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Scan for everything on this career

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यह एक स्वतंत्र परियोजना है, जो सरकार की आधिकारिक करियर-मार्गदर्शन सामग्री पर आधारित है। · An independent project based on the Government's official career-guidance content.

1 About this career

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2 At a glance

Field	Media & Publishing
Minimum qualification	Bachelor's in journalism/language
Starting salary	₹16,000–30,000 / month
Work mode	Newspapers, magazines, publishers

3 What you need

INTERESTS

- Reading, writing and language
- Shaping ideas and stories
- Interest in current affairs

ABILITIES

- Command over language and grammar
- Good communication and leadership skills
- Verifying facts and figures

KEY SKILLS

- Editing and proofreading
- Fact-checking and research
- Team management and meeting deadlines
- Deep understanding of language and grammar
- Layout and content planning
- Knowledge of digital publishing tools

4 How to get there

- 1 Pass 10+2 in any stream.
- 2 Do a bachelor's in English/journalism/mass communication or a related field.
- 3 Optionally do a master's or a diploma in editing in the same field.
- 4 Gain experience as a sub-editor/proofreader.
- 5 Build a portfolio of your writing.

MAIN EXAMS

- Some specific institutes may require an entrance exam (e.g., IIMC entrance test).

5 Where to study

GOVERNMENT INSTITUTES

- भारतीय जनसंचार संस्थान (IIMC) — New Delhi (<https://iimc.gov.in/>)
- यूनिवर्सिटी ऑफ राजस्थान — Jaipur, Rajasthan
- माखनलाल चतुर्वेदी राष्ट्रीय पत्रकारिता विश्वविद्यालय — Bhopal
- उस्मानिया विश्वविद्यालय — Hyderabad

PRIVATE INSTITUTES

- एमिटी यूनिवर्सिटी — Jaipur, Rajasthan
- ज्योति विद्यापीठ विश्वविद्यालय — Jaipur, Rajasthan
- जेवियर इंस्टीट्यूट ऑफ कम्युनिकेशंस — Mumbai
- लोयोला कॉलेज — Chennai

ONLINE

- NPTEL SWAYAM (मीडिया कोर्स) — Online (<https://swayam.gov.in/>)
- इग्नू / वर्धमान महावीर खुला विश्वविद्यालय, कोटा — Online/Kota (<https://www.ignou.ac.in/>)

FEES

Course fees range from about ₹25,000 to ₹5,00,000. Government institutes charge far less.

SCHOLARSHIPS

- राष्ट्रीय छात्रवृत्ति पोर्टल (NSP) (<https://scholarships.gov.in>)

- Buddy4Study छात्रवृत्ति पोर्टल (<https://www.buddy4study.com>)
- विद्यालक्ष्मी शिक्षा ऋण पोर्टल (<https://www.vidyalakshmi.co.in>)

6 What the work is like

WHERE YOU WORK

Newspaper groups, news agencies and bureaus, magazines in various languages, book publishers and in-house publications of large corporates.

WORK CULTURE

It is mainly a desk job with little travel. Depending on the organisation, work can be 6–7 days a week and 10–12 hours a day. Work-from-home, part-time and self-employment options also exist.

WHO HIRES

- Dainik Bhaskar, Rajasthan Patrika
- PTI and other news agencies
- Digital news portals & web media
- The Hindu, The Indian Express, Times of India
- Book publishers (Penguin, HarperCollins)
- Corporate communication departments

DEMAND (2026)

Alongside print, the growth of digital and web media keeps demand for skilled editors and content editors steady. Editors with strong language command are especially valued in Hindi and regional media.

7 Career growth

- 1 Sub-Editor
- 2 Assistant Editor
- 3 Editor
- 4 Chief Editor / Editorial Director

EARNINGS

Starting	₹16,000–30,000
Mid level	₹40,000–70,000
Senior level	₹84,000+

Income depends on experience, organisation and language. Senior editors at large publications earn much more. Figures are indicative.

8 The good parts · The challenges

The good parts

- Creative work with language and ideas.
- Opportunity to influence society and public opinion.
- Flexibility to work from home and freelance.

The challenges

- Pressure of deadlines and long hours.
- Fatigue from continuous desk work.
- Relatively low pay at the start.

9 Real-life journeys

Malini Parthasarathy

Former Editor, *The Hindu*; former Chairperson, *The Hindu Group*

Malini Parthasarathy served as Editor of *The Hindu* (2015–16) and later led *The Hindu Group* as its chairperson. A Columbia journalism graduate, she rose to the top of one of India's oldest and most respected newspapers.

Wikipedia · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Malini_Parthasarathy

Shekhar Gupta

Founder & Editor-in-Chief, *ThePrint*; former Editor-in-Chief, *The Indian Express*

Shekhar Gupta edited *The Indian Express* for over a decade and later founded the digital news platform *ThePrint*, showing how an editor can build and lead major newsrooms across print and digital.

Wikipedia · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shekhar_Gupta

10 Sources & further reading

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2. Indian Institute of Mass Communication (IIMC) — <https://iimc.gov.in/>
3. National Scholarship Portal — <https://scholarships.gov.in>



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