

National Institute of Technology Calicut | राष्ट्रीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान कालीकट
Centre for Continuing Education and Skill Development (CCESD)
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Engagement of Apprentice Trainees (Graduate and Diploma) at NITC for the year 2026-27

The Centre for Continuing Education and Skill Development (CCESD), National Institute of Technology Calicut (NIT Calicut), invites applications from eligible candidates for engagement as Apprentice Trainees for a period of one year under the provisions of the Apprentices Act, 1961 and the Apprenticeship Rules, 1992, as amended from time to time.

A. GRADUATE APPRENTICES

Sl No	Subject/Trade	No. of Positions	Essential Educational Qualifications	Stipend
1.	Library and Information Science	04	B.Lib.Sc. with 60% marks, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized University/Institution; OR Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with 60% marks, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized University/Institution, along with M.Lib.Sc.	Rs 15,000/- per month
2.	Hotel Management	01	Degree in Hotel Management with 60% marks, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized University/Institution	
3.	Nursing	02	B.Sc. Nursing with 60% marks, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized University/Institution	
4.	General Administration	12	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with 60% marks, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized University/Institution.	
	Total	19		

B. TECHNICIAN APPRENTICES (DIPLOMA)

Sl No	Subject/Trade	No. of Positions	Essential Educational Qualifications	Stipend
1.	Commercial Practice	02	Diploma in Commercial Practice, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized Board	Rs 12,500/- per month
2.	Computer Science Engineering	05	Diploma in Computer Science Engineering, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized Board	
3.	Electronics Engineering	01	Diploma in Electronics Engineering, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized Board	
4.	Electrical Engineering	01	Diploma in Electrical Engineering, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized Board	
5.	Mechanical Engineering	01	Diploma in Mechanical Engineering, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized Board	
6.	Civil Engineering	01	Diploma in Civil Engineering, successfully completed on or after 01 January 2022 from a recognized Board	
	Total	11		

Instructions to the Candidates:

1. Qualification:

Only candidates who have obtained the prescribed qualification as specified in the above table, in regular mode, **on or after 01st January 2022**, shall be considered eligible. The prescribed educational qualification must have been obtained from a University/Institution in India or a State Board recognized by the competent authority, as applicable.

Candidates possessing a Master of Library and Information Science (M.Lib.Sc.) shall be eligible **only if** they have completed their **Bachelor's Degree on or after 01 January 2022 with a minimum of 60% marks**.

Candidates who have already created an apprenticeship contract with any Government or private organization/institution under NATS are **not eligible** for apprenticeship training.

2. How to apply:

Interested candidates are required to submit their applications online only through the link: <https://forms.gle/QUYrfuLQdveXkhvn9> . No other mode of application will be accepted. The last date for submission of applications is **21st October 2026**. Shortlisted candidates will be informed of the

subsequent stages of the selection process through email. No other means of communication will be entertained. For further details and updates, candidates are advised to visit the official website of the [National Institute of Technology Calicut](#).

3. Selection Procedure:

The applications received will be scrutinized and eligible candidates will be shortlisted based on the information furnished in the application. Shortlisted candidates may be called for document verification and/or written test and/or interview, as decided by NIT Calicut.

4. Age limit as on 21.10.2026:

	UR	OBC	SC	ST
Graduate	28	31	33	33
Diploma	30	33	35	35

5. Stipend:

The stipend payable to the Apprentice Trainees shall comprise two components, namely, the Government Share and the Institute Share. The Government share, equivalent to 50% of the applicable minimum stipend prescribed under the Apprenticeship Rules, as amended with effect from 11th September 2025, shall be disbursed directly to the respective apprentice by the Government through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT). The balance amount required to constitute the total stipend specified in the above table shall be borne and paid by NIT Calicut as the Institute share.

6. All correspondence with candidates shall be done through email only. NIT Calicut will not be responsible for any loss of email sent due to invalid/wrong e-mail ID provided by the candidate or delivery of email to the SPAM/BULK folder etc.
7. Shortlisting/empanelment of candidates shall be based on the information furnished in the application. If any discrepancy is found at any stage in the candidate's name, age, percentage of marks in Diploma/Degree, year of passing, or any other relevant information, the candidature shall be liable to disqualification, and the candidate shall have no claim for apprenticeship training at NIT Calicut.
8. Candidates shall be required to produce all relevant original documents at the time of document verification. Failure to produce the required original documents shall result in disqualification of the candidature.
9. Candidates selected for apprenticeship training shall be required to execute a Contract of Apprenticeship in accordance with the provisions of the Apprentices Act, 1961 and the Apprenticeship Rules, 1992, as amended from time to time.
10. The apprenticeship training of a candidate at NIT Calicut shall be considered confirmed only after the

Apprenticeship Contract is created in the NATS portal and approved by NATS. The issuance of a hall ticket, call for document verification, participation in an interview/test, physical reporting, participation in any stage of the selection process, or receipt of any communication regarding contract creation shall not be treated as confirmation of selection.

11. It is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure that he/she fulfils all the prescribed eligibility criteria under the NATS guidelines, as amended from time to time. Candidates are advised to verify their eligibility before submitting the application.
12. The apprenticeship training is purely a training engagement for a period of one year under the provisions of the Apprentices Act, 1961 and the Apprenticeship Rules, 1992, as amended from time to time. Completion of the apprenticeship training shall not confer any right or claim for regular employment or appointment in NIT Calicut.

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Chairperson, CCESD