



CSIR CASE Notification 2023 - Recruitment for 444 Govt Jobs

Welcome to our blog dedicated to the CSIR CASE Notification 2023! As technology continues to evolve, so does the need for groundbreaking scientific research and collaboration. The CSIR CASE program stands as a beacon for aspiring researchers and scholars, providing a platform where innovation and collaboration intersect. In this blog, we delve into the intricacies of the CSIR CASE Notification 2023, exploring the opportunities it presents for researchers, the significance of collaborative scientific endeavors, and the potential impact on the scientific landscape. Join us on this journey as we unravel the exciting prospects that the CSIR CASE Notification 2023 holds for the scientific community and the broader realms of research and development.

Overview of CSIR CASE Notification 2023

Let's begin by charting out the course of your examination journey before delving into the details of the CSIR CASE Notification 2023. Think of it as a roadmap designed to not only navigate you through the complexities but also to provide a clear view of your ultimate destination. The visual representation below acts as your compass, addressing all your inquiries, from preparation strategies to eligibility criteria, guiding you effortlessly towards the ultimate outcome. Together, let's create a visual guide that defines each stage of your examination journey, ensuring a well-defined path leading you toward success.



Notification Release

8 December 2023

Check Eligibility Criteria, Vacancies for different posts & Salaries offered

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Eligibility Criteria

- Not above 33 years
[*for both Section Officer and Assistant Section Officer]
- A University Degree
[**for both Section Officer and Assistant Section Officer]

Posts, Vacancies & Salaries

Posts		
→ Section Officer (SO)	Total Vacancies - 444	SO - Rs. 47,600 to Rs. 1,51,000.
→ Assistant Section Officer (ASO)		ASO - Rs. 44,900 to Rs. 1,42,400

[Source: TheDhronas]

After gaining an understanding of eligibility, job openings, positions, and compensation, shall we move forward to explore the application process?

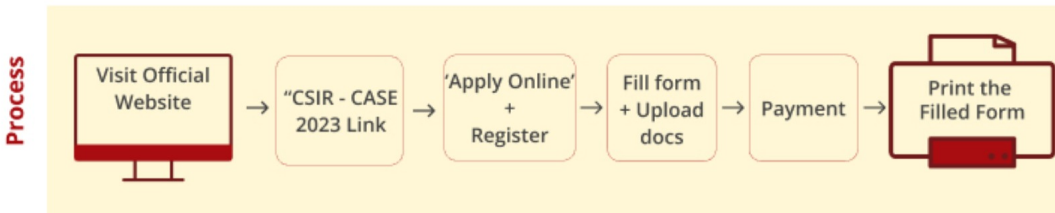
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Application Process

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Check Important Dates and Register and Fill Form Online



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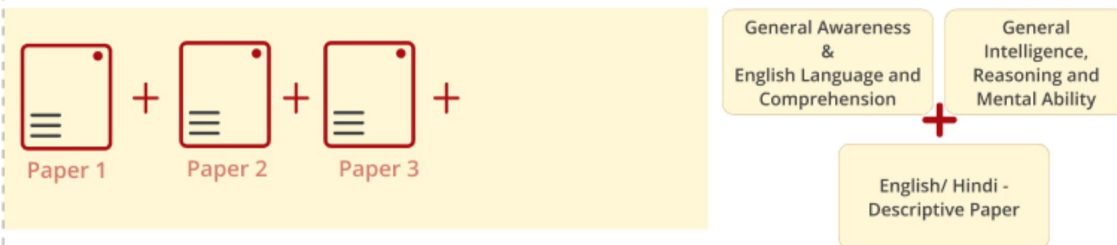
Moreover, we trust that you have grasped the application process thoroughly and are now prepared for a concise overview of exam preparation.



Exam Preparation

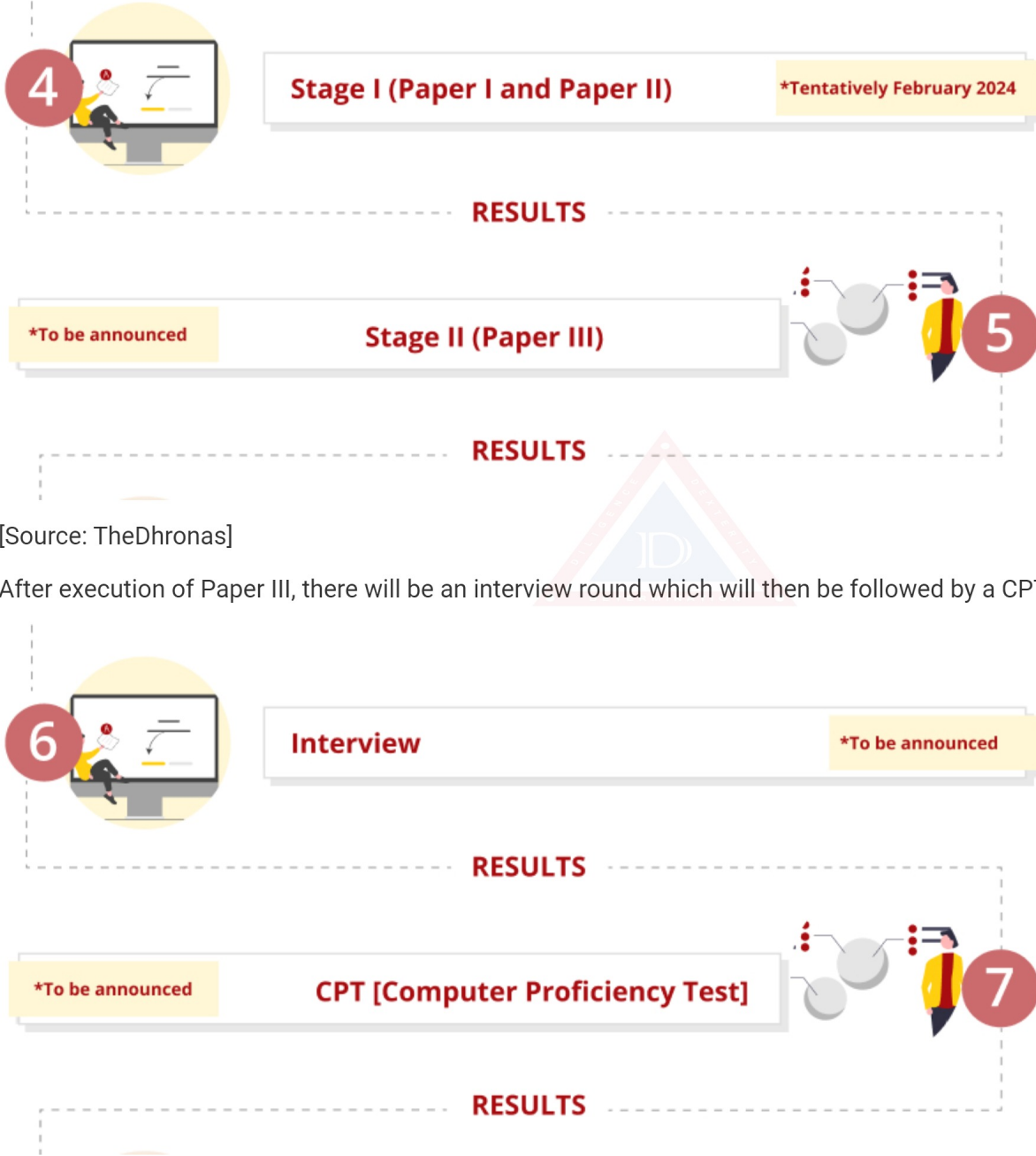
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Lets begin to prepare for the exams! Check syllabus and practice previous year question papers.



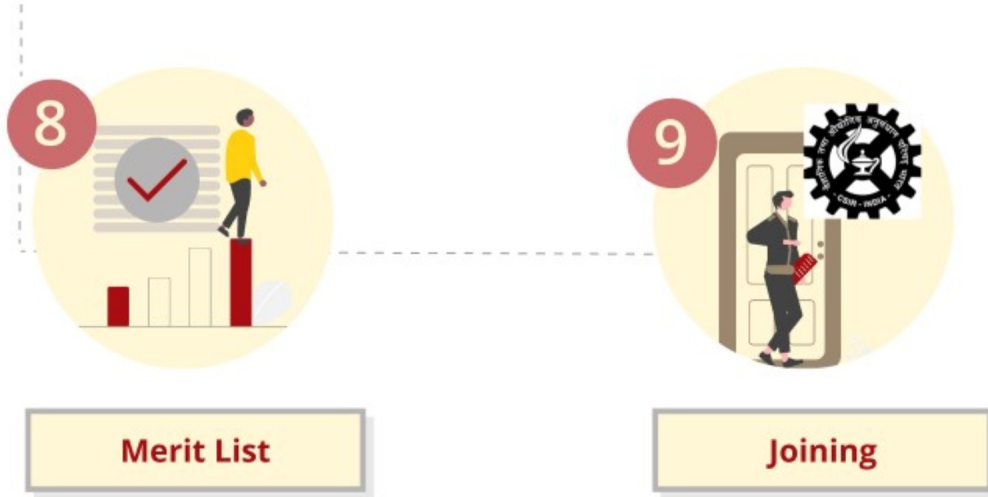
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Hopefully, the image above has provided clarity on the sequence of exam preparation. Now, let us discuss the sequence of these selection rounds.



[Source: TheDhronas]

Following the release of the exam results, the merit list will be published, determining your selection.



[Source: TheDhronas]

Now that you have a roadmap to your exam journey, how about we provide you with every detail of the CSIR CASE notification 2023? The Council of Scientific and Industrial Research unveiled the CSIR CASE notification 2023 on 8th December 2023. Furthermore, the notification was published on CSIR's official website. Moreover, the notification featuring 444 job openings was released to recruit qualified candidates for the post of Section Officer and Assistant Section Officer.

CSIR CASE Notification 2023 PDF

Feel free to obtain a comprehensive PDF version of all the information covered in this blog by simply clicking on the 'Download PDF' button located at the top of this page. This downloadable resource can be conveniently saved for future reference, providing you with a consolidated source for all exam-related details, ranging from eligibility criteria to exam patterns, syllabus, and more. Let's break down the CSIR CASE Notification 2023 into manageable sections to explore the detailed information we've covered here. Below, you'll find an organized list encompassing essential content found in the official CSIR CASE Notification 2023:



1. Eligibility Criteria
2. Vacancies
3. Post and Salary Details
4. Exam Pattern
5. Exam Syllabus
6. Important Exam Dates
7. Application Process
8. Admit Card and Exam Centers

Furthermore, each of these critical points is thoroughly discussed in the subsequent sections of this blog for your in-depth understanding and clarity.

CSIR CASE 2023 Eligibility Criteria

Begin your path to success by taking the crucial first step – gaining a clear understanding of your eligibility requirements! Therefore, acquaint yourself with the two fundamental CSIR CASE eligibility criteria 2023 outlined below:

- **Age Limit:** To be eligible for either of the posts i.e., Section Officer and Assistant Section Officer, your age must not exceed more than 33 years.
- **Educational Qualification:** Similarly, even the educational qualification is same for both the posts. That is, to be eligible, you must have a University Degree.

You must ensure to meet these eligibility criteria. Further, if you want to know about the age relaxations provided by CSIR, read our CSIR CASE eligibility criteria 2023 blog by clicking on the embedded link.

CSIR CASE 2023 Vacancy

The CSIR CASE 2023 notification has revealed 444 job opportunities for the role of Section Officer and Assistant Section Officer. Moreover, it is important to note that these vacancies are distributed across various categories. Just remember that the number of vacancies are provisional and are liable to change. Before proceeding on to the category wise bifurcation, let first understand the post wise bifurcation of the vacancies. So, there are a total of 76 posts under Section Officer, and 368 posts under Assistant Section Officer. Here's a breakdown of the vacancies by category:

Section Officer (Gen/F&A/S&P)

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Name of the Post	Total	Category wise break up				
		SC	ST	OBC	EWS	UR
SO (Gen)	28	4	2	7	2	13
SO (F&A)	26	3	1	7	2	13
SO (S&P)	22	3	1	5	2	11
Grand Total	76	10	04	19	06	37

[Source: csir.res.in]

Assistant Section Officer (Gen/F&A/S&P)

Name of the Post	Total	Category wise break up				
		SC	ST	OBC	EWS	UR
ASO (Gen)	237	35	17	66	23	96
ASO (F&A)	83	12	6	22	8	35
ASO (S&P)	48	7	3	14	4	20
Grand Total	368	54	26	102	35	151

[Source: csir.res.in]

CSIR CASE 2023 Post and Salary

The posts of Section Officer and Assistant Section Officer have exceptionally appealing salary package awaiting successful candidates. The basic pay for Section Officer role kicks off impressively at Rs. 47,600, which falls under the pay level 8, and is also a Gazetted post. Moreover, its pay level ranges from Rs. 47,600 to Rs. 1,51,000.

Whereas, the post of Assistant Section Officer is non Gazetted post and falls under the pay level 7. Further, its basic pay is Rs. 44,900 and the salary bracket ranges from Rs. 44,900 to Rs. 1,42,400.

Now that you have been briefly informed about the CSIR CASE 2023 posts and salary, let us decode the CSIR CASE exam pattern 2023 for you in the upcoming segment.

CSIR CASE 2023 Exam Pattern

Before we unravel the CSIR CASE exam pattern based on the CSIR CASE Notification 2023, it is imperative to appreciate the significance of an examination's structure. Firstly, the exam pattern serves as a foundational element for effective preparation and high performance. Secondly, it acts as a roadmap, offering guidance throughout your preparation journey. Lastly, it plays a pivotal role in navigating the actual exam, boosting your confidence. With a clear understanding of its importance, let's progress to explore the CSIR CASE exam pattern for 2023:

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Paper	Subject	Max. Marks	Time
Paper – I	General Awareness and English Language and Comprehension General Awareness (100 Objective Type Questions of one mark each with negative marking @ 0.33 marks for every wrong answer.) English Language and Comprehension English Language & Comprehension (50 Objective Type Questions of one mark each with negative marking @ 0.33 marks for every wrong answer.)	150 Marks	02:00 Hours (120 Minutes)
Paper – II	General Intelligence, Reasoning and Mental Ability (200 Objective Type Questions of one mark each with negative marking @ 0.33 marks for every wrong answer.)	200	02:30 Hours (150 Minutes)
Paper - III	English/Hindi – Descriptive Paper Essay, Precis and Letter/Application Writing	150	02 Hours (120 Minutes)
Interview	Interview carrying 100 marks for the post of Section Officer (Gen/F&A/S&P) only.		
CPT	Computer Proficiency Test carrying 100 marks for the posts of Assistant Section Officer (Gen/F&A/S&P) only. CPT is Qualifying in nature.		
Paper– I, Paper- II and Paper- III will be common and compulsory for all the posts.			
All the papers will be bilingual (English & Hindi) except English Language Part of Paper – I which will be in English only.			
Minimum threshold marks, wherever prescribed/required, will be decided by the Competent Authority.			

[Source: csir.res.in]

If you want to deeply understand every aspect of the CSIR CASE exam pattern 2023, you can click on the embedded link and dive deep into the exam pattern. Until you do so, let's take you through the CSIR CASE 2023 syllabus.

CSIR CASE 2023 Syllabus

Having grasped the intricacies of the exam pattern, the next essential step is to delve into the subjects that require your preparation. Understanding the syllabus in detail is paramount at this stage, as it serves as a guiding framework for your study endeavors, aids in resource selection, and facilitates effective time management. This comprehensive understanding of the syllabus ensures a more structured and strategic approach to your preparation process.

There are four levels in the CSIR CASE 2023 recruitment exam process. Three out of which are written exams. Paper 1 and Paper 2 are consists of Objective Type Questions, whereas Paper 3 is a descriptive paper. Let us further explain you the syllabus with a snippet from the [official CSIR CASE notification 2023](#).

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Paper – I - General Awareness and English Language and Comprehension (Total Marks = 150) (Time : 02 Hours)		Marks and Nos. of Questions
General Awareness		100
(i)	History of India & Indian National Movement	
(ii)	Constitution of India, Polity, Governance, Social Justice	
(iii)	Current events of National and International importance	50
English Language & Comprehension		
(i)	Comprehension	
(ii)	Do as directed (Active-Passive; Direct-Indirect etc.)	
(iii)	Prepositions, fill in the blanks,	
(iv)	Synonyms/Antonyms	
(v)	Sentence Correction; common errors	
(vi)	Punctuation, Idioms & Phrases etc.	

[Source: csir.res.in]

Paper – II - General Intelligence, Reasoning and Mental Ability (Total Marks = 200) (Time : 02:30 Hours)		Marks and Nos. of Questions
(i)	General Intelligence, Reasoning and Mental Ability	25
(ii)	Arithmetical and Numerical Ability	25
(iii)	General Science	25
(iv)	Economic & Social Development and General issues on Environmental Ecology, Bio-diversity and Climate Change	25
(v)	Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude	25
(vi)	Decision Making and Problem solving	25
(vii)	Management Principles & Practices	25
(viii)	National Geography	25

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Paper – III - English/Hindi – Descriptive Paper (Total Marks = 150) (Time : 02 Hours)		Marks
(i)	Essay writing (02 questions)	100
(ii)	Precis writing (01 question)	30
(iii)	Letter/Application writing (01 question)	20

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We hope that above snippets must have provided you with a brief on the CSIR CASE syllabus 2023. However, to know the topic wise weightages. Please click on the embedded link.

CSIR CASE 2023 Marking Scheme



What constitutes the optimal pairing with the CSIR CASE exam pattern and syllabus? We believe that the marking scheme, as outlined in the CSIR CASE Notification 2023, complements these two facets seamlessly. In this section, we will present a comprehensive marking scheme to offer absolute clarity on the examination structure.

Paper 1

- In Paper 1, there are a total of 150 questions bifurcated as 100 questions of General Awareness, and 50 questions for English Language & Comprehension.
- Each of these questions constitutes for 1 mark.
- For every erroneous answer, there will be a deduction of 0.33 mark.

Paper 2

- In Paper 2, there are a total of 200 questions of General Intelligence, Reasoning and Mental Ability.
- Each of these questions constitutes for 1 mark.
- For every erroneous answer, there will be a deduction of 0.33 mark.

Paper 3

- Paper 3 is a descriptive paper, and includes questions pertaining to Essay, Precis and Letter/Application Writing.
- This paper in total amounts to 150 marks.
- There is no negative marking in this paper.

Interview

- Interview carrying **100 marks** for the post of **Section Officer (Gen/F&A/S&P) only**.

Computer Proficiency Test

- Computer Proficiency Test carrying **100 marks** for the posts of **Assistant Section Officer (Gen/F&A/S&P) only**.

Now that you are fully briefed about the marking scheme as mentioned in the CSIR CASE notification 2023, let's move on to the next segment of our blog.

CSIR CASE 2023 Important Dates

The CSIR CASE Notification 2023 was released on 8th December 2023, and thereafter the online application form became live on the same date after 5 pm. Further, the last date and time of submission of online application form will be 12 January 2024, 5 pm. Although, candidates will be allowed to pay the application fee until 5 pm on 14 January 2024.



Although, the actual exam dates are yet to be released, we can still tentatively expect the exam in the month of February 2024 as per the information given in the official CSIR CASE notification 2023. However, rest of the details will be released eventually on the [official CSIR website](#).

CSIR CASE 2023 Application Form Link

As informed in the previous segment, the application link for the posts of Section Officer and Assistant Section Officer are now live. And so we are here to make your task easy. You don't need to go on a search, as we are here to provide you with all the help at a single click. Yes, to make your task easy we have embedded the [application form link](#) here.

Application Fees for CSIR CASE 2023 Recruitment

The application fee for Combined Administrative Services Examination 2023 is Rs. 500 for Unreserved (UR), OBC and EWS Categories. Whereas, there are exceptions to these. Yes, there are a certain segments of people who are levied away from paying any fee. These include:

- Women
- Scheduled Caste
- Scheduled Tribe
- PwBD
- Ex-Servicemen
- CSIR Departmental Candidates

Now that we are clear on this, lets take you through thr step by step approach of the application process.

CSIR CASE 2023 Apply Online - Step by Step Approach

Follow the given steps to register and apply for CSIR CASE exam 2023:

- Visit the official website of CSIR.
- Navigate to the homepage and locate the link labeled 'CSIR - COMBINED ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES EXAMINATION-2023 (CASE-2023).'
- Click on the provided link, and you will be directed to the 'Register Now' page where you need to input accurate login credentials.
- Enter essential details such as Adhaar Number, Email ID, Mobile Number, etc., with utmost care.
- Ensure the upload of relevant and genuine documents, testimonials, and certificates as part of your application.
- Proceed to make the required payment for the CSIR Recruitment Section Officer and Assistant Section Officer positions.
- As a precautionary measure for future reference, save the completed application form and ensure a proper printout is obtained.

Moreover, to access the [official guide](#) to apply for the CSIR CASE exam 2023, click on the embedded link.

CSIR CASE 2023 Admit Card and Exam Centers

As has already been informed to you the important dates segment above, the dates of the examination is yet to be released. Hence, there is no information in the official CSIR CASE notification 2023 pertaining to that. However, a list of exam centers has been provided in the official CSIR CASE notification 2023 for both the stages separately.

Examination Cities for Stage I (Paper I and Paper II) Examination

Ahemdabad	Hyderabad
Bengaluru	Jaipur
Bhopal	Jammu
Bhubaneswar	Jamshedpur
Chandigarh	Kolkata
Chennai	Lucknow
Dhanbad	Nagpur
Dehradun	Pune
Delhi (NCR)	Thiruvananthapuram
Guwahati	

Examination Cities for Stage II (Paper III) Examination for SO and ASO and CPT for ASO

Bengaluru	Hyderabad
Bhopal	Lucknow
Chandigarh	Jamshedpur
Chennai	Kolkata
Delhi (NCR)	Pune
Guwahati	



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Hopefully, this blog provided you with a lot of clarity. But if you still want to know more in detail, you can read more of our blogs at [theDhronas](#). We will keep you up to date. Remember that all this information, when combined with sheer dedication, consistency, and perseverance, will help you achieve your goal.

