

CATHSSETA DISCRETIONARY GRANTS 2018/19 APPLICATIONS

OPENING DATE: 27 November 2017
CLOSING DATE: 15 January 2018 at 23h59

The Culture, Arts, Tourism, Hospitality and Sport Sector Education and Training Authority (CATHSSETA) is a statutory body established in terms of the Skills Development Act (1998), as amended, to advance skills levels in accordance with the National Skills Development Strategy III.

CATHSSETA HEREBY INVITES APPLICATIONS FROM STAKEHOLDERS AND LEGAL ENTITIES WHO FALL WITHIN ITS SCOPE.

Applications are open for Discretionary Grants Funding for the following PIVOTAL Programmes:

LEARNING PROGRAMME	TARGET APPLICANTS	TARGET BENEFICIARIES		ALLOCATION PER LEARNER	Occupational shortages and skills gaps (formerly scarce & critical skills)	
		Employed	Unemployed		Skill	OFO code
Learnerships	Employers	300	400	Employed Learner NQF Level 4 & 5 = R24 000 NQF Level 2 & 3 = R22 000 Unemployed Learner NQF Level 4 & 5 = R60 000 NQF Level 2 & 3 = R52 000	Heritage Consultant Conservation Scientist Park Ranger Environmental Practices Inspector Betting Agency Manager Gaming Manager Gaming Operations Compliance Officer Gaming Worker Hotel or Motel Receptionist Fitness Instructor Travel Consultant	2015-263206 2015-213301 2015-213307 2015-335906 2015-143101 2015-143102 2015-335916 2015-421202 2015-422401 2015-342301 2015-422102
Apprenticeship	Employers	0	247	R60 000 per learner	Chef	2015-343401
Bursaries	Public Universities; Universities of Technology (UoTs); TVET Colleges Employers	150	250	R35 000 per employed learner R80 000 per unemployed learner R58 000 per unemployed TVET college learner	Director (Organisation) Small Business Manager Multimedia Specialist Hydrologist Conservation Scientist Environmental Scientist/ Auditor Environmental Science Technician Hotel or Motel Manager Café (Licensed) or Restaurant Manager Catering Production Manager Reservations Manager Biokineticist Sports Centre/ Facility Manager Fitness Instructor	2015 -112101 2015-134903 2015-251301 2015-211402 2015-213301 2015-213302 2015-314102 2015-141101 2015-141201 2015-141203 2015-141204 2015-226905 2015-143108 2015-342301

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Skills Programmes	Employers NGOs Trade Unions SMMEs Cooperatives	300	850	R180 per credit, up to 60 credits	Hotel or Motel Receptionist Cook Fitness Instructor	2015-422401 2015-512101 2015-342301
Skills Programme - AET (Adult Education & Training)	Employers & Training Providers	0	50	R180 per credit, up to 60 credits		
Skills Programme - ICT (Information, Communication & Technology)		0	50	R180 per credit, up to 60 credits	N/A	N/A
Internships	Public Universities; Universities of Technology (UoTs); & Employers	0	250	R60 000 per learner	Multimedia Specialist Environmental Manager (SIPS) Conservation Scientist Environmental Science Technician Catering Production Manager Reservations Manager Sports Centre/ Facility Manager	2015-251301 2015-134901 2015-213301 2015-314102 2015-141204 2015-141204 2015-143108
Work Integrated Learning (University placement)	Public Universities; Universities of Technology (UoTs); & Employers	0	216	R24 600 per unemployed learner for a period of 6 months R42 000 per unemployed learner for a period of 12 months		
Work Integrated Learning NCV Level 4 & Nated 6 (TVET College placement)	TVET Colleges; and Employers	0	931	R21 600 per unemployed learner for a period of 6 months	Programme or Project Administrators Truck Driver (General) Handyperson Multimedia Specialist Environmental Manager (SIPS) Café (Licensed) or Restaurant Manager Reservations Manager Hotel or Motel Receptionist Sports Centre/ Facility Manager	2015-441903 2015-733201 2015-862202 2015-251301 2015-134901 2015-141201 2015-141204 2015-422401 2015-143108
				R42 000 per unemployed learner for a period of 12 - 18 months		

APPLICATION FORMS:

The submission of applications will be done via the CATHSSETA online portal, which is on the CATHSSETA website, www.cathsseta.org.za. The Discretionary Grant application procedures and related information are accessible on our website.

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

- **Applications should reach CATHSSETA no later than 15 January 2018. The online portal will be closed at 23h59. No applications will be accepted after the deadline.**
- Applications should align with and support the **CATHSSETA Occupational and Skills gaps (formerly Scarce and Critical Skills)** reflected above and in the CATHSSETA Discretionary Grants policy will be considered.
- Online applications should be properly completed and **ALL** required supporting documents must be uploaded (Please refer to the application guidelines available on our website for required documentation).
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Bursary applications are only available for undergraduate qualifications.
- Employers applying for Work Integrated Learning NCV Level 4 & Nated 6 should recruit learners from TVET Colleges.
- Employers applying for Internships should recruit learners from public education & training institutions (universities & universities of technology).
- Levy paying employers applying must be up to date with their levies and mandatory grants
- It is the responsibility of applicants to familiarise themselves with CATHSSETA's Discretionary Grants Policy.
- Upon submitting your application form, you will receive an automated response containing a Discretionary Grants reference number.

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Discretionary Grants are allocated at the sole discretion of CATHSSETA depending on the availability of funds, specific criteria as per the CATHSSETA Discretionary Grants Policy and Guidelines, as well as approval from the CATHSSETA Accounting Authority.