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**STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS (StuFAPs)**

The Commission on Higher Education (CHED) announces the offering of the following Student Financial Assistance Programs (StuFAPs) for the poor but deserving students:

<b>Program</b>	<b>Tuition Fee Per Semester</b>
1. Scholarship Programs	
a. Full Merit	PhP15,000.00
b. One Town One Scholars (OTOS)	PhP15,000.00
c. Half-Merit	PhP 7,500.00
2. Grant-in-Aid Programs	
a. Tulong-Dunong	PhP 6,000.00
b. OPAPP-CHED Study Grant Program for Rebel Returnees	PhP 5,000.00
c. DND-CHED-PASUC Study Grant Program	PhP 2,500.00
d. CHED Special Study Grant Program for:	
- Senate	PhP 2,500.00
- House of Representatives	PhP 2,500.00
3. Study Loan Program	
Study Now Pay Later Plan (SNPLP)	PhP 7,500.00

The following are the requirements to qualify for the scholarship:

1. must be a Filipino citizen of good moral character;
2. must be a high school graduate or a candidate for graduation from high school;
3. must have at least 80% general weighted average (GWA) based on Form 138 and a general scholastic aptitude (GSA) of National Career Assessment Examination (NCAE);
4. combined Annual Gross Income of Parents/Guardian not to exceed Three Hundred Thousand Pesos (PhP300,000.00);
5. must not be more than thirty (30) years of age at the time of application except for CHED OPAPPSGPRR;
6. entering freshmen and/or college student in any curricular year level;
7. for student borrower, must enter into a loan agreement with CHEDRO, and must have a co-borrower who is a member of Social Security System (SSS)/Government Service Insurance System (GSIS) in good standing (at least paying contribution for six (6) months for the last twelve (12) months); and
8. has not availed of any government scholarship and/or grant.

The application period runs from January to April of every school year.

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