



SOUTH AFRICAN RESERVE BANK

## **Economic Research Department Economics Bursary application form: first-year students**

Dear Applicant

Please read the instructions before completing the application form.

**APPLICATION FORMS MUST BE RETURNED ON OR BEFORE 30 SEPTEMBER 2025.**

**Submit by post to:**

Dimpho Nkoana  
POSTNET Suite 101  
Private Bag X153  
Bryanston  
2021

**or**

Email: [sarbbursary@ttibursaries.co.za](mailto:sarbbursary@ttibursaries.co.za)

**Online applications:**

<https://ttibursaries.co.za/students/>

Please use the following promotional  
code: **SARBERD26**

### **1. INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORMS**

The South African Reserve Bank (SARB) will only consider your application if you have completed the form in full, and if the items mentioned below, as and where applicable, have been included with your application.

### **2. CHECKLIST OF DOCUMENTS/ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED WITH YOUR APPLICATION FORM**

- Applicants who are currently in matric: a certified copy of your June matric results.  
Applicants who have completed matric: a certified copy of your final matric results.
- Proof of acceptance in an Economics field at a recognised tertiary institution.
- An essay of 250 words to motivate your application (see page 4 of this form).
- A certified copy of your South African identity document (ID).

### **3. SELECTION CRITERIA**

- Must be a South African citizen.
- Must be younger than 30 years old.
- Must have achieved an average pass mark of 70% in your current year of study.
- Must be in financial need (unable to afford to attend university without a bursary).

PLEASE MARK YOUR ANSWER WITH AN **X** (CROSS) WHERE APPLICABLE. For example:

ARE YOU A SOUTH AFRICAN CITIZEN	NO	YES <b>x</b>
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## SECTION 1: APPLICANT'S INFORMATION

ID NO.		ARE YOU A SOUTH AFRICAN CITIZEN?	NO	YES	GENDER	M	F
SURNAME			FIRST NAME(S)				
DATE OF BIRTH			HOME TEL. NO. (land line)				
AGE ON 1 JANUARY (current year)			CELL NO.				
EMAIL							
POSTAL ADDRESS							
POPULATION GROUP	INDIAN	COLOURED	AFRICAN		WHITE		

## SECTION 2: APPLICANT'S STUDY DETAILS

HIGHEST QUALIFICATION ALREADY OBTAINED (e.g. Matric/Grade 12 or N4)						
WHEN DID YOU/WILL YOU MATRICULATE? (e.g. 2020, 2024)			HAVE YOU INCLUDED YOUR MATRIC CERTIFICATE?		NO	YES
HAVE YOU INCLUDED YOUR JUNE/LATEST MATRIC RESULTS?	NO	YES	NAME OF SCHOOL			
TYPE OF INSTITUTION WHERE YOU INTEND STUDYING						
NAME OF INSTITUTION						

<b>PROPOSED STUDY/NAME OF QUALIFICATION FOR FIRST YEAR OF STUDY</b>	
<b>PROVIDE YOUR STUDENT NUMBER IF YOU HAVE ONE</b> <i>(REMEMBER TO ATTACH YOUR UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCE FORM)</i>	
<b>MENTION ANY OTHER BURSARIES YOU HAVE APPLIED FOR AS WELL AS ANY BURSARY GRANTS THAT HAVE ALREADY BEEN CONFIRMED</b>	

### SECTION 3: PARENT/GUARDIAN'S DETAILS

<b>TITLE (MR, MRS, MS, DR)</b>		<b>ARE YOU A SOUTH AFRICAN CITIZEN?</b>	<i>NO</i>	<i>YES</i>	<b>GENDER</b>	<i>M</i>	<i>F</i>
<b>SURNAME</b>		<b>FIRST NAME(S)</b>					
<b>ID NO.</b>		<b>HOME/WORK TEL. NO.</b>					
<b>NATURE OF RELATIONSHIP</b>		<b>CELL NO.</b>					
<b>EMAIL</b>							
<b>POSTAL ADDRESS</b>							
<b>OCCUPATION</b>							
<b>NAME OF EMPLOYER</b>							
<b>JOINT FAMILY INCOME PER YEAR</b>							

## SECTION 4: APPLICANT'S ESSAY

Write an essay of 250 words to motivate your application.

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**SECTION 5: WHERE DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE SARB BURSARY?**

Thuthuka Campa	MPC Schools Challenge	TTI Bursary Management	Internet	SARB website	Newspaper	Other
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**SECTION 6: APPLICANT'S DECLARATION**

I declare that I am aware of and understand the selection criteria. I declare that the information supplied in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct. I understand that any false information will result in automatic disqualification.

Signature .....

Date .....

**CLOSING DATE: 30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

Applications will not be accepted after the closing date.

**If you have not been contacted within one (1) month after the closing date,  
please accept that your application was unsuccessful.**