INFORMATION BROCHURE

2026 ADMISSIONS

Four -Year Integrated
B.Sc. B.Ed.
(Secondary Stage)
Under
Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
National Institute of Technology Warangal
राष्ट्रीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान वारांगल

IMPORTANT DATES

Admission to B.Sc. B.Ed. for the AY 2026 – 27

Announcement of inviting applications online	**19.06.2026**
Last date to receive online applications	**07.07.2026**
Announcement of I-Round Results	
List of provisionally Selected Candidates	**17.07.2026**
Online Reporting and Payment of Fee	**20.07.2026 to 21.07.2026**
Announcement of II-Round Results (If there are any vacant seats available after Round I)	
List of provisionally Selected Candidates	**24.07.2026**
Online Reporting and Payment of Fee	**27.07.2026 to 28.07.2026**
Announcement of III-Round Results (If there are any vacant seats available after Round II)	
List of provisionally Selected Candidates	**31.07.2026**
Online Reporting and Payment of Fee	**03.08.2026 to 07.08.2026**
Announcement of Institute Spot Round (ISR) (If there are any vacant seats available after Round III)	
Display of Vacant Seats	~~**31.07.2026**~~ **08.08.2026**
Registration for Institute Spot round	~~**01.08.2026 to 07.08.2026**~~ **09.08.2026 to 13.08.2026 (10AM)**
List of provisionally Selected Candidates	**14.08.2026@5. 00PM**
Online Reporting and Payment of Fee	**17.08.2026 to 18.08.2026**

Physical Reporting at NIT Warangal: **20th August 2026**
Orientation Program : **23rd August 2026**
Commencement of Class Work : **24th August 2026**

Note:

- **All the dates mentioned above are tentative and subject to change at any stage by the competent authority.**
- **All candidates seeking admission must regularly visit the Institute website, www.nitw.ac.in, for updates.**

About NIT WARANGAL

National Institute of Technology, Warangal (Deemed University), formerly known as Regional Engineering College, was established in 1959. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru laid the foundation stone for this institute on October 10, 1959, the first in the chain of 31 NITs (formerly known as RECs) in the country.

Vision of the Institute:

Towards a Global Knowledge Hub, striving continuously in pursuit of excellence in Education, Research, Entrepreneurship, and Technological services to the society

Mission of the Institute

- Imparting total quality education to develop innovative, entrepreneurial, and ethical future professionals fit for a globally competitive environment.
- Allowing stakeholders to share our reservoir of experience in education and knowledge for mutual enrichment in the field of technical education.
- Fostering product-oriented research for establishing a self-sustaining and wealth creating centre to serve the societal needs.

The Institute is well known for its dedicated faculty, staff, and state-of-the-art infrastructure conducive to a healthy academic environment. The Institute is constantly striving to achieve higher levels of technical excellence. Evolving a socially relevant yet internationally acceptable curriculum, implementing innovative and effective teaching methodologies, and focusing on the wholesome development of the students are our concerns.

The Institute currently has fifteen academic departments and a few advanced research centers in various disciplines of engineering, pure sciences, and management, with nearly 100 laboratories organized in a unique pattern of functioning, a Central Library with state-of-the-art facilities, an Auditorium, a Student Activity Centre, Computer Centre, Indoor Games Complex, Stadium, Seminar Halls with required infrastructure, Dispensary with state of the art of facilities, etc. Faculty of repute, brilliant student community, excellent technical and supporting staff, and an effective administration have all contributed to the pre-eminent status of N.I.T., Warangal.

The Institute offers THIRTEEN undergraduate programs (B.Tech.) in engineering, THIRTY-FIVE post graduate programs (MTech., M.Sc., MCA, MA and MBA) in engineering, sciences, humanities and management, 3 Integrated MSc Programs, Integrated B.Sc. B.Ed., two dual degree Btech-Mtech programs and research programs in engineering, sciences, humanities, physical education, and management. The institute is well-known for its Research and Development, Industrial consultancy, continuing education, and Training programs for teachers and industrial personnel.

N.I.T., Warangal is a residential institute and has 16 residential blocks including one mega & one ultra-mega hostel for boys, two hostels for girls, and one hostel for foreign students. It has four food courts for boys and one food court exclusively for girls. It is a self-contained residential campus located in a beautiful wooded land of about 248 acres.

It is located on either side of Hyderabad - Warangal highway at a distance of 3 km from Kazipet Railway Station and 12Kms from Warangal Railway Station. It is located at a distance of 140 km from Hyderabad. Warangal enjoys a unique position on the state's cultural and historical map. The exquisite and intricate architecture in Ramappa, Thousand Pillar Temple, Bhadrakali Temple, and the Warangal Fort have been centres of attraction. Lovely gardens, wildlife sanctuaries, lakes, and rocks in the vicinity are other places of interest for students. The place enjoys a good climate throughout the year, except for the patches of hot summer during May-June.

The placement service at the institute is one of the best of its kind in the country. The alumni of the institute hold responsible and enviable positions all over the world and are in constant touch with the institute. Every new entrant into the portals of this institution is poised to partake in a rich heritage and tradition that is unique to NITW. According to NIRF 2025, NITW clinches the 28th rank among the Engineering institutes in the country.

About the Department of Education

The Department of Education, established in 2025, is one of the new departments at the National Institute of Technology Warangal. The department offers the 4-year Integrated Teacher Education Program (ITEP)—B.Sc., B.Ed. (secondary level)—with an intake of 50 students. The program is designed to develop an understanding of the teaching-learning process at secondary school levels among student educators. It focuses on enabling student-teachers to reflect critically on perspectives of education and holistically integrate theory and practices to facilitate active engagement of learners for better learning and knowledge creation.

Vision of the Department

To be an innovative hub for teacher education by preparing skilled, ethical, learner-centered, and humane educators who emphasize equity and excellence, integrate strong disciplinary knowledge with innovative pedagogical practices, and contribute meaningfully to quality teaching and learning that promotes learners' lifelong success

Mission of the Department

- To promote experiential, competency-based, and learner-centred teaching–learning practices with professional pedagogical knowledge supported by continuous and comprehensive assessment, curriculum design, and educational technology.
- To develop high-quality student-teachers equipped with critical thinking, creativity, communication, collaboration, digital literacy and to integrate and apply ICT in facilitating the teaching-learning process and in school management.
- To Inculcate ethical values, inclusivity, and social responsibility to nurture educators committed to equity and national development.
- Encourage lifelong learning and continuous professional development, enabling educators to adapt to evolving educational policies, technologies, and societal needs.

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About the Program

The B.Sc. B.Ed. program at NIT Warangal is a 4-year integrated program spread across eight semesters under the Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP), in which students earn a Dual-Major undergraduate degree. In keeping with the mandate of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 and subsequent initiatives of the National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), the Department of Education at this institute offers the **B.Sc. B.Ed. (Secondary Stage)** program with one Major in Education and the other in one of the following two disciplines:

- **Mathematics** (with a Minor in Computer Science)
- **Physical Sciences** (Physics and Chemistry) (with a Minor in Mathematics)

The program is designed to prepare competent teachers for the secondary stage of school education while providing strong disciplinary knowledge in the chosen subject area. In addition to pedagogical training, the curriculum emphasizes critical thinking, problem-solving, communication skills, ethical reasoning, and social engagement, thereby enabling graduates to pursue both teaching careers and higher studies in their respective disciplines.

Admission to the Program

Admission to the program will be made through the National Common Entrance Test (NCET) conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA). The NCET results will be used for admission. The details of the Seat distribution (category-wise) are given in the following table. (HS – Home State; OS – Other State)

B.Sc.B.Ed Program	Quota	Open	Open PWD	GEN-EWS	EWS PWD	OBC-NCL	OBC-NCL PWD	SC	SC PWD	ST	ST PWD	Total
Mathematics	HS	5	0	1	0	3	1	1	1	1	0	13
	OS	5	0	1	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	12
Physical Sciences	HS	5	0	1	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	12
	OS	4	1	2	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	13
Total		**19**	**1**	**5**	**0**	**12**	**1**	**7**	**1**	**4**	**0**	**50**

Eligibility Criteria

Candidates who have appeared National Common Entrance Test - NCET 2026 conducted by National Testing Agency (NTA) and have secured a valid score are eligible to apply for B.Sc. B.Ed. admission at NIT Warangal, provided they satisfy the following:

- The candidates must have passed or appeared for the first time in either 2024 or 2025 or 2026 for the XII Examinations or Intermediate with Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics as compulsory subjects with at least 60% marks in aggregate or equivalent grades.
- They must have appeared for the Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics / Applied Mathematics tests as the domain subjects in the NCET- 2026.

- Proof of passing Class XII and having secured requisite marks must be submitted when applying. Original documents must be furnished to NIT Warangal at the time of admission.
- Candidates should have been born on or after October 1, 2001. Five years of age relaxation is given to SC, ST, and PwD candidates, i.e., these candidates should have been born on or after October 1, 1996.
- The admission counseling for the B.Sc. B.Ed. programme of NIT Warangal will be conducted by NIT Warangal
- Applications are to be submitted through https://admissions.nitw.ac.in/

Admission Procedure

- The candidate has to pay a non-refundable amount of **Rs. 1000/-** for General, OBC-NCL, and Gen-EWS categories and **Rs. 500/-** for SC, ST, PwD categories.
- The candidates will be required to fill out the Online Application Form at http://admissions.nitw.ac.in (or) http://nitw.ac.in/adm/
- The admission section will scrutinize the applications based on the number of available seats (category-wise) and eligible candidates in order of merit of the score (percentile) obtained in the NCET- 2026.
- Admission will be based on the NTA score secured by the candidates in all seven subjects (e.g. Languages 1 and 2, Teaching Aptitude, General Test, and three Domain-specific subjects Mathematics / Applied Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry) covering four different sections.
- If a candidate is absent in the NCET Test of any of the seven subjects, that candidate will not be considered for admission.
- A unique rank will be generated by NIT Warangal based on the weighted average of candidates' NCET-2026 percentile marks. The ranking score will be calculated by assigning 70% weightage to the total of the percentile marks obtained in Maths / Applied Maths, Physics, Chemistry and 30% weightage to the total of the NTA scores obtained in Language 1 and 2, Teaching Aptitude, General Test.
- If there is a tie in the rank calculated:
  - Total NTA Score obtained in total of Mathematics/ Applied Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry will be used to break the tie.
  - In case of candidates having the same total in Mathematics/ Applied Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry, then percentile obtained in Mathematics or Physics will be used to break the tie
  - In case of candidates having the same score in Mathematics / Applied Mathematics or Physics, elder candidate will be given preference.

Round – I

- The list of provisionally selected candidates according to the category-wise seats will be displayed on the Institute website, www.nitw.ac.in, according to the schedule mentioned in this brochure.
- The provisionally selected candidates during Round I must deposit the Institute Fee online according to the given schedule to confirm their admission.
- Non-submission of the Institute Fee will be deemed as automatic withdrawal of the allotted seat. No further chance will be granted in any case.

Round – II & III

- The list of the provisionally selected candidates against the vacant seats, if any, will be displayed on the Institute website, i.e., www.nitw.ac.in, as per the schedule
- The provisionally selected candidates during Allotted Round will be required to deposit their Institute Fee online as per the given schedule to confirm their admission.
- Non-submission of the Institute Fee in the Allotted Round will be deemed as automatic withdrawal of the allotted seat. No further chance will be granted in any case.

Institute Spot Round (ISR)

- After completion of Round III, the list of vacant seats will be displayed on the Institute Website, and the Institute will also conduct an Institute Spot Round (ISR)as per the schedule.
- The candidates who have not taken any admission in any other institutes will be considered for spot round.

Reservation of Seats

- The reservation rules will be followed as per Government of India guidelines prevailing at the time of admission at the Institute level.
- Candidates who seek admission under the SC or ST category must submit the requisite certificates issued by a competent authority as specified in Annexure 2.
- Candidates who seek admission under the PwD category must submit a disability certificate (refer to Annexure 1) or a Unique Disability Identification (UDID) certificate. Benefits of reservations would be given only to those with benchmark disability, i.e., not less than 40% impairment, irrespective of the type of disability. Such candidates must submit, along with the filled-in Application Form, the Certificate of Disability from a Government Medical Board and should be fit to pursue the Programme. The certificate should preferably be in the format given in Form 1, Form 2, or Form 3 (as applicable) in the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2017. The disability percentage of candidates selected for admission in the PwD category may also be required to be certified by a Medical Board duly constituted by the Admitting Institute. For additional details, refer to
- http://disabilityaffairs.gov.in/content/page/guidelines.php webpage.
- Candidates must note that the benefits of reservation will be given to them subject to verification of documents. If it is discovered at any stage that a candidate has used a false/fake/incorrect document or has furnished false, incorrect, or incomplete information in order to avail of the benefits of reservation, then such a candidate shall be excluded from the admission process. In case such a candidate has already been given admission, the admission shall stand cancelled.
- Candidates who seek admission under the OBC-NCL or GEN-EWS Category must submit an OBC-NCL or GEN-EWS Certificate issued by a competent authority as specified in Annexure 1, in a format similar to that shown in Annexure 2 for OBC-NCL and Annexure 3 for GEN-EWS.

- Valid certificates for OBC-NCL or GEN-EWS issued on or after April 1, 2026, should be submitted for application processing. However, candidates securing seats under the OBC-NCL or GEN-EWS category may be required to show a valid certificate to NIT Warangal when joining.

Important Points to Note

- Applicants are requested to periodically check the NIT Warangal website (http://nitw.ac.in) for updates
- Incomplete applications or applications that are not supported by valid documents will be rejected.
- The application fee, if paid, would not be refunded for applications that are rejected.
- The Application Form for admission will not be considered if the fee is not received by NIT Warangal before the application deadline.
- No intimation regarding the rejection of the application form will be sent to the candidates.
- Applicants who are not allotted seats in a round may get seats allotted in the subsequent rounds. Applicants who fail to accept seats offered at any stage will not be considered further in the admission process.
- The last date for the payment of the fees for the seats allotted in each round cannot be relaxed in any case. If the seat offered is not accepted by the candidate or payment is not made within the stipulated period, the offer gets automatically cancelled. No other requests or correspondence on this matter will be entertained.
- Candidates should note that being on the NCET Result List neither guarantees nor provides any automatic entitlement for admission. Admissions shall be made based on merit and the number of seats available at NIT Warangal.
- The offer of admission to a candidate made during the seat allocation process would remain provisional, subject to the fulfillment of all the requirements stipulated by NIT Warangal as per the fixed deadlines.
- Payment has to be made using credit card/debit card/net banking/UPI (additional Bank charges may apply depending on the mode of payment).
- With regard to the interpretation of the provisions on any matter not covered in this Information Brochure, the decision of NIT Warangal shall be final and binding on all the parties concerned.
- NTA has the overall responsibility of conducting NCET 2026. In case of any claims or disputes related to NCET 2026, the NTA may be consulted.
- All disputes pertaining to the admissions under this Advertisement shall fall within the jurisdiction of Warangal only.
- Institute Fee, once deposited, shall not be refunded in any case.
- All admissions will be provisional till these are confirmed, subject to medical fitness, payment of all the fees, fulfillment of eligibility conditions, and verifications of certificates by the Academic Section of the Institute. If at any stage it is noticed that the candidate has submitted false information/false documents, his/her admission will be cancelled and no refund of fee whatsoever will be made.
- Ten seats must be filled to run a major, and the maximum can be twenty-five in a major.

List of Documents required for filling out the application

- Aadhar Card or First Page of Passport or Birth Certificate or Voter ID Card (Note that the name given in the application for ITEP a NIT Warangal should match the name in the supporting document.)
- X standard (SSC) Certificate
- XII standard (intermediate) Mark sheet
- Qualifying Examination Certificate (NCET)
- If applicable, OBC (NCL) Certificate or GEN-EWS Certificate in the specified format
- If applicable, the PwD Certificate in the specified format
- If applicable, SC/ST Certificate in the specified format

Fee structure for the Academic Year 2026-27 (ODD Semester)

To be paid# at the time of admission in favor of "Director, NIT Warangal."

		Tuition Fee (Rs.)	Other Fee* (Rs.)	**Total (Rs.)**
1	B.Sc. B.Ed. (OPEN/GEN-EWS/OBC-NCL)	45,000	42,500	**87,500**
2	B.Sc. B.Ed. Family Income Below 1 Lakh (OPEN/ GEN-EWS/OBC-NCL)	0	42,500	**42,500**
3	B.Sc. B.Ed. Family Income Between 1–5 Lakhs (OPEN/ GEN-EWS/OBC-NCL)	15,000	42,500	**57,500**
4	B.Sc. B. Ed (for SC/ST/PWD)	0	42,500	**42,500**

***Other Fee Details (Rs. 42, 500/-)**

Onetime payment at the time of Admission

Admission fee	Rs. 7,500.00
Identity Card	Rs. 500.00
NITW Alma-mater Fund	Rs. 2,000.00
Institute Development Contribution	Rs. 20,000.00
Total	**Rs. 30,000/-**

Other Fee payable per year: Rs. 12,500/-

IT User charges	Rs. 2000.00
Department Society fee	Rs.1,000.00
Student Activity fund	Rs.1,000.00
Student Welfare fund	Rs. 500.00
Games & Sports Activities	Rs.1,000.00
Health Services and Insurance	Rs.2,000.00
Student Library Fund	Rs.2,000.00
Institute Fests	Rs.1,000.00
Career Development Activities & Industry Visits	Rs.2,000.00

HOSTEL & Mess FEE#

		Double Occupancy **(Boys)**	Triple/Four Occupancy **(Girls)**
1	Caution Money Deposit	Rs. 15,000	Rs. 15,000
2	Maintenance Charges	Rs. 7,500	Rs. 7,500
3	Seat Rent	Rs. 3,000	Rs. 2,000
4	Water and Electricity	Rs. 5,500	Rs. 5,500
5	Mess Advance	Rs 12,000	Rs 12,000
Total Fee for ODD Semester 2026-27		**Rs. 43,000**	**Rs. 42,000**

Annexure 1: Information relevant to Certificates

Authorities Empowered to issue SC/ST/OBC–NCL/EWS Certificates

- District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Collector/Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner /1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/City Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner.
- Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate
- Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar
- Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or her/his family normally resides
- Administrator/Secretary to Administrator/Development Officer (Lakshadweep Islands).
- Certificate issued by any other official will NOT be accepted.

Person with Disability (PwD) Category

Benefits of concessionary fees and reservations would be given only to those who have benchmark disability i.e., not less than 40% impairment irrespective of the type of disability. Candidates should submit a certificate issued by the Chief Medical Officer / Civil Surgeon/Medical Superintendent of a Government Health Care Institution. The certificate should be preferably in the format given in Form 1 or Form 2, or Form 3 in the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2017 available at upload.indiacode.nic.in/showfile?actid=AC_CEN_25_54_00002_201649_1517807328299&type=rule&filename=Rules_notified_15.06.pdf

Authorities Empowered to Issue Certificate of Dyslexia

A copy of the certificate of Dyslexic condition should be uploaded at the time of online registration. Such a certificate of Dyslexic will be obtained from any Dyslexia Association. Some of them are listed below:

I. Dyslexia Trust of Kolkata, Divya Jalan, Aruna Bhaskar 3, Dover Park, Kolkata - 700019.
II. Dyslexia Association of Andhra Pradesh (DAAP), 3-4-494/1,1st Floor, Macherla Gastrology Hospital, Reddy College Road, Barkatpura, Hyderabad, Telangana, 500027.
III. Madras Dyslexia Association, 94 Park View, 1st Floor, G.N. Chetty Road, T. Nagar, Chennai - 600017.
IV. Maharashtra Dyslexia Association, 003, Amit Park Bldg, L J Road, Deonar, Mumbai 400088.
V. The Dyslexia Association of India, MZ-47, the Center Stage Mall, Plot No 01, Block L, Sector 18, Noida, 201303.

Annexure 2: Proforma for OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) Certificate

(FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES APPLYING FOR ADMISSIONS TO CENTRAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS (CEIs) UNDER THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA)

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ Son/Daughter of Shri/Smt._____Village/Town _____ in District / Division_____in the State/Union Territory_belongs to the_____Community which is recognized as a backward class under the Government of India, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment's Resolution No._____dated _____*. Shri/Smt./Kumari_____and/or his/her family ordinarily reside(s) in the_____ District/Division of the _____ State/Union Territory. This is also to certify that he/she does NOT belong to the persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in Column 3 of the Schedule to the Government of India, Department of Personnel & Training O.M. No. 36012/22/93- Estt. (SCT) dated 08/09/93 which is modified vide OM No. 36033/3/2004 Estt. (Res.) dated 09/03/2004, further modified vide OM No. 36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res.) dated 14/10/2008, again further modified vide OM No.36036/2/2013-Estt.(Res.) dtd. 30/05/2014 and again further modified vide OM No. 36033/1/2013-Estt (Res) dated 13/09/2017.

Dated: District Magistrate/Deputy Commissioner/

Seal Any other Competent Authority

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* The authority issuing the certificate may have to mention the details of the Resolution (Number and Date) of the Government of India, in which the caste of the candidate is mentioned as OBC.

NOTE:

a) The term "Ordinarily" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

b) The authorities competent to issue Caste Certificates are indicated below:

I. District Magistrate/ Additional Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector/ 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate)

II. Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate

III. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and

IV. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his/her family resides

The date of issue of OBC (NCL) certificate should be on or after April 1, 2026.

Annexure 3: Proforma for Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) Certificate

(INCOME & ASSETS CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS)

Government of _____

(Name and address of the authority issuing the certificate)

Certificate No_____ Date: _____

VALID FOR THE YEAR _____

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari_____ son/daughter / wife of _____permanent resident of _____, Village/Street _____ Post Office _____ District _____ in the State/Union Territory _____Pin Code _____whose photograph is attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections, since the gross annual income* of his/her family** is below ₹ 8 lahks (Rupees Eight Lakh only) for the financial year 2024-25 His/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets***

I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in. areas other than the notified municipalities. Shri/Smt./Kumari___belongs to the_____caste that is not recognized as a Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe, and Other Backward Classes (Central List)

Recent Passport size attested photograph of the applicant

Signature with the seal of office_____ Name _____

Designation _____

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*__Note 1:__ Income covered all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc.

__**Note 2:__ The term 'Family" for this purpose includes the person, who seeks the benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as well as his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

__***Note 3:__ The property held by a "Family' in different locations or different places/cities has been clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

The authorities competent to issue EWS Certificates are indicated below:

I. District Magistrate/Additional Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate)
II. Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate
III. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar
IV. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his/her family resides.

The date of issue of EWS certificate should be on or after April 1, 2026.