

RAILWAY RECRUITMENT CELL
NORTH EASTERN RAILWAY, GORAKHPUR

RECRUITMENT AGAINST SCOUTS & GUIDES QUOTA FOR THE YEAR 2023-24

Employment Notice No.-NER/RRC/SG/2023-24 Dated-23.09.2023

Last date of Online application: 22.10.2023 (05.00PM)

Online Applications are invited from eligible Indian citizens for Recruitment against Scouts & Guides Quota for the year 2023-24 for Group 'C' posts in Level-2 (6th CPC Grade Pay Rs. 1900) and erstwhile Group 'D' posts in Level-1(6th CPC Grade Pay Rs. 1800) on N E Railway and Banaras Locomotive Works (BLW), Varanasi. Candidates may apply by clicking on the link provided at N E Railway's website www.ner.indianrailways.gov.in

1. No of Posts: Details of the posts are as under

SL. No	Unit/Division	No of Group 'C' posts (Level-2, 6 th CPC GP 1900)	No of erstwhile Group 'D' posts (Level-1, 6 th CPC GP 1800)
1.	N E Railway	02	-
2.	BLW, Varanasi	01	02
3.	Izzatnagar Division, NER	-	02
4.	Lucknow Division, NER	-	02
5.	Varanasi Division, NER	-	02

Note(A) No posts are reserved for any particular community. **(B)** A candidate can apply for both Group 'C' and Level-1 (Erstwhile Group 'D') posts. However, He/She will have to submit separate applications for Group 'C' and Level-1(Erstwhile Group 'D') posts along with separate Examination Fee.

2. Essential Qualification:

(A) Educational:

(i) For Group 'C' posts: For technician-III : Matriculation or its equivalent with ITI in relevant trade (Recognised by SCVT/NCVT) and **for other posts:** 12th or its equivalent with 50% marks in aggregate. The compulsion of 50% marks in aggregate will not be insisted upon in case of SC, ST, Ex-Servicemen candidates and candidates possessing qualification higher than 12th or its equivalent.

(ii) For level-1 (Erstwhile Group 'D') posts: Matriculation (10th) or its equivalent.

(B) Scouting : **(a)** President Scout/Guide/Rover/Ranger or Himalayan Wood Badge(HWB) holder in any section, **(b)** Should have been an active member of a Scouts Organization for the last 05 years. (The "Certificate of activeness" should be in the prescribed format which will be made available on the NER's website.) **(c)** Should have attended two events at National Level or All Indian Railway's Level and two events at State Level.

3. Age: (i) For Group 'C' posts- 18-30 years (ii) For Level-1 (Erstwhile Group 'D') posts-18 to 33 years. Age will be reckoned as on 01-01-2024. The upper age limit is relaxable as under subject to submission of requisite certificates:

(A) By 05 years for SC/ST Candidates **(B)** By 03 years for OBC Candidates **(C)** Up to the extent of service rendered in Defence plus 03 years for Ex. Servicemen, provided they have put more than 06 months' service after attestation **(D)** By 05 years for candidates who have ordinarily been domiciled in the State of Jammu & Kashmir during the period from 01.01.1980 to 31.12.1989 **(E)** By 10 years for persons with disabilities (PwBD) (13 years for

OBC and 15 years for SC/ST). **(F)** Upper age limit for widows, divorced women and women judicially separated from husband but not remarried shall be 35 years for UR, 38 years for OBC and 40 years for SC/ST. **(G)** For serving Railway Staff, casual labour and substitutes, the upper age limits will be 40, 43 and 45 years for UR, OBC and SC/ST respectively, provided they have put in a minimum of 03 years service. **(H)** For those working in Quasi-Administrative offices of the Railway, the upper age relaxation will be up to the length of service, subject to a maximum of 05 years.

4. **How to Apply:** The link for online application is available at North Eastern Railway's website www.ner.indianrailways.gov.in. Candidates should carefully read all the instructions given in the Employment Notice before filling the online application form. The online application form should be filled following the step-by-step procedure given on the webpage. All the required fields must be filled up carefully. Candidates must upload their scanned recent coloured photograph and signature at the prescribed place while filling the application form:

5. **Examination Fee:**

- (i) For all candidates except those mentioned in sub-para (ii) below: Rs. 500/- (Rupees Five Hundred) only. Refund of Rs. 400 will be made to those candidates who actually appear in the written examination. (ii) For candidates belonging to SC, ST, Ex-servicemen, Persons With Benchmark Disability (PwBDs), Women, Minorities and Economically Backward Classes: Rs-250/- (Rs. Two Hundred Fifty) only. Refund of Rs. 250/- will be made to those candidates who actually appear in the written examination.

The requisite Examination Fee should be deposited as provided on the web page of the online application form. After depositing the Examination fee, the candidate should login again and take a printout of the application form.

6. **Mode of Selection & Recruitment process:** The candidates, who are found eligible for consideration for recruitment against Scouts & Guides quota shall be assessed on the following basis:-

(A) Written Examination- (60 marks): Separate Written Examinations shall be conducted for Group 'C' and Level-1 (Erstwhile Group 'D') posts. The written examination will consist of 40 objective question (40 marks) & 01 essay type question (20 marks) relating to Scouts and Guides organization and its activities and General Knowledge as per the syllabus given in para 7 hereunder.

(B) Marks on certificates- (40 marks): **(i)** Participation/Service rendered in National Events/National Jamboree (including All Indian Railway Events): **(a)** For First Two certificates (i.e. minimum eligibility qualification)- No marks, **(b)** For one additional event-07 marks, **(c)** For two or more additional events-10 marks, **(ii)** Participation/Service rendered in State Events/Rallies: **(a)** For First Two certificates (i.e. minimum eligibility qualification)- No marks, **(b)** For one additional event-07 marks, **(c)** For two or more additional events-10 marks, **(iii)** Specialized Scouts/Guides course organized at National/State/All Indian Railways level: **(a)** For one Course- 07 marks, **(b)** For two or more Courses-10 marks, **(iv)** Participation in District Rallies: **(a)** For one certificate- No marks, **(b)** For two certificates- 07 marks, **(c)** For three certificates- 10 marks.

The final empanelment will be made on the basis of overall marks obtained by the candidates in the Written Examination and marks on certificates.

7. **Syllabus:** History of Scouting/Guiding, Law and promise, Organisation-Distt.& State level, Training Center-Distt. and State level, knowledge of Books, Scouting for Boys/Guiding for Girls in India, Motto, left handshake, salute, Prayer, Flag song, National Anthem, Know the National and Scouting Flags, Social services at various occasions, Hiking, Proficiency Badges-how these are earned? Stages in Scouting/Guiding, Thinking Day, Progressive Training of

Scouts/Guides/Rovers/Rangers, Pioneering, Handicrafts, Indian Railway Jamborette, National Jamboree, Jamboree On The Air, Organisation at National Level: National training Centers,

WAGGGS/WOSM, Uprashtrapati Award Competition, Prime Minister Shield Competition, Community Development Programmes, Aims and Methods of Scouting, How Scouting is useful in producing better citizens?

- 8. General Conditions:**(i) Before applying, the candidates should ensure that they fulfill all the eligibility norms. The Educational or Scouting/Guiding qualifications acquired after the last date for submission of application shall not be considered. (ii) A candidate shall be called for Written Examination only if he/she is considered fulfilling all the laid down eligibility criteria as per his/her application. (iii) Candidates attempting to give false information/suppressing the facts will be disqualified and are liable for debarment and legal action. Candidates who attempt fraud/impersonation are liable to be debarred to appear in the future examinations conducted for recruitment in Railways. (iv) Candidates found eligible for appointment will have to pass the prescribed medical examination conducted by the Railway administration before appointment. (v) Mere selection of candidates and recommendation for their recruitment/appointment shall not confer any right on the candidates for their recruitment/appointment in Railway. (vi) Second class Free journey pass from the nearest Railway station mentioned in the application form will be issued to the candidates belonging to SC & ST communities whenever they are called at any stage of recruitment. (vii) The person appointed against Scouts & Guides Quota to the category of clerks will be required to possess proficiency in typing within a period of two years from the date of appointment, and their appointment will be provisional subject to acquisition of the prescribed typing qualification within the stipulated period. In case of non acquisition of typing skill within the prescribed period, no additional time will be given and services of such candidate(s) will be summarily terminated.

Note: (1) In Case of difference between English and Hindi versions of the Employment Notice the English version shall be applicable. (2) The decision of RRC/NER in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of the application, issue of free journey pass, penalty for false information, mode of selection, conduct of examination(s), allotment of Examination centre, and all other matters related with recruitment process will be final and binding on the candidates. No enquiry or correspondence will be entertained in this connection. (3) Any legal issues arising out of or in connection with this employment notice shall fall within the legal jurisdiction of Central Administrative Tribunal, Allahabad. (4) Candidates are advised to visit N E Railway's website regularly for information and updates. (5) This Employment Notice is available at N.E. Railway's website www.ner.indianrailways.gov.in

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