

FAQ

(Entry Level Programme under Samarth)

Question 1: What is the objective of Entry Level programme?

Answer: To provide demand driven, placement oriented National Skills Qualifications Framework (NSQF) compliant skilling programmes to incentivize and supplement the efforts of the industry in creating jobs in the organized textile and related sectors, covering the entire value chain of textiles, excluding Spinning and Weaving.

Question 2: How many courses are adopted under Entry Level Training Programme?

Answer: Entry Level Training Programme is provided in 159 courses in different sectors.

Link: https://samarth-textiles.gov.in/uploads/List-of-Final-New-RSA-courses-for-Samarth-entry-level_2022-02-11.pdf

Question 3: What is the age criteria of candidate?

Answer: The age of the candidate should be minimum 14 years.

Question 4: What is the batch size for creating batch?

Answer: The batch size should be minimum 10 candidates and maximum 30 candidates.

Question 5: Is it necessary to get the trainer TOT certified?

Answer: Yes, it is mandatory to get the trainer ToT certified. Each of the training centres will be run by a qualified trainer and support staff. Training of Trainers programme will be conducted by the RSA.

Question 6: Who are the Assessment Agencies for conducting Assessment?

Answer: Third Party Assessment and Certification as per the assessment protocol laid down by RSA is mandatory for all the eligible trainees under Samarth and assessment is conducted by the Assessment Agencies empanelled by the RSA.

Question 7: What is the attendance mechanism adopted under the scheme?

Answer: Mandatory Aadhaar Enabled Biometric Attendance System (AEBAS) integrated with centralized MIS is adopted to ensure real time attendance of the trainers and the trainees.

Question 8: What is the minimum attendance percentage for a candidate to be eligible for assessment?

Answer: A minimum of 80% attendance is mandatory for a trainee to be eligible for assessment.

Question 9: What is the minimum placement criteria of a candidate?

Answer: 70% placement is compulsory of the successful Assessed candidates. However, in case of traditional sector (Handloom, Handicraft, Silk & Jute) at least 50% should be wage employment.

Question 10: Whether the CCTV recording is mandatory for entire training duration?

Answer: Yes, CCTV recording is mandatory for entire training duration. Recordings have to be kept by Implementing Partners (IP) for a minimum period of one year.