

National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS)

Objective

1. Sharing of stipend with employers to a maximum limit of Rs. 1500 per month per apprentice
2. Sharing of Basic Training Cost with Basic Training Providers to a maximum limit of Rs. 7500 for 500 hours/ 3 months per apprentice

Eligibility and Requirements for Employers

1. Employer validation through TIN/TAN and EPFO/ESIC/LIN/ any other identifier decided by Govt.
2. Aadhar linked bank account

Eligibility and Requirements for Apprentices

Category of Apprentice	Minimum Age (Years)	Maximum Age (Years)	Minimum Educational Qualification	Aadhar Number	Aadhar linked Bank Account
ITI Pass Out	14	Not Applicable	As per Trade	Mandatory	Mandatory
Dual -Mode Trainee of ITI	14	Not Applicable	As per Trade	Mandatory	Mandatory
PMKVY/MES Pass Out	14	Not Applicable	As per Trade	Mandatory	Mandatory
Fresher	14	21	As per Trade	Mandatory	Mandatory

Eligibility and Requirements for Basic Training Providers (BTP)

1. Government and Private ITI having spare seats (with in overall sanctioned seats)
2. Establishments with in-house basic training facilities
3. BTP set up/supported by industry clusters
4. Physical verification of basic training facilities by RDAT
5. BTP must have Aadhar linked bank account

General

1. Mandatory for Establishments, Apprentices and BTPs to register and engage apprentices through portal, apprenticeship.gov.in.
2. Contract registration through portal is must for designated and optional trades

For more details see NAPS-Guidelines in News & Updates section on apprenticeship.gov.in