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Advt. No. NSTL/APPRENTICESHIP/01/2026

Dated 17th APRIL 2026

Closing Date of receipt of Application:

15 days from the date of publication of Advt.

**APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING TO GRADUATE/DIPLOMA/ITI CANDIDATES
UNDER APPRENTICE ACT 1961 and AS AMENDED IN 1961, 1973 & 2014**

Naval Science & Technological Laboratory (NSTL), Visakhapatnam is a premier Laboratory of DRDO committed to engage apprentices as a measure of skill building initiative for the nation. NSTL invite online applications from eligible candidates having Graduation/Diploma/ITI (passed during the years 2023, 2024 and 2025) only being Indian Nationals for a period of **ONE YEAR** as per the details furnished hereunder.

Educational Qualification (Apprenticeship)	Discipline	No. of Candidates to be recruited	STIPEND PER MONTH
B.Tech / B.E., (Graduate Apprentice)	Mechanical Engg.	10	As per Govt. Norms
	Computer Science Engg.		
	Electronics & Communication Engg. (ECE)		
	Electrical & Electronics Engg. (EEE)		
Diploma (Technician Apprentice)	Computer Science Engg.	10	
	EEE		
	Mechanical Engg.		
	Electronics & Instrumentation DCCP		
ITI (Technician Vocational Apprentice)	Photographer /	22	
	Digital Photographer		
	Electrician		
	Electronics		
	Fitter		
	Diesel / Motor Mechanic		
TOTAL		42 POSTS	

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Note:

1. For the above-mentioned apprentices, Reservation for SC/ST/OBC categories will be applicable as per provisions of Apprentices Act 1961, Apprenticeship Rules 1992 & Apprenticeship (Amendment) Rules 2019.
2. The Last date for receipt of application is 15 days from the date of publication of this advertisement.
3. Applications shall be accepted in online mode only i.e., through NATS and NAPS Portal.

TERMS & CONDITIONS FOR APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING:

1.	All the qualifications must be from Indian Institutions recognized by Appropriate Statutory Authority.
2.	Registration of B.E./B.Tech/Diploma Candidates on www.nats.education.gov.in i.e, NATS 2.0 and ITI Candidates on www.apprenticeshipindia.gov.in is mandatory.
3.	Regular Candidates who have completed their education qualifications during the years 2023, 2024 & 2025 are only eligible to apply.
4.	Candidates with post graduate qualifications are not eligible to apply.
5.	Candidates who have already undergone Apprenticeship Training or at present undergoing Apprenticeship Training under any organization are not eligible to apply.
6.	Candidates with more than one-year work experience are not eligible to apply.
7.	Candidates should not be less than 18 years of age as on closing date of application.
8.	The tenure of Apprenticeship Training for the above trades would be 12 months, commencing from execution of the Contract of Apprenticeship.
9.	No TA/DA will be paid to the applicants called for any stage of the selection process.
10.	The engagement and training are strictly in compliance with the provision of the Apprentice Act 1961 and there is no obligation for employment of apprentices on completion of their training.
11.	No transport will be provided by the establishment at the time of interview and also during training period. The apprentices will not be provided any hostel accommodation/quarter on their selection and during the training period.
12.	Selection will be made on the basis of Academic Merit/Written Test/Interview as required, subject to satisfactory verification of the documents.
13.	Any canvassing or personnel follow up with an intention of influencing the process of selection of apprentice by and behalf of any candidate shall lead to immediate cancellation of candidature.
14.	NSTL reserves all the rights to withdraw/cancel the advertisement/selection process if circumstances so warrant without assigning any reason thereof.
15.	The number of apprentices mentioned above are only indicative and may change at a later stage depending on the final assessment of eligible applications received.
16.	The candidates are advised to enable their DIRECT BENEFICIARY TRANSFER (DBT) with AADHAR CARD and also their BANK ACCOUNT should be seeded/linked/synchronized with AADHAR CARD for the purpose of transfer of (Govt share) Stipend in to bank account.
17.	Suppression of facts will lead to disqualification at any stage of the selection process or during training period.

HOW TO APPLY

1.	Before filling the application form, candidates shall ensure that they fulfil all the eligibility criteria and other norms mentioned in the advertisement.
2.	Candidates registered in the respective portals are required to submit their scanned copy of application in the prescribed proforma (Annexure-A) to email id: admin2.dept.nstl@gov.in
3.	Candidates are requested to fill up correct details against all the fields of application (Annexure-A) along with uploading of scanned copies of all mandatory documents.
4.	The marks obtained in the qualifying exam are to be mentioned in percentage. In case of CGPA, candidates are requested to convert the CGPA into percentage as per their university norms and the same will be verified during document verification.
5.	Candidates are required to bring a signed printout of the application (Annexure-A) along with the originals of the documents submitted online at the time of joining at NSTL, Visakhapatnam.
6.	Online applications received after the last date will not be accepted. Incomplete or partially filled application forms will not be accepted.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Verification of credentials shall be done for the selected candidates prior to Creation of Contract itself and in case of any deviation from or non-conformity with desired qualification, candidature of the candidate shall be summarily rejected.
2. All applicants are required to bring self-attested copies of documents mentioned below along with the printout of the application form (Annexure-A) during document verification/joining.

Documents to be carried out:

- (a) 10th Marksheet and Certificate
 - (b) B.E/B.Tech/Diploma/ITI Mark sheets for all semesters
 - (c) Degree/Provisional Degree/Diploma/ITI Certificate
 - (d) Caste Certificate if applicable
 - (e) PWD Certificate if applicable
 - (f) Any Photo Identity Card issued by Govt. of India i.e PAN Card, Voter Card, Driving License etc.,
 - (g) Aadhar Card and Copy of Bank Pass Book
 - (h) EWS Certificate (if applicable)
 - (i) Medial Fitness Certificate issued by a Civil Assistant Surgeon or equivalent
 - (j) Two Passport size photographs
3. No correspondence shall be entertained from the candidates not selected for training.
 4. Selected list of candidates for certificate verification will be [informed via e-mail id mentioned in the bio-data for correspondence](#).
 5. Selected candidates shall have to sign a contract on the date of joining as per Govt. of India rules.
 6. Candidates finally selected will have to produce valid Police Verification Certificate either from their place of last residence (for at least past one year) or permanent address at the time of joining.
 7. In case of any dispute, the legal jurisdiction shall be that of the Honorable High Court, Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh.

For any queries, please contact on any working day i.e., from Monday to Friday:
0891-2586406 or mail to admin2.dept.nstl@gov.in

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DIRECTOR
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