

(Indian Council of Agricultural Research)  
**CENTRAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE FOR DRYLAND AGRICULTURE**  
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Applications are invited for filling-up the following Technical Posts at Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture, Santoshnagar, Saidabad Post, Hyderabad – 500 059. The essential and desirable qualifications etc. for each post are given below :-

Sl. No.	Name of the Technical Post	No. of posts vacant	Category	Pay in the Pay Band + Grade Pay	Essential qualifications	Desirable qualifications
01	Technician T.3 [Cat. II] [Field Farm Technician] [Farm Assistant]	01	OBC	PB : 1 – ₹ 5200-20200 + Grade Pay ₹ 2800/-	Bachelor's degree in Agriculture <u>or</u> equivalent qualification from a recognized university.	M.Sc. Agriculture [Agril. Entomology]
02	Technician T.3 [Cat. II] [Farm Engineer]	01	OBC	PB : 1 – ₹ 5200-20200 + Grade Pay ₹ 2800/-	B. Tech. [Agricultural Engineering].	M. Tech. in Soil & Water Conservation Engineering / Drainage Engineering / Water resources experience in S&WCE.
03	Technician T.3 [Cat. II] [Field Farm Technician] [Farm Assistant]	01	UR	PB : 1 – ₹ 5200-20200 + Grade Pay ₹ 2800/-	Bachelor's degree in Agriculture <u>or</u> equivalent qualification from a recognized university.	Master's degree in Agriculture
04	Technician T.1 [Cat. I] Field Technician [Field man]	01	OBC	PB : 1 – ₹ 5200-20200 + Grade Pay ₹ 2000/-	Matriculate with at least one year's certificate in Agriculture from a recognized Institute.	Experience in the relevant field.

**General instructions for candidates :-**

- 01 The minimum and maximum age limit is 18-30 Years.
- 02 Relaxation in age limit for **SC/ST/OBC/** any other category will be allowed as per the extant rules of the Govt. of India.
- 03 **No** age limit for I.C.A.R. employees. For Research Associates / Senior Research Fellows who have been engaged on contractual basis in different ICAR Institutes as on date [cut off date for receipt of duly filled application] are eligible for relaxation in the upper age limit to the extent of their spell, during which they were actually engaged as RAs / SRFs in different projects of ICAR Institutes [maximum of 16 years 03 months]. They should have been engaged continuously in different projects of ICAR Institutes without inordinate spell of breaks. An employment certificate indicating the names of the projects and the exact period he / she worked in each project, may be obtained from the Competent Authority and enclosed along with the application. The applications without Employment Certificate will not be entertained. The age relaxation is applicable for the posts of Technician T.3 under Direct Recruitment for RAs / SRFs only. This dispensation is only for relaxing the maximum age limit and does not imply any other relaxation whatsoever regarding essential qualifications and experience etc.
- 04 Last date for receipt of applications is **30 days** from the date of publication. Application received after due date will not be entertained.
- 05 The prescribed qualifications are minimum and an enhanced qualification does not entitle candidates to be called for interview. Only short listed candidates will be called for interview.
- 06 Crucial date for determining the age limit of candidates will be the closing date of receipt of applications.
- 07 Community Certificate for **OBC** may be obtained from the competent authorities in the standard format as prescribed by Govt. of India, O.M. No. 36012/22/93-Estt.[SCT], dated 08<sup>th</sup> September, 1993 and guidelines contained in the Govt. of India and Department of Per. & Training, O.M. No. 36033/3/2004-Estt.[Res.] dated 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2008.
- 08 The post is non-government under the Indian Council of Agricultural Research which will be governed by the **New Pension Scheme** introduced by the Govt. of India with effect from **01.01.2004 *mutatis-mutandis*** and as amended from time-to-time.
- 09 The posts are purely temporary but likely to continue.
- 10 The place of posting will be at CRIDA, Hyderabad. However, appointee will be liable to serve in any Institute of ICAR anywhere in India

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- 11 The candidates who are in service in the Central/State Govt./ Undertaking / Autonomous bodies etc. should apply through '**proper channel**'.
- 12 **No** TA/ DA is admissible for attending the interview. However, SC / ST candidates will be paid TA as per Govt. of India's Rules.
- 13 Applications received after the due date for any reason including postal delays will not be entertained.
- 14 The **application form** may be **downloaded** from this Institute **Website : [www.crida.in](http://www.crida.in)**
- 15 Applications duly completed in all respects may be sent to the Director, Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture, Santoshnagar Colony, Saidabad Post, Hyderabad – 500 059 along with an application fee [non-refundable] of **Rs.100/-** [Rupees One hundred only] in the shape of crossed Demand Draft drawn in favour of 'ICAR Unit A/c. – CRIDA' payable at State Bank of India, Edi Bazar Branch [Code No.8026], Hyderabad. Candidates belonging to **SC/ST/all Female candidates are exempted from payment of application fee.**
- 16 The envelope containing application must be compulsorily superscribed as " Application for the post of \_\_\_\_\_". Any candidate who may be applying for more than one post should submit separate application for each post alongwith the prescribed application fee. Attested copies of Caste Certificate, Marks-sheets and Experience Certificate etc. should be attached alongwith each application.
- 17 Director, CRIDA, Hyderabad reserves the right to short list the candidates for test / interview after the screening of applications. No correspondence will be entertained from the candidates regarding selection / test / interview / appointment.
- 18 CANVASSING IN ANY FORM WILL BE TREATED AS DISQUALIFICATION.