

Qualifying for GATE

All applications are reviewed in accordance with relevant policies of the GATE programme and must be approved for students to access funding.

Funding will be denied for the following reasons but are not limited to:

- Poor academic performance by student
- The total value funding already paid
- The student has received funding for an Undergraduate Level Programme
- Any other breach of the Student's Terms and Conditions for Tertiary Tuition funded by GATE

Where the household income is \$10,000.00 per month or less – Students will be eligible for 100% of tuition fees.

Where the household income is above \$10,000.00 per month but less than \$30,000.00 – Students will be eligible for 75% of tuition fees.

Where the household income is \$30,000.00 per month but less than \$75,000.00 – Students will be eligible for 50% of tuition fees.

Where the household income is \$75,000.00 per month or above – Students will not be eligible for GATE funding.



Who We Are

About Us

The Funding and Grants Administration Division (FGAD) is a Division of the Ministry of Education. The GATE Programme is administered by the FGAD.

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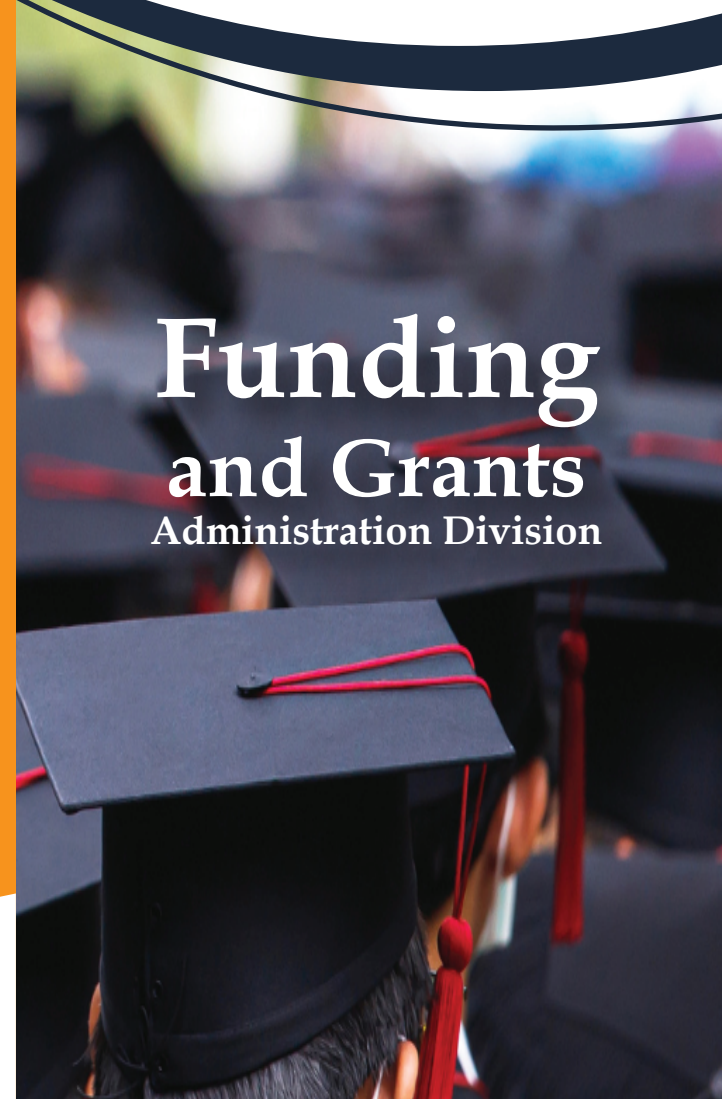


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About GATE

The GATE Programme provides financial assistance to citizens of Trinidad and Tobago who are pursuing approved programmes of study at accredited and approved public and private tertiary level institutions (local and regional).

- Students must register and obtain a GATE e-service ID at a GATE e-service Registration Centre at any TICONNECT Location in Trinidad and Tobago.
- For verification of identity, students must present original copies of the following – *Electronic Birth Certificate, National ID Card or Passport, Deed Poll or Affidavit.*
- Students must be a citizen of Trinidad and Tobago with a continued residency of three (3) years prior to application.
- Under the age of fifty (50)
- A First Time recipient of the GATE Programme.

The GATE Application

Apply for GATE funding via online application form at www.e-gate.gov.tt

Application deadline: All student applications must be submitted within the academic year of study for which funding is requested. All students are required to sign the **Student Terms and Conditions**.

GATE Funding

- GATE is a grant awarded to **qualifying students enrolled in tertiary level institutions and programmes that are accredited and approved by the Accreditation Council of Trinidad and Tobago.**
- **Students enrolled in programmes at regional campuses of the UWI, which are offered at the UWI/St. Augustine Campus, will only be funded the equivalent level of funding that obtains at the St. Augustine Campus.**
- **Students will not be granted funding in excess of the agreed tuition fee for each programme.**

"A cost-sharing model is used to determine the amount of funding for which students are eligible".

While applications are being processed, students will be notified of their application's status via email. Regular checks to emails (inbox and junk mail) are encouraged for timely receipt of any updates with respect to application status.



Funding Eligibility

Undergraduate Level Programmes

- One (1) non-terminal programme *and* One (1) Bachelor's Degree or
- One (1) Diploma *and* One (1) Bachelor's Degree or
- One (1) Advanced Diploma *and* One (1) Bachelor's Degree or
- One (1) Associate Degree *and* One (1) Bachelor's Degree or
- One (1) Certificate *and* One (1) Bachelor's Degree one (1)

"To qualify for a degree level programme, students should register within two years of completion of the initial course of study".

Technical Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Programmes

- One (1) TVET Level three (3) programme or equivalent as Diploma *and* One (1) TVET level four (4) programme equivalent as Advanced Diploma or
- One (1) TVET level four (4) programme equivalent as Advanced Diploma *and* One (1) TVET level five (5) programme equivalent as a Bachelor's Degree or
- One (1) TVET Level three (3) programme equivalent as Diploma *and* One (1) TVET level five (5) programme equivalent as a Bachelor's Degree