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AN OPPORTUNITY TO UNDERGO APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING IN CSIR-CECRI, KARAIKUDI

CSIR-Central Electrochemical Research Institute (CSIR-CECRI), Karaikudi is a premier research institute under the aegis of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) an autonomous body under the Department of Science & Technology, Government of India.

Applications are invited for a walk-in-interview to be held at CSIR - CECRI, Karaikudi for the selection of ITI, Diploma & Graduate (Degree) candidates for engagement as Apprentice Trainees to impart training under the Apprenticeship Act, 1961(as amended from time to time). The details of the positions are given below:

I. TRADE (ITI) APPRENTICESHIP

Sl. No.	ITI Trade	Positions	Essential Qualification	Training Period	Stipend
1.	Fitter	4	ITI pass	01 Year	₹ 11,040/-pm
2.	Machinist	1	ITI pass		
3.	Electrician	5	ITI pass		
4.	Wireman	4	ITI pass		
5.	Electronics Mechanic	2	ITI pass		
6.	Ref. & A/c Mechanic	3	ITI pass		
7.	Draughtsman (Civil)	1	ITI pass		
8.	Turner	1	ITI pass		
9.	Plumber	1	ITI pass		
10.	Carpenter	1	ITI pass		
11.	Welder	2	ITI pass	01 Year	₹ 10,560/- pm
12.	PASAA	4	ITI pass		

II. TECHNICIAN (DIPLOMA) APPRENTICESHIP

Sl. No.	Diploma Trade	Positions	Essential Qualification	Training Period	Stipend
1.	Civil Engineering	01	Diploma in Civil Engineering	01 Year	₹ 10,900/- pm
2.	Mechanical Engineering	02	Diploma in Mechanical Engineering		
3.	Electrical & Electronics Engineering	02	Diploma in Electrical & Electronics Engineering		
4.	Electronics & Communication Engineering	01	Diploma in Electronics & Communication Engineering		

III. GRADUATE (ENGINEERING AND NON-ENGINEERING) APPRENTICESHIP

Sl. No.	Graduate Trade	Positions	Essential Qualification	Training Period	Stipend
1.	Engineering Graduate	01	B.E/ B.Tech in Civil Engineering	01 Year	₹ 12,300/- pm
2.	Non-Engineering Graduate	01	B.Sc. in Chemistry / Physics		
3.	Non-Engineering Graduate	02	Bachelor Degree in any discipline		

Note: Candidates appearing for Walk-in-interview for apprenticeship training in any other trades, other than the above, will not be entertained.

IV. MINIMUM EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:

A. Trade (ITI) Apprentices:

- Passed out trainees in the particular trade of NCVT pattern designated by Director General of Employment & Training (D.G.E.&T) and who have registered with Regional Directorate of Apprenticeship Training (RDAT), Chennai will only be considered for selection.

B. Technician (Diploma)/ Graduate (Degree) Apprentices:

- Full time graduate degree granted by a recognized university / Institutions in relevant discipline.
- Diploma in Engineering / Technology in full time granted by a State Council or Board of Technical Education established by a State Government/University/Institutions in relevant discipline.

V. OTHER ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

1. Graduate/ Technician candidates who have passed the qualifying exam in **2022/2023/2024/2025 are only eligible.**
2. Candidates who have registered themselves in the Apprenticeship Portal for Apprenticeship and who fulfil the eligibility criteria as indicated above will be considered for appearing in the walk-in-interview.
3. Candidates **should NOT have undergone any apprenticeship training earlier** or pursuing Apprenticeship Training as per the Apprenticeship Act, 1961 as amended from time to time.
4. Candidates **should NOT have experience of one year or more in any job.**
5. In case the date of declaration of result is not mentioned in the Mark sheet, the candidate must submit a certificate mentioning the date of publication of result issued by the Principal of the Polytechnic / College / Institute from where the candidate pursued his/her Diploma / Degree course, along with application form.
6. Sandwich diplomas, private diploma, part time/ Distance/ short term/ certificate courses etc., are not acceptable.

VI. AGE: As on date of interview

Category of Apprenticeship	Minimum Age (in years)	Maximum Age (in years)
TRADE (ITI) APPRENTICESHIP	14	No limit
TECHNICIAN (DIPLOMA) APPRENTICESHIP	18	24
GRADUATE (DEGREE) APPRENTICESHIP	21	26

Relaxation: Age relaxation is applicable as per the Govt rule for reserved categories

Ex-Servicemen: Upper age limit is relaxed up to additional 10 years to the extent of service rendered in Defence Forces

VII. RESERVATION OF VACANCIES:

Guidelines under Apprentices Act on Reservation for SC/ST/OBC/PWD/EWS will be followed. Those who are claiming reservation under SC/ST/OBC/PWD/EWS shall provide certificate as per Government of India format, failing which their claim for reservation will be considered as 'General' category only.

VIII. APPRENTICESHIP REGISTRATION:

Candidates are advised to register as ITI/ Graduate (Degree)/ Technician (Diploma) Apprentices online in the following portal under the respective state as per their trades in

- ITI (Trade) Apprentices: <https://apprenticeshipindia.org/candidate-registration>
- Graduate (Degree)/ Technician (Diploma) Apprentices: <https://nats.education.gov.in/>

The Candidates appearing for Walk-in-interview must register in the above mentioned portals and their enrolment number should be quoted in the application. (For registration, please see the instructions given in the following table)

For students who have not so far enrolled in the Apprenticeship Web Portal (Trade – ITI Apprentices)	For students who have not so far enrolled in the National Web Portal {Technician (Diploma)/ Graduate (Degree) Apprentices}}
a. Go to: https://apprenticeshipindia.org and click registration b. Candidates must watch the demo videos (link provided below) before starting registration in the website. ➤ Candidate Registration demo (Click the Link) ➤ Candidate Profile completion ➤ Candidate opportunity demo (Click the Link) Note: During registration in the website, candidate should enter his/father/mother name as given in their Aadhaar, PAN, or any other valid government ID. Before registration candidate should compare your name in their ITI/SSLC certificates with their name in Aadhaar, PAN, or any other valid government ID. Once your name entered in website, it will not be modified/ edited later and the same shall be reflected in your National Apprenticeship Certificate.	Step 1: a. Go to: http://nats.education.gov.in/ b. Click Enroll c. Complete the application form d. A unique Enrolment Number for each Student will be generated. Note: Please wait for at least one day for enrolment verification and approval. After this student can proceed to Step 2. Step 2: a. Login b. Click Establishment Request Menu c. Click Find Establishment d. Upload Resume e. Choose Establishment name f. Type “CSIR CECRI” and search g. Click apply h. Click apply again

Interested and eligible candidates may appear in the walk-in-interview with all original and one set of photocopy of all relevant testimonials with self-attestation as indicated below along with the application

- All Certificates/Testimonials in respect of Qualifications, DOB, etc.
- Caste Certificate [for SC/ST/OBC (Non Creamy Layer)/EWS candidates as applicable] in the prescribed format issued by the Competent Authority as prescribed by Government of India.
- Candidates should ensure that they submit all the documents mentioned above. In the event of failure to submit any of the required documents as mentioned above at the time of walk-in-interview, their candidature will not be considered.

पद / Position	अनिवार्य योग्यता / Essential Qualification (ITI & Diploma)	बॉक-इन-इंटरव्यू की तिथि और समय /Date & Time of Interview	कार्यक्रम का स्थान/ Venue
Trade, Technician & Graduate Apprentices	ITI - Fitter, Machinist, Mechanic Ref. & A/c, Welder, Draughtsman (Civil), Plumber, Carpenter, Electrician, Wireman, PASAA, Electronics Mechanic, Turner	03.11.2025 (Monday) from 9.00 am onwards	CSIR- Central Electrochemical Research Institute, College Road, Karaikudi.
	Diploma in Mechanical Engineering, ECE, EEE and Civil Engineering	04.11.2025 (Tuesday) from 9.00 am onwards	
	1. B.Sc. in Chemistry / Physics 2. Bachelor Degree in any discipline 3. B.E/B.Tech in Civil Engineering		

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

1. Date & Time of Walk-in-Interview: **03rd & 04th November 2025** at 09.00 AM (**Reporting Time: 08.45 AM**). No candidate will be allowed to enter into the venue after 10:30 AM.
2. Candidates have to submit their duly filled-in application available in CECRI Website along with original and self-attested copies of certificates, mark sheets, proof of date of birth (copy of SSLC/HSC), Aadhaar Card, a passport size photograph at the time of interview.
3. Candidates should have their valid Aadhaar Number.
4. The original documents including educational qualification, Birth/SSLC certificate, community and experience certificate, etc., in respect of selected candidate will be verified at the time of walk-in-interview. Your joining at CSIR-CECRI as apprenticeship trainee is subject to verification of certificates.
5. If number of candidates is more, the Selection Committee shall adopt its own criteria and shortlist the candidates for walk-in- interview in proportionate to the available vacancies.
6. Selected Candidate will be provided accommodation in the Institute campus (if available) and license fee will be levied.
7. Successful apprenticeship trainees will be awarded National Apprenticeship Certificate by National Council for Vocational Training (NCVT)/ Board of Apprenticeship Training (BOAT).
8. If any corrigendum/addendum etc. or updates with regard to this advertisement shall be made available on our website: <https://cecri.res.in/> or at (<https://cecri.res.in/Opportunities.aspx>) ONLY.
9. Candidates are advised to periodically visit our website as all future correspondence and latest information with regard to final screening/selection result shall be posted in our website (<https://cecri.res.in/Opportunities.aspx>) and/or by Email/SMS-alerts.
10. The applicant's candidature would be provisional and subject to subsequent verification of certificates and testimonials. In case, it is detected at any stage of engagement or thereafter, that a candidate does not fulfil the eligibility norms and/or that he/she has furnished any incorrect/ doctored/false information/certificate/documents or has suppressed any material fact(s), his/her candidature will stand cancelled. If any of these shortcomings is/are detected even after engagement if any, his/her engagement is liable to be terminated.
11. The decision of the Director, CSIR-CECRI, Karaikudi will be final and binding on all candidates and on all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of the applications, mode of selection, cancellation of the selection process either in part or full, etc. No correspondence/ Interim queries will be entertained in this regard. Filling up of the seats is solely at the discretion of the Director, CSIR-CECRI, Karaikudi based on suitability of candidates and no claim will arise for engagement, if some of these seats are not filled due to unsuitability/ insufficient number of candidates.
12. Upon completion of the Apprenticeship period CSIR-CECRI shall have no obligation to give regular employment to Apprentices. The Apprentices shall have no right to claim regular employment from CSIR-CECRI / CSIR or any of its Institutes /Laboratories on the grounds of completion of Apprenticeship.
13. Canvassing in any form and /or bringing in any influence, political or otherwise will be treated as a disqualification.

Any queries regarding Apprenticeship Trainees engagement, please contact office number(s) 04565 – 241219 / 218 during office hours (09.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.) or mails may be addressed to recruit.cecric@csir.res.in. No calls/mails will be entertained other than the above mentioned office telephone number(s) /email id.

Administrative Officer