BURSARY SCHEME – APPLICATION FORM
For South African citizens or permanent residents ONLY

Note: Please read the Notes and Instructions on the last page before completing this application form.

Full Name: 

Please tick [✓] the appropriate choice:

Male     Female

Please tick [✓] the name of the bursary you are applying for:

BRIDGING PROGRAMME BURSARY – Closing date 31st July
VOCATIONAL BURSARY – Closing date 15th June
EXTRACTIVE METALLURGY B TECH / TECHNIKON
MINING ENGINEERING - TECHNIKON

Please tick [✓] the course you wish to study, or are studying. Indicate your first, second and third choice by writing 1, 2, and 3 in the appropriate column.

MINING ENGINEERING
METALLURGY (Extractive only)
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING (Heavy current only)
MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
GEOLOGY
COMMERCE - ACCOUNTING MAJOR ONLY (Affirmative action applicants only)

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS AND RETURN TO:

De Beers Bursaries
c/o Career Wise (Pty) Ltd
P.O. Box 30632
Braamfontein
2017
South Africa

Telephone:  +27 11 403 0933
Facsimile:  +27 11 403 0977
A PERSONAL

1. Name of present university (if applicable):

2. Name of proposed university:

3. Name and address of your present or last school:

4. Permanent home address in full:

5. Home telephone no: ______________
   Dialling code: ______________

6. Address for future correspondence:

7. To which Education Region does your school belong?

8. Person whom we can telephone to contact you urgently:
   Name: ______________
   Tel. No.: ______________
   Dialling code: ______________
   Relationship: ______________

9. Name of parent or guardian:
   Occupation: ______________
   Place of work: ______________
   Tel. No.: ______________
   Dialling code: ______________

10. Please indicate which centre is nearest to you for interview purposes:
    (It may not be possible to interview you at the centre indicated)

    | Centre          | Location   |
    |-----------------|------------|
    | Bloemfontein    | Johannesburg |
    | Durban          | Cape Town  |
    | Pietersburg     | Mmabatho   |
    | Thohoyandou     | Port Elizabeth |
    | Welkom          |            |

11. Place of birth: ______________
    Date of birth: ______________

12. Age in years this December: ______________

13. Identity Number: ______________

14. Marital status: Single ( ) Married ( )

15. South African citizen:
   YES ( ) NO ( )
   Permanent resident in South Africa:
   YES ( ) NO ( )

16. Do you suffer from any chronic disorder or physical handicap? YES ( ) NO ( )
    If yes, please give brief details:

17. Have you been convicted of any crime(s)?
    If yes, please state what crimes you have been convicted of:

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## B EDUCATION

1. Name of Secondary schools attended:

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2. Please specify Grade 10, 11 and 12 results:

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3. Have you completed Matric? YES ( ) NO ( ) If yes, please complete the following:

Name of examination: ___________________________ Year of exam: ____________

Examination results:

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4. If you are repeating some of your Matriculation examinations, please complete the following:
   Name of centre/school you are attending: __________________________________________
   Examination date: ____________________________________________________________

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5. Have you undertaken any post-matric studies excluding full-time university? YES (   ) NO (   )
   If yes, please give details of the course you are studying at present and qualifications (if any) obtained.
   __________________________________________________________________________

6. Are you attending university? YES (   ) NO (   )
   If yes, please complete the following:
   Degree: _________________________________________________________________
   Present year of study: ________________________________________________
   Year in which you started your degree: ________________________________
   Options you will take or will have taken in the final year: ________________

* PLEASE ATTACH YOUR FULL ACADEMIC RECORD TO DATE
**C  ACHIEVEMENTS**

1. Give details of all your activities at school and in the community, and your role in them:

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2. Give details of any activity (academic or otherwise) in which you have done well either at school and/or university: (*Please attach a separate sheet of paper if this space is not sufficient*)

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3. Have you had a part-time job? YES (    )  NO (    )

   If yes, please describe what you did and where you worked.

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D  GENERAL

1. Where did you find out about this bursary?

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2. Have you applied for a De Beers bursary previously?  YES (  )  NO (  )

If yes, which one was it? ____________________________________________

Which year did you apply? ___________________________

3. Do you have any other scholarship, bursary or loan?  YES (  )  NO (  )

If yes, please give details:

_________________________________________________________________

Does it carry a service obligation? YES (    )  NO (    )

If yes, explain obligation:

_________________________________________________________________

4. Give details of working experience since leaving school:

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5. Have you ever visited a mine? If so, please give details of where, when and what your impressions were:

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6. Write a brief statement setting out clearly why you have chosen this degree and how you intend to use it after graduation:

_________________________________________________________________

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I declare that to the best of my knowledge all the information on this form is true and correct.

Signature: ___________________________         Date: ___________________
NOTES & INSTRUCTIONS

Please read these notes and instructions carefully before completing this application form. Be sure to read every section and that the information you provide is accurate.

1. Incomplete application forms will not be considered.
2. Closing date for applications is 15th June for Vocational Scholarships and 31st July for Bridging Bursaries.
3. Bursaries will only be allocated for the year following the one in which the application is received.
4. You must supply all the information requested, or explain why you cannot provide it.
5. Applicants applying for bursaries with less than a C Symbol (Higher Grade) in Mathematics and Science will not be considered.
6. Do not attach original documents. Attach certified copies only.
7. Please note that as all our bursaries/scholarships are dependent on our future manpower requirements, we are not always able to consider applications from students who have already commenced studies at university. As this situation differs from year to year, we would advise you to re-apply the following year should your application be unsuccessful for this reason.
8. A passport-size photograph of the applicant must be attached to the top right-hand corner of the front page of the application form.
9. It is your responsibility to apply for entrance to university. We recommend that you apply to at least two universities.

For your information we wish to advise you that our selection process on acceptance of your application consists of two interviews.

ANY CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR CONTACT NUMBER MUST BE FORWARDED TO US IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE

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Comments

Date……………………………

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