

## 2019/20 BURSARY PROGRAMME FOR PRIVATE HETIs AND TVET COLLEGES

The Wholesale and Retail Sector Education and Training Authority (W&RSETA) invites private higher education and training institutions (HETIs) and TVET colleges to participate in the 2019/20 Bursary Scheme. The Bursary Scheme will only fund courses that fall within the “Hard-to-Fill” Vacancies in wholesale and retail as outlined in the W&RSETA’s Sector Skills Plan, which are limited to degrees and diplomas at HETIs and NCV level 2-4 and Nated N4-N6 at TVETCs.

- Retail Business Management
- Food Technology / Food Security
- Supply Chain Management
- Logistics Management
- Financial Accounting
- Financial Management
- Human Resources
- Credit Management
- Operations Management
- Marketing
- Clothing Production
- Information Technology
- Retail Pharmacy
- Hospitality and Catering Services / Chef
- Office Administration
- Business Management / Administration

### **BURSARY APPLICATION PROCESS**

- Institutions should submit a letter of intent to the W&RSETA (template available on [www.wrseta.org.za](http://www.wrseta.org.za)) by no later than **18 September 2019**, indicating the following:
  - Name of institution, email address and contact numbers
  - Number of student(s) to be funded
  - Complete cost breakdown with fields of study and duration of the qualification
- Institutions should recruit qualifying registered students who are not beneficiary of any other bursary scheme.
- Successful institutions will enter into an agreement with the W&RSETA for the duration of study of the funded students.
- Institutions must notify the W&RSETA of their selection of students upon signing of an MOA and submit the following documents:
  - List of selected students and actual cost per course (templates are available on [www.wrseta.org.za](http://www.wrseta.org.za))
  - Proof of registration
  - Copies of identity documents of the students

### **QUALIFYING CRITERIA**

To qualify for the Bursary Scheme, the private HET and TVET college should be registered and accredited with the following bodies and the accreditation should be valid for the next **3 years**:

- Council of Higher Education (CHE)
- QCTO for NATED qualifications.
- Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET)
- The programmes offered must be accredited by the CHE and registered on the Higher Education Qualification Framework (HEQF)

Institutions must submit the following with regard to the registration and accreditation stipulated above:

- SAQA registration number for the programme/ qualification offered in line with the “Hard to Fill” Vacancies as listed above.
- Proof of CHE registration (approved letter from the CHE)
- Proof of DHET registration (DHET certificate)

The letter of intent template and the relevant documents and forms are available from [www.wrseta.org.za](http://www.wrseta.org.za)

**Allocations will be made in line with the W&RSETA’s Annual Performance Plan. The W&RSETA reserves the right not to make any allocations.**

For more information, please contact Twanano Masango at 012 622 9560 or [tmasango@wrseta.org.za](mailto:tmasango@wrseta.org.za).

**Closing date for submission of letter of intent is 18 September 2019. Submissions must be emailed to [Bursaries2019@wrseta.org.za](mailto:Bursaries2019@wrseta.org.za).**