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Notice!

Application for 2026/2027 Subsequent HEF Loans and Scholarships

This is to notify all students that the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB), in collaboration with the University Fund Board (UFB), has opened the application portal for **2026/2027 subsequent loans and scholarships** effective **1st June 2026**.

The application opportunity is available to all eligible continuing undergraduate students. Students wishing to apply should download the HELB App from the Google Play Store or access the service through the USSD code ***642#**.

Please note that HEF funding is student-driven, meaning each applicant is responsible for selecting the type of funding they wish to receive, and the application must be made for every academic year. Students may choose to apply for the loan, the scholarship, or both. **However, to be considered for both, the applicant must click on both the HELB loan and the Scholarship slots in the portal.**

Kindly be informed that HEF loans and scholarships are processed and disbursed on a **first-come, first-served basis**. Students are therefore encouraged to submit their applications as early as possible. For any challenges encountered during the application process or for inquiries regarding HEF funding, please visit the Financial Aid Office or the Office of the Registrar, Academic Affairs and Research (AA&R) for assistance.

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