

# NSFAS 2025 Applications are now open!

The National Student Financial Aid Scheme is committed to providing bursaries and loans to eligible and deserving students who require financial assistance.

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### What documents are needed to apply?



Before we make a final funding decision, we verify information you submitted online with third parties to ensure that the bursary and loan is allocated to a deserving individual:

The following supporting documents might be requested during your application process:

- Copy of your Identity Document.
- Copy of parent/s or guardian/ spouse ID Document.
- Proof of income where applicable.
- NSFAS Declaration Form to be completed by the Principal of the School or the Social Worker. (non-SASSA)
- If you are under 18 years, you need to submit the Orphan/Vulnerable Child Declaration Form completed by a Social Worker.
- A NSFAS Consent form completed by the applicant and/or parent/s, guardian or spouse. (SASSA recipients are not require to submit a consent form).
- Proof of guardianship issued by the Court if you have a legal guardian. Those whose guardianship are not appointed by the court, are required to NSFAS declaration form.
- Disability Annexure form: If you are a person with disability, you are required to download a Disability Annexure form that must be filled and certified by a registered medical professional.
- Marriage Certificate if applicable.
- Provisional /Firm/ Pre-Enrolment offer letter from the institution. You are however allowed to continue to apply if you have not received the offer letter.



NSFAS does not accept affidavits as supporting documents.





# How to apply for funding?

Applying for NSFAS funding is easy, quick and secure.



Visit www.nsfas.org.za using a cellphone, tablet and computer and follow these simple steps to apply:



### Step 1:

Create a myNSFAS account

### Step 2:

Click on the 'APPLY' tab and complete the online form

### Step 3:

Upload required supporting documents where applicable

### Step 4:

Click on 'Submit

Applicants who are recipients of the SASSA social grant will receive instant funding decisions



Constantly monitor your myNSFAS account for application results. Remember to never share these details with anyone.

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### WHO QUALIFIES FOR NSFAS FUNDING?

You qualify for NSFAS funding if you meet the following criteria:

### THE NSFAS BURSARY



- South African citizens or permanent residents who come from homes with a combined gross household income should not exceed R350 000 per annum.
- Persons with disabilities qualify if their combined gross household income does not exceed R600 000 per annum.
- SASSA recipients automatically qualify for finding and need not submit any proof of income.

### THE NSFAS LOAN SCHEME FOR THE MISSING MIDDLE



- · The NSFAS loan scheme for the missing middle is open to all South African citizens and permanent residents from households with combined incomes between R350 001 and R600 000 per annum.
- ·Visit www.nsfas.org.za for the list of qualifications covered in the NSFAS Loan Scheme For the Missing Middle.



It is very important to provide correct ID number, name(s) and surname as reflected in your South African identity document.

NSFAS ONLY FUNDS INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE STUDYING OR INTEND TO STUDY AT A PUBLIC UNIVERSITY OR TECHNICAL VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING COLLEGE IN SOUTH AFRICA



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## **Exciting news of the year!!!!**

NSFAS Applications will open on the 20th of September 2024

Buckle up and get ready to apply. Here's what you need to know or do before you start the process:

- First things first; Create your myNSFAS profile via www.nsfas.org.za
- Prepare your supporting documents
- Ensure that your gadget is functional and ready to complete the online application process.
- Remember to never share your log in or personal details with anyone.
- You can only apply via the NSFAS website.
- Applying for NSFAS funding is free, never agree to pay anyone to help you with the application.
- All applications are handled equally and there is no fee required to FastTrack the process.
- NSFAS funding is for all South Africans who meet the funding criteria.



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