

Percentages, Mensuration, Time and Work; Time and Distance, Simple and Compound Interest, Profit and Loss, Algebra, Geometry and Trigonometry, Elementary Statistics, Square Root, Age Calculations, Calendar & Clock, Pipes & Cistern etc.

- (B) **General Intelligence and Reasoning:** Analogies, Alphabetical and Number Series, Coding and Decoding, Mathematical operations, Relationships, Syllogism, Jumbling, Venn Diagram, Data Interpretation and Sufficiency, Conclusions and decision making, Similarities and differences, Analytical reasoning, Classification, Directions, Statement – Arguments and Assumptions etc.
- (C) **Basic Science and Engineering:** The broad topics that are covered under this shall be Engineering Drawing (Projections, Views, Drawing Instruments, Lines, Geometric figures, Symbolic Representation), Units, Measurements, Mass Weight and Density, Work Power and Energy, Speed and Velocity, Heat and Temperature, Basic Electricity, Levers and Simple Machines, Occupational Safety and Health, Environment Education, IT Literacy etc.

(i) **SYLLABUS for Part-B:**

- (A) Part-B is only a qualifying test in nature and shall have questions from the various trade syllabi as prescribed by Directorate General of Training (DGT).
- (B) **Note:** Qualifying Percentage - **35% for all candidates irrespective of category/community.**
- (C) **Syllabus of Various Trades:** Please check the website (<https://dgt.gov.in>) of Directorate General of Training (GOI) for syllabi of different technical trades.
- (D) Candidates with ITI/Trade Apprenticeship qualification will be required to appear in the section having questions from their trade.
- (E) Degree, Diploma candidates have to select one trade from the list of trades listed below against their engineering discipline.

PART B (Qualifying Test) of CBT-2 QUALIFICATION-WISE GROUPING OF TRADES / SUBJECT		
Sl. No.	Qualification of Candidate	Trade / Subject of Choice for Part-B
1	Electrical Engineering and combination of various streams of Electrical Engineering	Electrician, Instrument Mechanic, Wireman, Armature & Coil Winder, Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Mechanic
2	Electronics Engineering and combination of various streams of Electronics Engineering	Electronics Mechanic, Mechanic (Radio & TV)
3	Mechanical Engineering and combination of various streams of Mechanical Engineering	Fitter, Mechanic (Motor Vehicle), Tractor Mechanic, Mechanic (Diesel), Turner, Machinist, Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Mechanic, Heat Engine, Millwright/Maintenance Mechanic
4	Automobile Engineering and combination of various streams of Automobile Engineering	Mechanic (Motor Vehicle), Tractor Mechanic, Mechanic (Diesel), Heat Engine, Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Mechanic

12.3 Computer Based Aptitude Test (CBAT):

- (a) Candidates equal to 8 (eight) times the number of ALP vacancies for each notified community / category viz., UR (includes OBC-CL), OBC(NCL), SC, ST and EWS (including ExSM), shall be shortlisted for CBAT **on the basis of their marks in Part-A** of CBT-2 among the candidates who have chosen the same RRB only with the application of reservation rules, provided they qualify in Part-B of CBT-2. In case more than one candidate obtain marks equal to cut-off point, they all will be shortlisted for CBAT
- (b) Such shortlisted candidates should produce their Self Screening Medical Declaration Report in the prescribed format (as per Annexure- VIII A & VIII B) in original, during the CBAT, failing which they will not be permitted to appear.
- (c) It is mandatory to **clear each test battery / section of CBAT separately**, to qualify.
- (d) The CBAT shall be only in English and Hindi and there shall be no negative marking.
- (e) For information on CBAT, candidates are advised to check the following website links of RDSO –
- rdso.indianrailways.gov.in -> Verticals -> Traffic and Psychology -> Psychology-Candidate's Corner, and
 - https://rdso.indianrailways.gov.in/view_section.jsp?lang=0&Gid=0,2,456,5821,611G.
- (f) **Qualifying Marks:** All candidates (irrespective of community) must secure a minimum T-score of 42 marks in each test battery **separately** to qualify in the CBAT.

12.4 Document Verification (DV):

- (a) The merit list shall be prepared RRB-wise only from amongst the candidates qualifying in the CBAT. The marks obtained in Part-A of CBT-2 and the scores obtained in the CBAT shall be given weightage in the ratio of 50:50. Based

on the combined merit derived from Part-A of CBT-2 (50% weightage) and CBAT scores (50% weightage), and taking into account the candidates' preferences for Zones & posts, candidates equal to the number of vacancies shall be shortlisted for Document Verification and Medical Examination.

- (b) In case two or more candidates secure equal marks, their merit position shall be determined by age criteria i.e., the older candidate shall be given higher merit than the younger candidate and in case age being same, then alphabetical order (A to Z) of the given name (not surname) shall be taken into account to break the tie.
- (c) Appointment of selected candidates is subject to their passing the requisite Medical Fitness Test to be conducted by the Railway Administration and final verification of all essential documents and verification of antecedents / character of the candidates.
- (d) On completion of all stages of recruitment process, RRB will allot Railway zone/Production unit as per the option of eligible candidates, subject to merit, medical standard and vacancy position. Once candidates are empanelled, as per their merit and choice, they will forfeit the right to be considered for their preference in the next priority zone/unit. However, RRBs are also reserve the right to Railway zone/unit, which is/are not opted by the candidate, if considered in administrative interest, subject to the candidates' meeting eligibility requirements.
- (e) In case of any shortfall in empanelment or other exigencies, RRBs reserve the right to utilise the candidates down in the merit list if required, as per merit and options of such candidates. This however, will not confer any vested right on such candidates to be considered for appointment.
- (f) Candidates may please note that RRBs only recommend names of empanelled candidates to the Railway Zone concerned. The offer of appointment is issued only by the respective Railway Zones.
- (g) During Document Verification, candidates will have to produce their original certificates. No additional time will be given and the candidature of the candidate not producing their original certificates on the date of verification is liable to be forfeited.

13.0 How To Apply:

13.1 Candidates must read all the information and instructions given the detailed CEN carefully before filling the ONLINE application to prevent mistakes.

13.2 Create an Account

13.2.1 Create an Account with RRBs:

- Candidate must first create an account for this CEN by using the link provided on the official RRB websites listed at Para 13.7 below. Candidates who have already created an account for previous RRB CENs should use the same login credentials to apply for this CEN as well using the link provided on the official websites of RRBs.
- A valid personal mobile number and active email ID are mandatory for receiving OTPs required during account creation.
- No changes will be allowed to the details entered in the "Create an Account" form later, including the mobile number and email ID.
- Therefore, candidates are strongly advised to enter all information carefully and accurately, as no corrections or modifications will be permitted after account creation

13.2.2 Identity Authentication Advisory

- Candidates are strongly advised, in their own interest, to authenticate their identity using DigiLocker or Aadhaar during the "Create an Account" process.
- Doing so will facilitate a smoother and faster verification at various stages of the recruitment process.
- Please note that applicants who choose to verify their identity through alternate Photo IDs will be subject to significantly stricter and more detailed scrutiny at every stage of recruitment.

13.3 General Guidelines for submission of Online applications

- a) Candidates must use only the link provided on the official RRB websites for applying against this CEN. Please read all the information and instructions given in the detailed CEN carefully before filling up the ONLINE application.
- b) Candidates must fill the ONLINE application form with correct information and re-check before submission.
- c) Applicant will not be able to make any correction in the ONLINE application after submission of the application. **(Except during application modification window on payment of extra fee)**
- d) Candidate must fill self-declaration questionnaire before the actual application form and declare conformity with minimum prescribed physical and mental fitness standards related to speech, hearing, eyesight (including no LASIK surgery), mental fitness, pre-existing medical conditions (e.g., diabetes, hypertension) and use of psychoactive substances.

- e) Medium of Examination: Questions for CBTs will be available in English, Hindi and 13 regional Indian languages (viz., Assamese, Bengali, Gujarati, Kannada, Konkani, Malayalam, Manipuri, Marathi, Odia, Punjabi, Tamil, Telugu and Urdu). Accordingly, candidates must choose their medium of examination from any one amongst those listed in the ONLINE application form. CBTs questions will be displayed in the language opted and in English. No change shall be allowed in the language option once selected at the application stage.
- f) Order of Zone Preferences under chosen RRB: The candidate must provide order of Zone/Railway unit preference for the notified posts as applicable.
- g) Multiple applications to different RRBs or same RRB, will lead to rejection of all the applications. Any attempt to submit more than one application by a candidate against this CEN shall result in disqualification and debarment from the recruitment process.
- h) After submission of application, candidate will be directed to opt for the mode of payment of examination fee as explained in para 7.1 and complete the payment process.
- IMPORTANT: Please be cautious about the genuineness of the mode of payment as well as Last Date for payment of Application fee payment for the submitted applications against this CEN. While making payment avoid unauthorised websites.
- i) Finally, acceptance of ONLINE application will happen only after receiving confirmation of fee payment. The applicant will receive a confirmation on successful payment ONLINE through email & SMS.
- j) Self-Screening Medical Declaration has been introduced at application stage wherein Candidate has to declare conformity with minimum prescribed physical and mental fitness standards related to speech hearing, eyesight (including no LASIK surgery), mental fitness, pre-existing medical conditions (e.g., diabetes, hypertension), and use of psychoactive substances. The online application will include built-in validation for self-screening to enable candidates to assess their eligibility/ineligibility to apply for the post. Based on the submitted responses, a downloadable medical report is generated which must be submitted by the candidate on CBAT day, duly signed by General Physician and Eye Specialist. The Certificate shall be accepted only if issued by any Central/State Government Hospital or Medical College.**

13.4 Live Photo Capturing of the Candidate during Application

Instructions for Capturing Live Photograph of the candidate During Application:

- a) Candidates are not required to upload a pre-existing photograph while applying.
 - b) The application module is designed to capture a live photograph of the candidate at the time of filling up the application form.
 - c) Live photo may be captured by web cam or by front camera (screen side camera) of the mobile phone.
 - d) Ensure to Dress yourself in non-white clothing, preferably in dark colours, to maintain contrast with the background
 - e) For this purpose, the candidate must stand or sit in front of the camera when prompted by the application module and carefully follow the instructions below:
- Ensure that the camera is positioned at eye level before capturing the photograph.
 - Position yourself directly in front of the camera and look straight ahead with a neutral expression.
 - Make sure your entire face is clearly visible and centered within the frame shown by the application module.
 - Ensure that your face is neither too close nor too far from the camera, and no part of the head or face is outside the delineated frame.
 - Do not wear a cap, mask, or glasses/spectacles while capturing the photograph.
 - Candidates may preview their captured photo and retake it if they are not satisfied with the image, until their application is submitted
 - Applications with photographs that do not comply with these guidelines are liable to be rejected.
 - The candidate's appearance during the entire process of recruitment must match the photograph submitted with the application.
 - The Live photograph captured is subjected to some validations and matching. If not matched, the candidate has to download the Annexure-IX (after confirming suitable declarations) from online application, and the same needs to be uploaded, duly signed by the Class-I Gazetted Officer as a valid proof of identity.

Important Note:

- Candidates must not attempt to take a picture of a printed or digital pre-existing photograph. Any application where such an image is submitted will be summarily rejected.

13.5 Mandatory scanned documents to be kept ready for uploading during the on-line application.

The following need to be uploaded

- 1) **Candidate Signature in JPG/JPEG format as per specifications given in the para 13.5.1 of this CEN.**
- 2) **SC/ST Certificate (For Candidates Requesting Free Train Travel Pass) in PDF format as per specification given in the CEN.**

13.5.1 Candidate Signature: Candidates are required to upload scanned copy of their signature, as per the specifications given below:

- The signature must be written by the candidate only.
- Use a **black ink pen** on white paper.
- The signature must be, in running handwriting (i.e., cursive/joined letters), **NOT in BLOCK, CAPITAL, or DISJOINTED letters**. The signature should be clear, legible, and entirely visible within the scanned area.

Specifications for signature:

- Scan the signed paper using a minimum resolution of 100 DPI.
- Image file format: JPG/JPEG only
- File size: Between 30 KB and 49 KB
Image dimensions: Minimum 140 pixels (width) × 60 pixels (height)
- The scanned signature must be positioned within the designated scan box on the application form : Box size: 35 mm (width) × 20 mm (height). The signature image should be centered within this box.

Grounds for Rejection of Online Applications Related to Signature:

Online applications and the candidature of the candidate for the CEN will be liable for rejection at any stage of recruitment process on the following signature-related grounds:

- Use of a non-white background
- Use of non-black ink for the signature
- Signature written in BLOCK or CAPITAL letters instead of running handwriting
- Poor resolution or unclear signature image
- Incomplete or partially visible signature
- Uploading an image other than the signature
- No signature (blank)
- Thumb impression in place of signature
- Signature of a person other than the applicant

Candidates must ensure that their signature image fully complies with the prescribed requirements to avoid rejection at any stage of the recruitment.

Important: The signature on the application must match with the signatures captured during:

- Examinations
- Document Verification (DV)
- Medical Examination (ME)
- Appointment

13.5.2 SC/ST Certificate (For Candidates Requesting Free Train Travel Pass)

Candidates belonging to SC/ST categories who wish to avail free railway travel pass must upload a scanned copy of their SC/ST certificate with the following specifications:

- The document must be in PDF format only.
- File size should be less than 400 KB.
- The certificate must be legible, clear, and easily readable.
- It must be the latest and valid certificate as on the closing date of online application submission.

13.6 Candidates can also use the services of the Common Services Centre, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India under the Digital India initiatives for submitting ONLINE applications. The Common Services Centre (CSC) scheme is a part of the National e Governance Plan (NeGP) of the Government of India and is managed at each village panchayat level by a Village Level Entrepreneur (VLE). There are more than 1.5 lakhs Common Services Centres (CSC) across the country which will provide the desired support to candidates from urban as well as rural areas in the ONLINE submission of the Application Form and payment of fee through e-wallet. The list of the Common Services Centre is available on the website: www.csc.gov.in. To know the nearest Common Services Centre, please open the link - Find My CSC (<https://findmycsc.nic.in/csc/>).

13.7 Candidates are advised to visit official RRB websites frequently for authentic information and regular updates on various stages of the recruitment process or any changes in this notification.

Websites of RRBs Participating in CEN 01/2026			
Ahmedabad www.rrbahmedabad.gov.in	Ajmer www.rrbajmer.gov.in	Bhopal www.rrbbhopal.gov.in	Bhubaneswar www.rrbbbs.gov.in
Bilaspur www.rrbbilaspur.gov.in	Chandigarh www.rrbcdg.gov.in	Chennai www.rrbchennai.gov.in	Gorakhpur www.rrbgkp.gov.in
Guwahati www.rrbguwahati.gov.in	Jammu-Srinagar www.rrbjammu.nic.in	Kolkata www.rrbkolkata.gov.in	Malda www.rrbmalda.gov.in
Mumbai www.rrbmumbai.gov.in	Muzaffarpur www.rrbmuzaffarpur.gov.in	Patna www.rrbpatna.gov.in	Prayagraj www.rrbald.gov.in
Ranchi www.rrbranchi.gov.in	Secunderabad www.rrbsecunderabad.gov.in	Siliguri www.rrbsiliguri.gov.in	Thiruvananthapuram www.rrbthiruvananthapuram.gov.in

13.8 The onus of proving the validity of the information submitted in the ONLINE application with original documents, will lie on the candidates.

IMPORTANT:

- Candidates must keep their registered mobile number and registered e-mail ID active throughout the recruitment process, as all communication with them will only be through SMS and/or email.
- RRBs will not entertain any request for change of mobile number and e-mail address at any stage.
- Candidates are advised to carefully note and remember their Registration Number for further stages of recruitment process and correspondence with RRBs. Any request to provide Registration Number will not be entertained.

14.0 GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF ONLINE APPLICATION:

After Creating an account, please follow the instructions for filling up the ONLINE application.

- Candidates must fill the ONLINE application form with correct information and re-check before submission.
- Applicant will not be able to make any correction in the ONLINE application after submission of the application.
- Medium of Examination:** Questions for CBT-1 and CBT-2 will be available in English, Hindi and 13 regional Indian languages (viz., Assamese, Bengali, Gujarati, Kannada, Konkani, Malayalam, Manipuri, Marathi, Odia, Punjabi, Tamil, Telugu and Urdu). Accordingly, candidates must choose their medium of examination from any one amongst those listed in the ONLINE application form. CBT-1 and CBT-2 questions will be displayed in the language opted and in English. However, CBAT will be conducted only in English and Hindi.
- After submission of application, candidate will be directed to opt for the mode of payment of examination fee as explained in para 7.1 and complete the payment process as per the amount at in para 7.0.

IMPORTANT: Please be cautious about the genuineness of the mode of payment as well as the closing date & time for submission of ONLINE applications against this CEN, while making payment. Avoid unauthorised websites.

- Finally, acceptance of ONLINE application submission will happen only after receiving confirmation of fee payment. The applicant will receive a confirmation on successful payment through email & SMS.

15.0 MODIFICATION OF APPLICATION:

- After the final submission of the ONLINE application with requisite fee, if a candidate wishes to further modify, change or correct any detail **except details filled in 'Create an Account' form (including mobile number and Email ID) and Chosen RRB**, he/she may do so by **paying a modification fee of Rs. 250/- (non-refundable) for each occasion. Details filled in 'Create an Account' form (including mobile number and Email ID) and Chosen RRB cannot be changed.**