Ref. No.: NIRT/Estt/Apprentice/2026-27/ Date: 25.11.2026

VACANCY NOTIFICATION

The ICMR–National Institute for Research in Tuberculosis, Chennai, invites applications from eligible and willing candidates for engagement as **Trade Apprentices** under the Apprenticeship Act, 1961 (as amended up to 2019). The engagement will be on a short-term basis for a period of **one year**, with extension/renewal based on institutional requirements.

Details of Apprenticeship Positions:

1. Mechanic Motor Vehicle / Diesel Mechanic
- a. **Number of Apprentices Required :** 03
- b. **Stipend:** Rs.15,000/- per month (consolidated)
- c. **Age:** not more than 30 years

2. Library Science Appprentice
- a**. Number of Apprentices Required :** 02
- b. **Stipend:** Rs.15,000/- per month (consolidated)
- c. **Age:** not more than 30 years

Eligibility Criteria:

Sl. No.	Position/Trade	Essential Qualification
1.	Mechanic Motor Vehicle / Diesel Mechanic	IIT in the relevant trade from a recognized institute. Fresher's can also apply.
2.	Library Science	Bachelor/Master degree in Library Science from a recognized university. Fresher's can also apply.

Note:
- Candidates who have already undergone apprenticeship training or are currently undergoing apprenticeship training under the Apprentices Act, 1961, are **not eligible**.

Selection Process:
- The selection will be based on performance in the interview from among the shortlisted candidates.

General Instructions:
- The engagement is purely on an apprenticeship basis under the Apprentices Act, 1961 and does not confer any right for regular employment at ICMR–NIRT.
- No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.
- The institute reserves the right to increase/decrease the number of apprentices or cancel the notification without assigning any reason.
- The decision of the Institute in all matters relating to the selection shall be final.

How to Apply:

Interested and eligible candidates may submit their application in the prescribed format which is attached herewith, along with the self-attested copies of relevant documents affixing a photograph addressed to:

The Director,
ICMR-National Institute for Research in Tuberculosis,
No. 1, Mayor Sathyamoorthy Road, Chetpet, Chennai – 600 031,
The application should reach the above address on or before **10.12.2026, by 5:00 PM**.

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