

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**SUBJECT: IMPROVEMENT OF EDUCATION IN REMOTE AREAS-FOR THE ACHIEVEMENT OF SDGS**

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject noted above and to state that Japan International Cooperation Agency has offered one seat on the subject training program scheduled to be held **from February 20, 2023 to March 06, 2023 (online)**. All concerned Ministries / Departments are requested to send nomination of a suitable officer who fulfills the following criteria to the undersigned by **09-01-2023** along with three (3) copies of new prescribed JICA's online Application Form, FTC Performa and Passport as advised in G.I Booklet.

**Course Objective:**

Based on the recognition and analysis of challenges on education in remote and isolated areas of the country through the comparative studies, each participant is able to develop a proposal to improve the current situation using the knowledge and skills acquired through the online program.

**Eligibility Criteria:-**

The applicants should:-

- Be an officer of teacher training institution in charge of remote and isolated areas education improvement in the country.
- Have sufficient scientific and methodological knowledge of primary education.
- Be able to create a class plan (lesson plan) from 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> grade of elementary school.
- Have Bachelor's degree or higher (including an equivalent academic experience)
- Be proficient in spoken and written English
- Be the ages of thirty (30) and fifty (50) years
- Be in good health, both physically and mentally.

2. New prescribed JICA's online Application Form along with FTC Performa can be downloaded from EAD's website [www.ead.gov.pk](http://www.ead.gov.pk) under "Foreign Trainings" link in "Forms" and also available on JICA's website [www.jica.go.jp/pakistan/english/index.html](http://www.jica.go.jp/pakistan/english/index.html).
3. Nomination of contractual employees will not be entertained. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

  
(Hamid Karim)

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1. Secretary, Ministry of Federal Education & Professional Training, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.
2. Chairman, Planning & Development Board, Government of the Punjab, Lahore
3. Chairman, Planning & Development Board, Government of Sindh, Karachi
4. Addl. Chief Secretary, Planning & Development Department, Government of KPK, Peshawar
5. Addl. Chief Secretary, Planning & Development Department, Government of Balochistan, Quetta
6. Addl. Chief Secretary, Planning & Development Department, Government of Gilgit Baltistan, Gilgit
7. Addl. Chief Secretary, Planning & Development Department, Government of AJK, Muzaffarabad

CC to:

- i. Secretary, Education Department, Government of Punjab, Lahore
- ii. Secretary, Literacy and Non-Formal Basic Education, Government of Punjab, Lahore
- iii. Secretary, Education Department, Government of the Sindh, Karachi
- iv. Secretary, School and Literacy Department, Government the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar
- v. Secretary, Education Department, Government of Balochistan, Quetta
- vi. Joint Secretary (Training), Establishment Division, Islamabad
- vii. System Analyst (Computer Center) EAD with the request to kindly upload JICA's Booklet & associated Annexes on EAD's Website.