) (SSC General)
 Not more than 25 years (HSSC Science)
 Not more than 35 years (HSSC Commerce)
 No upper age limit (HSSC Humanities)

Requirements

- B-form/CRC Form/CNIC
- Recent photo with blue/white background
- School Leaving Certificate (for SSC)
- SSC Marksheet & Certificate (for HSSC)



6. Improvement

- ZUEB candidates who have passed SSC/HSSC Examination **in 2024 or later** may appear for improvement of grade/marks, provided their SSC/HSSC enrollment remains valid within the prescribed **three-year validity period**.
- Candidates may appear in all subjects of Part I / Part II / Part I & II Combined.

Requirements

- Improvement of Grade Permission

7. Additional

ZUEB candidates who have passed SSC/HSSC Examination **in 2024 or later** may appear for additional subject(s) with the basic subject requirements, provided their SSC/HSSC enrollment remains valid within the prescribed **three-year validity period**.

Age limit: Not more than 23 Years (SSC Science)
 Not more than 28 Years (HSSC Science)
 Not more than 38 Years (HSSC Commerce)

Requirements

- Additional Subject(s) Permission

8. Failure / Absentees

ZUEB candidates who failed in Part I / Part II **in 2023 or later** may appear in the failed subject(s) only, provided their SSC/HSSC enrollment remains valid within the prescribed **three-year validity period**.

9. Parallel Stream / Group

Candidates may opt for parallel stream alongside their core stream in Grade IX/XI.

Note

- Part I students who appeared in Annual (I) Exam 2026 are NOT eligible to appear in Annual (II) Exam 2026.
- Scan copies of **original** documents must be uploaded on portal.
- Candidate's enrolment is valid for **three consecutive years**. Expired enrolment may be renewed for another period of **one year** after payment of necessary dues.
- ZUEB reserves the right to **block/cancel** any candidate's enrolment form if school fails to rectify the Board's objection in four attempts (no refund will be made).
- For any query related to enrolments, please write us at helpdesk@zueb.edu.pk
- SSC candidates of any province other than Sindh must submit a valid **Migration Certificate / NOC** issued by the relevant board.