

# Basic Agriculture Training Centre Scheme

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## Benefits (Basic Agriculture Training Centre Scheme)

- Pattern of Assistance: Free short
- term training to educated unemployed rural youths. Type of Assistance and Entitlement (If Any): Training and capacity building. Stipend @ ₹500/
- per participant per month. Seed money @ ₹10,000/
- per participant.

## Eligibility (Basic Agriculture Training Centre Scheme)

- The applicant should be a permanent resident of Meghalaya. The applicant should be an unemployed rural youth. The applicant should have passed Class X. The applicant should be interested in starting farm
- based activities. The applicant should have owned or leased agricultural land.

## Application Process (Basic Agriculture Training Centre Scheme)

- Application Process: Step 01: The eligible Educated Rural Youths can apply/write an application on plain paper.
- Step 02: Along with the application, attach copies of all the mandatory documents (self-attest, if required).
- Step 03: Submit the duly filled and signed application along with the relevant documents at the office of the Principal, Basic Agricultural Training Centre (BATC).
- Mode of Selection of Beneficiary(s): The selection procedure is based on merit and on the condition that applicants own agricultural land on which they can start their farm-based activities.
- Whom to Contact: District Agriculture Officers of the concerned districts.
- Sub-Divisional Agricultural Officers of the concerned sub-divisions.
- District Training Officers, Tura/Shillong.
- Agricultural Development Officers of the concerned Community and Rural Development Blocks.

## Documents Required (Basic Agriculture Training Centre Scheme)

- Residential certificate from competent authority Educational Qualification (SSLC) Certificate ST/SC Certificate
- if applicable Birth Certificate EPIC Bank Pass Book

- copy of the first page of the trainee's own functional Bank Savings Account Two (2) Number of Passport size photographs & 1(one) Stamp Size photograph. Land Document Medical fitness certificate from respective PHC/CHC (Original) Unemployment Certificate Note 01: The unemployment status of a candidate may be included in a Recommendation letter issued by the respective District Level Officers of the Department of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare. Alternatively
- a self-certification by a candidate duly endorsed by any Gazetted Officer may also be accepted. Note 02: All the documents should be self-attested by the applicant. Note 03: If Applicant opts for Non-Farm Agri-business/activities
- the Land document is not mandatory
- but has to indicate "Non-Farm" in this column.

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