



The Richards Bay Industrial Development Zone SOC (Ltd) is inviting students to apply for the bursary programme for the 2023 academic year. Study assistance will be awarded to new first year's academic students that has performed with code 5, 6 and 7 in grade 12 subjects. RBIDZ will provide study assistance in the following discipline: Civil, Chemical, Electrical , Industrial and Mechanical Engineering, Finance and Business , Accounting , Information Technology , Computer and Data Science , Maritime, Environmental, Agriculture, Architecture and Built Environment The study assistance will be awarded to learners from previously disadvantaged backgrounds who intend to study full time in the specified fields of study, at the University of their choice in South Africa.

INSTRUCTIONS & CRITERIA

1. Ensure that this form is completed in full.
2. Complete in **BLOCK LETTERS** and **BLACK INK**.
3. Note that the Richards Bay Industrial Development Zone will only sponsor learners from the King Cetshwayo, District.
4. All required documentation should be certified by commissioner of oaths and should not be older than 3 months certified.
5. Please ensure that this form is duly signed by the applicant.
6. Please note that only qualifying applicants per admission criteria will be considered
7. Incomplete and late applications will be disqualified.
8. Applications are only open to South African citizens

SECTION 1: WHAT YOU NEED TO COMPLETE YOUR RBIDZ BURSARY APPLICATION

Bursary Applications must include the following documents:

(Please observe as you complete)

- Matric, Grade 12 Certificate
- Acceptance letter from University of Technology and / or any University
- 3 months' salary/wage slips of responsible person (s) in the household OR affidavit confirming unemployment or SASSA grant income of the responsible person (s).
- Character reference, in a form of a letter, from teacher or community leader.
- Letter of motivation detailing why you want to study at a University of Technology or your chosen University, what you intend to study and your career prospects.

Certified copy of South African ID

Proof of Residence

SECTION 2: PERSONAL INFORMATION

Surname													
First names													
Place of birth							Date of birth						
SA citizenship	Yes		No		If No (specify)								
Identity number													
Gender	Male				Female								
Race	African				Coloured								
	Indian				White								
Do you have a disability	Yes		Nature of your disability										
	No												
Residential Address							Postal Address						
Email address													
Contact Number							Alternative contact number						
Have you ever been found guilty of a criminal offence? Yes /No	Yes					No							
	If yes, please specify the nature and date of offence:												

SECTION 3: HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED

Name of School					
School Address					
Province					
Highest Grade passed		Date of Completion		Current Grade	
Grade 12 subjects (list them below)					
Subject Name			Marks Percentage & Codes		

SECTION 4: PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS (AWARDS, PRIZES, POSITION OF LEADERSHIP)

1.
2.
3.
4.

SECTION 5: HOBBIES/SPORTS AND INTERESTS (Explain)

1.
2.
3.
4.

*Please attach character reference, in form of a letter, from teacher or community leader.

**SECTION 6: INTENDED STUDY FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR
(PLEASE INDICATE THE CHOICE OF YOUR STUDY)**

Field of study	Qualification	Mark 1 for 1 st choice or 2 for second choice	Preferred Educational Institution
Civil Engineering	BSc Eng. Civil N Dip Civil Engineering		
Mechanical Engineering	BSc Eng. Mechanical N Dip Mechanical Engineering		
Chemical Engineering	BSc Eng. Chemical N Dip Chemical Engineering		

Electrical Engineering	BSc. Eng. Electrical N Dip Electrical Engineering		
Information Technology	BSc Information Technology National Diploma: Information Technology B Com Information Management Systems		
Computer Science	BSc Computer and Data Science National Diploma in Computer and Data Science		
Architecture & Built Environment	B Architectural Studies BSc Construction Studies BSc Property Development N Dip Architectural Technology N Dip. Town &Regional Planning		
Finance& Economics	B Com Economics/Economic Development B Com Accounting N Dip Internal Auditing N Dip Business Management		
Agriculture	BSc Agriculture Economics ND Agriculture Economics/Extension BSc Agriculture Engineering		
Other (state)			

***Please attach a letter motivating your chosen field of study.**

SECTION 7: FAMILY DETAILS

Surname											
First Names											
Relationship (e.g. Mother/Father/Brother/Uncle etc.)					Date of Birth						
SA Citizenship		Yes				No					
Identity Number											
Gender		Male					Female				
Race		African					Coloured				
		Indian					White				
Contact Number					Email Address						
Residential address						Postal address					
Employer						Employer's Contact Number					
Postal Address						Physical Address					

Number of dependents under 18 years

Number of dependents at ECD Age/s

Number of dependents at primary school Age/s

Number of dependents at high school Age/s

Number of dependents at college/university Age/s

Number of adults in the household employed Number of adults in the household on SASSA grant

***Please attach proof of income (i.e. payslips/bank statements/affidavit where unemployed)**

SECTION 8: DECLARATION

I have not been awarded a bursary by any other organisation. I declare that the information I have given on this form is true and correct, and I understand that any falsehood will result in my application being disregarded and any bursary awarded can be withdrawn at any point.

Applicant's Name (Print)

Signature

Date

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