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(New Applicants)



STUDENTS FINANCIAL AID OFFICE UNIVERSITY OF GHANA

SCHOLARSHIP FORM

2016-2017

SECTION A – APPLICANT'S BACKGROUND INFORMATION

*(Complete all questions using **BLOCK/CAPITAL** letters only. Where it is **not applicable** indicate **NA**. Your application will not be processed if you leave any question unanswered)*

1. Full name, as it appears on your documents. Surname: _____ Other Name(s): _____										
2. Date of Birth (e.g. 20 May 1997)	3. Gender (Female/Male)	4. Student ID # <table border="1"><tr><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td></tr></table>								
5. Place of Birth: Village/Town/ City _____ District _____ Region _____	6. Nationality _____									
7. Home Town _____	8. District _____	9. Region _____								
10. School Term Address:(where you will live when school is in session e.g. Room 3 Volta Hall, Hse # 45 Okai Lane Madina, Room 7A AGES-ABBA Hostel, Bawaleshie etc)	11. Permanent Home Address: (where you normally reside, where you call home. <u>Do not provide</u> a Post Office Box number). District: _____ Region _____									
Telephone#: _____ UG Email: _____	Telephone#: _____ Alternative Email: _____									
12. Address to which correspondence regarding this application should be sent:		13. Level of Study for 2016/2017 (e.g. Level 200) -----								
14a. Academic Programme of Study (e.g. BA, BSc, etc) ----- 14b. COURSES: (e.g. Economics, Sociology, Maths etc where applicable) ----- 14c. Total Number of Years (e.g 4yrs,6yrs) _____	15a. College _____ 15b. Campus (e.g. Main, K-Bu) _____	16. WASSCE RESULT (Aggregate)								
14d. Academic Status (e.g. Fulltime regular, Distance, Fee-paying)	15b. Hall of Residence _____	16b. CGPA								

17. Please provide the following information on **all** your siblings and provide supporting documents to authenticate this. (USE THE BACK OF THE SHEET IF NECESSARY).

Surname	First Name(s)	Age	Education Level

18. Schools attended with dates

	Full Name of School	Town/District /Region	Dates of Attendance (eg 2001-2003)	Who paid for your education and upkeep at this level?
Primary				
JHS				
SHS (Provide full address)				
Tech/Voc Inst. (Provide full address)				
Other				

19. Indicate the mode by which you gained admission to the University.

MODE	MONTH/YEAR	Candidate Index Number	*Total Aggregate Score/ CGPA
SSSCE/WASSCE			
SSSCE/WASSCE			
A LEVEL			
Diploma*			
Mature Students Exam			

***NOTE:** Use the aggregate that your admission into the University was based on.
: For Diploma holders provide the CGPA obtained at graduation.

SECTION B 1– INFORMATION ON FINANCES

20. Estimated Expenses **for the 2016/2017 academic year.** (Estimate how much you will need to spend during the academic year from August 2016 to May 2017. These expenses should be relevant to your studies only.

Academic Fees (University Approved Fees and Charges) Use this year's amount.	GHC
Residential /Housing/ Hostel (for 1 st and 2 nd semester)	GHC
Feeding (for 1 st and 2 nd semester)	GHC
Books	GHC
Transportation	GHC
Other (specify)	GHC
Other (specify)	GHC
TOTAL	GHC

21. Indicate below the amount of money **that you expect will be available to you from each of the following sources for 2016/2017 academic year from August 2016 to May 2017.**

Personal	GHC
Parents/ Guardian (if you are not employed and do not expect any money from your parents/guardian, please attach a sworn affidavit from them explaining why they will not give you anything towards your educational expenses).	GHC
Benefactor	GHC
Part-time employment	GHC
SSNIT / SLTF student loan	GHC
Scholarship (specify)	GHC
Other (specify)	GHC
Other (specify)	GHC
TOTAL	GHC

22. How much funding do you require? This amount is the **difference** between your **total estimated expenses** (question 20) and what **you expect will be available** to you from the sources indicated (question 21).

GHC

SECTION B 2 – INFORMATION ON SPONSORSHIP

23. If you have applied or intend to apply for other types of financial support for the 2016/2017 year please state:		
The type of financial support (e.g. Scholarship, bursary, student loan)	Amount (GH¢)	The agency to which application has been, or, will be made(e.g. Ghana Government, SSNIT, NGO, SLTF, MTN)
a.		
b.		
c.		
d.		

24. If you have been promised financial support for the 2016/2017 academic year from any Body/Organization, Benefactor, or Individual please provide:	
Name and address of the Body/Organization/Benefactor/Individual	The amount in financial support (GH¢)
a.	
b.	
c.	

25. Provide the name(s) and address(es) of the organization, which has up to date been responsible for your education (If applicable).	26. Will the said sponsor <u>continue</u> to provide financial support for your education?
	27. If YES what is the expected total amount of sponsorship per year? GH¢ _____

SECTION B 3 - FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

28a. Type of Disability (e.g. blindness)	29a. Do you qualify to receive Government Bursary for disability?
28b. Percentage of Disability (if known)?	29b. How much in scholarship do you (expect to) receive? GH¢ _____

SECTION B 4 - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

30. You may provide **additional** information to support this application. This information can include awards received, information on others who help sponsor your education, and other information on your financial situation. (Additional paper may be used if required)

SECTION B5 - ESSAY

Please attach three separate essays of not more than one typed page each telling us:

1. Why you feel you should be considered for this scholarship?
2. Why you chose the course for which you are enrolled and what are your future plans?
3. About a meaningful and/or challenging experience you have had during your past school life.

Please **submit** the following (do not send the originals of any documents):

- Applicant's WASSCE RESULT /transcripts.
- Recommendation letters from Senior High School.
- Evidence of income of parent/guardian.
- Documents/evidence to establish the relationship with siblings.
- Birth certificate of siblings and their school fees etc.
- Any other supporting documents that you believe will assist in the processing of your application.

Declaration

It is important that your eligibility for student financial aid be based upon accurate information.

I do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge all my information given in this application are true and made in good faith.

Signature of Student _____ Date _____

Note: *Misrepresentation in any material form renders the application null and void. Any award made based on misrepresentation shall be withdrawn or refunded by the applicant, and he/she may be prosecuted. The truth, rather than lies, will get you Financial Aid.*

SECTION C 1 - (TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN – person so far responsible for financing the education of the applicant)

31. Full Name Surname: _____ Other Name(s): _____	32. Address. Telephone #
33. District of residence:	33b. Region of residence:
34. Occupation.	34b. Name and address of employer.
35. Annual Total Gross Income.(GH¢) (Salary and income from other sources . Please substantiate with a recent official salary slip, pension slip or audited financial statement. If unemployed, please attach a sworn affidavit and declare how you survive and your sources of funds for survival). <i>Please note that this information is necessary and if not provided the SFAO will disqualify your application.</i> <u>Other income that you receive from any of the under listed sources:</u> Pension : Investment returns : Rental income: Contribution from others sources : (Earnings from taxi, passenger cars, corn mill, farming activities, petty trading, remittances from family etc). :	

36. What is your relationship to the applicant?

	Father
	Mother
	Uncle
	Aunt
	Brother
	Sister
	Other (Specify). _____

37. What is your highest level of Education?

Tertiary	JSS	Primary	
Secondary	Middle School	No Formal Education	

38. Are you:

Currently Employed	Retired
Self Employed	Unemployed
Other	

39. SSNIT Number (if applicable)

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GH¢

SECTION C 2 - TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR SECOND PARENT

45. Full Name Surname: Other Name(s)	46. Address. Telephone #
47. District of residence. Region of residence.	
48. Occupation.	Name and address of employer.
49. Annual Total Gross Income (Salary and income from other sources) (GH¢).	

50. SSNIT Number (if applicable)

51. National Health Insurance Number

52. What is your relationship to the applicant

	Father
	Mother
	Guardian

DECLARATION TO BE SIGNED BY BOTH PARENTS OR GUARDIAN
It is important that your dependant's eligibility for student financial aid be based upon accurate information.

I do hereby declare that all the information given above is true and made in good faith.

Signature or thump print of **parent/guardian** _____ Date _____

Signature or thump print of **second parent** _____ Date _____

Where parent cannot read nor write

Name of **witness** _____ Position _____

Signature of **witness** _____ Date _____

Note: Misrepresentation in any form or manner shall render the application null and void. Any awards made based on a misrepresentation shall be withdrawn or refunded by the applicant, and he/she also may be prosecuted.

The University reserves the right to cancel the applicant's application if false or incorrect information is supplied.

Thank you for your cooperation. Together, we can ensure that the right students get financial support, and that the integrity of the University of Ghana Students Financial Aid program is preserved.