

RRB NTPC

EXAM GUIDE 2026

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2026

1. Introduction

The Railway Recruitment Board (RRBs) aims to fill a total of **8868 vacancies** for FY 2025-26 for the posts of Non-Technical Popular Categories (NTPC), including Undergraduate-level posts and Graduate-level posts in various Zonal Railways and Production Units of Indian Railways.

The online application process for the RRB NTPC 2026 Exam has been completed, and candidates are currently awaiting the announcement of the official exam schedule for the Undergraduate level.

Current Status

The official RRB NTPC Graduate Level Exam Date (CEN 06/2025) was announced on 13th February at the official website. The NTPC Graduate CBT 1 Exam will be conducted from 16th to 27th March 2026. This recruitment drive is a golden opportunity for aspirants looking to join the prestigious Indian Railways.

2. Official Notice Details

RRB NTPC Graduate Level Exam Date 2026

The Railway Recruitment Board (RRB) has released the official notice for RRB NTPC Exam Date 2026 for Graduate level posts (CEN 06/2025) at the official website <http://www.rrbcdg.gov.in/>.

For the candidates who have applied for Graduate Level posts, their exam is scheduled from **16th to 27th March 2026**. Detailed information regarding:

- Personal Exam Date
- Shift Timings
- Exam Venue Addresses

These will be released formally along with the e-Admit Cards.

Note for Undergraduate Candidates: For undergraduate (CEN 07/2025), the official exam dates are currently pending and will be notified shortly through another official notification.

3. Exam Summary 2026

A statistical snapshot of the 2026 recruitment cycle is provided below for quick reference.

| Parameter | Details |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Organization | Railway Recruitment Board (RRB) |
| Graduate Posts | Station Master, Goods Train Manager, Traffic Assistant, Chief Commercial cum Ticket Supervisor, Senior Clerk cum Typist, Junior Account Assistant cum Typist |
| Under Graduate Posts | Commercial cum Ticket Clerk, Accounts Clerk cum Typist, Junior Clerk Cum Typist, Trains Clerk |
| Advt. No (Graduate) | CEN 06/2025 |
| Advt. No (Undergraduate) | CEN 07/2025 |
| Total Vacancies | 8868 (Graduate: 5810 12th Level: 3058) |
| Mode of Exam | Online (Computer Based Test) |
| Official Website | www.rrbcdg.gov.in |

4. Important Dates Schedule

The following schedule tracks the lifetime of the RRB NTPC 2026 recruitment process.

| Events | Graduate (CEN 06/2025) | Undergraduate (CEN 07/2025) |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Notification Date | 20th October 2025 | 27th October 2025 |
| Apply Online Start | 21st October 2025 | 28th October 2025 |
| Apply Online Last Date | 27th November 2025 | 4th December 2025 |
| Application Status | 21st January 2026 | 6th February 2026 |
| City Intimation | 6th March 2026 | To be Notified |
| Admit Card Release | 12th March 2026 | To be Notified |
| CBT 1 Exam Date | 16th - 27th March 2026 | To be Notified |

5. Post Distribution & Vacancies

This year, RRB has categorized the positions based on the level of educational qualification required.

Graduate Level (5,810 Posts)

Undergraduate Level (3,058 Posts)

- Station Master
- Goods Train Manager
- Traffic Assistant
- Chief Commercial cum Ticket Supervisor (CCTS)
- Junior Account Assistant cum Typist (JAA)
- Senior Clerk cum Typist
- Commercial cum Ticket Clerk
- Junior Clerk cum Typist
- Accounts Clerk cum Typist
- Trains Clerk

Work Profile

Candidates selected for these roles will be responsible for passenger services, train movements, ticketing, and administrative duties across various railway zones across India.

6. Eligibility & Criteria

Age Limit

The age calculation for RRB NTPC 2026 recruitment as per official standards:

- **Graduate Posts:** 18 to 33 years
- **Undergraduate (12th Level) Posts:** 18 to 30 years

Educational Qualifications

| Category | Requirement |
|----------------------|---|
| 12th Level Posts | Successfully completed 12th (+2 Stage) or equivalent from a recognized board. |
| Graduate Level Posts | Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from a recognized University or equivalent. |

7. Selection Process

As per the official recruitment rules, the selection consists of multiple stages designed to filter the most capable candidates for the Indian Railways.

Stage 1: CBT-1 (Computer Based Test) - Common for all posts. Screening nature.

Stage 2: CBT-2 (Computer Based Test) - Post-specific difficulty levels.

Stage 3: Special Tests - Includes CBAT (for Station Master) or Typing Skill Test (for Clerical posts).

Stage 4: Document Verification & Medical - Final assessment before appointment.

8. Exam Day & Admit Card

The RRB NTPC Admit Card is mandatory for entry into the exam hall. Candidates must follow these guidelines strictly.

City Intimation Slip

The City Intimation link will be active around 10 days before the exam (March 6th for Graduate level). It allows candidates to check their assigned city and travel arrangements.

Required Documents

- Printed copy of E-Admit Card.
- One original Photo ID proof (Aadhar Card, Voter ID, PAN Card, etc.).
- Passport-size photograph (same as uploaded in the application).

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Best of Luck for 2026!

You have the information, now it's time to execute the preparation.

Checklist for March 2026

- Check Application Status
- Download Admit Card (12th March)
- Verify Exam Center Location
- Revision of GA and Mathematics

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