

SRI LANKA REGULAR/VOLUNTEER AIR FORCE

Airmen /Airwomen Vacancies

VACANCIES exist in the Regular/Volunteer Force of the Sri Lanka Air Force for Airmen/Airwomen in the trades are given below:

Basic Education Qualification (Airmen/Airwomen):

- 1. Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including a Simple (S) pass in Sinhala/Tamil language.
 - (a) Trades and Educational Qualifications Required (Male/Female):
 - (1) Aeronautical Engineering Trades (Male):
 - (a) Aircraft Structural Technician,
 - (b) Aircraft Engine Technician,
 - (c) Aircraft Electrical & Instrument Technician.
 - (d) Aircraft Safety Equipment Technician.

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil and Credit (C) pass in English languages, A Simple (S) passes in Mathematics and Science. A Credit (C) pass for Mathematics or Science is essential;

and

Priority will be given to Aircraft Electrical & Instrument Technician has successful completion of two year fulltime National Certificate Course in Engineering Craft Practice (Electronics/Electrical) at a Technical College recognized by the Ministry of Vocational and Technical Training or equivalent.

(2) General Engineering Trades:

- (a) Armament Mechanic (Male)
- (b) Surface Technician (Male)
- (c) General Mechanic (Male)
- (d) Sheet Metal Worker (Male)
- (e) Carpenter Mechanic (Male)
- (f) Air Photographer (Female)

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil, English Languages, Mathematics and Science. A Credit (C) pass for Mathematics/Science will be an added qualification.

(g) Operator Motor Transport:

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including a Simple (S) pass in Sinhala/Tamil language. (Possession of a valid light vehicle driving license is essential and priority will be given to possession of a valid heavy vehicle driving licence is respectively.

(3) Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering Trades :

- (a) Telephonist,
- (b) Air Communicator (Male)
- (c) Computer Technician (Male)

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English languages.

(4) Medical Trades:

(a) Nursing Assistant

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including simple pass in English language and Credit (C) passes in Sinhala/Tamil/Mathematics/Science and one other subject. Having following passes at the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination from **Science/Maths** Stream in one sitting will be added advantage for selection and a qualification for advance training under Ministry of Health Services mentioned therein.

Having Credit (C) pass for	
English in G. C. E. (O/L)	
examination with simple	
03 passes for Biology /	- Nursing
Combined Maths/	Diploma
Agriculture streams in	
G. C. E. (A/L) examination	
in one sitting	
Having Simple (S) pass for	
English in G. C. E. (O/L)	
examination with two	
simple passes from Biology/	- Pharmacist
Combined Maths/Physics/	Medical
Agri Science and Credit (C)	Laboratory
pass for Chemistry in	Technologist
G. C. E. (A/L) examination	
in one sitting	

Having Simple (S) pass for English in G. C. E. (O/L) examination with two simple passes from Chemistry, Physics/Agri Science and Credit (C) pass for Biology in G. C. E. (A/L) examination in one sitting	- ECG EEG Technician (Male)
Having Simple (S) pass for English in G. C. E. (O/L) examination with two simple passes for Chemistry , Biology/Combined Maths and Credit (C) pass for Physics in G. C. E. (A/L) examination in one sitting	- Radiographer (Male) Physiotherapist (Male) Ophthalmic Tech (Male)
Having Simple (S) pass for English in G. C. E. (O/L) examination with two simple passes from Chemistry, Physics/ Agri Science and Credit (C) pass for Biology/ Combined Maths in G. C. E. (A/L) examination in one sitting	- AFHI (Male)

(b) Dental Assistant

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Simple (S) pass in English Language and Credit (C) passes in Sinhala/Tamil Language, Mathematics, Science and one other subject. Having three passes at the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination from Science Streams in one sitting (Biology/Combine Mathematics/Chemistry/Physics or Agri Science) will be added advantage for selection and a qualification for advance training under Ministry of Health Services.

(5) Administrative Trades:

(a) Administrative Assistant

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including an Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English Languages and a Credit (C) in Mathematics/Science/Business and Account Studies. Knowledge on computers (Microsoft Office package) will be an added qualification.

(b) Accounts Assistant

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings

including an Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/ Tamil and English Languages and a Credit (C) in Mathematics/Business & Account Studies. Knoweldge on computers (Microsoft Office package) will be an added qualification.

(6) Operations Trades:

(a) Operations Air (Male)

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including an Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil Language and a Credit (C) pass in English Language.

(b) Fire Fighter (Male)

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English Languages. A valid heavy vehicle driving license will be an added qualification.

(c) Operations Ground

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including a Simple (S) pass in Sinhala/Tamil Language. A Simple (S) pass in English will be an added advantage.

(7) Logistic Trades:

(a) Logistic Assistant

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including a Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English Languages and a Credit (C) in Mathematics/Science/Business & Account Studies. Knowledge on computers (Microsoft Office package) will be an added qualification.

(b) Aviation Fuel Quality Controller (Male) Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including an Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/ Tamil and English Languages and a Credit (C) in Mathematics/Science/Business & Account Studies. Knowledge on computers (Microsoft Office package) will be an added qualification.

(c) Catering Assistance (Male)

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English Languages.

(d) Uniform Out Fitter (Female)

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including a Simple (S) pass in Sinhala/Tamil Language. Operating of JUKI machine (Over lock, button hole, Button attached, Double needle, Bar Tack), cutting and designing of graments without blocks and technical knowledge on JUKI machine will be an added qualification.

(e) Ground Steward

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including a Simple (S) pass in Sinhala/Tamil Language. Priority will be given to candidates who have a Simple (S) pass for English or fluent in English language with communication skill. Experience and professional qualification in field of hospitality at Tourist Board Authorized Hotels (Ex.: Waiter/Barman/House Keeper/Room Boy/Room Attendance/Room Steward)

(8) Provost

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English and Mathematics Languages. Priority will be given to male and female candidates those who measured 5'8" and 5'6" or above in height respectively.

(9) Musician/Dancer

Ability of indigenous and Western playing of musical instrument or singing or dancing. Suitable figure for dancing, ability for fork singing, playing dancing instrument, announcement, Sound controller and capability for make-up will be considered as special qualification.

(10) Physical Training Instructor

National Level sports will be special qualification at selection. The practical test should pass all the candidates who were passing the preliminary interviews.

(11) Civil Engineering Trades (Male)

- (a) Mechanical Technician
- (b) Construction Equipment Technician

Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including a Simple (S) pass in Sinhala/Tamil Language. (Priority will be given to candidates those who a Simple (S) pass in English Language).

2. Vacancies exist in the Volunteer Force of the Sri Lanka Air Force for Airmen in the trades are given below:

(a) Trades and Educational, Professional Qualifications required:

- (1) General Engineering Trades (Male)
 - (a) Motor Transport Mechanic

Successful completion of Motor mechanic certificate

- 3. Vacancies exist in the Regular Sri Lanka Air Force for Airmen/Airwomen in the trades are given below as Direct Entry.
 - (a) Trades and Educational, Professional Qualifications required:
 - (1) Administrative Trades
 - (a) Audit Assistant
 - (1) Passed the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination from Commerce Stream.
 - (2) Passed Intermediate Level (Stage II) of Association of Accounting Technician (AAT) of Sri Lanka or completion of second year of High National Diploma in Accounting (HNDA) of Sri Lanka Institute of Advanced Technological Education (SLIATE) or High National Diploma in Business Finance (HNDBF).
 - (3) Experience in the relevant field will be added advantage.

(2) Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering Trades (Regular - Male)

- (a) Air Radio Technician.
- (b) Telecommunication Technician.
 - (1) Passes in 06 subjects at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Simple (S) passes in Sinhala/Tamil, English Languages, Mathematics and Science. A Credit (C) pass for Mathematics/Science is essential;

and

(2) Successful completion of two year fulltime National Certificate Course in Engineering Craft Practice (Electronics/Telecommunications/ Electrical) at a Technical College recognized by the Ministry of Vocational and Technical Training or equivalent.

(3) Civil Engineering Trades

(a) Quantity Survey Assistant

Successful completion of National Certificate in Quantity Surveying (NCT Q/S) - The candidates who possess the one year certificate (full time) or three - year part time NCT Certificate in Quantity Survey.

(b) Draughtsman

Successful completion of National Certificate in Engineering Draughtsmanship - The candidates who possess the one year certificate (full time) in Engineering Draughtsmanship.

(c) Forman (Civil/Electrical/Mechanical) - (Male)

Successful completion of National Certificate in Technology NCT (Civil/Electrical/Mechanical Engineering) the candidates who possess the three year part time NCT certificate or any other equivalent qualifications awarded by Government Technical Colleges.

- 4. Other Requirements:-
 - (a) Candidates must fulfill the following general conditions for enlistment in the Sri Lanka Regular/Volunteer Air Force:—
 - 1. Nationality : Must be a citizen of Sri Lanka;

2. Age as at 15th January 2018:

Regular

Male - Not less than 18 years and not more than 23 years,

Female - Not less than 18 years and not more than 22 years,

Volunteer

Male - Not less than 18 years and not more than 30 years.

Female - Not less than 18 years and not more than 28 years,

Direct Entry:

Male - Not less than 18 years and not more than 28 years,

Female - Not less than 18 years and not more than 26 years,

3. *Height* : 5 feet 5 inches (165cm) and

above (Male);

5 feet 3 inches (160cm) and above

(Female)

4. Weight : 17< BMI < 26 (Male)

17<BMI <25 (Female)

Body Mass Index = $\frac{\text{Weight (kg)}}{\text{Height}^2 (m)}$

5. Vision Colour Standard: CP 2

6. *Visual Acuity*: 6/6 each eye (without spectacles and lens)

6/18 in each eye corrected visual acuity with spectacle should be 6/6 it each eye for Direct Entry and Volunteer candidates.

7. *Chest* : 32" (Male)

8. Civil Status : Unmarried/Married

- (a) Regular Airmen/Airwomen Candidates must be unmarried and not allowed to marry until the completion of two years from the date of enlistment and until one year after the completion of the Basic Trade Training Course and which ever is later).
- (b) Volunteer/Direct Entry Airmen/Airwomen are not allowed to marry until the completion of initial combat training course.

- (c) Dancer and Ops Grd trade Airwomen are not allowed to marry until the completion of five(5) and four (4) respectively years from the date of enlistment
- 5. Candidates who do not possess the required educational qualifications or fulfil the requirements of paragraph 1 to 4 will be rejected. On arrival for the first interview the height, weight, chest and vision will be measured. Candidates whose height, weight, chest and vision are below the standard specified in the *Gazette* Notification and who have no exceptional skills will not be interviewed. Any candidate who has special ability/ qualifications may at the discretion of the commander of the Air Force be considered, even though he/she does not have the pre requisite on any of above, provided that he/she possess the requisite of the Professional/Special qualifications for the best interest of the Sri Lanka Air Force.
- 6. Due consideration will be given to outstanding achievements in the field of sports.

7. Conditions of Service:

- (a) The candidate is to initially enlist in the Air Force as an Airmen/Airwomen on a regular or volunteer engagement and will undergo a Basic Combat Training Course. On successful completion of training, the duration of which will depend on the Trade, the status allocated on his/her enlistment as an Other Rank.
- (b) Airmen/Airwomen will be required to undergo training at a place in Sri Lanka or abroad as decided by the Commander of the Air Force in consultation with the Ministry of Defence.
- (c) During the period of training as Airmen/Airwomen and thereafter, personnel will be subject to Air Force Law.
- (d) Every Airmen/Airwomen will be provided all items of uniforms, equipment and medical facilities.
- (e) During the period of training, an Airmen/Airwomen will be accommodated in an Air Force Mess and will be provided with food.
- (f) In the event of a Airmen/Airwomen voluntarily terminating his/her candidature during training, the parent of guardian will be required to refund

to the Republic of Sri Lanka all expenses incurred up to that time by the Republic of Sri Lanka on account of such Airmen/Airwomen.

- (g) If at any time during his/her course a Airmen/Airwomen is reported by the authorities as being unsuitable for reasons of misconduct or due to causes within his /her control to qualify for a commission, his/her parent or guardian will be required to refund to the Sri Lanka Air Force all expenses incurred on his/her training and will be required to enter into a bond to this effect with the Commander of the Air Force acting on behalf of the Government of Sri Lanka.
- (h) Parent or guardian will sign a declaration as given in cage 28 of the application form in respect of sub paragraphs (f) and (g) above and forward them together with the application. Parent or guardian will be required to enter in to a bond subsequently in this form with the Republic of Sri Lanka prior to the appointment of these candidates as Airmen/Airwomen.
- (*j*) Candidates who possess the requirement as per para 1 to 4 will be called for the Preliminary Interview and if successful will be called for Medical Examinations and all candidates selected will be medically and physically examined under Sri Lanka Air Force arrangements to check the suitability in par with the Sri Lanka Air Force Medical fitness standards. Candidates who successfully complete these tests will be called for the Final Interview. The required number of candidates per trade will be selected according to merit at these interviews and tests.
- (k) A single Airman is required to live in the Airmen barracks. He/She is provided with furnished accommodation and food. A single Airmen's ration allowance is paid to the Mess.
- (1) A married Airmen/Airwomen may be provided with a married quarter if available. Recovery of rental will be as applicable to public servants.
- (m) All Airmen/Airwomen are liable to be posted for duty or training in any part of the world at any time.
- (n) All Airmen/Airwomen are governed by the Air Force Act and orders issued from time to time.

8. Terms of Engagement:-

(a) Regular Airmen and Airwomen

Selected candidates will be enlisted to the third class of the rank of Aircraftsman/Aircraftwomen/ leading Aircraftsman/Corporal in the Regular Air Force and shall be required to serve for Twelve (12) years in which Eight (08) years will have to be served continuously whilst serving a further four (04) years in the Regular Air Force (Reserve) when called to do so. Opportunities exist for suitable Airmen/Airwomen to extend for further service on completion of eight years of service on the discretion of the Commander of the Sri Lanka Air Force.

(b) Volunteer Airmen

Selected candidates will be enlisted to the third class of the rank of Aircraftsman in the Volunteer Air Force and shall be required to serve for five (05) years. Opportunities exist for suitable to extend for further service on completion of five (05) years of service on the discretion of the Commander of the Sri Lanka Air Force.

9. *Official Language Requirements*.— The selected candidates will be required to comply with any rules already made or may hereafter be made for giving effect to the Language Policy of the Republic of Sri Lanka and in particular for implementing the provisions the Official Language Act, No. 33 of 1956.

10. Pay and Allowances:-

(a) Since a consolidated pay revision is in progress at present, and same revision completes in year 2020 following are the amounts payable in 2017. Further it is to be noted that all consolidated salaries indicated below are the initial step of particular rank:—

Year		Adjustment	2020 (Annual)
	2017 (Annual)	Allowance 2017	Rs. cts.
		(Annual)	
Rank	Rs. cts.	Rs. cts.	
Aircraftman	244,608.00	81,456.00	354,480.00 (7x300 -19x370)
Leading Aircraftman	252,060.00	80,004.00	365,280.00 (4x300 -19x370)
Corporal	259,512.00	78,648.00	376,080.00 (1x300-10x370 -9x495)
Sergeant	267,996.00	77,148.00	388,560.00 (3x370-9x495 -3x660)
Flight Sergeant	273,996.00	76,044.00	397,440.00 (1x370-9x495 -3x660)
Warrant Officer	285,204.00	74,196.00	413,760.00 (7x495-14x660)
Master Warrant Officer	319,404.00	68,796.00	463,260.00 (13x660)

(b) Pensions/Gratuities.— Payable in terms of the Air Force Pensions and Gratuities Code 1981 and as amended from time to time. All Airmen/Airwomen are contributors to the Widows and Orphans Pension (Armed Force) Scheme. Rate of contributions are as per Widows and Orphans Pension (Armed Forces) Scheme Regulations 1970.

11. Instructions to Applicants:-

- (a) Applications should be submitted in applicants own handwriting in terms of the from specified below. All cages of the application should be filled with much detail as possible. Applications should be sent by registered post addressed to "Command Recruiting Officer, Sri Lanka Air Force Trade Training School, Ekala, Kotugoda" so as to reach there not later than 1200 noon on 17th October 2018. The envelope enclosing the application should be marked "Application for Regular/Volunteer Airmen/Airwomen" on the top left corner. Applications received at Sri Lanka Air Force, Ekala, Kotugoda after closing date and time and not in accordance with the requirement of this notification and not in registered post will not be considered.
- (b) Candidates who are in Government Service/Corporations/Boards/Civil Establishments should forward their applications through their Heads of Departments/Corporations/Boards/Civil Establishments and should bear a certificate to the effect that the candidate will be released if selected.
- (c) Candidates will be required to produce the originals with certified photocopy of the following documents when summoned for interviews or when called upon to do so:-
 - (1) Certificate of Registration of Birth and a photocopy (Certificate issued for the purpose of the education code will not be accepted).
 - (2) National Identity Card and a photocopy.
 - (3) Original certificates in support of the educational qualifications required for the branch applied and a photocopies.
 - (4) Certificates of trade/technical training and/or experience (if any) obtained from a recognized institution and photocopies.
 - (5) Two recent certificates of character (within 06 months obtained). One of these should be from the Principal of the last school attended and the other from a responsible person who has the know of the applicant for more than two years or from the present employer (if employed)

- (6) Original certificates in support of sports activities and Extra Curricular activities and photocopies.
- (7) A plain folder with file tag.
- (8) A colour photo of 2 x 2 1/2 inches certified by the G.S.
- (d) Applications of candidates who fail to produce documents when requested to do so will not be considered.
- (e) No documents or original copies of documents should be attached to the application form.
- (f) The Air Force will not be responsible for loss of any originals of certificates if enclosed with the application form.
- 12. Any statement in the application which is found to be incorrect will render the applicant liable to disqualification if the inaccuracy is discovered before the selection and for dismissal if discovered after selection.
- 13. Preliminary selections will be made amongst those candidates who fulfill the above conditions. Candidates so selected will be required to undergo tests as may be prescribed by the Commander of the Air Force. Candidates considered suitable for the interview will be required to appear for an interview at their own expense before an Air Force Recruiting Board. Such candidates will be informed individually of place, date and time.
- 14. On every occasion an applicant is summoned for interviews, he is to produce the National Identity Card. Candidates who do not have the National Identity Card could produce some other form of the accepted identification. However, no candidates will be enlisted without the National Identity Card.
- 15. All candidates who are selected is required to undergo a medical screening test and a physical fitness test as per Sri Lanka Air Force Medical and Fitness Standard during the selection process.
- 16. The required number of candidates per trade will be selected according to high marks merit at these interviews and tests.
- 17. Any one who desires to recommend a candidate should do so by giving his testimonial. Any form of canvassing or attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will result in disqualification of such candidates.

18. Candidates who are found unsuitable for enlistment will not be notified.

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APPLICATION	FOR	AIRMEN/	AIRWON	MEN IN THE
TRA	DE OF	THE SRI	LANKA	AIR FORCE

1.	Nationality:———. (State whether citizen of Sri Lanka by descent or by registration and if latter, quote number and date of certificate)
2.	Full Name (As per the National Identity Card):
3.	National Identity Card Number:——.
4.	Permanent address:——.
5.	Postal address:——.
6.	Date of birth:——.
	(Age as at 15th January 2018)
	Years : Months : Days :
7.	Height:cm (feetinches)
8.	Nearest Police Station to Permanent Address:——.
9.	District:——.
10.	Electorate:——.
11.	G.S. Division:——.
12.	Telephone Number :——.
13.	Married or Single :——.
14.	Gender:——.
15.	School Attended:——.
16.	Particulars of School qualifications obtained:

Name	Type of	Year and Index	Subjects
of	Examination	number of the	passed
School		examination	(including
			grading)
	Ordinary Level		
	Advanced Level		
	Other		

17.	Particulars	of	employment	since	leaving	School	(if
	applicable)	:					

Name and address	Nature of	Period of Service		
of employer	employment	From	То	

18. Particulars of parents:

Full Name	Place of birth	Occupation	Present address
Father			
Mother			

- 19. Any special qualifications for the post:—
- 20. Details of current achievements in sports (Give details of teams and competitions participated with dates/ years etc. and standards/levels achieved):———.
- 21. Other achievements of note at school or with outside organizations (Give details with dates/years etc.) :
- 22. Any previous service in the Armed Force or Volunteer Force, Cadet Corps or Boy Scout Organization:
- 23. Have you applied earlier to join the Sri Lanka Air Force or any of the Armed Services or Poilce, if so give details and the outcome of such applications
- 24. Have you being convicted or bound over by a civil or military court, if so give details:
- 25. If earlier employed in a Government Department or in the Public Sector/Board/Corporation (including the Central Bank, National Bank, Universities, Joint Stock Companies controlled by the Government etc.) reasons for termination of employment:-
- 26. Particulars of testimonials:

Name	Designation	Postal Address

27. Declaration to be signed by the applicant:

I declare on my honour that the answers given to the above questions are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I have read and understood the procedure which will be adopted and the rules which will

Address:-

apply in respect of those candidates who are selected for

Commission in the Sri Lanka Air Force published in the <i>Gazette</i> of the Republic of Sri Lanka.
Signature of Applicant.
Date :
28. Declaration to be signed by the parent or guardian of the applicant :
(a) I am the parent/guardian of
(b) I hereby undertake to be responsible in the event above named applicant being selected for a course of training for the following.
(1) To refund to the Republic of Sri Lanka in the event of the above named applicant voluntarily terminating his/her candidature during his/her period of training all expenses incurred upto that time by the Republic of Sri Lanka on account of such applicant.
(2) To refund to the Republic of Sri Lanka in the event of the above named applicant reported on by the authorities as being unsuitable (for reasons of misconduct or due to causes within his/her own control) for the continuation for service all the expenses incurred on his/her account by the Republic of Sri Lanka.
Signature of Parent/Guardian.
Date: Name: (in block capitals) Address: ,
Signature of First Witness.
Date:——.
Name:——. (in block capitals) Address:——.
Signature of Second Witness.
Date :——. Name :——. (in block capitals)