Dear Student,

Greetings from Univariety!

Air hostess is one of the high profile professions in India desired by many young graduates. Air hostess profession is like a dream come true for young girls. The air hostess is the primary career line of an airlines career. This career involves in pleasant, friendly and enthusiastic personality and environment.

By the growing scenario of the aviation industries across the world, the professional education courses exist in India to produce the air hostess. The courses leading to the air hostess and flight steward are the programmes under the ‘Aviation and Hospitality Management’.

**Following is the eligibility required for becoming Air Hostess -**

* She should be 12th Pass
* Some airlines prefer graduates with specialization in Hotel Management and Tourism
* Should be in between age group of 18 to 25 years
* Should have minimum height of 157.5 centimetres
* Should have weight proportion to height
* Mastery in spoken Hindi, English and any other foreign languages will be an added advantage
* Should be unmarried (Not all airlines have this condition)
* Normal eyesight of 6/6 uncorrected in both eyes
* Should hold an Indian Passport
* Fair to clear complexion
* Good Health / physically fit
* Pleasing personality

**Skills required to become an Air Hostess –**

* Pleasing personality
* Positive attitude
* Pleasant voice
* Common sense
* Friendly outgoing Personality
* Presence of mind
* Language proficiency
* Good Communication skills
* Presence of mind
* Team Spirit
* Ready to work for long hours
* Good appearance
* Sense of responsibility

**BECOME AN AIR HOSTESS: STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE**

**1. MEET THE REQUIREMENTS**

Make sure that you are eligible to apply for this job. Give attention to physical, medical and educational requirements set by the airlines conducting the recruitment.

**2. APPLY FOR THE JOB/INTERVIEW**

Most of the airlines plying their trade in India conduct recruitment drives at regular intervals. They usually put advertisements on their websites, job portals and leading newspapers.

Look for such advertisements. Register or apply for the same.

**3. ATTEND THE SELECTION PROCEDURE AND CLEAR IT**

Airlines recruit deserving candidates after conducting a selection process. The test usually comprises of PAT (Aptitude Test), GD (Group Dynamics) test and Interview.

Airlines shortlist candidates based on their performance in the tests mentioned above. If you manage to clear the selection procedure and make it into the merit list, you’ll be selected by the airlines for further training.

**4. UNDERGO TRAINING AND COMPLETE IT**

Selected candidates will be given training by the airlines. They are trained in areas like customer service duties, aircraft familiarization, technical subjects, safety procedures, aircraft rules and regulations and emergency training.

After completing the training satisfactorily, successful candidates will be placed on active service by the airlines!

**Courses -**

The degree course curriculum includes the management skills, emergency management, hospitality management, navigation skills, basic fundamental knowledge of aircraft and catering training.

There are so many institutes in India offering the certificate programme, diploma programs and the degree programmes in the field of aviation leading to the air hostess.

**The professional education in aviation (air hostess and flight steward) has three levels of study after 12th as the following:**

A. Certificate courses: Certificate courses are taken the duration of one year after 12th in any stream. The list of certificate courses:

* Aviation and Hospitality Services
* Hospitality Travel and Customer Service
* Night Rating
* Aviation Management
* Air Hostess/Flight Purser
* Aviation Hospitality & Travel Management
* International Airlines and Travel Management

B. Diploma courses: Diploma courses are taken the duration of one year after 12th in any stream. The list of diploma courses:

* Aviation and Hospitality Management
* Air Hostess Training
* Global Aviation and Hospitality Management
* Aviation Hospitality and Travel Management

C. Degree courses: Degree courses are taken the duration of three years after 12th in any stream. The list of degree courses:

* B.Sc (Airhostess training)

**Some popular institutes to pursue these programs are –**

* Frankfinn Institute of Air Hostess Training
* Rajiv Gandhi Memorial College of Aeronautics, Jaipur
* Air Hostess Academy, Pune
* Avalon Academy, Delhi
* Universal Airhostess Academy, Chennai

Regards,

Team Univariety