



**Advt. No. NSTL/JRF/01/2026**

**Walk-in-Interview for Selection of Junior Research Fellows at NSTL, Visakhapatnam**

A walk-in-interview is scheduled to be conducted for the award of Junior Research Fellowships at NSTL, DRDO, initially for a period of two years (extendable as per rules) with Monthly Emoluments of Rs. 37,000/- (Plus House Rent Allowance) as admissible according to the rules. Eligible and interested candidates may attend the interview on the given date.

Sl. No.	Type of Fellowship	Subject/ Discipline	No. of Fellowships #	Educational Qualification **
1.	Junior Research Fellow (JRF)	Mechanical Engg.	03 (Three)	Graduate degree in relevant professional course (B.E./ B.Tech) with first division and a valid NET/GATE score.  <u>OR</u>  Post Graduate degree in relevant professional course (M.E./ M.Tech) with first division both at Graduate and Post Graduate level.
2.		Electronics/ Electronics & Comm. Engg.	02 (Two)	
3.		Computer Science Engg.	01 (One)	
4.		Instrumentation Engg. /Electronics & Instrumentation Engg	01 (One)	

\*\* (i) Valid NET/GATE score is essential for B.E./ B. Tech candidates.  
(ii) The Degree and Post Graduate Degree should be in same Discipline (Branch/Subject)

# (i) The number of Fellowship may decrease or increase depending upon administrative requirements.  
(ii) Future vacancies may be filled with panel candidates. The panel will be valid for one year from the date of publication of results.

**IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS:** -

1. **Upper Age Limit:** 28 years as on the date of walk-in-interview. The upper age limit shall be relaxable for candidates belonging to SC, ST and OBC as per Govt. of India guidelines.
2. Only the Candidates possessing the prescribed qualification acquired from recognized University/ Institutions as on the closing date of application should attend the Walk-in-interview. NSTL reserves the final right to select or reject any candidate.
3. Candidates working in the Public Sector undertakings/Autonomous Bodies should bring '**No Objection certificate**' from the concerned authorities at the time of Interview.
4. No TA / DA will be paid for attending the Walk-in-interview.
5. It may please be noted that Award of fellowship does not confer on fellows any right for absorption in DRDO.
6. Interested candidates may appear before the Selection Committee with their Bio-Data and the **under mentioned documents (in Original) and a set of photo copies.**
  - a) Mark sheets and certificates in support of Educational Qualification(s)
  - b) Birth certificate or Matriculation / 10<sup>th</sup> class certificate in support of Date of Birth
  - c) Valid NET/GATE score card (if applicable)
  - d) Valid SC/ ST/OBC certificate (if applicable)
  - e) A valid Photo ID card (Aadhaar/ PAN card/ Voter ID card/ Passport)
  - f) Two (02) recent passport size photographs
  - g) Examination Fee of Rs. 10/- is to be paid vide a crossed Indian Postal Order **OR** a Demand Draft drawn in favour of "**The Director, NSTL**" payable at Visakhapatnam **OR** online Payment to the below mentioned Bank account (Payment Receipt to be submitted at the time of interview). Candidates belonging SC/ ST/OBC are exempted from this payment.

Name of Account	-	Director NSTL Public Fund Account
Bank's Name & Branch	-	State Bank of India, NSTL Branch
Account No.	-	10364722847
IFSC	-	SBIN0011161

7. A Written Test consisting of Objective type Multiple Choice Questions will be conducted to shortlist the candidates for Interview, if necessary.
8. Based on the performance of candidates in the interview, a Panel of selected candidates will be prepared for the available vacancies and anticipated future vacancies. The Panel would operate for a period of one year from the date of interview.
9. The schedule for the Walk-in-interview is as follows: -

Fellowship	Date of Interview	Venue	Reporting Time
JRF (Mechanical/ ECE/ CSE/ Instrumentation)	26/02/2026	Naval Science & Technological Laboratory, Vigyan Nagar, Near N.A.D. Junction, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh - 530 027	0900 Hrs.

10. In case of any query, Phone No. (s) 0891-258 6403/6404 may be contacted.

Sd/-  
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