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NABARD Development Assistant Recruitment 2026

15 January 2026 · 5 items

Status (30 Sep 2026): The NABARD Development Assistant 2026 recruitment is complete. The final select list and wait list came out on 1 July 2026. Applications closed on 3 February 2026, and NABARD has not announced the next DA recruitment yet.

162

Vacancies

1 Jul

Final result out

Closed

Applications

Next NABARD exam

Grade A (Assistant Manager) 2026: check whether the notification is out.

Grade A status →

NABARD Development Assistant Recruitment 2026: 162 Vacancies

National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) announced **162 Group 'B' vacancies** for Development Assistant and Development Assistant (Hindi) in January 2026. The short notice appeared in employment newspapers on **15 January 2026** and the detailed advertisement came on **17 January 2026** on www.nabard.org.

Online applications were open from **17 January to 3 February 2026**. The preliminary exam was held on **21 February 2026**, the main exam on **12 April 2026**, and the final result was declared on **1 July 2026**.

NABARD Development Assistant 2026: Overview

Development Assistant is a **Group 'B' clerical-level post** in NABARD, with postings at NABARD offices across India.

Conducting body	NABARD
Posts	Development Assistant & Development Assistant (Hindi)
Vacancies	162 (159 DA + 3 DA Hindi)
Application	Online, closed on 3 February 2026
Selection	Prelims, Mains, Language Proficiency Test
Salary	About ₹46,500 per month (gross)
Job location	All India
Status	Final result out 1 July 2026
Website	www.nabard.org

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NABARD Development Assistant 2026: Important Dates

Event	Date
Short notice (Employment News)	15 Jan 2026
Detailed notification	17 Jan 2026
Online application	17 Jan – 3 Feb 2026
Prelims admit card	14 Feb 2026
Preliminary exam	21 Feb 2026
Prelims result	30 Mar 2026
Main exam	12 Apr 2026
Final result (select & wait list)	1 Jul 2026

NABARD Development Assistant Vacancy 2026

Post	Vacancies
Development Assistant	159
Development Assistant (Hindi)	3
Total	162

NABARD Development Assistant 2026: Application Fee

Category	Fee
General / OBC / EWS	₹550
SC / ST / PwBD / Ex-Servicemen	₹100

Eligibility Criteria for NABARD Development Assistant 2026

Nationality

Must be a **citizen of India**.

Age Limit

21 – 35 years

Relaxation for SC/ST, OBC, PwBD and ex-servicemen as per Government of India rules.

Educational Qualification

DA: Bachelor's degree in any discipline with at least **50% marks** (pass class for SC/ST/PwBD).

DA (Hindi): Bachelor's degree with Hindi and English as compulsory or elective subjects, or Hindi/English as the main subject.

NABARD Development Assistant Selection Process

1

Preliminary Exam

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Qualifying. Shortlists candidates for Mains.

2

Main Exam

Final selection is based on Mains marks.

3

Language Test (LPT)

Qualifying test for shortlisted candidates.

Prelims Exam Pattern

Section	Questions	Marks
English Language	40	40
Quantitative Aptitude	30	30
Reasoning Ability	30	30
Total (60 minutes)	100	100

Negative marking:

0.25 marks

are cut for each wrong answer.

Mains Exam Pattern

Test	Qs	Marks	Time
Reasoning	30	30	30 min
Quantitative Aptitude	30	30	30 min
General Awareness agriculture, rural development, banking	50	50	25 min
Computer Knowledge	40	40	20 min
English Descriptive essay, précis, report/letter	3	50	30 min
Total		200	135 min

The objective tests are bilingual (English and Hindi); the descriptive test is in English only. Wrong answers in the objective tests carry a penalty. Source: NABARD's official Information Handout for Development Assistant 2026.

NABARD Development Assistant Salary

₹46,500

per month, approx. gross salary at the start

This includes basic pay and allowances. The exact amount depends on the place of posting.

How to Check the NABARD Development Assistant Result 2026

1

Open NABARD's [Careers Notices](#) page.

2

Find the notice for **Development Assistant / Development Assistant (Hindi) 2026 – Final Result.**

3

Open the PDF and search your roll number with Ctrl+F (on a phone, use "Find in page").

FAQs

Is the NABARD Development Assistant 2026 result out?

Yes. NABARD released the final select list and wait list on **1 July 2026** on its careers page.

Can I still apply for NABARD Development Assistant 2026?

No. Online applications were open only from 17 January to 3 February 2026. You will have to wait for the next notification.

When will the next NABARD Development Assistant notification come?

NABARD has not announced it yet. We will update this page when a new notice appears on NABARD's website.

How many vacancies were there in NABARD Development Assistant 2026?

162 in total: **159 Development Assistant** and **3 Development Assistant (Hindi)**.

What is the age limit and qualification?

Age 21 to 35 years (with relaxation for reserved categories) and a Bachelor's degree with at least 50% marks (pass class for SC/ST/PwBD).

What is the salary of a NABARD Development Assistant?

About ₹46,500 per month gross at the start.

What should I prepare for next?

Many DA aspirants move to **NABARD Grade A**, whose General Awareness also covers agriculture and rural development.

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of the top 10 ranks

32

final selections, one batch

12

reached the interview

Daily

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