2018-2024 Nissan Kicks - Wiper Blade Replacement

2018-2024 Nissan Kicks | Easy | 10-15 minutes | $81 DIY

TOOLS

No tools required Tape measure - to confirm 26"/16"/12" before buying
Microfiber cloth or towel - to protect the hood’s trailing edge while the arms are raised

PARTS

Driver wiper blade, 26" Bosch 26A $32.99
Passenger wiper blade, 16" Bosch 16B $32.99
Rear wiper blade, 12" $14.99

STEPS

1. **Confirm the fitment: 26-inch driver, 16-inch passenger, 12-inch rear - 2018-2024 Kicks:** 26-inch driver, 16-inch passenger, 12-inch rear. Front arms use large J-hooks (94 mm), so universal blades must include the large-hook adapter. If a listing disagrees, measure your old blades. No powered service position...
2. **Park, power off, and protect the hood edge - Park, ignition off, wiper stalk OFF. No** service position - lift each arm, but return to rest when finished: parked arms sit close under the hood’s edge and can strike it. Keep the hood closed until both arms are down.
3. **Remove the driver-side blade from the large J-hook - Lift the driver-side arm clear of** the glass. Push the small locking clip on the connector up toward the arm to release it, then slide the blade down off the J-hook. Note which way the connector faced.
4. **Install the new 26-inch driver blade - Feed the new 26-inch blade’s connector onto the** J-hook and pull it up the arm until the locking clip clicks shut. Tug firmly - no movement or rattle. If it slides, reseat it. Guide the arm down onto the windshield.
5. **Repeat on the 16-inch passenger blade - Repeat on the passenger side with the 16-inch** blade - the 26-inch goes on the driver side. Mixing them up leaves an unwiped wedge on the driver side. Confirm the click and tug-test before lowering the arm.
6. **Swap the 12-inch rear blade - Lift the rear arm off the glass. The 12-inch rear blade** uses a rocker-style clip: press the release tab and slide the blade off. Seat the new blade’s connector onto the arm until it clicks, then lower the arm gently.
7. **Test everything and check hood clearance - Ignition on, spray washer fluid, and run the** wipers through cycles. Watch for streaks, skipped bands, or chatter - a backwards or unclipped blade shows itself. Run the rear wiper too. Open the hood and confirm parked arms clear it.

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