

Notice of Examination

Promotion to Assistant Stockworker, Exam No. 9410

Application Deadline:

March 5, 2019

Type of Test:

Multiple-Choice

Application Fee:

\$68.00

Test Date: (subject to change)

Saturday, April 6, 2019 or Sunday, April 7, 2019

JOB DESCRIPTION

Assistant Stockworkers, under supervision, receive, check, classify, store and distribute materials and supplies at the storerooms and facilities of the MTA Bus Company system. This includes: the operation of all material handling equipment; data processing and maintenance of inventory transaction documents; the loading and unloading of trucks; all activities related to normal warehousing and distribution functions; keeping records; taking inventory; handling obsolete and scrap materials; driving automotive vehicles; and performing related work.

Some of the physical activities performed by Assistant Stockworkers and the environmental conditions experienced are: loading and unloading vehicles; operating forklifts and hi-los, and other machinery. Climbing and descending ladders. Lifting heavy objects up to 75 lbs. without the use of a mechanical device. Working outdoors in all weather conditions.

Special Working Conditions: Assistant Stockworkers may be required to work various shifts, including nights, Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

(This brief description does not include all of the duties of this position.)

SALARY

The current minimum salary for Assistant Stockworker is \$22.37 per hour for a 40-hour week. This rate is subject to change.

ELIGIBILITY TO TAKE EXAMINATION

This examination is open to each employee of MTA Bus Company who **on the first date of the multiple-choice test**:

- 1) is employed in the title of Cleaner-Helper or Maintainer Helper; and
- 2) is not otherwise ineligible

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Filing Opened: February 20, 2019

ELIGIBILITY TO TAKE EXAMINATION (Continued)

You are responsible for determining whether you meet the eligibility requirements for this examination prior to submitting the *Application*. If you do not know if you are eligible, check with **your department's Human Resources representative**. You may be given the test before we verify your eligibility. If you are marked "Not Eligible," your application fee will **not** be refunded and you will **not** receive a score.

This examination is <u>not</u> open to employees of New York City Transit or MaBSTOA, or to employees of MTA agencies other than MTA Bus Company.

REQUIREMENTS TO BE PROMOTED

Probation Completed: At the time of promotion, you must have completed your probationary period in one of the eligible titles indicated in the above "Eligibility to Take Examination" section.

Pre-Promotional Evaluation: All promotions are subject to pre-promotional evaluations.

Driver License Requirement: At the time of promotion, you must have a Motor Vehicle Driver License valid in the State of New York with no disqualifying restrictions that would preclude the performance of the duties of this title. If you have serious moving violations, a license suspension or an accident record you may be disqualified. This license must be maintained for the duration of your employment in the title.

Drug Screening Requirement: You must pass a drug screening in order to be promoted.

HOW TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION AND PAY THE APPLICATION FEE

If you believe you meet the requirements in the "Eligibility to Take Examination" section, submit an *Application* online by the last day of the *Application* period unless you are requesting a fee waiver. Applicants who wish to request a fee waiver should refer to the "How to Submit an Application When Requesting a Fee Waiver" section below.

Application Fee: This fee is generally not refundable. Under special circumstances, you may be entitled to a refund. You should refer to the Department of Citywide Administrative Services ("DCAS") General Exam Regulations to determine if you are entitled to a refund prior to requesting a refund. You can refer to the bottom of the last page of the Notice of Examination for instructions on how to obtain a copy of the DCAS General Exam Regulations.

Online Applications:

- 1. Apply using the "BSC" employee portal at www.mymta.info by the last day of the Application period.
- 2. You must pay the *Application* fee via payroll deduction. Applicants who request a fee waiver must apply by mail.
- 3. You will be sent a confirmation email after you complete your *Application* and pay the *Application* fee.

Save your confirmation numbers for future references and proof of filing an Application.

Computers with internet access are available on a limited basis at branches of the New York Public Library, the Brooklyn Public Library and the Queens Library to patrons with a valid library card.

HOW TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION WHEN REQUESTING A FEE WAIVER

Applicants who wish to request a fee waiver must obtain an *Application* in person at the MTA Exam Information Center as indicated below and must submit the *Application* by mail to the address in the "Correspondence" section below by the last day of the application period.

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HOW TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION WHEN REQUESTING A FEE WAIVER (Continued)

MTA New York City Transit will not accept *Applications* in person. Additional information on requesting an application fee waiver is available with the *Application*.

MTA Exam Information Center: Open Monday through Friday, from 9 AM to 3 PM, in the lobby at 180 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, New York. Directions: take the A, C, F, or R trains to the Jay Street-Metro Tech Station, or the 2, 3, or G train to the Hoyt Street Station.

ADMISSION LETTER

An Admission Letter will be mailed to you about 10 days before the first date of the multiple-choice test. If you do not receive an Admission Letter at least 4 days before this date, you may obtain a duplicate letter at the MTA Exam Information Center (as indicated above). A paper copy of the Admission Letter is your ticket for admission to the test.

Applicants **must** keep their mailing address **up to date**. Please refer to the Correspondence section below for instructions on how to update your address and other contact information.

THE TEST

You will be given a <u>competitive</u> multiple-choice test. A score of at least 70% is required to pass the competitive multiple-choice test. Your score on this test will determine 85% of your final score. Your seniority will determine the remaining 15%. You must pass the competitive multiple-choice test to have your seniority credited. Your seniority score will be 70 plus 3 points for each year of service in MTA Bus Company or one of the private bus companies consolidated under MTA Bus Company to a maximum of 100% for 10 years or more of eligible service. Partial seniority credit will be given for each day served as an MTA Bus Company employee. Time served prior to a break in service of more than one year will not be credited.

The multiple-choice test may include questions on general storeroom receiving, storage and distribution procedures in accordance with requisitions and orders; industrial equipment and hand tools; job related arithmetic; efficient and safe storage practices; preparation of reports; and other related areas.

TEST ADMINISTRATION GUIDELINES

Warning: You are not permitted to enter the test site with cellular phones, smart watches, beepers, pagers, cameras, portable media players, or other electronic devices. Calculators are permitted, however they must be hand-held, battery or solar-powered, numeric only. Calculators with functions **other than** addition, subtraction, multiplication and division **are prohibited**. Electronic devices with an alphabetic keyboard, word processing, or data recording capabilities, such as planners, organizers, etc., are prohibited. If you use any of these devices in the building at any time before, during, or after the test, you may **not** receive your test results, your test score may be nullified, and your application fee will **not** be refunded.

You may not have any other person, including children, present with you while you are being processed for or taking the test, and no one may wait for you inside of the test site while you are taking the test.

Leaving: You must leave the test site once you finish the test. If you leave the test site after being fingerprinted but before finishing the test, you will not be permitted to re-enter. If you disregard this instruction and re-enter the test site, you may not receive your test results, your test score may be nullified, and your application fee will not be refunded.

Proof of Identity: You must present your MTA New York City Transit employee ID when you arrive to take each test.

THE TEST RESULTS

If you pass the competitive multiple-choice test and are marked eligible, your name will be placed in final score order on an eligible list and you will be given a list number. You will be notified by mail of your test results. If you meet all requirements and conditions, you will be considered for promotion when your name is reached on the eligible list.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Late Filing: Consult with **your department's Human Resources representative** to determine the procedure for filing a late *Application* if you meet one of the following conditions:

- 1. You are absent from work for at least one-half of the application period and are unable to apply for reasons such as vacation, sick leave or military duty; or
- 2. You become eligible after the above application period, but on or before the first date of the multiple-choice test.

Make-Up Test: You may apply for a make-up test if you cannot take the test on the scheduled test date for any of the following reasons:

- 1. Compulsory attendance before a public body; or
- 2. On-the-job injury or illness caused by municipal employment where you are an officer or employee of the City; or
- Absence from the test within one week after the death of a spouse, domestic partner, parent, sibling, child or child of a domestic partner where you are an officer or employee of the City; or
- 4. Absence due to ordered military duty; or
- 5. A clear error for which MTA New York City Transit is responsible; or
- 6. A temporary disability, pregnancy-related, or child-birth-related condition preventing you from taking the test.

To request a make-up test, mail your request with your documentation of special circumstances to the address found in the "Correspondence" section below within 60 days of your scheduled test date or make the request within 60 days of restoration to your position after performing ordered military duty.

Special Test Accommodations: If you plan to request special testing accommodations due to disability or an alternate test date due to your religious belief, follow the instructions included with your *Application* and mail your request to the address found in the "Correspondence" section below no later than 30 days prior to the scheduled test date.

CORRESPONDENCE

Change of Contact Information: You must keep your employee contact information (telephone number, mailing address and email address) current with both MTA New York City Transit <u>and</u> the MTA Business Service Center (BSC).

To update your contact information with the MTA New York City Transit, you must:

- 1. Visit us at the MTA Exam Information Center;
- 2. Send an e-mail to examsunit@nyct.com, with the subject named 'Contact Info Update'; or
- 3. Mail us at the address below, with the words 'Contact Info Update' next to the exam title.

To update your contact information with the MTA Business Service Center (BSC), you must visit www.mymta.info and select the "My Personal Information" tab.

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CORRESPONDENCE (Continued)

Failure to keep your employee contact information current with **both MTA New York City Transit** <u>and</u> **the MTA Business Service Center (BSC)**, will prevent you from receiving important information about your exam(s) or consideration for promotion, including important information that may require a response by a specified deadline.

All other correspondence must be sent to the following address:

Promotion to Assistant Stockworker, Exam No. 9410 MTA New York City Transit 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070 Brooklyn, NY 11201

PENALTY FOR MISREPRESENTATION

Any intentional misrepresentation on the *Application* or examination may result in disqualification, even after promotion, and may result in criminal prosecution.