



Department:
Agriculture
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

BURSARY AWARD ADVERT FOR 2026/2027

Vuna Seeds and Projects in collaboration with ARC and the Department of Agriculture (DoA) intends to award a comprehensive bursary to a qualifying applicant pursuing or planning to further their studies in the following degree: Master of Agricultural Economics/Agribusiness/Food Security/Development Studies for the 2026/2027 academic year. The bursary will cover tuition fees, accommodation, study materials, meals and monthly allowance. These bursaries are aimed at previously disadvantaged and economically disadvantaged individuals, particularly those from rural and underprivileged communities.

Persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

Closing date of application: 25th July 2026

Minimum requirements to enter a Master's Degree	Other requirements	Enquiries
- Post Graduate Diploma Food Security or - Honours or equivalent in Development Studies or related Field or - Honours or equivalent in Agricultural Economics.	- Should have done mathematics and or statistics in undergraduate degree. - Good survey Data Collection & Analytical Skills. - A competency test will be conducted. - A Driving license will be an advantage.	Ms Beatrice Kayonga Vuna Seeds & Projects Tel: 079 682 3534
NOTES - Applicants must be South African citizens. - Applicants must complete the relevant bursary application forms available from admin@vunaseedssa.co.za. - Applicants who apply for fields of study that are not listed above will not be considered. - Please note that communication will be limited to successful applicants only. If you have not received any communication from Vuna Seeds within 14 days after the Bursary Committee has finalized the selection process, consider your application unsuccessful. - Applicants who are not yet in possession of their university acceptance letters or results may still submit their applications while awaiting these documents. However, these outstanding documents must be submitted within three (3) days after receipt. - No late application forms will be considered. - Vuna Seeds reserves the right to determine the total number of bursaries to be awarded for the academic year based on the available budget. - All completed bursary application forms, together with the required supporting documents, must be submitted to the email address below. Affidavits will not be accepted.		
Applications email address		
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