

# Call for applications: 2016 education assistance for the TRC-identified victims of apartheid

The Department of Justice and Constitutional Development calls on TRC-identified victims of Apartheid that were declared as such by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission to apply for assistance with tuition fees for basic and higher education and training.



## Who qualifies for assistance?

A person declared a victim by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC); and/or their dependants or relatives.

A dependant includes any person to whom the TRC-identified victim has or had a legal or customary duty to support, which would include children, grandchildren and the spouse of the identified victim.



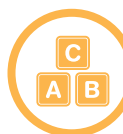
## What about the relatives?

Relatives qualify if the person fits into any of the following categories:

A parent, or someone who exercises/exercised parental responsibility over a victim.

A person married to a victim under any law, custom or belief.

A child of a victim, whether born in or out of wedlock or was legally adopted.



## Basic education assistance

The applicant must be a member of a household which earns less than R132 000-00 gross income per year.

or

The applicant must be a member of a vulnerable household.



## Higher education and training assistance

The applicant must be a member of a household which earns less than R198 000-00 gross income per year.

or

The applicant must be a member of a vulnerable household (See criteria for vulnerable households).



## Vulnerable Households

A vulnerable household is a household consisting of four (4) or more members where:

- the majority of members are over the age of 65 years.
- the majority of members are receiving social assistance.
- one member is physically or mentally disabled.
- one member is under 18 years of age and has to work.
- only one of the members is working.

## Renewal of assistance

Students/learners who received assistance for the 2015 academic year must re-apply for the 2016 academic year. Academic results for 2015 must be attached to the application.

## Closing date for applications is 30 September 2015

Application forms are available at courts, regional offices and the national office, as well as at [www.justice.gov.za](http://www.justice.gov.za).

Application forms must be returned to one of the following contact persons/addresses:

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