



Notification

Ladakh, the 24th of March, 2026

S.O. 169 — In exercise of the powers conferred by proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India read with S.O. 282 (E) dated 21.01.2020, issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, the Lieutenant Governor of the Union territory of Ladakh hereby makes the following rules to further amend the Union territory of Ladakh School Education (Subordinate) Services Recruitment Rules, 2021 (hereinafter referred to as the 'said rules') notified vide S.O 47 dated: 29-09-2021 and as amended vide S.O. 77 dated: 13-06-2022 and vide S.O. 46 dated: 18-04-2025, namely:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**— (1) These rules may be called the Union territory of Ladakh School Education (Subordinate) Service Recruitment (Amendment) Rules, 2026.
(2) These rules shall come to force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. **Amendments to Schedule - I:** The "Schedule-I" to the said Rules shall be substituted by the following Schedule, as follows, namely,—

"Schedule - I

S. No.	Name of the post	Pay Level & Structure	Number of posts
I	II	III	IV
1	Section Officer	Level-7 (44900-142400)	05
2	Statistical Officer	Level-7 (44900-142400)	04
3	Assistant Accounts Officer	Level-7 (44900-142400)	03
4	Senior Stenographer	Level 7 (44900-142400)	01
5	Masters	Level-6E (35900-113500)	660
6	Legal Assistant	Level-6E (35900-113500)	01
7	Chauffeur	Level-6C (35700-113100)	01
8	Head Assistant	Level-6B (35600-112800)	27
9	Accountant	Level-6B (35600-112800)	17
10	Statistical Assistant	Level-6B (35600-112800)	07
11	Junior Stenographer	Level-6B (35600-112800)	03
12	Librarian	Level-6 (35400-112400)	34
13	Senior Assistant	Level-5 (29200-92300)	84
14	Teacher (Upper Primary) *	Level-5 (29200-92300)	876
15	Teacher (Primary)**	Level-5 (29200-92300)	2571
16	Accounts Assistant	Level-5 (29200-92300)	50
17	Junior Assistant	Level-4 (25500-81100)	129

18	Junior Librarian	Level-4 (25500-81100)	2
19	Technician	Level-4 (25500-81100)	1
20	Driver Grade-I	Level-4 (25500-81100)	2
21	Driver Grade-II	Level-2 (19900-63200)	2
22	Library Assistant	Level-2 (19900-63200)	49
23	Laboratory Assistant	Level-2 (19900-63200)	151
24	Class IV	Level-SL1 (14800-47100)	669
		Total	5349

Note: ***/**** The Teacher/Teacher Grade-III who were previously appointed/regularized from ReT on the basis of 10+2 qualification shall continue to remain in the Pay Level-4 and Teacher/Teacher Grade-II who were previously appointed/regularized from ReT on the basis of Graduation qualification shall continue to remain in the Pay Level-5.”.

1. **Amendments to Schedule – II.** — The Schedule – II (B)” to the said Rules shall be substituted by the following Schedule, as follows, namely:—

“Schedule-II (B)

Pay Level & Structure	Designation	Minimum qualification for direct recruitment	Method of recruitment
Level-6E (35900-113500)	Master		100% by promotion from amongst Teacher (Primary) and Teacher (Upper Primary) in the ratio of 3:1 respectively of the available vacancies of Masters, from those possessing a Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) from a recognized University and having not less than five years of regular service in the respective grade. Note: The promotion of persons holding the feeder posts of Teacher / Teacher Grade-II with B.Ed and having not less than five years of satisfactory regular service shall be made as per the existing mechanism (existing as on notification of these amendment rules) on the basis of combined seniority.
Level-5 (29200-92300)	Teacher (Upper Primary)	1. Graduation from any recognised University. 2. Bachelor of Education (B. Ed). OR B.Ed. (Special Education) OR	A) 95% direct recruitment with the following ratio. i) 58% Graduates in any discipline. ii) 30% Science Teachers: (Graduates with Physics / Chemistry / Botany / Zoology / Math as one of the subjects in Graduation). iii) 10% Language Teachers: (Graduates with Urdu / Hindi / Arabic / Bhoti as one of the subjects in Graduation) iv) 02 % Special Education Teacher: (Graduate with B.Ed in

		<p>Three (03) years integrated B.Ed / M.Ed.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> <p>3. Central Teacher Eligibility Test (Paper II only)</p>	<p>Special Education in respect of Upper Primary Teacher / Diploma in Special Education in respect of Primary Teacher from any institution affiliated with RCI)</p> <p>B) 05% by Promotion from Laboratory Assistants, having Graduation with B.Ed. and not less than (03) three years substantive service.</p> <p>Note: In case of non-availability of suitable candidates, vacancies shall be filled up by direct recruitment under category A (i) above.</p>
Level-5 (29200-92300)	Teacher (Primary)	<p>1. Graduation from any recognised University</p> <p>2. Two (02) years diploma in Elementary Education.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Four (04) years Bachelor of Elementary Education.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Two (02) Diploma in Education (Special Education).</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Three (03) years integrated B.Ed/M.Ed.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> <p>3. Central Teacher Eligibility Test (Paper I only)</p>	<p>A) 95% direct recruitment with the following ratio. i) 98 % Graduates in any discipline ii) 2 % Special Education Teacher: (Graduate with B.Ed in Special Education in respect of Upper Primary Teacher / Diploma in Special Education in respect of Primary Teacher from any institution affiliated with RCI)</p> <p>B) 5% by Promotion from Laboratory Assistants, having Graduation with Diploma in elementary Education and not less than (03) three years substantive service.</p> <p>Note: In case of non-availability of suitable candidates, vacancies shall be filled up by direct recruitment under category A (i) above.”.</p>

By order of the Lieutenant Governor.

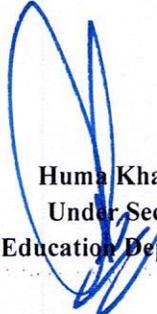
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