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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
LABOUR DEPARTMENT
DIRECTORATE OF TRAINING

No. 7789/DoT/ATS/LAB/GAZ/2026/135.

Puducherry, dated 20th August 2026.

ORDER

In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of section 37 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), the Central Government has published the revised rate of stipend to be paid to the Apprentices. The same was republished in the Official Gazette of Government of Union territory of Puducherry *vide* No. 17 of Part-I of Extraordinary Gazette, dated 12-02-2026. Further, in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section 1 (i) of section 23 of the said Act, to implement the Scheme in the Union territory of Puducherry as State Apprenticeship Adviser with taking note of the new stipend rate minimum rate of stipend in the Union territory of Puducherry is ordered for further follow up.

Sl. No.	Category	Prescribe minimum amount of stipend
(1)	(2)	(3)
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1	School pass-outs (class 5th- class 9th)	6,800 per month
2	School pass-outs (class 10th)	8,200 per month
3	School pass-outs (class 12th)	9,600 per month
4	National or State Certificate holder	9,600 per month
5	Technician (vocational) apprentice or Vocational Certificate holder or Sandwich Course (Students from Diploma Institutions).	9,600 per month
6	Technician apprentices or diploma holder in any stream or sandwich course (students from degree institutions).	10,900 per month
7	Graduate apprentices or degree apprentices or degree in any stream.	12,300 per month

Note:

(1A) In the case of Skill Certificate holder, stipend payable per month shall be as per his/her educational qualification as mentioned in the Table above.

(1AA) During the second year of apprenticeship training, there shall be an increase of 10 per cent (10%) in the prescribed minimum stipend amount and further 15 per cent (15%) increase in the prescribed minimum stipend amount during the third year of apprenticeship training.

(1AAA) In the case of National or State Certificate holder, the period of training already undergone by him or her in a school or other institution recognised by the National Council or State Council, shall be taken into account for the purpose of determining the minimum payable rate of stipend.

(1AAAA) In the case of Fresher apprentice, during Basic-Training for a period up to three months, the stipend amount to be paid by the establishment shall be 50 per cent (50%) of the prescribed stipend. Further, in case of simultaneous Basic Training (BT) and On-the-job Training, full amount of the stipend is to be paid.

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