

## **ATTENTION TO VUT POTENTIAL UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS**

Following the Presidential pronouncement on fully subsidized free education for deserving and poor working class University students this year. NSFAS confirmed that, they will not re-open applications for first year university level students that missed the 30<sup>th</sup> November 2017 deadline. Potential students who did not apply for NSFAS this year but meet the University academic criteria at VUT will be registered without an upfront payment, if their combined family annual income is below R 350 000.

These students are required to submit the below documents for pre evaluation and ranking of their grant application:

- Complete NSFAS consent form obtainable at the Financial Aid Office (Main Hall Foyer),
- Certified Id copy,
- Certified latest proof of income e.g. salary and/or pension slip, tax return or affidavit,
- Provide the matric statement of results to check the school quintile.

Please note that, NSFAS will make the final award decision of the grant. The completed consent form will grant NSFAS permission/consent to further assess the financial affordability of the family. The NSFAS grant decision will be communicated by NSFAS after the assessment, if the student does not meet the criteria, the students will be liable to pay for his/her 2018 tuition fees at VUT.