

GAZETTE DATE : 15.12.2025

LAST DATE : 14.01.2026

CATEGORY NO: 563/2025

Applications are invited online only by One Time Registration from qualified male candidates for Selection to the under mentioned post in the Kerala Government Service. Applications shall be submitted Online only through the official website of Kerala Public Service Commission (www.keralapsc.gov.in) after 'ONE TIME REGISTRATION'. Candidates who have already registered can apply through their profile. Candidates who have AADHAAR card should add the same as I.D. Proof in their profile.

1. **Department** : **Kerala Police**
2. **Name of Post** : **Police Constable (Trainee) (Armed Police Battalion)**
3. **Scale of Pay** : **₹ 31,100 - 66,800/-**
4. **Number of vacancies** :
Thiruvananthapuram (SAP)
Pathanamthitta(KAP III)
Idukki(KAP V)
Ernakulam(KAP I)
Thrissur(KAP II)
Malappuram(MSP)
Kasaragod(KAP IV)
- Anticipated Vacancies

Sl. No.	Name of Battalion	Name of District and Police District coming under the Battalion	PSC District office in charge of the selection
1.	SAP	Thiruvananthapuram Revenue District (Thiruvananthapuram City and Rural Police Districts)	Thiruvananthapuram
2	KAP III	Kollam, Alappuzha and Pathanamthitta Revenue Districts (Kollam, Alappuzha and Pathanamthitta Police Districts)	Pathanamthitta
3	KAP V	Kottayam and Idukki Revenue Districts (Kottayam and Idukki Police Districts)	Idukki
4	KAP I	Ernakulam Revenue District. (Kochi City and Ernakulam Rural Police Districts)	Ernakulam
5	KAP II	Thrissur and Palakkad Revenue Districts (Thrissur and Palakkad Police Districts)	Thrissur
6	MSP	Malappuram , Kozhikode Revenue Districts (Malappuram Police District, Kozhikode City and Rural Police Districts)	Malappuram
7	KAP IV	Kannur, Wayanad and Kasaragod Revenue Districts (Kannur, Wayanad and Kasaragod Police Districts)	Kasaragod

Selection will be made on Battalion wise basis. Candidates appointed to the various Battalions will be allowed transfer only to the District Armed Reserves concerned as shown against the Battalion noted above.

Note:	(i)	Women candidates and differently abled candidates are not eligible to for this post
	(ii)	The name,age limit and qualification of this post has been prescribed as per G.O(MS)No.16/80/Home dated 17/01/1980 (SRO No.82/80) and G.O(P) No.138/2017/Home Dated.08.12.2017 (SRO No.787/2017)
	(iii)	Candidates are prohibited from applying to more than one Battalion in response to this notification.
	(iv)	Separate Ranked Lists for each Battalion will be published. The Ranked list thus published shall cease to be in force after one year from the date of finalization of the ranked list. Candidates will be advised from the said list against the vacancies reported after the validity period of previous Ranked List and that may be reported to the Commission during the period of currency of the ranked list as per this category.

5. **Method of appointment** : **Direct Recruitment (Battalion wise)**
6. **Age limit** : **18 – 26** Candidates born between 02.01.1999 and 01.01.2007 (both dates included) are eligible to apply for this post.

Note:-

Maximum age limit shall be relaxed upto **29** years for OBC candidates, **31** years for SC/ST candidates and **41** years for Ex-service men. Other conditions regarding age relaxation in Para (2) of the General Conditions are not applicable to this selection.

7. Qualification:-

- (a) **Educational Qualification** : Pass in HSE (Plus Two) or its equivalent

(Link)

[EQUIVALENT / HIGHER QUALIFICATION](#)

Note :

1. *Rule 10 (a) (ii) of Part II of the KS&SSR is applicable.*
2. *Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates who have failed in the HSE (Plus Two) shall also be considered if sufficient number of qualified candidates are not available to fill up the quota of Police Constables reserved for the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes.*
3. *In addition to the qualification specified in the Notification, the qualification declared by Government through executive orders or standing orders, as equivalent to the prescribed educational qualification and the higher qualifications of the notified and prescribed basic qualifications shall be accepted. The Government Order regarding the equivalent qualification/higher qualification shall be produced as and when called for by the Commission.*

- (b) **Physical Qualifications:**

- (i) **Height** : A minimum of 168 cm.
- (ii) **Chest** : A minimum of 81 cm and with a minimum expansion of 5 cm.

Note: Minimum Height and chest measurement shall be 160 cm and 76 cm respectively for candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe communities. The minimum chest expansion of 5 cm shall, however be applicable for them also.

- (iii) **Eye Sight:** Must be certified to possess the visual standards specified below without glasses.

	Vision	Right Eye	Left Eye
(a)	Distant Vision	6/6 Snellen	6/6 Snellen
(b)	Near Vision	0.5 Snellen	0.5 Snellen

Note:-

- (i) Each eye must have a full field of vision.
 - (ii) Colour blindness, squint or any morbid conditions of the eyes or lids of either eyes will be deemed to be a disqualification.
 - (iii) Must be free from apparent physical defects like knock-knee, flat foot, Varicose veins, bow legs, deformed limbs, irregular and protruding teeth, defective speech and hearing.
- (c) Must qualify in any five events out of eight events specified below of the National Physical Efficiency, One Star Standard Test.

Sl.No.	Events	One Star Standards
1.	100 Meters Run	14 Seconds
2.	High Jump	132.20 cm
3.	Long Jump	457.20 cm
4.	Putting the Shot (7264 gm)	609.60 cm
5.	Throwing the cricket ball	6096 cm
6.	Rope climbing (using hands only)	365.80 cm
7.	Pull up or chinning	8 times
8.	1500 meters run	5 minutes & 44 seconds

Note: -

(i) Physical measurement of candidates will be taken at the time of physical efficiency test and those who do not possess the prescribed physical measurement will not be admitted for the physical efficiency test. If accidents or injuries happen to a candidate while participating in the physical efficiency test, he will not be given further chance to participate in the test.

(ii) The Tentative Schedule of Physical Measurement and Physical Efficiency Test will be published in the website.

(iii) The candidates should produce a Medical Certificate in original in the form of prescribed here under, certifying to their physical fitness and eye sight without glasses. The Medical Certificate should be one obtained from a Medical Officer under the Government not below the rank of an Assistant Surgeon/ Junior Consultant at the time of physical efficiency test /One Time Verification

FORM OF MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

(To be obtained from Medical Officer not below the rank of an Assistant Surgeon/Junior Consultant)

I have this day medically examined Sri.....
..... (Name & address)
and found that he has no disease or infirmity, which would render him unsuitable for Government Service. He is free from physical defects like knock-knee, flat foot, Varicose veins, bow legs, deformed limbs, irregular and protruding teeth and defective speech and hearing. His age according to his own statement is and by appearance is and his standards of vision is as follows.

Standards of Vision
(without glasses)

Right Eye

Left Eye

i) Distant VisionSnellen Snellen

ii) Near VisionSnellen Snellen

iii) Field of Vision

(Specify whether field of vision is full or not. Entries such as 'Normal', 'Good', 'Average' etc are inappropriate here)

iv) Colour Blindness

v) Squint

vi) Any morbid condition of the eyes or lids of either eye

vii) Marks of Identification

1).....

2).....

He is physically fit for the post of Police Constable (Armed Police Battalion) in the Kerala Police Department.

I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the applicant Sri
.....(Name and Address)
is the person herein above described and that the attached photograph has a reasonably correct likeness.

(The signature of the Medical Officer shall be affixed on the photograph leaving the face clear.)



Place:

Signature

Date :

Name and Designation of the Medical Officer

(Office Seal)

Note:

Details regarding standards of vision should be clearly stated in the Certificate as given above and vague statement such as Vision Normal/Average/Good will not be accepted. Specification for each eye should be stated separately. If the specifications are not as indicated above, the officer issuing the Certificate should certify whether the candidate has got better standards of vision or worse standards of vision as the case may be, otherwise the Certificate will not be accepted.

8. Candidates having 'A', 'B' & 'C' certificate of NCC will be given weightage marks at the rate of 2%, 3% and 5% respectively, vide G.O(Ms) No.112/2007/HEdn.Dated 21.08.2007.
9. Extra Marks will be awarded to meritorious sports persons as per Para 6 of the General Conditions.
10. Student Police Cadet (SPC) Certificate holders will be given weightage marks as per G.O.(MS) No.06/2025/P&RD dated 01.03.2025.
11. **Mode of submitting applications:-**

Candidates must register as per ONE TIME REGISTRATION with the official Website of Kerala Public Service Commission www.keralapsc.gov.in before applying for the post. Candidates who have registered can apply by logging on to their profile using their User-ID and Password. Candidates must click on the 'Apply Now' button of the respective posts in the Notification Link to apply for a post. Those candidates who create new profile should upload their photograph taken within six months. Name of the candidate and the date of photograph taken should be printed legibly at the bottom portion. The photograph once uploaded meeting all requirements shall be valid for 10 years from the date of uploading. There is no change in other instructions regarding the uploading of photographs. No application fee is required. Candidates are responsible for the correctness of the personal information and secrecy of password. Candidates must ensure correctness of the information in their profile before the final submission of the application. They must quote the User-ID for further communication with the Commission. Application submitted is provisional and cannot be deleted or altered after submission. **Candidates are advised to keep a printout or soft copy of the online application for future reference. Candidates can take the printout of the application by clicking on the link 'My applications' in their profile. All correspondences with the Commission, regarding the application should be accompanied with the print out of the application.** The application will be summarily rejected if non-compliance with the notification is found in due course of processing. Original documents to prove qualification, experience, age, community etc. have to be produced as and when called for. The Profile correction made by the candidates themselves or through the office of the Kerala Public Service Commission on request after the last date fixed for the receipt of applications will not be reflected in the application. Such corrections will come into effect only on the date on which corrections have been made.

12. **Last date of submission of applications :14.01.2026 Wednesday** up to 12 midnight.
13. If Written Test/OMR Test/Online Test is conducted as a part of this selection candidate shall submit a confirmation for writing the examination through their One Time Registration Profile. Such candidates alone can generate and download the admission tickets in the last fifteen days till the date of test. The applications of candidate who do not submit confirmation within the stipulated period will be rejected

absolutely. The periods regarding the submission of confirmation and the availability of admission tickets will be published in the examination calendar itself. Information in this regard will be given to the candidates in their respective profiles and in the mobile phone number registered in it.

14. Special Instructions to Candidates:

(i) In the case of difference in Caste/Community claimed in the application and that entered in SSLC Book, the candidate shall produce a gazette notification in this regard, along with Non Creamy layer certificate at the time of certificate verification.

(ii) Candidates are required to acquaint themselves with the instructions given in the notification as Part II, General Conditions before submitting application for the post. Applications which are not submitted in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down in the General conditions are liable to be rejected.

(iii) Appropriate disciplinary actions as per rule 22 of the Kerala Public Service Commission Rules of procedure shall be initiated against those candidates who submit applications with bogus claims of qualification regarding education, experience etc. and are liable to be disqualified for being considered for a particular post or debarment from applying to the Commission either permanently or for any period or the invalidation of their answer scripts or products in a written/practical test or the initiation of criminal or other proceedings against them or their removal or dismissal from office or the ordering of any other disciplinary action against them if they have already been appointed, or any one or more of the above.

(For details regarding photo, ID card etc refer the general conditions given in part II of the gazette notification)

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