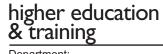


Further Education and Training A guide to opportunities for further learning

FET COLLEGES, INSTITUTIONS OF CHOICE!





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MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL



IT IS WITH GREAT EXCITEMENT THAT I WELCOME THE PUBLICATION OF THE THIRD EDITION OF THE FET OPPORTUNITIES HANDBOOK. MORE SO SINCE THIS GUIDE IS PUBLISHED AT A TIME WHEN THE NEWLY ESTABLISHED DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING (DHET) HAS JUST CELEBRATED ITS FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

This is at a time when the post- school system is offering a growing number of diverse training programmes. Young people should grab these opportunities and make something positive out of their lives.

This being said, it is important that the youth and adults familiarise themselves with a few changes in the post-school education and training system. The following are relevant:

- The DHET bursary scheme for FET colleges, which previously catered only for students who were enrolled or intended to enroll for the National Certificate (Vocational), the NC(V) programmes, has from January 2011 been extended to those enrolled or wishing to enroll for the Report 191 programmes, commonly known as the NATED or N-programmes;
- The introduction and development of three new NC(V) programmes for 2011 namely, Drawing Office Practice, Process Plant Operations and Process Instrumentation; and in 2012, of Transport and Logistics;
- The retention of Report 191 programmes or N-programmes.

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All these revisions and improvements are done so that those who are interested in and passionate about a vocational career path receive upto-date education, recognised by industry. Thus, as the Department, we are committed to introducing developments that will lead to quality teaching and learning. Of course, we will do this in consultation with relevant stakeholders, including industry, to ensure that various exit opportunities are created for FET college students.

This book has been developed to help you to choose the programmes that suits you best, and to assist you to make considered decisions. If, for any reason, the information provided here is not sufficient, please call the departmental call centre on 0800 87 22 22. There will always be people ready and willing to assist you. You can also visit the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA) website: www.careerguide.org. za.

In addition, colleges offer skills programmes and learnerships. In this regard, you are advised to contact the college closest to you and request additional information. Page 15 of this booklet has information on learnerships. For those who wish to pursue their studies at private colleges, take note of the advice on page 13.

Remember, knowledge is power. It is therefore entirely up to you to determine, going forward, how to use the information at your disposal.

The opportunities are out there, grab them and make them work for you!

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INTRODUCTION

FET COLLEGES CATER FOR DIFFERENT TYPES OF STUDENTS AND THEIR INDIVIDUAL EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING NEEDS. FOR STARTERS, THERE ARE THOSE WHO REQUIRE PREPARATION TO ENTER THE WORKPLACE.

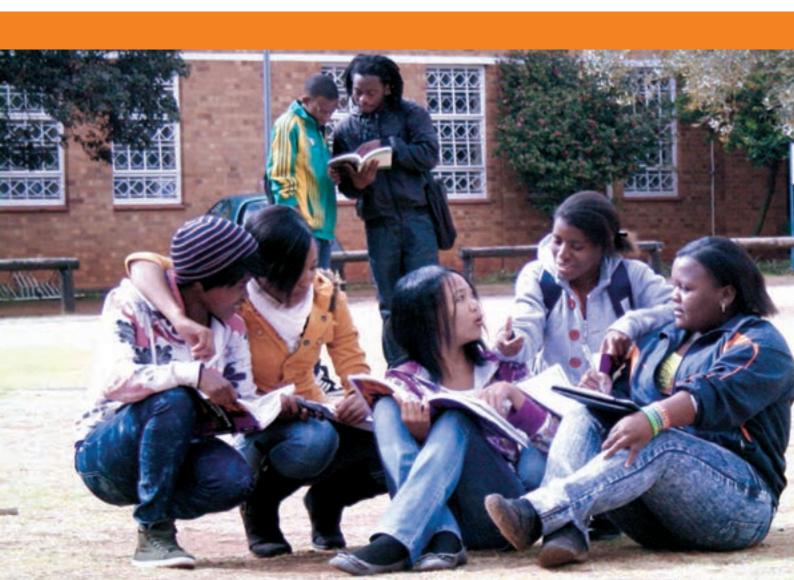
Then, there are those who want to pursue self-employment, while others aspire to obtain a university degree. There are also those who need reskilling or upskilling from present competency levels and those who need to start a new career pathway due to personal or circumstantial reasons.

Whatever a student's motivation to study, colleges have flexible and diverse course offerings that range from full qualifications that could take a number of years to complete to short courses stretching over as little as only one week.

For instance, there are the NATED or N-programmes, which are also known as Report 191 programmes. In addition, there is the National Certificate (Vocational), currently offering a menu of 18 programmes to choose from.

There are also skills programmes, which vary from semester, trimester, annual, monthly and even weekly courses. Then there are learnerships and other SAQA registered qualifications, which responed to stakeholder needs.

Colleges are therefore playing a pivotal role in addressing South Africa's skills needs and they will continue to expand and cater for a wide spectrum and growing numbers of students.



NATIONAL CERTIFICATE (VOCATIONAL)

THE PURPOSE OF THE NC(V)

THE DEPARTMENT INTRODUCED THE NC(V) AT PUBLIC FET COLLEGES IN 2007 IN AN EFFORT TO TACKLE THE PRIORITY SKILLS DEMANDS OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN ECONOMY.

The NC(V) is offered at Levels 2, 3 and 4 of the National Qualifications Framework (NQF). As such it has been designed to provide both theory and practical experience in various vocational fields. The practical component of study may take place in the workplace or in a simulated environment. Students therefore have the opportunity to experience work situations during their period of study.

There are currently 18 vocational programmes on offer. In 2012 one additional NC(V) programme, Transport and Logistics, will be added while Primary Health will be offered from 2013.

Based on demand, more programmes and subjects could be developed in the future.



THE STRUCTURE OF THE NC(V)

ON LEVELS 2, 3 AND 4 OF THE NC(V) THE FOLLOWING COMBINATION OF SUBJECTS IS OFFERED:

THREE COMPULSORY SUBJECTS

Language

This must be one of the official languages of South Africa and should be offered as a language of teaching and learning (LOTL).

- Mathematics or Mathematical Literacy
- Life Orientation

FOUR VOCATIONAL SUBJECTS

These subjects are linked to a common vocational discipline, for example Electrical Engineering.

The subject combinations in each of the programmes provide a high degree of specialisation for a particular economic sector.

It is important to note that of the vocational subjects, one subject may be chosen from any vocational programme to provide the student with either a higher level of specialisation, or the opportunity for broader training.

Generally, the first three vocational subjects listed for each programme are compulsory subjects, whereas the rest are from the pool of optional subjects.

MATRIX OF THE NC(V)

THIS STRUCTURE AND COMBINATION OF SUBJECTS ARE APPLICABLE TO EVERY LEVEL OF THE QUALIFICATION.

LEVEL 2	LEVEL 3	LEVEL 4
FUNDAMENTALS*	WITH THE CORE AND OPTIONAL SUBJECTS FOR ALL TH	HE PROGRAMMES)
First Additional language:	First Additional language:	First Additional language:
(English/Afrikaans/IsiXhosa)	(English/Afrikaans/IsiXhosa)	(English/Afrikaans/IsiXhosa)
Life Orientation	Life Orientation	Life Orientation
Mathematics OR	Mathematics OR	Mathematics OR
Mathematical Literacy	Mathematical Literacy	Mathematical Literacy
CIVIL ENGINEERING AND BUILDING CONST	RUCTION	
Construction Planning	Construction Planning	Construction Planning
Plant and Equipment Materials	Plant and Equipment Materials	Construction Supervision Materials
Physical Science (O)* OR	Physical Science (O)* OR	Physical Science (O)* OR
Carpentry and Roof Work (O)* OR	Carpentry and Roof Work (O)* OR	Carpentry and Roof Work (O)* OR
Concrete Structures (O)* OR	Concrete Structures (O)* OR	Concrete Structures (O)* OR
Masonry (O)* OR	Masonry (O)* OR	Masonry (O)* OR
Roads (O)* OR	Roads (O)* OR	Roads (O)* OR
Plumbing (O)*	Plumbing (O)*	Plumbing (O)*
DRAWING OFFICE PRACTICE		
Architectural Graphics and Technology	Architectural Graphics and Technology	Architectural Graphics and Technology
Civil and Structural Steel Work Detailing	Civil and Structural Steel Work Detailing	Civil and Structural Steel Work Detailing
Engineering Graphics and Technology	Engineering Graphics and Design	Mechanical Draughting and Technology
Drawing Office Procedures and Techniques (O)*	Drawing Office Procedures and Techniques (O)*	Drawing Office Procedures and Techniques (O)*
EDUCATION AND DEVELOPMENT		
Art and Science of Teaching	Art and Science of Teaching	Art and Science of Teaching
Human and Social Development	Human and Social Development	Human and Social Development
Learning Psychology	Learning Psychology	Learning Psychology
Early Childhood Development (O)*	Early Childhood Development (O)*	Early Childhood Development (O)*

LEVEL 2	LEVEL 3	LEVEL 4
ELECTRICAL INFRASTRUCTURE CONSTR		
Electrical Principles and Practice	Electrical Principles and Practice	Electrical Principles and Practice
Workshop Practice	Electrical Workmanship	Electrical Workmanship
Electronic Control and Digital Electronics	Electronic Control and Digital Electronics	Electronic Control and Digital Electronics
Electrical Systems and Construction (O)* OR	Electrical Systems and Construction (O)* OR	Electrical Systems and Construction (O)* OR
Physical Science (O)*	Physical Science (O)*	Physical Science (O)*
ENGINEERING AND RELATED DESIGN		
Engineering Fundamentals	Engineering Practice and Maintenance	Engineering Processes
Engineering Technology	Materials Technology	Professional Engineering Practice
Engineering Systems	Engineering Graphics and Design	Applied Engineering Technology
Physical Science (O)* OR	Physical Science (O)* OR	Physical Science (O)* OR
Fitting and Turning (O)* OR	Fitting and Turning (O)* OR	Fitting and Turning (O)* OR
Automotive Repair & Maintenance (O)* OR	Automotive Repair & Maintenance (O)* OR	Automotive Repair & Maintenance (O)* OR
Engineering Fabrication (O)* OR	Engineering Fabrication Boilermaking (O)* OR	Engineering Fabrication Boilermaking (O)* OR
Welding (O)* OR Refrigeration Principles (O)*	Engineering Fabrication Sheet Metal Worker (O)* OR	Engineering Fabrication Sheet Metal Worker (O) OR
	Welding (O)* OR	Welding (O)* OR
	Refrigeration Practice (O)*	Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Processes (O)*
FINANCE, ECONOMICS AND ACCOUNTIN	IG	
Applied Accounting	Applied Accounting	Applied Accounting
Financial Management	Financial Management	Financial Management
Economic Environment	Economic Environment	Economic Environment
New Venture Creation (O)*	New Venture Creation (O)*	New Venture Creation (O)*
HOSPITALITY		
Hospitality Generics	Hospitality Generics	Hospitality Generics
Food Preparation	Food Preparation	Food Preparation
Client Services and Human Relations	Client Services and Human Relations	Client Services and Human Relations
Hospitality Services (O)*	Hospitality Services (O)*	Hospitality Services (O)*
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & COMPU	FER SCIENCE	
Introduction to Information Systems	Systems Analysis and Design	Systems Analysis and Design
Electronics	Computer Hardware and Software	Data Communication and Networking
Introduction to Systems Development	Principles of Computer Programming	Computer Programming
Contact Centre Operations (O)* OR	Contact Centre Operations (O)* OR	Contact Centre Operations (O)* OR
Multimedia Basics (O) *	Multimedia Content (O) *	Multimedia Service (O) *
MANAGEMENT		
Management Practice	Management Practice	Management Practice
Operations Management	Operations Management	Operations Management
Financial Management	Financial Management	Financial Management

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LEVEL 2

Advertising & Promotions

Graphic Design (O)*

MECHATRONICS

Electrotechnology

Manual Manufacturing

Mechatronic Systems (O)*

Introduction to Computers

Marketing Communication

Consumer Behaviour (O)* OR

Contact Centre Operations (O)* OR

MARKETING

Marketing

LEVEL 3

Marketing Advertising & Promotions Marketing Communication Consumer Behaviour **(O)*** OR Contact Centre Operations **(O)*** OR Graphic Design **(O)***

Stored Programme Systems Electrotechnology Machine Manufacturing Mechatronic Systems **(O)***

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

Business Practice Office Practice Office Data Processing Applied Accounting **(O)*** OR 2nd Language **(O)*** OR New Venture Creation **(O)*** Business Practice Office Practice Office Data Processing Applied Accounting **(O)*** OR 2nd Language **(O)*** OR

New Venture Creation (O)*

LEVEL 4

Marketing Advertising & Promotions Marketing Communication Consumer Behaviour **(O)*** OR Contact Centre Operations **(O)*** OR Graphic Design **(O)***

Stored Programme Systems Electrotechnology Computer-Integrated Manufacturing Mechatronic Systems **(O)***

Business Practice Office Practice Office Data Processing Applied Accounting **(O)*** OR 2nd Language **(O)*** OR New Venture Creation **(O)*** OR Personal Assistance **(O)***

LEVEL 2

LEVEL 3

LEVEL 4

PRIMARY AGRICULTURE	·	
Soil Science	Soil Science	Farm Planning and Mechanisation
Plant Production	Plant Production	Advanced Plant Production
Animal Production	Animal Production	Animal Production
Agri-business (O)*	Agri-business (O)*	Agri-business (O)*
PROCESS INSTRUMENTATION		
Engineering Fundamentals	Engineering Practice and Maintanance	Engineering Processes
Electronic Control and Digital Electronics	Electronic Control and Digital Electronics	Electronic Control and Digital Electronics
Physical Science	Physical Science	Physical Science
Instrumentation Technology (O)*	Instrumentation Technology (O)*	Instrumentation Technology (O)*
PROCESS PLANT OPERATIONS		
Process Technology	Process Technology	Process Technology
Physical Science	Physical Science	Physical Science
Engineering Fundamentals	Process Control	Process Control
Pulp and Papermaking Technology (O)*	Pulp and Papermaking Technology (O)*	Pulp and Papermaking Technology (O)*
Process Chemistry (O)*	Process Chemistry (O)*	Process Chemistry (O)*
SAFETY IN SOCIETY		
Introduction to Governance	Governance	Governance
Introduction to Law	Criminal law	Law Procedures and Evidence
Principles of Criminal Justice	Criminal Justice Structures and Mandates	Criminal Justice Process
Introduction to Policing Practices (O)* OR	Theory of Policing Practices (O)* OR	Applied Policing (O)* OR
Criminology (O)*	Criminology (O)*	Criminology (O)*
TOURISM		
Science of Tourism	Science of Tourism	Science of Tourism
Client Services and Human Relations	Client Services and Human Relations	Client Services and Human Relations
Sustainable Tourism in SA	Sustainable Tourism in SA and Regional Travel	Sustainable Tourism in SA and International
Tourism Operations (O)*	Tourism Operations (O)*	Travel
		Tourism Operations (O) *
TRANSPORT AND LOGISTICS		
Freight Logistics	Freight Logistics	Freight Logistics
Transport Economics	Transport Economics	Transport Economics
Transport Operations	Transport Operations	Transport Operations
Entrepreneurship (O)* OR	Project Management (O)* OR	Project Management (O)* OR
New Venture Creation (O)*	New Venture Creation (O)*	New Venture Creation (O)*

*(O) = optional subject

FOR HIGHER EDUCATION REQUREMENTS

STUDENTS WHO GRADUATE WITH A NC(V) LEVEL 4 MAY BE ELIGIBLE TO STUDY AT ANY OF SOUTH AFRICA'S 23 PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES OR UNIVERSITIES OF TECHNOLOGY.

The table below illustrates the minimum entry requirements for a Level 4 student into the various higher education qualifications. Be mindful that individual institutions may have their own additional admission requirements over and above the ones listed here.

QUALIFICATION	MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENT
HIGHER CERTIFICATE	 Must meet NC(V) Level 4 statutory requirements (Council for General and Further Education and Training) for a pass 40% in either home language or first additional language but one must be the LOTL* 30% in either Mathematics or Mathematical Literacy 40% in Life Orientation 50% in four vocational subjects Submit a record of evidence for any subjects failed.
DIPLOMA	 Must meet NC(V) Level 4 statutory requirements (Council for General and Further Education and Training) for a pass 50% in three fundamental subjects, including LOTL* 60% in three compulsory vocational subjects
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	 Must meet NC(V) Level 4 statutory requirements (Council for General and Further Education and Training) for a pass 60% in three fundamental subjects including LOTL* 70% in four compulsory vocational subjects

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WITH THE INTRODUCTION OF THE NC(V) IN 2007, THE PHASING OUT OF THE REPORT 191 PROGRAMMES, ALSO KNOWN AS NATED OR N-PROGRAMMES, COMMENCED.

However, the Department has decided to halt the process until further notice. Thus, students can continue to enroll for N1 to N3 engineering and N4 to N6 engineering, business and service programmes.

How long do I study for?

In the case of Engineering Studies each level requires 3 subjects and runs for 10 weeks or a trimester. In business and servicesrelated programmes each level requires 4 subjects and is 6 months or a semester long.

It is also important to note that enrolments take place every trimester for engineering programmes, and every semester for business and services programmes.

How do I qualify for my National Diploma?

The N6-certificate in Business Studies and Services programmes take 18 months to complete.

Thereafter students have to complete a further 18 months or 2000 hours of relevant practical experience in their area of study to obtain a National Diploma.

For Engineering Studies students usually complete their N4 to N6 certificates in one year. A further 2 years of relevant practical experience is required to obtain a National N Diploma.

The full menu of Report 191 - Part 1 (N1-N3) and Part 2 (N4-N6) programmes are available on the DHET website.

www.dhet.gov.za

What are the entry requirements?

TO ENROL FOR	YOU NEED
N1	• Grade 9
N2	N1 or equivalent
N3	• N2 or equivalent
N4	• N3 or Grade 12
N5	• N4
N6	• N5

Occupational and skills programmes

Some colleges offer short skills programmes which can vary between a week and a year. The kind of programmes and the mode of delivery will differ from college to college.

BUSINESS STUDIES	ENGINEERING	SERVICES
Applied Accounting	• Pulp Making	Food Services
Human Resources Management	Mechanical Drawing and Design	Public Relations
Personnel Management	Chemical Technology	• Hair Care
Business Management	Chemical Plant Operation	Interior Decorating
Administration and Management	Engineering Physics	
	Engineering Technology	

BURSARIES

WITH THE DEPARTMENT'S BURSARY SCHEME THE GOVERNMENT WANTS TO ENSURE THAT A LACK OF FUNDING DOES NOT PREVENT ACADEMICALLY CAPABLE YOUNG SOUTH AFRICANS FROM ACCESSING POST-SCHOOL EDUCATION AND TRAINING.

The 50 public colleges manage the bursary process and they make the final decision to grant or reject an application. Bursary forms are available at any of the colleges (see page 26 for a list) from the September preceding the study year.

It is important to note that the colleges make the final decision to grant or reject a bursary application.

In the past only students who were enrolled or intended to enroll for the NC(V) programmes were considered for bursaries.

However, the Department has decided to also accommodate students enrolled or intending to enroll for the Report 191 (NATED) programmes.

Although students are not expected to repay the bursary they have an obligation to perform well in their studies and progress.

If a student fails a certain number of subjects the college will withdraw the bursary and the student will not be eligible for continued financial aid. Only if he/she repeats the level and passes, can he/she reapply for a bursary. Students are encouraged to make use of this once in a lifetime opportunity to further their education

To qualify for the bursary a student should be >>>

A South African citizen

Enrolled or intending to enrol for the NC(V) or the Report 191 (N-programmes) at any of the 50 public FET colleges in South Africa

In need of **financial assistance**

Able to demonstrate potential for academic success

PRIVATE FET COLLEGES

If you want to study at a private FET college, you have to verify if it is registered with the Department of Higher Education & Training.

You have to ask the following questions:

>>> Does the institution offer the qualification which you are interested in?
 >>> Are the institution's qualifications accredited by the relevant quality council?
 >>> Can it provide a brochure with all its details, including qualifications offered?
 >>> Does it operate in suitable and safe premises with adequate space, light and

appropriate equipment? >>> Can it provide full details of its teaching staff and their qualifications?

>>> How does the institution compare with other public institutions in terms of qualifications and services offered?

>>> Can it provide a sample copy of a learning contract?

The Department does not offer bursaries to study at private colleges.

Any questions on public and private FET colleges may be directed to the departmental call centre. Calls are free.

0800 87 22 22

CONTACT DETAILS

The Director Private FET Colleges Department of Higher Education and Training Private Bag X174 PRETORIA 0001



LEARNERSHIPS

THE GOVERNMENT HAS INTRODUCED TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES CALLED LEARNERSHIPS. A LEARNERSHIP IS A WORK-BASED LEARNING PROGRAMME.

It leads to a nationally recognised qualification which is registered with SAQA and is directly related to an occupation, for example a construction worker, IT technician or electrician. Learnerships combine a structured learning component with practical work experience that is acquired while being employed in a company, government department or small business.

Learnerships are available to people who have left school, college or other training institutions after completing some formal education, as well as for people who have been unemployed for some time. To be eligible you have to be at least 16- years-old and younger than 35.

A student who is enrolled in a leanership is required to complete his/ her classroom-based learning at a college or training centre and to do on-the-job training in the workplace.

This means unemployed people can only participate in a learnership if there is an employer that is prepared to provide the required work experience.

People entering a learnership do not have to pay anything for the programme. Learnership programmes are funded by the SETAs.

Instead, all unemployed people selected for a learnership programme will receive a learner allowance by the employer. The allowance is not a salary, but is intended to cover expenses like travel and meals which a learner will have to pay while doing a learnership. The precise amount of the allowance depends on the type of learnership and the level of the qualification.

Whereas some learnerships do not require learners to meet any entry requirements, others demand from learners to have a Grade 12 certificate. Some learnerships have entry requirements that relate directly to the field of study. For example, you will not be able to enter a learnership in the field of financial management if you have not completed some basic training in finance.

It usually takes a year to complete a learnership, but some may take 2 or more years to finish. In some instances learners could finish a learnership in a shorter time through Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL).

This is a process whereby learners will be able to get formal recognition for parts of the programme they have already completed through previous learning or work-based experience. At the end of a successful learnership a participant will receive an official SETA certificate, recognised nationally, which will indicate the area in which he/she has developed skills.

It is important to note that if you are unemployed when the learnership begins, there is no guarantee of a job at the end. The employer who provides you with training does not have to offer you a job. But with a qualification and work experience you will be in a better position than before to get a job. You may also want to think about studying further or starting your business. Labour centres, private employment agencies or organisations such as the National Youth Development Agency could be helpful.

How to apply for a learnership

Register with the Department of Labour by completing a work-seeker registration form found at Labour Centres across the country. Submit the forms at the Centre in your area or send it by post.

The Centre will contact you if you meet the minimum criteria for a learnership at a particular employer.

If you meet the criteria you may be called for a briefing session and possible assessment prior to the final selection.

Companies advertise learnerships in the print media, for example newspapers.

Interviews with former STUDENTS

LIMPOPO Capricorn FET College Seshego campus Civil Engineering and Building Construction: NC(V) GAUTENG Ekurhuleni West College for FET Germiston campus Finance, Economics and Accounting: NC(V)

Mathonsi Joel Tsakane Level 4, 2010

Why did you choose Civil Engineering and Building Construction?

I realized there was a shortage of engineers in our country and I wanted to help fill that gap.

What was your impression of the course?

I liked it very much and found the material very interesting and challenging.

How were your studies financed?

It was financed by the DHET bursary scheme for FET colleges students. The DHET bursary really helped me achieve my dreams.

What are you currently doing?

I am currently furthering my studies through UNISA. I am registered for a Diploma in Civil Engineering.

How did your course prepare you for what you are doing now?

The college certainly gave me a solid background, which I am applying in my UNISA studies.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET College?

Because it offered both theory and practical work.

What kind of student support services did you use while studying and how did this unit assist you?

It offered a number of services which were helpful to me, including advice on programmes and work opportunities.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Yes, I would continue to be an advocate for the FET sector.

Mokgethi Nkosi (19) Level 4. 2009

Where are you from? Katlehong, East Rand of Gauteng

Why did you choose to study Finance, Economics and Accounting?

The course incorporated different elements such as Economics, Accounting and Finance. It meant more employment opportunities and it did not limit me to one thing in case I decided at a later stage to venture into something different.

How were your studies financed?

My parents paid for the first year. Thereafter I was awarded a DHET FET bursary for my Level 3 and 4 studies.

What are you currently doing?

I am doing political science - international studies - at the University of Pretoria.

What kind of student support services did you use while studying and how did this unit assist you?

It offered different services, including to provide students with information about employment opportunities and to offer support. I made use of all of the services and I received whatever assistance I required.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

I definitely would. I would also tell them to be committed to their studies and to study hard especially if they want to further their studies at a university.



WESTERN CAPE South Cape FET College George campus Marketing: NC(V)

Joel Solomons (21) Level 4, 2010

Why did you choose Marketing?

I've always had a passion for Marketing. In fact, I have always pictured myself starting my own marketing business. I love working with people.

What was your impression of the course?

The course material was excellent and I enjoyed every minute of it.

How were your studies financed?

My parents paid for the first 6 months, but thereafter I studied with bursary money I received from the DHET.

What are you currently doing?

I am a first year at the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University. I am studying towards a degree in marketing.

How did the course at the college prepare you for what you are doing now?

It equipped me with knowledge about the principles and guidelines of marketing. When I am in class at the university I know exactly what they are talking about and I am able to follow the lecturer.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET college?

It was the only option available to me at the time.

What kind of student support services did you use while studying and how did this unit assist you?

It had excellent counselors. It also offered excellent advice on everything a young person needed.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Definitely. It gives one a solid educational foundation.

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FREE STATE Goldfields FET College Tosa campus Electrical Infrastructure and Construction: NC(V)

Mohau Mofokeng (24) Level 4, 2010

Where are you from? Welkom, Free State

Why did you choose Electrical Infrastructure and Construction?

I have had a passion for everything electrical from a tender age and also because I attended a technical high school where I did electronics as a subject.

What was your impression of the course?

It was to the point. The curriculum and the content were extremely relevant and as far as I'm concerned, responsive to the needs of industry in the 21st century.

How were your studies financed?

I received a bursary form the DHET.

What are you currently doing?

I am studying towards a Diploma in Electronic Engineering at the Vaal University of Technology.

How did your course prepare you for what you are doing now?

The background that I have in Electrical Engineering, thanks to the college, prepared me for university life in terms of being able to work independently on my practicals and completing them on time. Even though the content we learn is different there are also some similarities.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET College? I wanted a balanced curriculum which offered both theory and practical work. I knew a college was the only place where I could get this balance.

What kind of student support services did you use while studying and how did this unit assist you?

I was a member of the SRC and the college council for two years and assisting with student support services was part of my responsibilities. I was therefore involved in providing assistance to students rather than on the receiving end of the services.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

I would recommend FET colleges especially to engineering students. As an FET student you have different options: You can further your studies, search for employment or start your own business and be an employer.

NORTHERN CAPE Northern Cape Urban FET College **City campus** Marketing Management:N6

Jessica Motlalepula Makgetla (22) N6, 2009

Where are you originally from?

Pampierstad, Northern Cape.

What was your impression of the course?

It was everything I expected - and more. I was prepared for what I should expect in a marketing environment.

How were your studies financed?

My parents paid for my studies because there was no financial assistance for NATED students at the time when I was studying.

What are you currently doing?

I work as communications administrator at the Northern Cape Department for Economic Development and Tourism in Kimberley.

How did the course you studied at the college prepare you for what you are doing now?

The course I did more than prepare me for my job. I am able to cope and I am familiar with the marketing terminology used in the workplace

Why did you choose to enroll for Marketing Management at an FET college?

When I completed Grade 12 I actually met university entrance requirements, but because of financial problems I opted for an FET college.

Like many other people I believed that colleges had lower educational standards compared to universities and that after graduation I would be unemployed for the rest of my life.

I was pleasantly surprised that, in fact, what I was doing at the college was what was needed by employers.

I am now employed and earning a salary because of the college. I do not regret the choice I made. And I am ready to conquer any industry with the qualification I have obtained.

What kind of student support services did you use while you were studying and how did the unit assist you?

It offered various services and because we had helpful people working there I made use of all the services. The internet assisted with my job search.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Yes. In fact my younger brother who is currently in Grade 12 plans to study Financial Management at the same college in 2012.

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WESTERN CAPE South Cape FET College **George campus Business Management**

Jolynn Anthony (20) N6, 2009

Where are you originally from? Porterville, Western Cape

Why did you choose Business Management?

I've always been interested in how the world of business operates and I love working with people.

What was your impression of the course?

The course was very helpful - even in my personal life. The lecturers presented the course material in an interesting way.

How were your studies financed?

My parents paid for my studies at levels N4 and N6 and thereafter I received a bursary for my N5 studies.

What are you currently doing?

I am an intern at the South Cape FET College's central office. I work in the academic department as a job placement officer.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET college?

University fees were extremely high. I could not afford them.

What kind of student support services did you use and how did the unit assist you?

The personnel were always willing to assist with whatever problems we had as students. They always availed themselves to assist us, especially with regards to counseling.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Yes, I surely would.

NORTHERN CAPE Northern Cape Urban FET College City campus Electrical Infrastructure Construction NC(V)

Theodorant Lesenyo (23)

Level 4, 2010

Where are you originally from?

Kimberley, Northern Cape

Why did you choose Electrical Infrastructure Construction?

Actually it was a family decision that I enroll for this course. Fortunately I enjoyed it and found it worthwhile.

What was your impression of the course?

The course exceeded my expectations and because I enjoyed it so much this is the field I want to turn into a career.

How were your studies financed?

With a DHET bursary.

What are you currently doing?

I am an intern at the Northern Cape Department of Economic Development and Tourism in Kimberley. Even though I am not doing what I studied for I am excited and appreciate the work experience I am gaining.

How did the course you studied prepare you for what you are doing now?

I am efficient and I am able to cope with the workload.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET college?

I fell pregnant while I was in Grade 11. The school refused to allow me back. I decided to use my Grade 10 certificate to register at the college and have not regretted the decision.

What kind of student support services did you make use of and how did this unit help you?

It offered many services including counseling for students and I'd like to believe I used them all. We had friendly staff members who were always willing to assist students in need.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Yes. Colleges are more affordable than higher education institutions. Students from disadvantaged backgrounds who are willing to learn could receive financial aid from colleges. The colleges also have a variety of programmes and services, including student support centres.



GAUTENG Tshwane North FET College Pretoria campus Office Administration: NC(V) LIMPOPO Capricorn FET College Polokwane campus Safety in Society: NC(V)

Valentia Moipone Mosoeunyane (24) Level 4, 2010

Where are you from?

Ficksburg, Free State

Why did you choose Office Administration?

For the love of people and the professionalism that office administrators brings to the workplace.

What was your impression of the course?

I enjoyed the curriculum even though it required a great deal of studying on my part.

How were your studies financed?

The DHET awarded a bursary to me.

What are you currently doing?

I am employed as a human resources assistant at SilverBridge, a software company, in Pretoria. I actually started out as an intern doing secretarial work and I have recently been promoted to a human resources assistant.

How did your course prepare you for what you are doing now?

I am where I am in my career because of the course I did at the college. The material was relevant and it equipped me with all the skills I have.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET college?

I failed Grade 10 and didn't want to repeat it. Subsequently I registered with Tshwane North FET college.

What kind of student support services did you make use of and how did this unit assist you?

It helped with job placement. It disseminated our CV's to companies and that is how I got my internship. We had very dedicated staff members at the student support services centre.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

I would advise people to give the FET sector a chance and not think it is for failures. I can attest to this. It is because of these colleges that I am where I am today.

Modipane Sello Level 4, 2010

Where are you from?

Polokwane, Limpopo

Why did you choose Safety in Society?

I have always liked everything that had to do with law and Safety in Society is the closest thing to law.

What was your impression of the course?

I enjoyed it very much because it's what I have always wanted to do.

How were your studies financed?

I am from a poor family, but I was fortunate to have been granted a bursary from the DHET. Without it I would not have managed to study.

What are you currently doing?

I am currently doing my training with the South African Police Service in Pretoria.

How did your course prepare you for what you are doing now?

I am able to apply my theoretical knowledge and practical training within my working environment in the criminal justice sector.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET college?

I heard that FET colleges offered a balance between the theoretical and the practical and that was what I wanted.

What kind of student support services did you make use of while you were studying and did the unit help you?

It helped me with job placement and financial services.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Yes, I would encourage them to enroll. It is the opportunity of a lifetime.

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Masellwane Seatle (23) 2010

Why did you choose Business Management?

I eventually want to venture into business. I needed a course that would give me business basics and that is what I got.

What was your impression of the course?

I enjoyed it very much. The curriculum was very interesting.

How were your studies financed?

I received a bursary from the college.

What are you currently doing?

I am employed as an administrator by Mphohadi Business Ventures in Welkom in the Free State.

How did your course prepare you for what you are doing now?

We used the computer a lot, among other things, and my current job requires that I use the computer the whole day. I am comfortable with that because I got the required computer skills from the college. FREE STATE Goldfields FET College Welkom Business Management: N6

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET college?

I am from a family in which unemployment is rife. As a result I could not afford to go to a higher education institution. I believe what I learnt at the college is more or less similar to what I would have gained at a university. However, a university would not be able to match the practical experience gained at the college.

What kind of student support services did you use and how did this unit assist you?

Unfortunately I never used the student support services unit.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Yes, a college is a good starting point for furthering your education and what colleges offer is relevant to employers.

The support system from lecturers is also amazing; it's like home away from home.

MPUMALANGA Ehlanzeni FET College Mapulaneng campus Engineering and Related Design: NC(V)

Cosatu Nxumalo

Level 4, 2010

Why did you choose Engineering and Related Design?

I wanted to do something that was related to boilermaking and fabrication and this programme had both in one.

What was your impression of the course?

It was not as easy as I thought it would be, but because we had dedicated lecturers I managed to pass.

How were your studies financed?

I received a DHET bursary.

What are you currently doing?

I am employed by the vehicle accessory repair outlet HI-Q in Hoedspruit, Limpopo.

How did your course prepare you for what you are doing now?

The practical work we did was really valuable and I am coping at work because of it.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET college?

The variety of courses that were offered really impressed me.

What kind of student support services did you use and how did this unit assist you?

It helped me to secure a workshop where I could do my practicals. It also offered other services such as counseling for students in need.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Yes I would. FET colleges are the institutions of choice.

GAUTENG Tshwane South FET College Pretoria West campus Electrical Engineering: N6

Where are you from?

Fafung village, North West

Why did you choose Electrical Engineering?

I wanted a course that was interesting and would force me to think out of the box. That is exactly what I got from Electrical Engineering.

What was your impression of the course?

It was interesting and challenging.

How were your studies financed?

My mother paid for my fees but later I applied and received financial assistance from the college.

What are you currently doing?

I am employed as a trainee electro mechanic at the Consol Glass factory near Johannesburg.

Kagiso Nathaniel Kungwane (25) 2011

How did your course prepare you for what you are doing now?

It provided me with the basic knowledge of what I should expect in a working environment.

Why did you choose to enroll at an FET college?

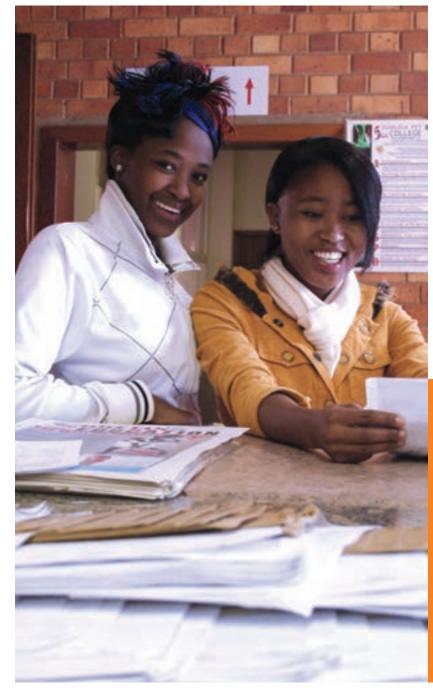
My mother could not afford to send me to university or a university of technology and my siblings advised me to enroll at an FET.

What kind of student support services did you make use of while studying and how did this unit assist you?

Among others the student support office helped me to access financial assistance.

Would you recommend an FET college to other young people?

Yes. I am working and doing great in my job because of the work ethic and discipline the college instilled in me.



FAQs

Frequently asked questions

What is the difference between the NC(V) and NATED programmes?

THE NC(V) CONSISTS OF THREE CONSECUTIVE QUALIFICATIONS OFFERED ON NQF LEVELS 2, 3 AND 4.

Each level is a full qualification and takes one academic year to complete when studying full- time. A student who wishes to do the NC(V) part time, can take up to 3 years to complete one level, for example Level 2. The NC(V) qualification is offered across 18 different vocational programmes, each specializing in a particular field of study. Each NC(V) level is made up of 3 fundamental subjects (a language, life orientation and Mathematics or Mathematical Literacy), 3 compulsory vocational subjects in the particular field of study and one optional subject, which focuses on a specialization in a particular occupation.

The NATED programmes refer to the Report 191, N1 to N6, offerings that were developed for what was previously known as technical colleges. A student who has achieved a N2 certificate in Engineering Studies, and who has proof of 2 years work experience in the same field as the subjects on the N2 certificate, can apply to take a trade test to qualify as an artisan. The only other qualification that is achieved through the Report 191 system is the National N Diploma, which is currently issued by the Department after successful completion of N6 plus 18 months work experience for Business Studies and 2 years for Engineering Studies, in the same field as the subjects on the N6 certificate.

What is the difference between studying at an FET college and/or at a university?

The programmes offered at an FET college falls on the NQF Level 2 to 4 and the qualification is called a certificate.

Universities and universities of technology offer higher certificates, diplomas and degrees on the NQF Level 5 and above.

Colleges may also offer skills programmes, short courses and learnerships under the authority of SETAs. Furthermore, they are also allowed to offer NQF Level 5 and higher qualifications on behalf of, and under the authority of universities and universities of technology. Colleges may not offer programmes that are not registered under any of the quality councils. In addition, colleges can also offer matric subjects to offer a second chance to learners to obtain a Grade 12 qualification or to improve their matric marks.

Can I go from a college to a higher education institution?

Yes. A student who has completed his or her NC(V) Level 4 and meets the minimum entry requirements set out on page 10 could enter higher education.

The possibility to move from an FET college into higher education institutions is known as articulation.

Higher Education South Africa (HESA), an organisation that represents all the universities and universities of technology, has approved a policy on the minimum admission requirements into higher education programmes. This was in terms of Section 74 of the 1997 Higher Education Act. Please note that higher education institutions may have additional entry requirements on top of your NC(V) Level 4.

What kind of exit opportunities does the FET sector offer?

There are many exit opportunities, including:

- Access to workplace opportunities in a work environment or sector relevant to his/her vocational specialisation (such as a bank/insurance company after doing the Financial, Economics and Accounting programme).
- Access to the workplace with the occupational specialization a student might have opted for through the fourth subject option (such as Motor Mechanics after opting for Automotive Repair and Maintenance).
- Progress into higher education.
- Further training at the same/horizontal level.
- Self-employment.

Do I have to pay a registration fee if I do not have the money?

If you qualify for financial assistance, meet all the entry requirements and if there are bursary funds available, you do not have to pay a registration fee.

What are the minimum entry requirements for studying at an FET College?

A Grade 9 certificate for the NC(V) Level 2 and the N1.

How do I make sure that I have made the correct career choice?

The Department in partnership with SAQA has made available a dedicated website to assist young people to make the right career choice.

www.careerguide.org.za

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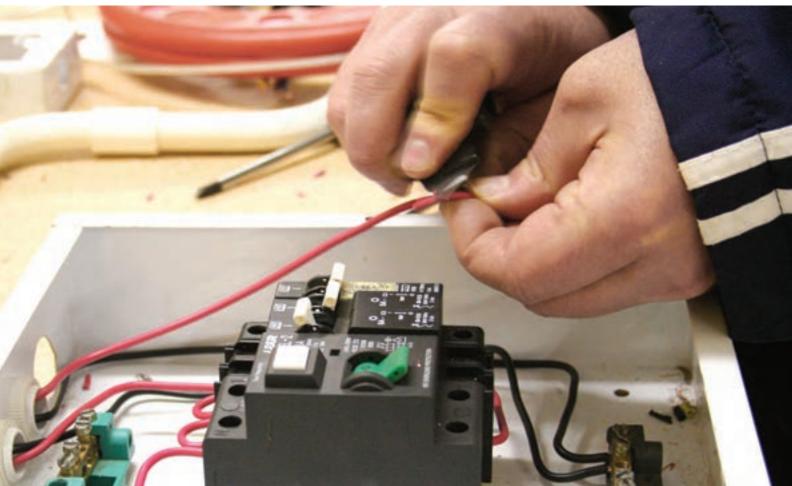
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ETDP	Education, Training & Development Practices Sector Education and Training Authority
FASSET	Financial & Accounting Services Sector Education & Training Authority
FET	Further Education and Training
FOODBEV	Food & Beverages Manufacturing Sector Education & Training Authority
HEIs	Higher Education Institutions
INSETA	Insurance Sector Education & Training Authority
IT	Information Technology
LGSETA	Local Government Sector Education & Training Authority
LOTL	Language of Teaching and Learning
MERSETA	Manufacturing, Engineering, & Related Services Sector Education & Training Authority
MICTSETA	Media, Information and Communication Technology Sector Education & Training Authority
MQA	Mining Qualifications Authority
NC(V)	National Certificate (Vocational)
NYDA	National Youth Development Agency
PSETA	Public Services Sector Education & Training Authority
QCTO	Quality Council for Trades and Occupations
RPL	Recognition of Prior Learning
SAQA	South African Qualifications Authority
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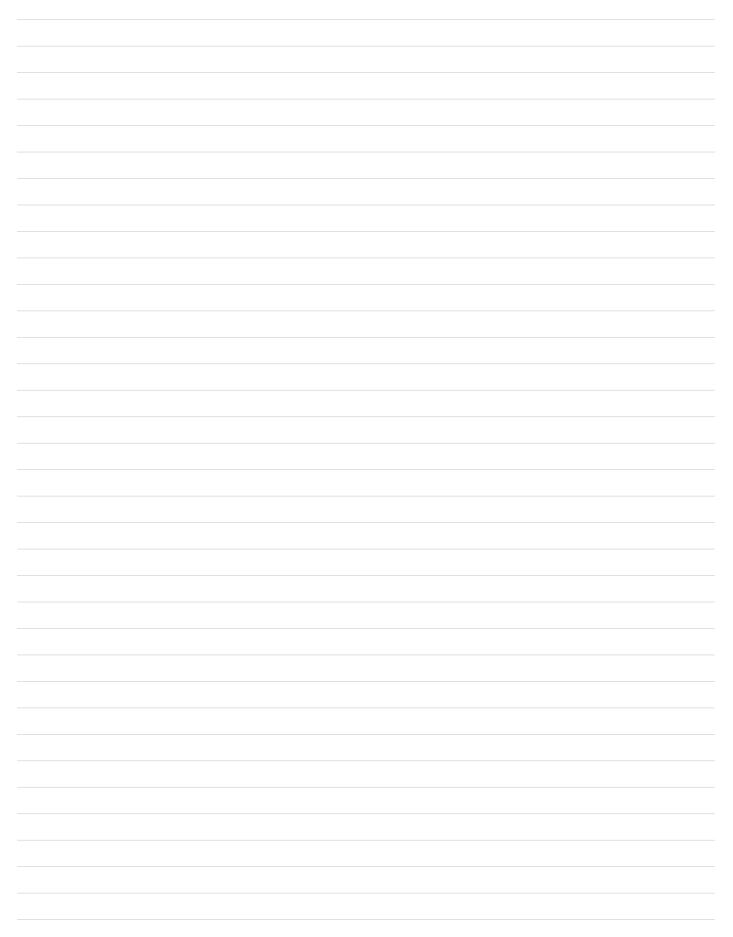
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