



National Student Financial Aid Scheme

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**TO: COMMUNITY AND PROVINCIAL MEDIA**

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### **NSFAS 2021 APPLICATION CYCLE APPLY WITH US ACTIVATIONS 13 TO 21 NOVEMBER**

As the deadline for the National Student Financial Aid Scheme (NSFAS) application cycle is fast approaching, NSFAS has embarked on an intensified outreach programme visiting communities across the country to assist applicants who have not yet applied for funding.

The purpose of the outreach programmes is to provide access to individuals who do not have access to internet facilities, and opportunities to further their studies, specifically areas and provinces with low applications statistics.

Applicants in the identified locations and surrounding areas are encouraged to visit the apply with us activation centres to submit their applications online. NSFAS agents will be present during the activations to assist applicants with their online applications. Applicants are reminded to bring all supporting documents when visiting the application activations.

Applicants are also urged to visit their nearest National Youth Developing Agency (NYDA) centres and the Department of Basic Education (DBE) District Teacher Centres national wide. These centres will remain fully functional till the closing date of November 30, 2020 to assist applicants with their online NSFAS applications.

A list of all NSFAS 2021 application cycle activations can be accessed via NSFAS social media pages, or on the Virtual Outreach Exhibition streaming on [www.nsfas.org.za](http://www.nsfas.org.za)

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### **NSFAS OUTREACH EVENTS FOR 2021 FUNDING**

<b>EASTERN CAPE</b>		
November 14, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Dimbaza, Richard Vara High School Hall
November 21, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Bizana, Bizana Town Hall

<b>FREE STATE</b>		
November 16, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Welkom, Nyakallong Community Hall
November 17, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Welkom, Nyakallong Community Hall

<b>GAUTENG</b>		
November 13, 2020	12h00 – 15h00	Pretoria, Nellmapius High School Hall

<b>KWAZULU NATAL</b>		
November 14, Ixopo	09h00 – 14h00	Ixopo, Peace Initiative Hall

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#### **OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR**

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NORTHERN CAPE		
November 13, 2020	09h00 – 15h00	Kuruman, Northern Cape Rural TVET College
November 14, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Steynville, Steynville High School Hall
November 17, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Upington, Paballelo High School
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WESTERN CAPE		
November 14, 2020	09h00 – 15h00	Stellenbosch, Clotesville High School
November 14, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Oudtshoorn, South Cape TVET College
November 14, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Ceres, Bella Vista High School Hall
November 15, 2020	09h00 – 14h00	Robertson, Langeberg Secondary School

#### FOR MEDIA ENQUIRIES

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NSFAS Contact Centre opened Monday to Friday 08:30 to 17:00:

- Email: [info@nsfas.org.za](mailto:info@nsfas.org.za)
- Facebook: National Student Financial Aid Scheme
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