

Government of India
Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship
Apprenticeship Division

**INVITATION TO SUBMIT APPLICATIONS FOR KAUSHALACHARYA AWARDS
IN APPRENTICESHIP FROM ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGING APPRENTICES
UNDER APPRENTICES ACT, 1961**

The Apprenticeship division of Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) is inviting nominations for the third edition of Kaushalacharya Awards for the year 2021.

MSDE honour Master Trainers (as well as Trainers) under its various schemes who has achieved outstanding and meritorious performance in training delivery in a consistent manner through Kaushalacharya Awards annually on occasion of Teachers' Day.

In the context of Indian apprenticeship system, establishments are playing an important role of mentoring and imparting Apprenticeship training. Hence, through Kaushalacharya Award it is an attempt to recognize the effort and mentorship of establishments taking proactive initiatives and engaging apprentices in their facilities.

Criteria for the Award

The Kaushalacharya Award will recognize establishments for their outstanding contributions and commitment in supporting the mission, vision and belief statements of the apprenticeship training. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Number of apprentices engaged
- Number of female apprentices engaged
- Number of ST apprentices engaged
- Number of SC apprentices engaged
- Number of PWD apprentices engaged

Application Process

Establishments registered on apprenticeshipindia.org portal may apply by submitting an Application Form in Excel format as contained in Appendix-A by **Wednesday, June 30, 2021**. Application forms shall be forwarded to the Joint Director (Apprenticeship), Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship at (kawards2021apprenticeship@gmail.com). Applications received through online mode will only be accepted.

Selection Process

The Award Selection Committee under MSDE will analyse the data as per the selection criteria under five (5) categories as under:

1. Central Government & CPSUs
2. State Government & State PSUs

3. Private Establishments
4. Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)
5. Establishments having manpower strength between 4-29 employees

The selection criteria is available in the [Appendix-B](#).

Contact Information

Please feel free to contact Mr. Hitesh Kumar, Deputy Director (Apprenticeship) and Ms. Nidhi Gautam, Senior Consultant at (Email-kawards2021apprenticeship@gmail.com), with questions you may have in regards to this award.

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APPLICATION FORM FOR KAUSHALACHARYA AWARDS (APPRENTICESHIP)

For the Year 2021

For engagement of apprentices in establishments under Apprentices Act, 1961

CATEGORY OF AWARDS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Central Government & CPSUs 2. State Government & State PSUs 3. Private Establishments 4. Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) 5. Establishments having manpower strength between 4-29 employees
No. of Awards	05

Sl.No.	Details	To be filled by the applicant establishment
1	Name of the establishment	
2	Address of the establishment	
3	Apprenticeship portal (apprenticeshipindia.org) registration number	
4	Category of application	
a)	Central Government & CPSUs	
b)	State Government & State PSUs	
c)	Private Establishments	
d)	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)	
e)	Establishments having manpower strength between 4-29 employees	
5	Company PAN number	
6	Company TAN number	
7	Total manpower strength for the year 2021	
8	Number of apprentices engaged during 2021.	
a)	Number of female apprentices engaged	
b)	Number of ST apprentices engaged	
c)	Number of SC apprentices engaged	

d)	Number of PWD apprentices engaged	
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Note:

Incomplete form will be rejected without any notice to the applicant.

The particulars furnished in the application and in the enclosed documents have been checked and verified

Signature of the person in-charge

Phone No. with STD Code

Mobile No.....

Email Id:.....

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SELECTION CRITERIA FOR KAUSHALACHARYA AWARDS

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No. of Awards	05

Sl.No.	Details	Proposed Marks	Marks given to applicant
1	Name of the establishment		
2	Address of the establishment		
3	Apprenticeship portal (apprenticeshipindia.org) registration number		
4	Category of application		
f)	Central Government & CPSUs		
g)	State Government & State PSUs		
h)	Private Establishments		
i)	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)		
j)	Establishments having manpower strength between 4-29 employees		
5	Company PAN number		
6	Company TAN number		
7	Total manpower strength for the year 2021		
8	Number of apprentices engaged during 2021.	Good:10 Very Good:15	2.5%-5% apprentices engaged of total manpower strength 5%-10% apprentices

		Outstanding:20	engaged of total manpower strength 10%-15% apprentices engaged of total manpower strength
e)	Number of female apprentices engaged	Good:10 Very Good:15 Outstanding:20	Up to 10% of total apprentices engaged 10%-35% of total apprentices engaged 35% of total apprentices engaged
f)	Number of ST apprentices engaged	Good:10 Very Good:15 Outstanding:20	Up to 5% of total apprentices engaged 5-7.5% of total apprentices engaged Above 7.5% of total apprentices engaged
g)	Number of SC apprentices engaged	Good:10 Very Good:15 Outstanding:20	Up to 10% of total apprentices engaged 10-15% of total apprentices engaged Above 15% of total apprentices engaged
h)	Number of PWD apprentices engaged	Good:10 Very Good:15	Up to 1% of total apprentices engaged 2-3% of total apprentices engaged

		Outstanding:20	Above 3% of total apprentices engaged
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