



CSTT Launches Multilingual Technical Terms Portal

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Recently, the [Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology \(CSTT\)](#), under the Union Education Ministry, launched a unique website '[shabd.education.gov.in](#)' to provide access to technical terms in all 22 official Indian languages.

- The portal serves as a **central repository** for scientific and technical terms, offering 322 glossaries with 22,00,000 searchable words, with plans to expand to 450 glossaries.
 - **Users can search for terms by language, subject, or dictionary type**, and provide feedback on existing terms.
- This initiative aligns with the broader effort to deliver [technical education](#) in Indian languages, including fields like medicine and engineering.
- CSTT, established in 1961, focuses on evolving scientific terminology and regularly publishes textbooks, monographs, and journals such as *Vigyan Garima Sindhu* and *Gyan Garima Sindhu*.
- **Key Initiatives in India to Promote Technical Education** are [All India Council for Technical Education \(AICTE\)](#), [Prime Minister Research Fellowship \(PMRF\)](#), [Impacting Research Innovation and Technology \(IMPRINT\)](#), and [Scheme for Trans-Disciplinary Research for India's Developing Economy \(STRIDE\)](#), and [Scheme for Transformational and Advanced Research in Sciences \(STARS\)](#) etc. are implemented in the Ministry of Education for promotion of technical education and research ecosystem in Higher Education Institutes.

Read more: [Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme](#)

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