

The details of major concessions granted to different categories of persons on Indian Railways alongwith class and element of concession is given below:

S. No.	CATEGORY OF PERSONS	PERCENTAGE OF CONCESSION*
I	Disabled Passengers	
1	Orthopaedically Handicapped/ Paraplegic persons who cannot travel without escort – for any purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second, Sleeper, First Class, AC-3 tier, AC Chair Car. • 50% in First AC and AC-2 tier.
2	Mentally retarded persons who cannot travel without escort - for any purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25% in AC-3 tier & AC Chair Car of Rajdhani/Shatabdi trains.
3	Blind persons travelling alone or with an escort - for any purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in First and Second class Monthly season ticket & Quarterly season ticket. • One escort is also eligible for same element of concession
4	Deaf & Dumb persons (both afflictions together in the same person) travelling alone or with an escort - for any purpose.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in Second, Sleeper and First Class. • 50% in First and Second class Monthly season ticket & Quarterly season ticket. • One escort is also eligible for same element of concession.
II	Patients	
5	Cancer patients travelling alone or with an escort for treatment/periodic check-up.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second, First class & AC chair car • 100% in Sleeper & AC-3 tier • 50% in First AC & AC-2 tier. • one escort eligible for same element of concession (except in Sleeper & AC-3 tier where escort gets 75%).
6	Thalassemia patients travelling alone or with escort for treatment/periodic check-up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second, Sleeper, First Class, AC-3 tier, AC chair Car.
7	Heart patients travelling alone or with an escort for heart surgery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in First AC and AC-2 tier. • One escort is also eligible for same element of concession.
8	Kidney patients travelling alone or with an escort for kidney transplant Operation/Dialysis	
9	Haemophilia Patients – severe & moderate form of disease - travelling alone or with an escort for treatment/periodical check up.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second, Sleeper, First Class, AC-3 tier, AC Chair Car. • One escort is also eligible for same element of concession.

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10	Tuberculosis./Lupas Valgaris patients travelling alone or with an escort for treatment/periodical check-up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second, Sleeper and First Class. • One escort is also eligible for same element of concession.
11	Non-infectious Leprosy patients - for treatment/periodical check-up.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second, Sleeper and First Class.
12	AIDS patients - for treatment /check-up at nominated ART Centres.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in second Class.
13	Ostomy patients - travelling for any purpose.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in First and Second class Monthly season ticket & Quarterly season ticket.
14	Sickle cell Anaemia patients- for treatment/periodical check-up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in Sleeper, AC Chair car, AC 3-tier and AC 2-tier
15	Aplastic Anaemia patients- for treatment/periodical check-up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in Sleeper, AC Chair car, AC 3-tier and AC 2-tier
III	Senior Citizens	
16	Men- 60 years and above. Women- 58 years and above. - travelling for any purpose.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 40% in all classes. • 50% in all classes. • Also in Rajdhani/ Shatabdi/ Jan Shatabdi/Duronto trains.
IV	Awardees	
17	Recipients of age 60 years and above, of :- (i) President's Police Medal for Distinguished Service, (ii) Indian Police Award for Meritorious service. - travelling for any purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% for men. • 60% for women. • In all classes & in Rajdhani/Shatabdi/Jan Shatabdi trains.
18	Shram Awardees - Industrial Workers awarded the Prime Minister's Shram Award for Productivity and Innovation - travelling for any purpose.	75% in Second and Sleeper class.
19	National Awardee Teachers - honoured with National Award by the President of India for exemplary service in the field of education - travelling for any purpose.	50% in Second and Sleeper class.
20	Either of parents accompanying the Child Recipients of National Bravery Award - travelling for any purpose.	50% in Second and Sleeper class.
V	War Widows	
21	War Widows - travelling for any purpose.	75% in Second and Sleeper class.

22	Widows of I.P.K.F. Personnel killed in action in Sri Lanka - travelling for any purpose.	75% in Second and Sleeper class.
23	Widows of Policemen & Paramilitary personnel killed in action against Terrorists and Extremists - travelling for any purpose.	75% in Second and Sleeper class.
24	Widows of defence personnel killed in action against terrorists & extremists - travelling for any purpose.	75% in Second and Sleeper class.
25	Widows of Martyrs of Operation Vijay in Kargil in 1999 - travelling for any purpose.	75% in Second and Sleeper class.
VI	Students	
26	Students going to hometown & educational tours - General Category - - SC/ST Category -	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in Second and Sleeper class. • 50% in First and Second class Monthly season ticket & Quarterly season ticket. • 75% in Second and Sleeper class. • 75% in Monthly season ticket & Quarterly season ticket.
	-Girls upto Graduation /professional/vocational courses. Boys upto 12 th standard (including students of Madrasa) between home & school	Free second class Monthly season ticket
27	Students of Govt. schools in rural areas - for study tour - once a year.	75% in Second class.
28	Entrance exam - Girls of Govt. schools in rural areas - for national level for medical, engineering, etc. entrance exam	75% in Second class.
29	Concession to students appearing in main written examination conducted by UPSC & Central Staff Selection Commissions.	50% in Second class.
30	Foreign students studying in India - travelling to attend camps/seminars organised by Govt. of India and also visit to places of historical & other importance during vacations.	50% in Second and Sleeper class.

31	Research scholars upto the age of 35 years - for journeys in connection with research work.	50% in Second and Sleeper class.
32	Students and non-students participating in Work Camps	25% in Second and Sleeper class.
33	Cadets and Marine Engineers apprentices undergoing Navigational/ Engineering training for Mercantile Marine - for travel between home and training ship.	50% in Second and Sleeper class.
VII	Youths	
34	Youths attending National Integration Camps of :- (a) National Youth Project (b) Manav Uththan Sewa Samiti	50% in Second and Sleeper class. 40% in Second and Sleeper class.
35	Unemployed youths : - (i) to attend interview for job Statutory Bodies, Municipal Corporation, Govt Under-taking, University or Public Sector Body.) (ii) to <i>attend</i> interviews for jobs in Central & State Govt.	50% in Second and Sleeper class. 100% in Second class.
36	Bharat Scouts & Guides - for scouting duty.	50% in Second and Sleeper class.
VIII	Kisans	
37	Kisans and Industrial Labourers - for visit to agricultural/industrial exhibitions.	25% in Second and Sleeper class.
38	Kisans travelling by Govt sponsored Special trains`	33% in Second and Sleeper class.
39	Kisans & Milk Producers - visit to National level Institutes for learning/Training	50% in Second and Sleeper class.
40	Delegates for attending Annual Conferences of : (i) Bharat Krishak Samaj and (ii) Sarvodaya Samaj, Wardha.	50% in Second and Sleeper class.
IX	Artists & Sportspersons	
41	Artistes - for performance.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second & Sleeper Class. • 50% in First, AC Chair Car, AC-3 tier & AC-2 tier. • 50% in Rajdhani/ Shatabdi/Jan Shatabdi AC Chair Car, AC-3 tier & AC-2

		tier.
42	Film technicians - travelling for film production related work.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Sleeper • 50% in First, AC Chair car, AC-3 Tier & AC-2 tier • In Rajdhani/Shatabdi/Jan Shatabdi also.
43	Sportsmen participating in : (i) All India and State tournaments. (ii) National tournaments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second and Sleeper class. • 50% in First class. • 75% in second, Sleeper and First class.
44	Persons taking part in Mountaineering Expeditions organised by IMF.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 75% in Second and Sleeper class. • 50% in First class.
45	Press Correspondents accredited to Headquarters of Central & State Governments/Union Territories/ Districts - for press work. Spouse/companion/dependent children (upto 18 yrs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50% in all classes and in all inclusive fares of Rajdhani/ Shatabdi/Jan Shatabdi trains. • 50% concession twice every financial year.
X	Medical Professionals	
46	Doctors - Allopathic - travelling for any purpose.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10% in all classes and in Rajdhani/ Shatabdi/Jan Shatabdi trains
47	Nurses & Midwives - for leave and duty.	25% in Second and Sleeper class.
XI	Others (Conference, Camps, Tours etc)	
48	Delegates for attending Annual Conferences of certain All India bodies of social/cultural/educational importance.	25% in Second and Sleeper class.
49	Bharat Sewa Dal, Bangalore - for attending camps/meetings/rallies/ trekking programmes.	25% in Second and Sleeper class..
50	Volunteers of Service Civil International - for social service.	25% in Second and Sleeper class.
51	Teachers of Primary, Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools - for educational tours.	25% in Second and Sleeper class.
52	Members of St. John Ambulance Brigade and Relief Welfare	25% in Second and Sleeper class.

	Ambulance Corps, Calcutta - for ambulance camps/competitions.	
XII	Izzat MST	
53	Izzat MST to persons with monthly income not exceeding 1500/-, working in unorganised sectors - for journeys upto maximum 150 Kms.	Rs. 25/-

All concessions are applicable in Basic Mail/Express fares, unless otherwise stated.

