

# Last-mile access soon for IT employees at ₹20

## CMRL to provide feeder services to tech parks in Taramani

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In an attempt to provide last-mile connectivity to IT employees working at the Tidel Park and the Ramanujam IT Park in Taramani, the Chennai Metro will run air-conditioned tempo travellers from the Little Mount Metro station, from August 26.

Passengers heading to the two IT parks using the feeder services will have to pay a flat fare of ₹20.

According to Chennai Metro Rail Limited (CMRL) officials, the tempo travellers will be available every thirty minutes and will be operated from Monday to Friday.

### Weekday services

“Since most companies shut for the weekend, we have decided to run the services only during weekdays. Several IT employees from across the city take the Metro and we think it will help them. And those travelling



**Bridging the gap:** CMRL recently extended last-mile services to six more stations, including Nandanam.

to the IT parks by other modes of transport or private vehicles may want to take the Metro, as they can go directly and save time,” an official said.

CMRL officials also plan to hold discussions with authorities of the two IT parks to allow the vehicle inside the premises, so that it will further help the Metro passengers.

The CMRL has already

been running feeder services from the Alandur Metro station to the DLF IT park.

Besides, there are share autos and share cars to various Metro stations, including Koyambedu, Ekkatuthangal, LIC, Thousand Lights, Government Estate, Ashok Nagar and Chennai Central.

The services will be available at all 32 stations in the coming months, officials said.