



**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
RAILWAY RECRUITMENT BOARDS**



**CEN No.02/2024- Recruitment of Technicians  
Tentative Timelines**

**(Tentative Number of Vacancies – About 9000)**

- 1) Publication of Notification in Employment News – February 2024
- 2) Submission of Online Applications – March-April 2024
- 3) The Computer Based Tests (CBTs) are tentatively scheduled to be held between October and December 2024.
- 4) Shortlist for Document Verification will be released in February 2025.

**Please Note:** The Centralised Employment Notice for the next cycle of recruitment to the post of Technicians is provisionally planned for issue in April 2025.

Date: 31.01.2024

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**Railway Recruitment Boards (RRBs)**

**CENTRALISED EMPLOYMENT NOTICE (CEN) No.02/2024**

**Recruitment of Technicians**

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for various categories of Technicians Grade III and for the post of Technician Grade I Signal given in the table below. The last date for submission of application is 08-04-2024. Applications complete in all respects must be submitted ONLINE ONLY.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

Opening date of Application : 09-03-2024  
Closing date for Submission of Application : 08-04-2024

**1.0 Vacancies**

Name of the Post	Pay Level as per 7th CPC	Initial Pay (Rs.)	Medical Standard	Age (as on 01-07-2024)*	Vacancies (All RRBs)- Tentative	Total Vacancies- Tentative
Technician Gr I Signal	5	29,200/-	B-1	18 – 36 years	1100	9000
Technician Gr III	2	19,900/-	Refer to Detailed CEN for medical standards applicable to various posts of Technicians.	18 – 33 years	7900	

RRB-wise & Railway Zone-wise detailed distribution of vacancies is given in the Detailed CEN

\*This includes a relaxation of 3 years in age beyond the prescribed age limit as a one-time measure due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

Detailed CEN will be published on the official websites of all RRBs on 09-03-2024, as listed in Para 13.0 below. Vacancies indicated above and in the CEN are provisional and may increase or decrease in total or in specific units / communities / posts at a later stage depending upon the actual needs of the Railway administration.

**2.0 Age (as on 01-07-2024) :** For details about the prescribed lower/upper age limits (including upper age relaxation) for various posts, please refer to the detailed CEN to be published on the official websites of RRBs.

**3.0 Educational Qualification :** Different educational qualifications are prescribed for various posts. For further information, please refer to the detailed CEN to be published on the official websites of RRBs.

**4.0** Candidates should ensure that they possess / fulfil all eligibility conditions prescribed for the post(s) as on the closing date for Submission of Application. **CANDIDATES WAITING FOR RESULTS OF PRESCRIBED EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION SHOULD NOT APPLY.**

**5.0 Medical Standards :** Candidates must ensure that they fulfil the prescribed Medical Standards for the post(s) for which they are applying, as detailed in the CEN published on the official RRB websites. Candidates found medically unsuitable for the applied post(s) shall not be given any alternative appointment.

**6.0 Reservation and suitability for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD) :** For further information refer to the detailed CEN to be published on the official websites of RRBs.

**7.0 Reservation for Ex Servicemen (ExSM) :** For further information, refer to the detailed CEN to be published on the official websites of RRBs.

**8.0 Reservation for SC / ST / OBC / EWS Candidates :** For further information, refer to the detailed CEN to be published on the official websites of RRBs.

**9.0 Mode of Examination :** Computer Based Test (CBT).

**10.0 Examination Fee :**

S.No.	Categories / Communities of Candidates	Fee
1.	For all candidates (except categories mentioned below at Sl. No. 2). Out of this fee of Rs.500/-, an amount of Rs.400/- shall be refunded duly deducting bank charges as applicable, on appearing in the CBT.	Rs.500/-
2.	For candidates who belong to SC, ST, Ex-Servicemen, PwBD, Female, Transgender, Minorities or Economically Backward Class (EBC). This fee of Rs.250/- shall be refunded duly deducting bank charges as applicable, on appearing in the CBT.	Rs.250/-

**NOTE:** Only candidates who attend CBT will get a refund of their examination fee as mentioned above.

**11.0** Candidates are required to go through the Post Parameter Table and Vacancy Table of detailed CEN 02/2024 to ascertain their eligibility before applying through ONLINE mode. Each candidate is allowed to apply to only one RRB for a specific pay level, and only one common ONLINE application should be submitted by a candidate for any or all of the notified posts within that pay level, in order of preference. Applications should be submitted only through any of the official RRB websites listed in Para 13 below. A separate application must be submitted for each Pay Level, as a separate CBT will be conducted for each Pay Level. The applicable Examination Fee is also required to be paid separately for each Pay Level. Once the selection of RRB is made, it shall be final for that pay level. Applying to more than one RRB for the same Pay Level by a candidate will result in the rejection of all applications for that Pay Level and debarment.

**12.0 Eligibility :** Eligibility of the candidates will be provisional based on the details furnished by the candidates in the application. Candidates must satisfy themselves that they are eligible for the post. If at any stage of recruitment or thereafter, it is found that any information furnished by the candidate in his / her application is false / incorrect or the candidate has suppressed any relevant information or the candidate does not satisfy the eligibility criteria for the post(s), his / her candidature will be rejected forthwith.

**13.0** Candidates are advised to refer only to the official websites of RRBs as mentioned below for detailed CEN No. 02/2024 and submission of online applications :-

RRB	Website Address	RRB	Website Address
Ahmedabad	www.rbahmedabad.gov.in	Kolkata	www.rbkolkata.gov.in
Ajmer	www.rabajmer.gov.in	Malda	www.rbmalda.gov.in
Bengaluru	www.rbbnc.gov.in	Mumbai	www.rbmumbai.gov.in
Bhopal	www.rbbhopal.gov.in	Muzaffarpur	www.rbmuzaffarpur.gov.in
Bhubaneswar	www.rbbbs.gov.in	Patna	www.rbpटना.gov.in
Bilaspur	www.rbbilaspur.gov.in	Prayagraj	www.rrbald.gov.in
Chandigarh	www.rbcdg.gov.in	Ranchi	www.rbranchi.gov.in
Chennai	www.rbchennai.gov.in	Secunderabad	www.rbsecunderabad.gov.in
Gorakhpur	www.rbgkp.gov.in	Siliguri	www.rbsiliguri.gov.in
Guwahati	www.rbguwahati.gov.in	Thiruvananthapuram	www.rbthiruvananthapuram.gov.in
Jammu-Srinagar	www.rbjammu.nic.in	*****	*****

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