

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ON MSDE'S KAUSHALACHARYA AWARDS**

### **Award Category: Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY)**

#### **Q. What are the objectives of the Kaushalacharya Awards?**

**Ans.** To honor excellence amongst Trainers and Master Trainers in PMKVY who have achieved outstanding and meritorious performance outcomes in a consistent basis setting benchmarks for others to emulate.

#### **Q. What are the process for nomination for the award?**

**Ans.** Broadly, there are two categories of award: - They are: Trainer Excellence (Excellence in training) and Master Trainers (Excellence in providing training of trainers). For the awards, the Sector Skills Councils have been divided into 5 different groups. Each group has 2 award categories totaling 10 awards.

#### **Q. Who can be nominated for PMKVY - Kaushalacharya Awards?**

**Ans:** Trainer Excellence and Master Trainer categories:

- (i) Self Nomination by eligible Trainers/Master Trainers.
- (ii) Only one self-nomination allowed
- (iii) Nominations by Training Partners (TP), Sector Skill Councils (SSC) & State Skill Development Missions (SSDM).

#### **Q. How many candidates would be awarded under Kaushalachary Awards?**

There are total of 10 awards to be awarded as per below:

<b>Category</b>	<b>No. of Awards</b>
Category 1- National Award for Excellence - Trainers	5
Category 2 – National Award for Excellence – Master Trainers	5

Further for each category the five awards are divided into five sector groups, one award in each category:

<b>Group 1</b>	<b>Group 2</b>	<b>Group 3</b>	<b>Group 4</b>	<b>Group 5</b>
Electronics and Hardware	Apparel	Retail	Telecom	Construction
Furniture and Fittings	Persons with Disability	Logistics	IT-ITeS	BFSI
Sports	Life Sciences	Capital Goods	Beauty and Wellness	Tourism and Hospitality
Rubber	Food Processing	Plumbing	Management	Healthcare
Infrastructure Equipment	Mining	Gems and Jewellery	Green Jobs	Agriculture
Aerospace and Aviation	Textiles and Handlooms	Iron and Steel		Power
Hydrocarbon	Domestic Worker			Automotive
	Handicrafts and Carpet			Media and Entertainment
	Leather			

**Ques. Is ToT certification necessary for applying for these awards?**

**Ans:** Yes, valid ToT certification and master trainer certification are the necessary eligibility criterion for these awards

**Q. Who will submit the application and where to apply?**

**Ans.** The applications will be submitted online through MHA portal ([www.awards.gov.in](http://www.awards.gov.in)).

**Ques. Whom to contact for any technical error / query?**

**Ans.** Authorized Helpdesk (details provided on National Award Portal.) may be addressed for resolving the problem.

**Ques. How would the awards be announced?**

**Ans:** The selected awardees would get a formal communication from National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) or MSDE informing them about their selection. An award ceremony would be organized for distribution of awards, the details of the ceremony would be shared with the awardees in advance.

## **2. Award Category: Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS)**

### **Q. What are Kaushalacharya Awards?**

**Ans.** The objective of Kaushalacharya Award is to recognize outstanding contributions of the part- time resource persons who put their efforts to achieve the goal of the scheme and bring a change in the lives of the target group through skilling i.e. underprivileged and marginalized section of the society in the rural and urban slums.

### **Q. What are the categories in which RPs can be nominated?**

**Ans.** There are **five** categories for nomination. They are:

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Category</b>
1	Apparel
2	Beauty & Wellness
3	Handicrafts
4	Food Processing and Preservation
5	Technical (Electrical, AC & Plumbing)

JSS can nominate only one applicant under each category. The multiple nominations of one resource person will not be allowed by the Portal.

### **Q. Who can be nominated for Kaushalacharya Awards?**

**Ans.** Resource Persons of Jan Shikshan Sansthan can be nominated.

### **Q. Who will submit the application and where to apply?**

**Ans.** Director JSS will submit the application on behalf of Resource Person. The applications will be submitted online through MHA portal ([www.awards.gov.in](http://www.awards.gov.in) ).

### **Q. What are the eligibility criteria for nomination?**

**Ans.** The following is the eligibility criteria:

- ✓ Minimum of 3 years of engagement as resource person with a particular Jan Shikshan Sansthan
- ✓ Minimum 120 Beneficiaries trained in last 3 financial years i.e. 2019-20, 2020-21 & 2021-22
- ✓ Those who already got Kaushalacharya Award are not eligible for the award.
- ✓ Those working in any Government Department/institutions are not eligible the award.
- ✓ JSS can nominate only one applicant under each category.
- ✓ This award carried a certificate.
- ✓

### **Q. How to login to nominate the Resource Person of JSS?**

**Ans.** JSS can login only through [https://www.awards.gov.in/](https://www.awards.gov.in) by entering authorized login details provided by DJSS.

### **Q. Whom to contact for any technical error / query?**

**Ans.** For any technical assistance, you may contact to the Helpdesk (details provided on National Award Portal.

### 3. Directorate General of Training (DGT):

**Award Category: Long term vocational training: Skill Trainers and Master Trainers**

**Q. What are Kaushalacharya Awards under this category?**

**Ans.** Award for Skill Trainers and Award for Master Trainers.

**Q. What are objectives of these two categories of award?**

**Ans:** The purpose of this category of award is to identify young talented Skill Trainers who have established competence in their area of specialization, recognized their contribution, motivate them and raise their importance and prestige.

**Q. What are the eligibility criteria for these two categories of award?**

**Ans:** (i) Skill Trainer award are for those trainers working ITIs and NSTIs with at least 3 years regular teaching experience prior to their nomination/self-nomination.

(ii) Master Trainers award for those regular Master Trainers(Training Officers, Assistant Directors, Deputy Directors) working in National Skill Training Institutes(NSTIs) with at least 05 years regular teaching experience.

**Q. What are the categories for nomination?**

**Ans.** There are **five** categories for nomination for Skill Trainers. They are:

#### **Skill Trainers**

Best Skill Trainer in Top 5 Trades, i e(Fitter, Electrician, Mechanic Motor Vehicle, Welder, Computer Operator & Programme Assistant)	05
2. Remaining Engineering Trades	01
3. Remaining Non-Engineering Trades	01
4. Divyang Trades	01
5. New Age courses	01

Three categories for **Master Trainer**: 03 Master Trainer Award (each in Engineering and Non Engineering category)

**Nomination Process:** (a) For Skill Trainers, the State Government authorized for two nomination and for Master Trainers, the Institute (NSTIs/ITI ) authorized for two nomination.

(b). Self nomination in both categories.

### 4. Award Category: Entrepreneurship (ENP) Trainers

**Ques 1: What are the objectives of this category of award?**

**Ans:** To honor excellence amongst Entrepreneurship Trainers from Autonomous Entrepreneurship Development Institutes under MSDE who have achieved outstanding and meritorious performance outcomes in a consistent basis setting benchmarks for others to emulate.

**Ques 2: What are the eligible criteria for nomination process under the award category?**

**Ans:** There are three categories as under:

- Entrepreneurship Development Trainer
- Mentoring & Handholding Service Provider
- Research & Consultancy Services Provider

**Ques 3: Nomination and screening parameters in all three categories:**

**Ans:** For all the above named three categories of award- eligible Entrepreneurship Development Trainers/Mentoring & Handholding Service Provider/ Research & Consultancy Services Provider are eligible for nomination as under:

- Self Nomination
- Nomination by concerned Autonomous Entrepreneurship Development Institute under MSDE
- Only one nomination (self-nomination/nomination by organization) allowed.

**Ques 4: What are the screening parameters for the award categories?**

**Ans:** May be referred to the detailed guidelines through the given hyperlink.

**Ques 5: What is the selection process?**

**Ans:** The applications/nominations received would be evaluated on the basis of the parameters indicated for the concerned sub-category by a Screening Committee for Entrepreneurship Trainers Category.

## **5. Award Category: Apprenticeship**

**Ques 1: Who can nominate for the awards**

**Ans:** Individual organisations can nominate self for the award.

**Ques 2:** How many nominations are accepted?

**Ans:** Only one nomination per establishment.

**Ques 3:** How many categories of awards are there?

**Ans:** Five

**Ques 4.** What are the categories of awards?

**Ans:** 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.

**Ques 5:** Which domain establishments should work under?

**Ans:** Promotion of apprenticeship and engagement of apprentices

### **Kaushalacharya Award:**

Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) instituted the Kaushalacharya Award in 2019 as an annual affair, to felicitate trainers from different sectors for exceptional contribution towards creating a future-ready and skilled workforce in a bid to motivate and incentivize more trainers to join the Skill India Mission and also to recognize the contribution made by skill trainers in the vocational training ecosystem. It is estimated India will need about 2.5 lakh trainers across the skilling ecosystem. National Skill Development Corporation(NSDC) and Directorate General of Training(DGT) are working together to create better quality trainers and assessors. To ensure standardization of training and learning, MSDE is working on creating world-class academies and putting in place rigorous accreditation processes. The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship has introduced programs to for effective utilization of capacity and infrastructure across the network of National Skill Training Institutes (NSTIs) to achieve greater convergence between long-term and short-term skill ecosystem. Organisations like NIMI, NSTI, Central Staff Training and Research Institute (CSTRI) are working closely toward strengthening of trainers.

The **1st edition** of Kaushalacharya Awards 2019 ceremony was organized on 5th Sept 2019(Teacher's Day) to felicitate 53 trainers from different sectors, including experts of World Skills Competition winners( 19 participants who won laurels for India at theWorld Skills Competition 2019) in Kazan, Russia on Aug 22-27., trainers from National Skill Training Institutes (NSTIs), Industrial Training Centres (ITI), Jan Sikshan Sansthans (JSS) and trainers from reputed Corporate houses were honored during the event.

**The 2<sup>nd</sup> edition** of the Kaushalacharya Award was held on 01<sup>st</sup> September,2020 as a **digital conclave**. A total of 92 trainers from diverse backgrounds across geographies from different categories such as Entrepreneurship training, National Apprenticeship Promotional Scheme (NAPS), Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS), Short Term Training under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Long Term Training under Directorate General of Training (DGT) and Industrial Training Centres (ITI) were felicitated at the digital conclave.

The **3<sup>rd</sup> edition** of the Kaushalacharya Award ceremony was held on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2021 through a digital conclave to celebrate Vishwakarma **Jayanti** to felicitate 53 trainers from different sectors, i.e. National Apprenticeship Promotional Scheme (NAPS), Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS), Short Term Training under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Long Term Training under Directorate General of Training (DGT) and Industrial Training Centres (ITI).

For the **4th edition** of the Kaushalaya Award, likely to held in September,2022, Ministry of Home Affairs, Awards Portal Cell informed in February,2022 that they have developed, in consultation with NIC team of MHA, a common unified National Awards Portal for inviting online nominations for the various awards instituted by various Ministries/Departments and requested for availing the facility for on-boarding the Award process on its Portal so as to ensure complete transparency and openness in the selection process meritorious candidates, as per the eligibility criteria laid down in the guidelines of concerned Award category. In this regard, consultation with MHA Award Portal team has been going on for getting the Kaushalacharya Award process on-boarded. All the concerned Divisions have regularly participated in the

meeting held at MHA for working out the modalities and the nomination process of getting the Kaushalacharya Award on-boarded is likely to go live at the earliest.

### **PMKVY Kaushalacharya 2022 Awards:**

#### **1. Objective**

To honor excellence amongst Trainers and Master Trainers in PMKVY who have achieved outstanding and meritorious performance outcomes in a consistent basis setting benchmarks for others to emulate.

#### **2. Eligibility**

- All PMKVY trainers and master trainers are eligible to apply.
- Applicants for the awards should be TOT certified at the time of applying for the award fulfilling the educational and experience requirement as per SSC guidelines.

#### **3. Nomination and screening parameters:**

##### *Category 1 National Award for Trainer Excellence (Excellence in training)*

- Eligible trainers can self-nominate/be nominated by TPs or SSDMs.
- Only one self-nomination allowed
- Training Partners/SSDMs can nominate one trainer in each sector group
- Screened on following parameters:
  - Number of candidates certified from batches trained by trainer
  - Placement performance of candidates from batches trained by trainer
  - Years of experience as trainer
  - TP/SSDM recommendations/testimonials, past awards/recognition
  - Candidate feedback (5) or consolidated trainer rating if available with TP

##### *Category 2 National Award for Master Trainers (Excellence in providing training of trainers)*

- Eligible master trainers can self nominate/be nominated by SSCs
- Only one self-nomination allowed
- Only one nomination in case of SSC
- Screened basis following parameters:
  - Number of trainers trained
  - Experience in skill development ecosystem as Master trainer
  - SSC recommendation/testimonial, past awards/recognition
  - Feedback from ToT trained trainers (5) or consolidated master trainer rating if available from SSC



#### 4. Sector Groups and No of Awardees

For the awards, the sector skills councils have been divided into 5 different groups based on apprx 20% of PMKVY training contribution in each group. Each group has 2 award categories as explained above totaling 10 awards.

Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5
Electronics and Hardware	Apparel	Retail	Telecom	Construction
Furniture and Fittings	Persons with Disability	Logistics	IT-ITeS	BFSI
Sports	Life Sciences	Capital Goods	Beauty and Wellness	Tourism & Hospitality
Rubber	Food Processing	Plumbing	Management	Healthcare
Infrastructure Equipment	Mining	Gems and Jewellery	Green Jobs	Agriculture
Aerospace and Aviation	Textiles And Handlooms	Iron and Steel		Power
Hydrocarbon	Domestic Worker			Automotive
	Handicrafts and Carpet			Media and Entertainment
	Leather			

#### 5. Selection Process

- The applications submitted would be first evaluated on basis of quantitative parameters like the number of trainees certified, placement parameter etc
- The selected applications/nominations would then be evaluated by a Screening Committee basis qualitative parameters including the achievements, experience and contributions of the nominee in the skilling sector
- Awards Selection Committee will then evaluate the applications shared and declare final winners for Category 1 and Category 2 for each of the 5 sector groups totaling 10 awards.
- The winners will receive the awards in the Kaushalacharya awards function



## Consolidated general guidelines for Kaushalayacharya Award 2022

### General Guidelines for all categories of award under National Kaushalacharya Award 2022

SI No	Category/ sub-categories	Objectives	Eligibility & Nomination process	Award categories	Types of Award	Screening/Selection process
1.	<b>Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana(PMKVY)</b>	To honour excellence amongst Trainers and Master Trainers in PMKVY who have achieved outstanding and meritorious performance in a consistent basis setting benchmarks for others to emulate.	1. All PMKVY Trainers and Master trainers are eligible to apply. 2. Applicants for the awards should be TOT certified at the time of applying for the award fulfilling the educational and experience requirement as per SSC guidelines.	10 (Skill trainers :05 & Master Trainers : 05) For each category the 05 awards are divided into five sector groups, one award in each category	1. National Award for Trainer (Excellence in training). 2.National Award for Master Trainers (Excellence in providing training of trainers)	1. The applications submitted would be first evaluated on basis of quantitative parameters like the number of trainees certified, placement parameter etc. 2. The selected applications/ nominations would then be evaluated by a Screening Committee basis qualitative parameters including the achievements, experience and contributions of the nominee in the skilling sector 3. Awards Selection Committee will then evaluate the applications shared and declare final winners for Category 1 and Category 2 for each of the 5 sector groups totaling 10 awards.
2	Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS)	The objective of of this category of award is to recognize outstanding contributions of the part-time Resource Persons who put their efforts to achieve the goal of the scheme and bring a change in the lives of the target group through skilling i.e. under-	<b>Resource Persons</b> 1. Minimum of 3 years of engagement as resource person with a particular Jan Shikshan Sansthan. 2. Minimum 120 beneficiaries trained in last 3 financial years i.e.	05 1.Apparel, 2.Beauty & Wellness, 3.Handicrafts, 4.Food Processing & Preservation, 5.Technical (Electrical, AC & Plumbing)	Resource Persons of Jan Shikshan Sansthans(JSS):	Director JSS will submit the application on behalf of Resource Person who is found to be eligible for nomination as per the Award guidelines.

		privileged and marginalized section of the society in the rural and urban slums.	2019-20, 2020-21 & 2021-22.  3. Director JSS will submit the application on behalf of Resource Person			
3.	Directorate General of Training(DGT)	<p><b>Skill Trainers:</b> The purpose of the scheme is to identify young talented Skill Trainers who have established competence in their area of specialization, recognized their contribution, motivate them and raise their importance and prestige.</p> <p><b>Master Trainers:</b> The purpose of the award under Master Trainer category is to identify the talented Master Trainers who have established competence in their area of specialization and have immensely contributed towards creating work force</p>	<p><b>A. Skill Trainers:</b> Regular Skill Trainers working in Directorate General of Training (DGT) accredited Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) and National skill Training Institutes (NSTIs) with at least 3 years regular teaching experience prior to their nomination/self-nomination.</p> <p><b>Nominations:</b> (i) A State Govt. may send only 2 nominations from each category. (ii) Candidates can also apply directly/self-nomination.</p> <p><b>B. Master Trainers:</b> The scheme is open to regular Master</p>	<p><b>A. Skill Trainers:</b> 09 1. Best Skill Trainer in Top 5 Trades, i.e (Fitter, Electrician, Mechanic Motor Vehicle, Welder, Computer Operator &amp; Programme Assistant) : 5  2. Remaining Engg Trades: 01  3. Remaining Non-Engg Trades: 01  4. Divyang Trades :01  5. New Age courses :01  <b>Master Trainers:</b> 04</p>	<p>1. Skill Trainers 2. Master Trainers (Long term vocational training)</p>	The nomination / self-nomination received would be scrutinised by the Standing Committee. Five finalists would be shortlisted from among the nominees based on selection criteria keeping in view the factors-(i) Self-Assessment (ii) Principal's Assessment and (iii) State Assessment.

		of Skill Trainers, to recognize their contribution and to motivate them to join the Skill India Mission	Trainers (Training Officers, Assistant Directors, Deputy Directors) working in National Skill Training Institutes(NSTIs) with at least 05 years regular teaching experience. <b>Nominations:</b> (i) An Institute may send only 2 nominations from each category (ii) Candidates can also apply directly/self-nomination	(02 Master Trainer Award each in Engineering and Non Engineering category)		
4.	Entrepreneurship (ENP) Development	To honour excellence amongst Entrepreneurship Trainers from Autonomous Entrepreneurship Development Institutes under MSDE who have achieved outstanding and meritorious performance outcomes in a consistent basis	Eligibility: Entrepreneurship Development Trainer/ Mentoring & Handholding Service Provider/ Research & Consultancy Services Provider from Autonomous Entrepreneurship Development Institutes under MSDE, in following categories as given under:	No of Awards:03 Award category: 1. Entrepreneurship Development Trainer. 2. Mentoring & Handholding Service. 3. Research and Consultancy Service Provider	Award category: 1. Entrepreneurship Development Trainer. 2. Mentoring & Handholding Service. 3. Research and Consultancy Service Provider	The applications/ nominations received would be evaluated on the basis of the parameters indicated for the concerned sub-category by a Screening Committee for Entrepreneurship Trainers Category. Awards Selection Committee will then evaluate the applications shared and declare final winners (one each) under the Entrepreneurship Trainers Category.

		setting benchmarks for others to emulate.	<p>(i) Entrepreneurship Development Trainer</p> <p>(ii) Mentoring &amp; Handholding Services</p> <p>(iii) Research &amp; Consultancy Services.</p> <p><b>Nomination:</b> Eligible Entrepreneurship Development Trainers can self-nominate/be nominated by concerned Autonomous Entrepreneurship Development Institute under MSDE.</p> <p>Other conditions:</p> <p>(i).Only one Self nomination/nomination by organization)</p> <p>(ii).Screened on specified parameters.</p>			
5	National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme(NAPS)	To identify top establishments in various categories based on the pre-defined parameters which will foster the environment of healthy competition among the	<p>The scheme is open to all the registered active establishments on apprenticeshipindia.gov.in portal.</p> <p>Nomination: Eligible establishment can apply self on Awards Portal.</p>	<p>05</p> <p>1.Central Government &amp; CPSUs: 01</p> <p>2.State Government &amp; State PSUs: 01</p> <p>3.Private Establishments: 01</p>	Registered active establishments imparting quality training/apprenticeship.	<p>The nomination / self-nomination received would be scrutinized by the Standing Committee. Five finalists would be shortlisted from among the nominees based on selection criteria keeping in view the following factors:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Self-Assessment.</li> <li>2. Verification from the apprenticeship portal.</li> </ol>

		establishments, leading to quality training and increase in the apprenticeship numbers.		4. Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs): 01 5. Establishments having manpower strength between 4- 29 employees: 01		
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## **KAUSHALAYACHARYA AWARD: Common background for all categories of awards.**

### **Brief Background:**

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The Award ceremony have normally be presided over by the Hon'ble Minister of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (SDE) and Minister of State, SDE.

It is estimated India will need about 2.5 lakh trainers across the skilling ecosystem. Under MSDE aegis, the National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) and Directorate General of Training (DGT) are working together to create better quality trainers and assessors.

The **4th edition** of the Kaushalacharya Award will be held in 2022. Under the Kaushalacharya Award there are **five** categories of award to cover and honour the achievement of Trainers/Master Trainers/Apprentices/Entrepreneurship Development Trainers for recognizing their immense contribution to society through their dedication in their respective field/domain for enhancing the employability skill amongst



the eligible work force and helping in creating alternative means of livelihood through skilling efforts The categories are as under:

<b>Category of Awards</b>	<b>Awardee category</b>	<b>Fields/sectors</b>	<b>Total Number of Awards for 2022</b>
<b>Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana(PMKVY)</b>	1.Skill Trainers 2.Master Trainers	(05 Sector Groups) 2 in each field/sectors	10
<b>Jan Shikshan Sansthan(JSS)</b>	Trainers/Resource Person	(in 05 fields/sectors with 03 award in each fields/sectors)	15
<b>Apprenticeship</b>	Apprentices	05 sectors/field	0 5
<b>Entrepreneurship</b>	1.Entrepreneurship Development Trainers 2. Mentoring and Hand-holding Service Provider. 3. <b>Research and Consultancy Service Provider</b>	03	03
<b>DGT</b>	1. <b>Skill trainers(Long term vocational training)</b> 2. <b>Master Trainers((Long term vocational training)</b>	Skill Trainers fields:09 Master trainer: 04	13
<b>Total</b>			<b>46*</b>

\*Subject to vary as per number of eligible applications in the concerned categories

**Note:** Pl refer to detailed guidelines in respect of category of awards. In case of any discrepancies, the decision of the Government will be final.