

# FUNZA LUSHAKA BURSARY PROGRAMME

*"Your Future as a Teacher Starts Today!"*



Northern Cape  
Department of Education



## THE FUNZA LUSHAKA BURSARY

Are you a high-achieving student looking for a rewarding career that makes a real difference in people's lives? Do you want to be part of a profession that shapes the future of our country? Then consider a career in teaching! The Funza Lushaka Bursary is a dedicated scheme to attract and fund students who choose teaching as a profession. Our aim is to contribute substantially to the supply of adequately trained teachers, with a focus on rural and poor schools.

Areas of Specialisation for the B.Ed.

TWO (2) of the following subjects considered as the current Provincial Priority Subject Areas:

FOUNDATION PHASE (Grades R – 3)	INTERMEDIATE PHASE (Grades 4 – 6)	SENIOR PHASE (Grades 7 – 9)	FET PHASE (Grades 10 – 12)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>·Literacy (Afrikaans Home/Isixhosa Home/Setswana Home)</li> <li>·Numeracy</li> <li>·Braille</li> <li>·South African Sign Language</li> <li>·Neuro-developmental Needs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>·Coding and Robotics</li> <li>·Mathematics</li> <li>·Natural Sciences</li> <li>·Technology</li> <li>·Braille</li> <li>·South African Sign Language</li> <li>·Neuro-developmental Needs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>·Coding and Robotics</li> <li>·Mathematics</li> <li>·Natural Sciences</li> <li>·Technology</li> <li>·Braille</li> <li>·South African Sign Language</li> <li>·Neuro-developmental Needs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>·Agricultural Sciences</li> <li>·Agricultural Technology</li> <li>·Civil Technology</li> <li>·Coding and Robotics</li> <li>·Computer Application Technology</li> <li>·Electrical Technology</li> <li>·Engineering Graphics &amp; Design</li> <li>·Information Tech</li> <li>·Life Sciences</li> <li>·Maritime Studies</li> <li>·Mathematics</li> <li>·Mechanical Technology</li> <li>·Physical Sciences</li> <li>·Technical Sciences</li> <li>·Technical Mathematics</li> <li>·Braille</li> <li>·South African Sign Language</li> <li>·Neuro-developmental Needs</li> </ul>

## YOU MAY APPLY IF YOU

- Are an applicant accepted into a B.Ed. programme at one of the 24 accredited public universities.
- Are a high-achieving learner currently in Grade 12.
- Are an Education Assistant or General School Assistant employed under the Basic Education Employment Initiative (V).
- Are an unemployed youth who passed Matric with an "Admission to Bachelor's Degree Studies".
- Are a South African citizen who is 30 years and below.

1. Apply online for admission to a B.Ed. at a university and obtain a valid student number.
2. Consider the priority subjects of the Northern Cape when choosing your combination at university.
3. In the meantime, complete the Teacher Recruitment Screening Form by clicking on the link <https://forms.gle/bchXXvPPAI7z7kgq6> or scan the QR code below to download the form and submit as indicated on it.



4. Attach ALL supporting documents (Grade 11 results, Grade 12 June results/Matric Certificate, ID copy, University acceptance letter, if available, Police Clearance).
5. Contact Ms ML Diholo at 053 – 832 8088 or email [mimidiholo@ncdoeschools.co.za](mailto:mimidiholo@ncdoeschools.co.za) for more information.
6. Applications for the bursary officially open on 01 October 2025 and must be made online only. Visit the e-Government Portal at [www.eservice.gov.za](http://www.eservice.gov.za) and register an account to apply.