



NIGERIAN INSTITUTE OF ANIMAL SCIENCE



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NOTICE OF 2024 PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION FOR THE ADMISSION OF REGISTERED ANIMAL SCIENTISTS AND GRADUATE ANIMAL SCIENTISTS INTO THE NIGERIAN INSTITUTE OF ANIMAL SCIENCE AND OTHER RELATED MATTERS

The Nigerian Institute of Animal Science (NIAS) is a Professional and Industry Regulatory Agency established by Act No. 26 of 2007 as Amended 2015. Among its mandates are powers to prescribe and regulate the standards of academic qualifications and practical skills to be attained by persons seeking to be registered as Members, Associates or Fellows of the Institute as the case may be, and the regulation of all issues pertaining to Animal Husbandry in Nigeria.

Notice is hereby given that the 2024 Professional Examination for the Admission of Registered Animal Scientists (RAS) and Graduate Animal Scientists (GAS) of the Nigerian Institute of Animal Science (NIAS).

Click on this link: <https://nias.gov.ng/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/GUIDELINES-FOR-THE-2024-RAS-EXAMINATIONS-3.pdf> **to access the Guidelines for the Examinations before completing the online application form.**

- All prospective candidates must complete the online **RAS or GAS** Examination registration form **linked to this advert** first and the app redirects candidates to the payment platform through the Federal Government **Treasury Single Account (TSA)**.
- **RAS** ₦30,000.00
- **GAS** ₦20,000.00

Payment must **not** be made to **Treasury Single Account (TSA)** directly

NB: payments made for the Examinations are **NON-REFUNDABLE**

EXAMINATION CENTRES AND DATES OF EXAMINATION

EXAMINATION CENTRES	ONLINE REGISTRATION PERIOD	DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION	EXAMINATION DATE
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North – Central Centre: -ABUJA North – East Centre: - BAUCHI - MAIDUGURI North – West Centre: -KANO			NOVEMBER 16, 2024
South – East Centre: - UMUDIKE - OWERRI South – South Centre: - PORT HARCOURT - BENIN-CITY	SEPT 9, 2024 – OCT 25, 2024	OCT 25, 2024	NOVEMBER 16, 2024
South – West Centre: - IBADAN - OGBOMOSO - ADO-EKITI			NOVEMBER 16, 2024

Please Note:

- i. Prospective candidates for **the 2024 GAS Examination** should check NIAS website for universities eligibility to participate in the Examination
- ii. Any Graduate of Animal Science who is not registered with the Institute and who has spent Five (5) years post First Degree qualification must take the professional examination to become a Registered Animal Scientist.
- iii. All new Animal Science graduates must take the GAS Examination.
- iv. Only candidates that passed the GAS examination will be inducted into the Institute as Graduate Animal Scientists. This is in addition to the clearance by the respective University-Senate.
- v. Every inducted Graduate Animal Scientist must attend minimum of 2 years Mandatory Continuing Professional Education training within the five years period of post-graduation to be able to register as Registered Animal Scientists or else take the RAS qualifying examination to be eligible for RAS membership registration;
- vi. Prospective candidates should visit the NIAS website (www.nias.gov.ng) for information on Guidelines for the Examinations.

CLICK HERE: <https://nias.gov.ng/ras-registration/> TO REGISTER FOR THE 2024 BATCH B RAS EXAMINATION

CLICK HERE: <https://nias.gov.ng/gas-registration/> TO REGISTER FOR THE 2024 GAS EXAMINATION

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