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ONGC Apprentice Engagement 2026-27

Apprenticeship under the Apprentices Act, 1961, across ONGC's operational areas. Trade, technician and graduate apprentices are being engaged for 12 months of paid training.

3,047

tentative vacancies across 24 work centres in 6 sectors

Apply on NAPS apprenticeshipindia.gov.in

Apply on NATS nats.education.gov.in

Official notification (PDF)

LAST DATE TO APPLY

20 Nov 2026

Online only, via NAPS or NATS

RESULT / SELECTION

15 Dec 2026

Published on the ONGC apprentices site

AGE LIMIT

18 to 24 years

As on 29.11.2026, with relaxations

MONTHLY STIPEND

₹8,200 to ₹12,300

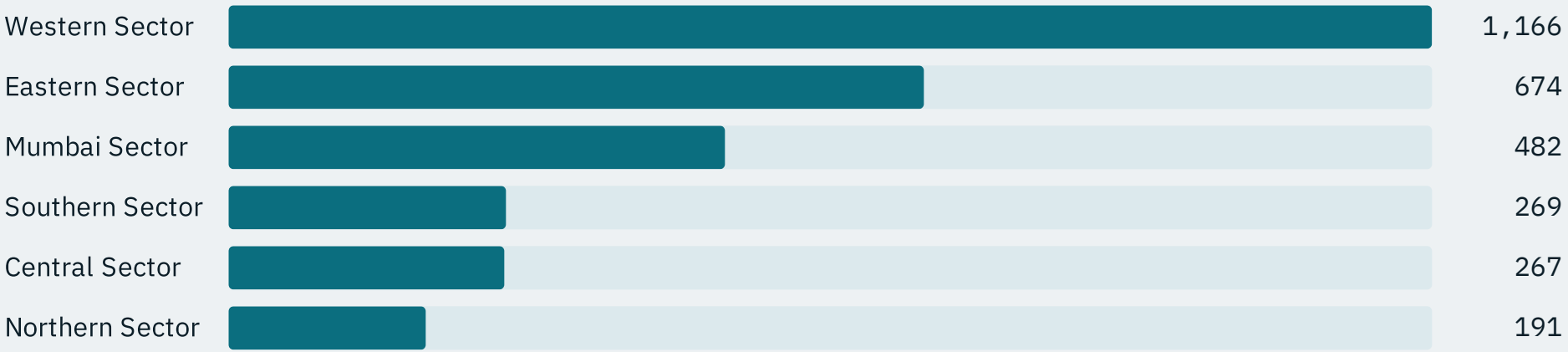
Depends on qualification

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VACANCIES BY SECTOR

Where the seats are

Western Sector, which covers Gujarat, holds the largest share. Seats are tentative and ONGC may change them.



A candidate may apply for more than one work centre or trade, but will be allotted one centre and one trade only, at the management's discretion.

24 WORK CENTRES

Work centres and eligible districts

You can apply to a work centre only if you are a resident (domicile) of an eligible district there, or earned your required qualification from one.

All sectors | Northern | Mumbai | Western | Eastern | Southern | Central

WORK CENTRE	STATE	SEATS	ELIGIBLE DISTRICTS
	Odisha		

TWO PORTALS, ONE NOTIFICATION

NAPS or NATS: which one to use

Each trade in the notification is tagged with a scheme. Apply on the portal that matches your trade.

NAPS

National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme

- ITI trades such as Electrician, Fitter, Welder and COPA
- Fire Safety Technician, Library Assistant and Stenographer
- Secretarial Office Assistant, Lab Chemist, Executive HR and Executive Finance
- Diploma-level Executives (Oil & Gas)

Open NAPS portal

NATS

National Apprenticeship Training Scheme

- Graduate Executives in Civil, Electrical, Electronics, Instrumentation, Mechanical and Computer Science
- Accounts Executive and Store Keeper (Petroleum Products)
- Petroleum Executive (graduate with Geology)
- Civil Executive (Diploma)

Open NATS portal

WHO CAN APPLY

Eligibility

Age

Minimum 18 and maximum 24 years as on 29.11.2026. Date of birth must fall between 29.11.2002 and 29.11.2008.

CATEGORY	UPPER AGE RELAXATION
SC / ST	5 years
OBC (Non-Creamy Layer)	3 years
PwBD	10 years
PwBD, SC / ST	15 years
PwBD, OBC (Non-Creamy Layer)	13 years

Reservation for SC / ST / OBC / EWS / PwBD follows Government of India guidelines.

Conditions that apply to everyone

- You must not have done an apprenticeship earlier or be doing one now under the Apprentices Act, 1961.
- Technician apprentice applicants must not have one year or more of training or job experience after getting the qualification.
- Your qualifying exam must have been passed no more than 3 years before 29.11.2026.
- Engagement is subject to medical fitness under the Apprentices Act.
- Apprenticeship gives no right to regular employment in ONGC.

Qualification required, by trade

QUALIFICATION	TRADES	PORTAL
10th pass	Library Assistant	NAPS
ITI in the same trade	Computer Operator and Programming Assistant, Draughtsman (Civil), Electrician, Electronics Mechanic, Fitter, Instrument Mechanic, Machinist, Mechanic Repair & Maintenance of Vehicles, Mechanic Diesel, Medical Laboratory Technician (Pathology), Mechanic Refrigeration and Air Conditioning, Stenographer (English), Surveyor, Welder (Gas & Electric)	NAPS

QUALIFICATION	TRADES	PORTAL
12th pass or ITI	Fire Safety Technician (Oil & Gas)	NAPS
B.Com	Executive Finance (Oil & Gas)	NAPS
B.Sc (Chemistry)	Lab Chemist / Analyst, Petroleum Products	NAPS
BBA	Executive HR (Oil & Gas)	NAPS
Any graduate	Secretarial Office Assistant (Oil & Gas)	NAPS
3-year Engineering Diploma	Computer Science, Electronics & Telecommunications, Electrical, Instrumentation and Mechanical Executive (Oil & Gas)	NAPS
3-year Engineering Diploma	Civil Executive (Diploma)	NATS
Bachelor's in Commerce	Accounts Executive	NATS
Any graduate	Store Keeper (Petroleum Products)	NATS
Engineering degree in the discipline	Computer Science, Electrical, Civil, Electronics, Instrumentation and Mechanical Executive (Graduate)	NATS
Graduate with Geology as a subject	Petroleum Executive	NATS

Check before you apply. A Wireman trade certificate is not accepted where the Electrician trade is required. ITI certificates must come from institutes recognised by SBTE or NCVT, and

degrees from bodies such as UGC or AICTE.

12 MONTHS OF TRAINING

Monthly stipend

APPRENTICE CATEGORY	QUALIFICATION	PER MONTH
Graduate apprentice	B.A / B.Com / B.Sc / BBA / B.E. / B.Tech	₹12,300
Technician (Diploma)	3-year Diploma in the respective Engineering discipline	₹10,900
Trade apprentice	ITI trade of two years	₹10,560
Trade apprentice	ITI trade of one year	₹9,600
Trade apprentice	10th / 12th pass	₹8,200

No TA/DA, boarding or lodging is paid, and ONGC gives no financial help for transport.

HOW CANDIDATES ARE CHOSEN

Selection process

Selection is by merit in the qualifying examination. There is no written test mentioned in the notification.

1 **Applications consolidated and checked**

ONGC downloads NAPS and NATS applications and sorts them by trade, qualification and work centre. Incomplete, duplicate or ineligible applications are rejected.

2 **Provisional merit list**

Prepared separately for each trade and work centre from marks in the qualifying exam. If marks tie, the older candidate ranks higher.

3 **Document verification**

Shortlisted candidates bring originals and self-attested copies. The list is published on the ONGC website or sent by email.

4 **Final merit list**

Prepared from verified candidates, applying reservation and the notified vacancies. Results go on www.ongcapprentices.ongc.co.in.

5 **Medical fitness and joining**

Selected candidates complete engagement formalities on the NAPS or NATS portal within the stated time. Candidates who do not report may lose their seat.

Documents to keep ready

- Proof of date of birth (matriculation or secondary certificate)
- Mark sheets and certificates of the qualifying exam, plus ITI, diploma or degree certificate
- Caste or category certificate (SC / ST / OBC Non-Creamy Layer) and PwBD certificate, if claiming them
- Valid photo ID and your NAPS / NATS registration and application details
- If your mark sheet lacks the result date, a certificate of the result date from your institute's Principal

ONLINE APPLICATIONS ONLY

How to apply

Hard copies, post and hand delivery are not accepted.

1. **Check your eligibility and district**
   Confirm your qualification, age and that your district is eligible for the work centre you want.
2. **Pick the portal for your trade**
   NAPS trades apply at apprenticeshipindia.gov.in. NATS trades apply at nats.education.gov.in.
3. **Register and submit before 20 Nov 2026**
   Enter your details and qualifications carefully. Applications opened on 29.10.2026.
4. **Watch your email and the portals**
   All updates, corrigenda and results appear on the ONGC site and your portal account. Check spam folders too.

Go to NAPS | Go to NATS | Read the full PDF

OFFICIAL CHANNELS

www.ongcindia.com www.ongcapprentices.ongc.co.in

Queries: ongc_skilldev@ongc.co.in Copy email

Summarised from ONGC's official notification. Vacancies are tentative and ONGC may extend the application date if applications are insufficient. Always confirm details in the

official PDF and on the portals.