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भारत सरकार कौशल विकास एवं उद्यमशीलता मंत्रालय प्रशिक्षण महानिदेशालय GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT & ENTREPRENEURSHIP DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF TRAINING

D.O. No.-DGT-NSTI025/1/2023-O/o DIR(CFIs) (66317)

Dated 09th May, 2025

Dear madam Lix

The Directorate General of Training (DGT) under the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship runs the Craft Instructor Training Scheme (CITS) through a nation wide network of National Skill Training Institutes (NSTIs) and Institutes for Training of Trainers (IToTs). The CITS program aims to impart both technical expertise and effective training methodologies to ensure the seamless transfer of practical skills and the development of skilled manpower by creating a pool of skilled instructors for the ITI skill ecosystem.

- 2. It is to inform that the Admission schedule for the CITS enrolment for the academic session 2025-26 has been released. The Admissions will be based on the All-India Common Entrance Test (AICET), which will be conducted in a Computer-Based Test (CBT) mode across multiple centers nationwide. The Entrance Examination is scheduled for 15th June 2025.
- 3. The Aspirants, who possess an NTC (National Trade Certificate), NAC (National Apprenticeship Certificate), Diploma, or Degree qualification are eligible for admission in CITS courses. In addition, students currently studying in ITIs and are appearing for the final year examinations (NTC) this year (2025) and also students who would be appearing in the final year of NAC/Diploma/Degree exam this year (2025) are eligible for admission in CITS courses. All eligible candidates can apply for admission online at the official website www.nimionlineadmission.in between 8th May 2025 and 28th May 2025. The details of the admission process is also available on this website. The CITS is a one year program and is available in 41 trades mapped to Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS) trades.
- 4. Upon successful completion of the CITS program, trainees will be awarded the National Craft Instructor Certificate (NCIC) recognized by NCVET, Government of India.
- 5. In view of the above, it is requested to disseminate this information to all ITIs in your state and to all the concerned stakeholders and encourage eligible candidates to apply for the upcoming session 2025-26.

with regards.

Yours sincerely,

(Trishaljit Sethi)

To,

Principal Secretary/Additional Chief Secretary of States/ UTs (Vocational Education & Skill Development Department)

Enclosures:

- 1. Advertisement (English & Hindi)
- 2. Letter no. DGT-NSTI025/1/2023-O/o DIR(CFIs) dated 17.04.2025



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CITS ADMISSION NOTICE- SESSION 2025-26

Admission to courses under Craft Instructor Training Scheme (CITS) at National Skill Training Institutes (NSTIs) and Institute for Training of Trainers (IToTs) for the academic session 2025-26 will be made through All India Common Entrance Test (AICET), scheduled to be held on 15.06.2025. Applications are invited for Computer Based Test (online) on www.nimionlineadmission.in from the eligible candidates w.e.f. from 08.05.2025 to 28.05.2025 to appear in the entrance test at various centers across the country.





Last date to submit the applications 28.05.2025





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प्रवेश सूचना - सत्र 2025-26

राष्ट्रीय कौशल प्रशिक्षण संस्थान (एनएसटीआई) तथा प्रशिक्षक प्रशिक्षण संस्थान (आईटीओटी) में शिल्प अनुदेशक प्रशिक्षण योजना (सीआईटीएस) के अंतर्गत शैक्षणिक सत्र 2025-26 पाठ्यक्रमों में प्रवेश, अखिल भारतीय सामान्य प्रवेश परीक्षा (एआईसीईटी) के माध्यम से दिया जाएगा जो 15.06.2025 को निर्धारित की गई है। देश भर के विभिन्न केंद्रों पर आयोजित की जाने वाली सीबीटी (ऑनलाइन) प्रवेश परीक्षा में सम्मिलित होने के लिए पात्र अभ्यर्थियों से प्रवेश हेतु वेबसाइट www.nimionlineadmission.in पर दिनांक 08.05.2025 से 28.05.2025 के बीच आवेदन आमंत्रित किए हैं।



आवेदन जमा करने की अंतिम तिथि: 28.05.2025

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> Kaushal Bhawan, New Moti Bagh New Delhi, 17.04.2025

Office Order

Subject: Provisional Admission to Appearing Candidates (Degree/ Diploma/ NTC/ NAC) under CITS Courses from Academic Session 2025-26–Reg.

In reference to admissions of students to Craft Instructor Training Scheme (CITS) courses in National Skill Training Institutes (NSTIs)/ Institute for Training of Trainers (IToTs), it has been decided to allow provisional admissions to candidates appearing for their final qualifying examinations (NTC/NAC/Diploma/Degree) from academic session 2025-26.

It had been observed that the announcement of NTC/ NAC/Diploma/Degree results often takes place after the commencement of the CITS admission process. This resulted in a year-long gap for otherwise eligible candidates, adversely impacting their career progression.

- 2. Thus, it has been decided to allow provisional admissions to candidates appearing for their final qualifying examinations (NTC/NAC/Diploma/Degree) from academic session 2025-26 with following provisions:
 - a. Candidates must have attained the age of 16 years at the time of commencement of session, in accordance with the eligibility conditions laid down in the respective CITS syllabus.
 - b. All appearing candidates shall be required to submit a duly signed undertaking at the time of admission clearly stating:
 - i. Their admission to the CITS course is provisional and is subject to their successful qualification in the required qualifying examination(s).
 - ii. In case they fail to qualify the said examination(s), they shall voluntarily vacate the seat immediately and their provisional admission shall stand cancelled without any further claim.

3. All are requested to give wide publicity and implement the above measures with immediate effect for the current and upcoming admission cycles or until further notice

This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

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(हेमंत डी. गांजरे)

निदेशक, सीएफआई

Copy to: -

- 1. PSO to DG(T)/SS
- 2. PPS to DDG (South), DDG(East) and DDG, DGT Hq.
- 3. Regional Director, RDSDEs with a request to circulate the letter in the NSTIs/IToTs falling under their jurisdiction
- 4. Director IT/TT
- 5. Executive Director, NIMI
- 6. Director CD
- 7. Guard File

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