

What is The **National Student Financial Aid Scheme? (NSFAS)**

NSFAS was established in terms of the National Student Financial Aid Scheme (Act 56 of 1999)



The mission statement is made up of **three well defined elements**, which describe **why NSFAS exists** and its impact on the **people it serves**:

- NSFAS exists to provide financial aid to eligible students at **public TVET colleges** and **public universities**.
- NSFAS identifies **eligible students**, provides bursaries and collects past **student loan repayments** to replenish the **funds available for future generations** of students.
- NSFAS supports access to, and success in, **higher education and training** for students from **poor and working-class families** who would otherwise not be able to afford to study.

NSFAS Applications for the 2020 academic year have closed. 2021 NSFAS application dates will be communicated on all NSFAS social media platforms and on www.nsfas.org.za



NSFAS students and prospective NSFAS students are required to open and regularly check their **myNSFAS accounts** for NSFAS funding related information.



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