



Ministry of Science and Technology

Sri Lanka Planetarium

Applications are called from suitably qualified individuals to fill the below mentioned vacant positions in the Sri Lanka Planetarium functioning under the purview of the Ministry of Science and Technology.

1. Lecturer Grade II- Vacancies 01
2. Astronomy Demonstrator Grade III - Vacancies 01
3. Electrical and Air Conditioner Operator Grade III - Vacancies 01

01. Lecturer Grade II

01. Post: -Lecturer-Grade II of the service category of Field/Office Based Officers-Segment1 (MN 6 - 2025)
02. Salary Scale: -
MN 06-(Rs.62,230 - 10 x 1190 - 11 x 1,360 - 15 x 1,670 - 114,140)
(Note. Payments will be made as per Schedule 3 of Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025 until 31.12.2026.)
03. Age :- Should be between 21 - 35 years of age.
04. Educational Qualifications: -
 - (a) A special degree in science, from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission with Physics or Mathematics as the main subject and Computer Science as a subject.,(If the applicant has earned a special degree in Mathematics or Physics, Computer Science should have been passed as a subject at the General Science Aptitude Test.)
 - or
 - (b) A first-class or second-class general degree in science, including physics or mathematics and computer science.
 - and
 - (c) A postgraduate diploma related to astronomy or the field of science.
05. Experience :- 3 years of experience related to this post as Lecturer/ Speaker, Demonstrator, etc.
06. Physical Eligibility: -Should be physically and mentally fit to serve in any part of the island.
07. Other: -
 - (a) Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
 - (b) Applicants should be of excellent moral character.
 - (c) The qualifications required for recruitment to the post must be fulfilled in all respects as at the date specified in the notice/ Gazette calling for applications.
08. Number of Vacancies :- One (01)
09. Method of Recruitment :- Applicants who satisfy the qualifications will be selected through a written examination and a structured interview.
 - a) Written Examination

Subjects	Maximum Marks	Passing Marks
IQ Test	100 %	40 %
General Question Paper	100 %	40 %

- b) Structured Interview

Topics under which marks will be awarded on inspection		Maximum Marks	Minimum Marks
1	Ability to deliver lectures (ability to make a presentation)	60	Not applicable
2	Knowledge in astronomy	25	
3	Knowledge of telescopes	10	
4	Skills, leadership, attitudes, personality and communication skills on the choice of the interview panel	05	

02. Astronomy Demonstrator Grade III

01. Post: -Astronomy Demonstrator-Grade III of the service category of Management Assistant-Non-Technical-Segment 2 (MN 1- 2025)
02. Salary Scale: -
Rs.. 45,230 - 10 x 540 -11 x 630 - 10 x 890 - 10 x 1,190 - 78,360
(Note. Payments will be made as per Schedule 3 of Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025 until 31.12.2026.)
03. Age : -Should be between18- 30 years of age.
04. Educational Qualifications: -
 - (a) Must have passed the G.C.E. (O/L) examination in six (06) subjects in one sitting, with credit passes in Sinhala/ Tamil/English Language, Mathematics and two other subjects.
 - (b) Must have passed at least one subject (excluding the Common General Test) in the General Certificate of Education (A.L.) Examination.
05. Professional Qualifications: - Having completed courses and obtained certificates in web design, computer hardware engineering, and internet administration will be considered a special qualification.
06. Experience: - Experience gained in astronomy and information technology related work will be considered a special qualification.
07. Physical Qualifications: -Should be physically and mentally fit to serve in any part of the island.
08. Other: -
 - (a) Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.

- (b) Applicants should be of excellent moral character.
- (c) The qualifications required for recruitment to the post must be fulfilled in all respects as at the date specified in the notice /Gazette calling for applications.

09. Number of Vacancies :- One (01)

10. Method of Recruitment :- Candidates who satisfy the qualifications will be selected through a structured interview.

- (a) Structured Interview

Topics under which marks will be awarded on inspection		Maximum Marks	Passing Marks
1	Additional educational qualifications	15	Not applicable
2	Professional qualifications	20	
3	Experience	20	
4	Language skills	20	
5	Computer knowledge	20	
6	Skills demonstrated during the interview	05	

03. Electrical and Air Conditioner Operator Grade III

01. Post: - Electrical and Air Conditioner Operator Grade III of the service category of Primary - Semi-Technical (PL2 - 2025)
02. Salary Scale: -Rs. 41,800 - 10x490 -10x540 - 10x590 - 12x630 - 65,560/=
(Note. Payments will be made as per Schedule 3 of Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025 until 31.12.2026.)
03. Age: - Should be between 18 - 45 years of age.
04. Educational Qualifications: -
 - (a) Must have passed 06 subjects with at least two credit passes at the General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level Examination, in not more than two sittings.
 - (b) Professional Qualifications
Must have attained proficiency in a field related to electricity and air conditioning at a level not less than Level 2 of the National Vocational Qualifications (N.V.Q.), as determined by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission.
 - c) Must have gained two (02) years of experience in the field relevant to the position from a recognized institution. This experience must be confirmed through the submission of certificates.
05. Physical Eligibility: -Should be physically and mentally fit to serve in any part of the island.
06. Other: -
 - (a) Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
 - (b) Applicants should be of excellent moral character.
 - (c) The qualifications required for recruitment to the post must be fulfilled in all respects as at the date specified in the notice /Gazette calling for applications.
07. Number of Vacancies :- One (01)
08. Method of Recruitment :- Candidates who satisfy the qualifications will be selected through a professional test and a structured interview.
 - (a) Professional Test

Topics under which marks will be awarded on inspection		Maximum Marks	Passing Marks
1	Basic knowledge related to the field	20	40 %
2	Knowledge related to installation and repair of electrical equipment	20	
3	Diagnosing the faults of equipment in the relevant field	40	
4	Knowledge on the use of equipment related to the field	20	

- (b) Structured Interview

Topics under which marks will be awarded on inspection		Maximum Marks	Passing Marks
1	Additional educational qualifications	25	Not applicable
2	Additional professional qualifications	40	
3	Additional experience	20	
4	Additional qualifications (English language proficiency and computer skills)	10	
5	Skills demonstrated during the interview	05	

Self-prepared applications with bio-data should be sent under registered post to reach the below mentioned address on or before 09.12.2025. The relevant post should be mentioned on the top left corner of the envelope containing the application. The Schemes of Recruitment relating to these posts appear on the Ministry's website **www.most.gov.lk**

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