

# FIRST PAYMENTS FOR FULL REGISTRATION 2025



## 1. STUDENTS STUDYING BY MEANS OF FINANCIAL AID COVERING FULL COST OF STUDIES, e.g. NSFAS, BURSARIES, LOANS, etc. (SA Students only.)

For more information about financial support, please visit [www.ufs.ac.za](http://www.ufs.ac.za) and follow the links: Students – Financial Aid

Students studying with financial aid from recognised and reputable funders are exempted from paying the first payment once all the following conditions have been met:

- Historic debt from the previous year has been paid off.
- The funding awarded covers the **full cost** of study for the year.
- The funding has been officially confirmed by the funder. Proof of confirmed funding must be submitted to Student Finance **five (5) working days prior to registration**. Please email the confirmation letter to [tuitionfees@ufs.ac.za](mailto:tuitionfees@ufs.ac.za).

The above excludes:

- **International students** who are studying with the assistance of financial aid are **NOT EXEMPT** from paying the first payment as indicated for SELF-PAYING STUDENTS (paragraph 2).
- Students with financial aid (i.e. NSFAS/bursary/loan) which **does not cover the full cost of study for the year MUST** pay the first payment as indicated for SELF-PAYING STUDENTS (paragraph 2) **five (5) working days prior to registration**.
- Students who applied/appealed for funding but have **not** yet received funding confirmation must pay the first payment as indicated for SELF-PAYING STUDENTS (paragraph 2) **five (5) working days prior to registration**. Payments will be refunded when funding is confirmed.

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## 2. SELF-PAYING and PARTIALLY FUNDED STUDENTS (SA and International students)

- The first payment is due **five (5) working days prior to registration**. Students will not be able to register until this payment reflects on their tuition fees account.
- Historic debt from the previous year must be paid off.
- Should the total fee for the year be less than the first payment required, the total fee must be paid in full.

### 2.1 Amounts payable as first payments prior to registration:

#### 2.1.1 Residence students

SOUTH AFRICAN	SADC	NSADC
R20 800	R37 800	R72 200

#### 2.1.2 Off-Campus students

SOUTH AFRICAN	SADC	NSADC
R10 000	R21 500	R45 000

#### 2.1.3 Students studying with UFS study benefits

	SOUTH AFRICAN	SADC	NSADC
Employees: Residence	R10 800	R20 000	R30 900
Employees: Off-campus	R0	R3 700	R3 700
Employee dependants: Residence	R13 000	R22 200	R33 100
Employee dependants: Off campus	R2 200	R5 900	R5 900

**Note:** Should a student qualify for an academic merit award, it may be used either partially or fully to cover the first payment on the condition that the student has no historic debt.

### Online Payments

[Click here to follow link to Online Payments](#)

Recommended payment method. Payment will reflect on student account within 30 minutes.

#### UFS BANKING DETAILS:

Bank:	ABSA
Name of account:	University of the Free State Tuition Fees
Branch code:	630734
Account number:	1 570 151 688
SWIFT code for international transfers:	ABSAZAJJ
Reference number for first payments:	<b>100</b> directly followed by student number

#### PAYMENT DATES

First payments for registration	<b>Payable five (5) working days prior to registration</b>	SA and international students
First semester fees: payable on or before	31 March 2025	SA and international students
Second semester fees: payable on or before	<b>30 June 2025</b>	International students
Second semester fees: payable on or before	31 August 2025	SA students

### STUDENT FINANCE CONTACT DETAILS:

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