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DBT JRF 2026 Application Form will be Releasing soon. The Department of Biotechnology Junior Research Fellowship, (DBT JRF) can held the Biotechnology Eligibility Test, (BET) to provide admission to the candidates within the field of Biotechnology and Life Sciences. Candidates interested and eligible to get admission within the Biotechnology and Life Sciences they'll fill the application form through online mode by visiting on the official website. There will be 2 category merit list prepared through the official authority to select the candidates for DBT sponsored project and avail fellowship from the project, like NET/GATE qualification as per DST guidelines. Below in this content, candidates can get the knowledge of BET important dates, application, eligibility criteria, and admission procedure, etc. The BET exam important dates are provided to the candidates, willing to apply during this examination to urge the award of Junior Research Fellowship. The BET application form has been released on 11th March 2026 until the 31st March 2026. Candidates ought to need to visit on the official website of the Department of Biotechnology Junior Research Fellowship. Candidates got to register themselves by clicking on the link of 'New Registration' and enter the details like the name of candidates, date of birth, email and mobile number. After entering all the details, candidates need to submit it and candidates can get their user ID and password to fill the application form. By using the user ID and password, candidates can get the application form and that they should have to fill all the correct and complete details like personal and qualification details. After that, they have to upload their scanned needed documents within the application form and submit it after confirming all the details provided by them. They have to take the print out of it for future use. Candidates will make the payment of application fee through online mode by using net banking or card payment. The applying Fee of BET examination is Below- Examination Category Fee (In Rs.) GAT -B General / OBC (NCL) / EWS 1200 SC/ST/PwD 600 BET General / OBC (NCL) /EWS 1200 SC/ST/PwD 600 BOTH GAT - B & BET General / OBC (NCL) /EWS 2400 SC/ST/PwD 1200 Those candidates are going to fill the application form of the BET examination they must have to check their eligibility criteria before filling. The eligibility criteria details have mentioned below. Marks: Minimum 60% of marks for General, EWS & OBC category and 55% of marks for SC/ ST/ Differently Abled candidates in aggregate (or equivalent grade). Age Limit: Up to 28 years of age as on the last date of application for General& EWS category. Age relaxation of up to 5 years (33 years) for SC/ ST/ Differently Abled/ Women candidates and up to 3 years (31 years) for OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) Academic Qualification: Bachelors (B.E./ B.Tech./M.B.B.S) and Masters (M.Sc./ M.Tech./ M.VSc./M. Pharm./ Integrated M.Sc./ M.Tech.) in any discipline of Biotechnology, Life Sciences such as Biomedical, Bioinformatics, Biochemistry, Biophysics, Botany, Chemistry, Computational Biology, Genetics, Microbiology, Zoology or any other allied areas of Biology/Life-Sciences. Candidates admitted in any of the M.Sc./ M.Tech./ M.VSc./ M.Sc.(Agri) programmes supported under the DBT Post Graduate Teaching Programme shall be eligible to apply. Candidates who are yet to appear in the final semester examination or awaiting result of final semester shall also be eligible to it will be very helpful for the candidates to refer to the exam pattern for the better preparation of examination if candidates are aiming to attend this examination. Biotechnology Eligibility Test (BET) 2026 Exam Pattern: The pattern of question papers will comprise Multiple Choice Questions in the following areas as given below. Graduate Aptitude Test-Biotechnology (GAT-B) Exam Pattern and Registration Details ===== The Graduate Aptitude Test - Biotechnology (GAT-B) exam is conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA). The GAT-B 2026 exam pattern consists of Multiple Choice Questions in two main sections: Section A and Section B. The total number of queries for each section is given as follows: Section A has 60 queries, while Section B has 100 queries. The DBT JRF BET Examination will be held for the subjects of Aptitude & General Biotechnology and General and specialized branches in Biotechnology. The Department of Biotechnology will issue the admit card on its official website within the first week of April, and candidates can download it by using their User ID (Application Sequence Number) and password. The examination center requires that candidates carry their admit card along with necessary documents. After the declaration of results within the 4th week of May, candidates can check their results online through the official web site.To apply for the BET and GAT-B 2024 exams, follow these steps: first, access the application link. Then, complete your registration using your email ID and mobile number. Next, fill out the application form, upload your photo and signature, and proceed to pay the application fee. After submitting, download the confirmation page for future reference. The application process is now open for Biotechnology Eligibility Test - BET 2024 and Graduate Aptitude Test-Biotechnology GAT-B 2024, with the exams scheduled for April 20, 2024. Interested candidates can apply online until March 6, 2024. These national exams are conducted by NTA for admission to biotechnology postgraduate programs and for the DBT-JRF fellowship. =====The Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India has announced the schedule for the Graduate Aptitude Test- Biotechnology (GAT-B) and Biotechnology Eligibility Test (BET). The exams are scheduled to take place on April 20, 2024. Candidates can apply online from February 8 to March 6, 2024, up to 5:00 PM. The last date for submission of examination fees is also March 6, 2024, up to 11:50 PM. Candidates who wish to make corrections in their application form can do so online between March 8 and 9, 2024. The duration of the exams will be 180 minutes (3 hours), with GAT-B taking place from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM and BET from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM. The medium of question papers will be English. The exam fee for GAT-B is Rs. 1200 for General/ OBC/EWS, SC/ST/PwD categories have a reduced fee of Rs. 600. Similarly, the fee for BET is also Rs. 1200 for General/OBC/EWS and Rs. 600 for SC/ST/PwD categories. Candidates who wish to appear in both GAT-B and BET will need to pay a total fee of Rs. 2400 for General/OBC/EWS and Rs. 1200 for SC/ST/PwD. Important instructions include submitting only one application form, as multiple forms submitted by a candidate will not be accepted. Candidates can apply online through the NTA website: or www.nta.ac.in. For any queries or clarifications, candidates can contact 011-40759000 or write to [email protected].The DBT-JRF BET Exam 2024: Eligibility Criteria and Guidelines ===== NET/GATE qualification as per current DST guidelines is mandatory for all applicants. Moreover, there is an option to pursue Ph.D studies after joining a recognized institution. Candidates selected under Category-II have the opportunity to receive fellowship equivalent to NET/GATE qualification or be appointed in a DBT-sponsored project. However, it is worth noting that Principal Investigators of DBT projects are not obligated to select candidates from this category. The online application process began on 8th February and will close by 11:50 PM on 6th March. Candidates can submit their applications until the specified closing date. Furthermore, a correction in particular details of the application form is available from 8th March to 9th March. The Biotechnology Eligibility Test (BET) 2024 will take place on 20th April at 03:00 PM and 06:00 PM. The test format consists of two sections - A and B, covering multiple-choice questions and questions focusing on specific areas in biotechnology. Eligible candidates must hold a bachelor's degree or master's degree in any discipline related to biotechnology or life sciences. Those who have completed M.Sc programs supported under DBT Post-Graduate Teaching Program are also eligible to apply. Additionally, candidates awaiting final semester results can submit their applications. A minimum of 60% marks is required for general and OBC/ EWS categories, while SC/ST/Differently Abled candidates need at least 55%. The maximum age limit for the General & EWS categories is 28 years, with a 5-year age relaxation for SC/ ST/ Differently Abled/ women candidates.The DBT-JRF BET - A Comprehensive Guide ===== DBT-JRF BET stands for Biotechnology Eligibility Test, a crucial step in securing the DBT-Junior Research Fellowship Programme. Conducted by the Department of Biotechnology's Regional Centre for Biotechnology (RCB), this test assesses candidates' eligibility to pursue research in biotechnology and life sciences. Eligibility criteria for the exam are primarily focused on academic qualifications - a Bachelor's or Master's degree in biotechnology, life sciences, or related fields. However, specific marks and age requirements also play a crucial role in determining candidate suitability. The DBT-JRF Programme categorizes shortlisted candidates into two groups: Category-I and Category-II. Category-I awardees receive the coveted fellowship, while Category-II recipients can secure positions in DBT-sponsored projects or enroll in Ph.D. programs. Marking an important milestone, the BET 2024 is scheduled for April 20, 2024. Candidates can submit their applications from February 8, 2024, till March 6, 2024. The test's validity period is a year, ensuring that candidates have ample time to secure a position. Regarding compensation, DBT-JRF fellowships offer a basic salary ranging between INR 25,000 and INR 31,000. Furthermore, the exam itself consists of multiple-choice questions and spans three hours, with all communication being conducted in English. For those interested in learning more about the syllabus, it can be accessed through a downloadable link on the official DBT-JRF (BET) website. Note: I applied the "ADD SPELLING ERRORS" method for rewriting this article's text.