

Guidelines for

PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS IN 2021

Important 2021 dates

05 MARCH

First-year residences open

05 – 12 MARCH

First-year registration

06 MARCH

First-year student virtual welcoming ceremony

08 – 12 MARCH

First-year success programme

15 MARCH

Lectures start



It is important to note that these dates are tentative and we will be guided by Government and University management should the need arise to alter our plans as outlined above.

Virtual welcoming

ceremony

You and your parents/guardian(s) are invited to join the official virtual first-year welcoming ceremony, hosted by our Vice-Chancellor, Prof Sibongile Muthwa, followed by a virtual meet and greet session with the executive dean of your faculty and your lecturers.



First-year success

programme

Improve your success and enhance your experience at Nelson Mandela University by participating in orientation. Meet other new students and get a better understanding of what lies ahead. To learn more about orientation, [visit our website](#).



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First-year registration

Applicants who have already matriculated, are self-funded and have been admitted to study at our University this year, can proceed with their online registration after paying the initial down payment. Applicants still awaiting their final Grade 12 results will be informed upon the release of their results as to when they will be able to proceed with online registration. Read [here](#) for more information.



Grade 12

final results

Matric learners from 2020 do not need to submit their final exam results to us – via email or in-person. We will obtain this information from the Department of Basic Education and notify you of the outcome by SMS as from 23 February.



Down payment

The amount below is your first payment towards your tuition fees and will be credited towards your student fees account.

Degree programmes, postgraduate diplomas and occasional studies

R8 500

Full-time students

R4 900

Part-time students

Diploma/certificate programmes

R6 000

Full-time students

R4 200

Part-time students

Residences (students on all campuses)

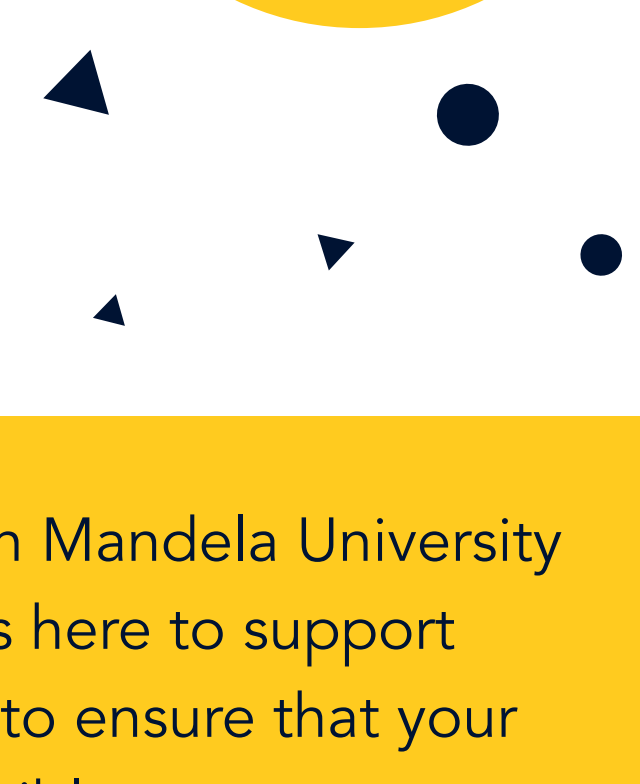
R6 200

International students are required to pay all fees in full prior to registration. Please request your estimation of fees from the International Student Accounts Office +27(0) 41 504 2161 or you can email: intfees@mandela.ac.za.

NSFAS loan

funding

Should you have applied for National Student Financial Aid Scheme funding, the outcome will be communicated to you directly by NSFAS.



Whatever this year may bring, Nelson Mandela University has your best interests at heart and is here to support you. We have put measures in place to ensure that your learning experience is as safe as possible.