

APPENDIX –A

THE OCCUPATIONAL ASPIRATION SCALE (OAS)

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Please fill in the folioing entries: Date:

Name

Father's Name

Date of Birth

Rural () Urban ()

Class

Sex : Male () Female ()

Subject-Stream ()

Year/Semester

College

City

Instructions

Some questions related to occupations are given in this questionnaire; ten occupations are given in each question You have to select only one occupation out of these ten occupations. Read every question carefully. All questions are different from each other. Put the right tick 0 on the occupation of your choice. Answer the entire question. Your answers will be kept confidential

Scoring Key

question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	total
score									

Percentile

level of aspiration

QUESTION.1 Below given is a list of occupations. Persons who occupy them get respect in society but respect differs with the occupation. In some occupations it is high and in some low. Keeping in mind your abilities, capacity to do labour, socio-economic and cultural conditions etc. select the occupation which you will definitely achieve after completing your college education? Put the right tick on that occupation.

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| 1.1 High School Teacher | 1.6 Business Executive |
| 1.2 Commanders in Chief | 1.7 Carpenter |
| 1.3 Travel Agent | 1.8 Fisheries Officer |
| 1.4 Detective | 1.9 Indian Foreign Service |
| 1.5 Government Officer | 1.10 International Business Owner |

QUESTION. 2 Below given is a list of occupations. Persons who occupy them get respect in society but respect differs with the occupation. In some occupations it is high and in some low. Which one is the highest occupation that you will select if you are given full freedom of selection? Put the right tick '0' on that occupation.

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| 2.1 Wire man | 2.6 Vice Chancellor |
| 2.2 Cyber Point Operator | 2.7 Probation Officer |
| 2.3 Bank Probationary Officer | 2.8 Interior Designer |
| 2.4 Regional Sales Manager | 2.9 Nurse |
| 2.5 Sub-inspector | 2.10 Food Technologist |

QUESTION. 3 Below given is a list of occupations. Persons who occupy them get respect in society but respect differs with the occupation. In some occupations it is high and in some low. Keeping in mind your abilities, capacity to do labour, socio-economic and cultural conditions etc., select the occupation which you will definitely achieve, by the time you attain the age of 45 years? Put the right tick o on that occupation.

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| 3.1 Air Hostess/Fight Steward | 3.6 Textile Designer |
| 3.2 Panchayat Secretary | 3.7 Computer Operator |
| 3.3 Member of Parliament | 3.8 AC/Refrigerator mechanic |
| 3.4 advertising executive | 3.9 photographers |
| 3.5 international travel and Tourism manager | 3.10 farmer |

QUESTION. 4 Below given is a list of occupations. Persons who occupy them get respect in society but respect differs with the occupation. In some occupations it is high and in some low. if you are given full freedom to select an occupation, which one is the highest occupation that you would like to achieve by the time you attain the age of 45 years? Put the right tick 0 on that occupation.

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| 4.1 Bank Manager | 4.6 Welder |
| 4.2 Inspector Quality Control | 4.7 Primary School Teacher |
| 4.3 Doctor (MBBS) | 4.8 Stenographer |
| 4.4 Electrical/Software Engineer | 4.9 Sales Tax Officer |
| 4.5 Journalist | 4.10 1AS |

QUESTION. 5 Below given is a list of occupations. Persons who occupy them get respect in society but respect differs with the occupation. In some occupations it is high and in some low. Which occupation will you name if someone asks you; which one is the best occupation such that a person should aim at achieving it ? Put the right tick 0 on that occupation

5.1 Tour Guide

5.6 Custom Officer

5.2 T.V. Artist

5.7 Bank Clerk

5.3 Chief Justice

5.8 Regional Transport Officer

5.4 Chartered Accountant

5.9 Pilot

5.5 Land Surveyer

5.10 Wing Commander

QUESTION. 6 Below given is a list of occupations. Persons who occupy them get respect in society but respect differs with the occupation. In some occupations it is high and in some low. Keeping in mind your abilities, capacity to do labour, socio-economic and cultural condition etc., select that occupation which you feel you will definitely achieve? Put the right tick 0 and that occupation.

6.1 Provincial Civil Service (PCS)

6.6 Lineman

6.2 Librarian

6.7 General (Army)

6.3 Choreographer

6.8 Nagarpalika Chairman

6.4 Investment Banker

6.9 Stage Artist

6.5 Bank Manager

6.10 Lieutenant

QUESTION. 7 Below given is a list of occupations. Persons who occupy them get respect in society but respect differs with the occupation. In some occupations it is high and in some low. Keeping in mind your abilities, capacity to do labour, socio-economic and cultural conditions etc., select that occupation which you feel that you will definitely achieve by the time you attain the age of 45 years? Put the right tick () on that occupation

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| 7.1 Furniture Designer | 7.6 Soldier |
| 7.2 Indian Forest Service (IFS) | 7.7 Professor |
| 7.3 Employment Counselor | 7.8 School lecturer |
| 7.4 Chief Executive Officer | 7.9 Bio Chemist! Animator |
| 7.5 Technician | 7.10 Electronic Engineer |

QUESTION. 8 Below given is a list of occupations. Persons who occupy them get respect in society but respect differs with the occupation. In some occupations it is high and in some low. Which occupation will you name? If someone asks you that which is the best occupation would you wish to achieve by the time you attain the age of 45 years? Put the right tick 0 on that occupation.

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| 8.1 Computer Hardware Designer | 8.6 Merchant Navy Officer |
| 8.2 Clerical Worker | 8.7 Gardner |
| 8.3 Telecommunication Officer | 8.8 IPS |
| 8.4 Flight Attendant | 8.9 CBI Officer |
| 8.5 Advocate | 8.10 LIC Agent |

APPENDIX -B

SCORING KEY FOR OCCUPATIONAL ASPIRATION SCALE

Alternatives	Question Numbers							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	4	1	6	6	1	9	3	7
2	10	3	5	5	3	4	9	4
3	3	9	10	9	10	3	5	6
4	2	8	9	7	8	5	10	5
5	6	7	8	4	2	6	1	3
6	8	10	7	1	5	1	2	9
7	1	6	4	3	4	10	8	1
8	5	4	3	2	6	7	4	10
9	9	2	2	8	7	2	6	8
10	7	5	1	10	9	8	7	2