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NOTICE!

2023/2024: FIRST-TIME SCHOLARSHIP AND LOAN APPLICATIONS

This is to inform all the concerned students that the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB), in conjunction with the University Fund (UF), have opened the portal for 2023/2024 first-time loan and scholarship application for undergraduate students. The closing date for the applications is **7th September 2023**. The applications are divided into two categories as shown below;

Students who sat for their KCSE before the year 2022

These applications will be processed under the Old Funding Model.

Students who sat for their KCSE in the year 2022

These applications will be processed under the New Funding Model. For students placed to the University by the Kenya Universities and Colleges Central Placement Service (KUCCPS), they will qualify for both the scholarship and loan to fund their fees (only on application) depending on their categorization by Means Testing Instrument; which will place all applicants to any of the four categories as shown below: -

Category	Scholarship (%)	Loan (%)	Household (%)	Upkeep (Kes)
Vulnerable	82	18	-	44,000
Extremely Needy	70	30	-	39,000
Needy	53	40	7	29,000
Less Needy	38	55	7	24,000

Self-sponsored students in both private and public universities will only qualify for the loans. Money for upkeep is separate and will be paid directly to the student. The application process is paperless through www.hef.co.ke.

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