

### STUDENT GRANT APPLICATION FORM 2009/10

HIGHER
EDUCATION
GRANT SCHEME
2009

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION
COMMITTEES' SCHOLARSHIP
SCHEME
2009

THIRD LEVEL
MAINTENANCE GRANTS
SCHEME FOR TRAINEES
2009

MAINTENANCE GRANTS
SCHEME FOR STUDENTS
ATTENDING POST-LEAVING
CERTIFICATE COURSES
2009

Student's	Name:	

For Official Use Only

Student Ref No

### **CLOSING DATE: 31 AUGUST 2009**

The Local Authority/VEC may accept an application which is not received on time and, at its own discretion, treat such application as if it had been received on time.

In order to be considered for a maintenance grant in respect of a full-time course in further or higher education under one of the above schemes, please complete this application form. **PLEASE READ THE ACCOMPANYING NOTES BOOKLET BEFORE COMPLETING THE APPLICATION FORM.** 

It should be noted that **failure to complete each section will constitute an incomplete application** and it will be returned to you. This will delay the timely processing of your application and delay payment in respect of a successful application.

Details of the scheme relevant to your application are available on request from your Local Authority/VEC, from the Department of Education and Science website <a href="https://www.education.ie">www.education.ie</a> or from <a href="https://www.education

If you are experiencing difficulty in completing your application form all queries should be directed to your Local Authority/VEC, as appropriate.

### PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING QUESTION

Q. Please tick  $(\checkmark)$  which of the following full-time courses you wish to pursue?

Post Leaving Certificate Level	Higher Certificate	Ordinary Bachelor Degree	Honours Bachelor Degree	Higher Diploma	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	
Level 5 □ Level 6 □	Level 6 □	Level 7 🗆	Level 8 🗆	Postgraduate Diploma	Level 9 🗆	Level 10 🗆	
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	Approved / Refused Decision Date:						
Course being	attended				Rate Appr	roved:	
College being	g attended						







Please Complete	e all Sections	PI	ERSONAL	. INFOR	MATI	ON		
Q.1 Categor	y of Candi	date [p	olease (🗸) t	ick]				
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Candidate's Fu	ll Name:				MALE:		FEM	ALE:
Current Home Address: (not your university or college address)								
Length of time	at current ad	dress in	months and ye	ars				
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Your Addres	SS						From(MM/Y	YYY) To(MM/YYYY)
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Phone No:			Mobile:			Email:		
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Nationality:			Date of Birth:			Birth Su		
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Q.4 Candida [please ( ✓ )		s prior	to commend	cement of	course i	in the 20	009/10 aca	ademic year
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Occupation of 0	Candidate:							
Q.5 Are you	r parents [	please	e (  ✓ ) tick]?					
Married	Single	Co	ohabiting S	Separated	Divorc	ed	Widowed	Other (specify)

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6 Personal details of	Father/Guardian	Mother/Guardian	Candidate's Spouse
Name in full:			
Current Permanent			
Address:			
Length of time at current address in months			
and years:			
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Telephone No.:			
PPS No.:			
Nationality:			
Status:	Employed	Employed	Employed
(Please tick ( $$ ) the appropriate box)			
50x)	Self Employed	Self Employed	Self Employed
	Unemployed	Unemployed	Unemployed
	Retired	Retired	Retired
	Student	Student	Student
	Other Please specify	Other Please specify	Other Please specify
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Q.8 Candidate's Previous Academic Attainment

Year of Leav	ving Cert					
-	rently attending a PLC/3rd Leve e give details	el Course?			Ye	s No
Do you hold	d a F.E.T.A.C. (N.C.V.A.) or equiv	valent qual	ification? (e.g. PLC Cou	ırse)?	Ye	s No
Have you e	ver commenced but not comple	eted a F.E.T	Γ.A.C. (N.C.V.A.) course	(e.g. PLC Course)	)? Ye	s No
If YES pleas When did y						
Do you hol Higher Cert	Ye	s No				
Have you ever commenced but not completed an Undergraduate course in the State or elsewhere?  (Certificate, Diploma)						
	se complete the following: ou commence the course?		When did you lea	ve the course?		
Do you hold	d a Postgraduate qualification?				Ye	s No
	ver commenced but not comple loma, Postgraduate Diploma		graduate course in the	State or elsewher	re? Ye	s No
_	se complete the following: ou commence the course?		When did you lea	ve the course?		
following i	s who previously attended or information in respect of each	<u>h year</u> of <u>e</u>	each course	e 3rd level / PLC	courses <u>m</u>	ust supply the
Academic	S ACADEMIC HISTORY (In the Name of Course:	Year of	Name of College:	Qualification:	Result:	Grant/Scholarship:
Year:		Course:				
2008/09		eg. 1,2,3			-	
	y evidence is required in respect of each not have sufficient space in the you may insert fu	above tabl				ademic history
Q.9 Othe	er Relevant Information	n				
	ade a previous application for a					
	n? and to whom?				Ye	s No
Have you ap VEC / Depar	oplied for or will you be in rece rtment of Education and Scienc	ipt of any fi e in respec	nancial assistance from t of the 2009/10 acader	n another local au mic year?	thority/ Ye	s No
If YES pleas	e give details:					
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should be mber 2008 Please note that a P60 (from employer) and a 2008 P21 PAYE Balancing Statement (available from your local tax office or online at www.revenue.ie) for the year ended 31 December, 2008 (the tax year 2008) must be submitted.

	The foreign equivalent of a P21 is also acceptable. Expenses directly related to employment as per P21 s deducted from gross income. If employment was terminated during the period 1 January 2008 to 31 Decem (tax year 2008), a P45 (from previous employer) must be submitted.	I is also acceptable. Expense femployment was terminated revious employer) must be suk	s directly related to employm during the period 1 January 2 mitted.	ent as per P21 s 008 to 31 Decem
Cross Income	Father's/Guardian's	Mother's/Guardian's	Candidate's	Candidate's
For the year ended				(if applica
51 December 2008 (the tax year 2008)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
(a) Name of Employer	Ф	Ψ	Ψ	Ψ
	(9)	(9)	(a)	(q)
(b) Name of Employer	ψ	Ф	ψ	Ψ
Gross Income including Benefit-in-Kind	0	(0)	0	(2)
(c) Name of Employer	Ψ	ψ	ψ	Ψ
Gross Income including Benefit-in-Kind	(p) <del>(</del>	<del>)</del> (p)	<b>⇒</b> (p)	<b>∌</b> (p)
(d) Iotal Gross Income (d) = $(a)+(b)+(c)$ (as per P60s/P45s and P21 - i.e. PAYE Balancing Statement)				

\*The pay figure on the P60/P45 is already net of superannuation and PRSA deductions processed through the employer's payroll. The amounts to be entered here are additional payments, including PITC contributions, made directly by the employee.

⊕ (+)

(f) €

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(f) Total for Reckonable Income Purposes  $f=(d)\cdot (e)$ 

(e) Less Superannuation/PRSA Contributions\*

(not deducted by employer)

(e)€

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Ψ (e) Candidate's Spouse

Candidate

Mother/Guardian

Father/Guardian

(if applicable)

## **DETAILS OF DIRECTORSHIPS HEL**

Registered Number(s) and

Percentage Shareholding

State Company

Name(s)

Please include any income from Directorships in the income table above.

### INCOME FROM ALL SOCIAL WELFARE/HEALTH SERVICE EXECUTIVE PAYMENTS

### **Please Complete all Sections**

Benefit (Children's Allowance.).

It will be necessary to submit a statement from the Department of Social and Family Affairs and if applicable, the Health Service Executive or their foreign equivalents showing the total amount(s) received in the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008). This statement should include the date payment commenced and the date payment ceased, if applicable.

	<b>Type of Payment e.g.</b> Job Seekers Benefit, Social Welfare Pension, Supplementary Welfare Allowance, Rent Allowance <b>etc.</b>	Amount Received Weekly	Amount Received in the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008)
Father/Guardian	(a)	€	€
	(b)	€	€
	Does the Payment include*:-  (c) a Qualified Adult Alloward  (d) a Child Dependent Incre  If Yes, for how many ch	ease Yes No	
Mother/Guardian	(a)	€	€
	(b)	€	€
	Does the Payment include*:-  (c) a Qualified Adult Alloward  (d) a Child Dependent Incre  If Yes, for how many ch	ease Yes No	
Candidate	(a)	€	€
	(b)	€	€
	Does the Payment include*:-  (c) a Qualified Adult Alloward  (d) a Child Dependent Incre  If Yes, for how many ch	ease Yes No	
Candidate's Spouse	(a)	€	€
	(b)	€	€
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### INCOME FROM PENSIONS OTHER THAN SOCIAL WELFARE PENSION (INCLUDING LUMP SUM ON RETIREMENT)

Please Complete all Sections

Gross Amount in the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008)

	Name of Employer/Pension Provider	, ,
Father's/Guardian's Income from	(a)	€
Pensions	(b)	€
Mother's/Guardian's Income from	(a)	€
Pensions	(b)	€
Candidate's Income from	(a)	€
Pensions	(b)	€
Income from Pensions for	(a)	€
Candidate's Spouse	(b)	€

Please note that a P60 (from employer/pension provider) and a 2008 P21 PAYE Balancing Statement (available from your local Tax Office or online at www.revenue.ie) for the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008) must be submitted.

### **DETAILS OF LUMP SUM ON RETIREMENT**

If retirement took place during the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008), it will be necessary to complete the following:

Name of Person who Retired:			
Relationship to Candidate:		Date of Retirement:	
Gross Amount of Lump Sum:	€	<ul><li>→ Number of Years of Serv</li></ul>	vice:
= Reckonable Portion of Lump Sum for full year	€		

The following documents must be submitted -

A letter from employer and/or body administering pension showing:

• Date employment ceased

(if applicable)

- Gross amount of Lump Sum if received within the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008).
- Number of years in that employment
- Gross Annual Pension

Please note that amounts withdrawn from pension products (e.g. PRSA, ARF, AMRF) for personal use – i.e. for purposes other than for the payment of a retirement lump sum or the purchase of an annuity pension are to be entered at their gross value in Section 10, Page 11 under "Income from sources not shown elsewhere".

### INCOME FROM SELF EMPLOYMENT, INCLUDING FARMING

Please Complete all Secti	ons	Father/Guardian	Mother/Guardian	Candidate	Candidate's Spouse (if applicable)
Description of Trade or Business					
Address at which Business is carried on					
Accounts cover the period from		to	to	to	to
If exempt from filing Tax Returns please tick					
Profit (Loss) adjusted for Income Tax purposes	(a)	€	€	€	€
parposes					
Add Interest on Capital Expenditure	(b)	€	€	€	€
(Complete Schedule A at page12)					
Remuneration Adjustment (Complete Schedule	(c)	€	€	€	€
B at page 12)	(d)	6		0	
Finance Lease Payments	(u)	€	€	€	€
*Less Retirement Annuity /PRSA Contributions/PITC Contributions	(e)	€	€	€	€
Total Income from	(f)	€	€	€	€
Self Employment		(f = (a+b+c+d)-e)			

If insufficient space, use page 16 at back of form.

### All of the following documents must be submitted -

### **ACCOUNTS**

Final accounts for each business for a year ending between 1 January 2008 and 31 December 2008. The accounts extracts pages from your return of income do not satisfy this accounts requirement.

### TAX ASSESSMENTS

Original Notice of Assessment for 2008.

or

If exempt from filing a Return of Income for the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008), it will be necessary to submit a <u>current</u> letter from the Revenue Commissioners confirming same.

### ADJUSTED PROFIT COMPUTATION

for the tax year 2008.

<sup>\*</sup>Enter the amount once in either Section 4 or Section 5.

### RENT AND OTHER INCOME FROM LAND AND PROPERTY

**Please Complete all Sections** 

In the case of rental or other income from Irish and/or Foreign Property/Land, insert the following information:

		Father/Guardian	Mother/Guardian	Candidate	Candidate's Spouse
					(if applicable)
Address of Property/Land:					
Description (eg. Lodgers, House, Land, Acreage, etc.)					
Profit (Loss) adjusted for Income Tax	(a)	€			
purposes for the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008)	(u)	€	€	€	€
Add Interest on Capital					
Expenditure (Complete Schedule	(b) A,	€	€	€	€
at page 12)  Remuneration	·				
Adjustment (Complete Schedule B, at page 12)	(c)	€	€	€	€
Finance Lease Payments	(d)	€	€	€	€
Section 23 Type Relief	(e)	€	€	€	€
*Less Retirement Annuity/PRSA Contribu /PITC Contributions	(f) ution	€ S	€	€	€
Total Income from Land and Property	(g)	€ (g = (a+b+c+d+e)-f)	€	€	€

If insufficient space, use page 16 at back of form.

The following documents must be submitted -

### Final accounts for the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008). The accounts extracts pages from your

return of income do not satisfy this accounts requirement.

### TAX ASSESSMENTS Original Notice of Assessment for 2008.

If exempt from filing a Return of Income for the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008), it will be necessary to submit a current letter from the Revenue Commissioners confirming same.

### ADJUSTED PROFIT COMPUTATION

for the tax year 2008.

<sup>\*</sup>Enter the amount once in either Section 4 or Section 5.

### GROSS INCOME FROM DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS/INVESTMENTS, ETC

Please Complete all Se		al Institution/ Description	of Income	Gross Income for the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008)
Father's/Guardian's	(a) (b)			€
Mother's/Guardian's	(a) (b)			€
Candidate	(a) (b)			€
Candidate's Spouse	(a) (b)			€
It will be necessary to su Society, Post Office, Cre		ocumentation from re	elevant Institutio	on, e.g. Bank, Building
			•	RATION/DIVORCE
	S, SETTLEMEN	ITS, TRUSTS, CO	OVENANTS,	ESTATES, ETC.
AGREEMENT  Details are required of	S, SETTLEMEN of income under any	y of the above headi	OVENANTS,	for the exception on  Candidate's Spouse
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It will be necessary to complete Schedule C on page 13 of this form and transfer totals here.

### **Please Complete all Sections**

### GIFTS & INHERITANCES

Details are required of all gifts and inheritances other than for the exceptions listed on page 10 of Notes

Father/Guardian

Mother/Guardian

Candidate

Candidate's Spouse

(if applicable)

Total from Schedule D

Section 9

₹

€

€

€

It will be necessary to complete Schedule D on page 13 of this form and transfer totals here

### **INCOME FROM SOURCES NOT SHOWN ELSEWHERE**

If income was received in the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008) from any source not already included in Sections 1 to 9 inclusive, details Mother/Guardian

Source of Income (Specify)

€

€

Candidate's Spouse

(if applicable)

Candidate

Source of Income (Specify)

€

Source of Income (Specify)

must be supplied. Please see page 11 of notes booklet for examples.

Father/Guardian

Source of Income (Specify)

If insufficient space, use page 16 at back of form.

### **SUMMARY OF RECKONABLE INCOME**

for the period 1 January 2008 to 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008)

	Father/Guardian	Mother/Guardian	Candidate	Candidate's Spouse
Employment and Directorships	€	€	€	(if applicable) €
Social Welfare/ Health Service Executive	€	€	€	€
Pensions (inclusive of reckonable portion of lump sum)	€	€	€	€
Self Employment, Farming	€	€	€	€
Land & Property	€	€	€	€
Deposit Accounts/ Investments	€	€	€	€
Maintenance Arrangements etc.	€	€	€	€
Disposal of Assets/Rights	€	€	€	€
Gifts & Inheritances	€	€	€	€
Other Sources	€	€	€	€
Less Candidate's Earnings from Holiday Employment	€ N/A	€ N/A	€	€ N/A
Total	(a) €	(b) €	(c) €	(d) €

Reckonable Income for Grant Purposes

for Grant Purposes Total (a) + (b) + (c) + (d)

€

### **Please Complete all Sections**

### **SCHEDULE A**

### Interest on Borrowings for Capital Expenditure Purposes

Interest on borrowing for capital expenditure purposes is not deductible in computing Reckonable Income. Where the Accounts contain an Interest Expense please complete the following and transfer the amount for capital expenditure purposes to line (b) on pages 8 and 9 as appropriate. If there is no amount for capital expenditure purposes please enter N/A.

IAME OF LENDER	PURPOSE OF BORROWING	INTEREST EXPENSE
		€
		€
		€
	Total per Accounts:	€
	Total for Capital Expenditure purp (transfer this amount to line (b) on p	
ge 9 - Rent and other	Income from Land and Property	
IAME OF LENDER	PURPOSE OF BORROWING	INTEREST EXPENSE
		€
		€
		€ ————————————————————————————————————
	Total per Accounts:	€
	Total for Capital Expenditure purp (transfer this amount to line (b) on p	page 9)
HEDULE B - Wages/ Re	muneration Adjustment	
ounts contain payments of th	its described below are not deductible in comparis nature please complete the following and tra	
	opropriate: luals – other than Qualifying Casual Workers where PAYE/PRSI regulations were not applied.	Amount of Adjustment  Total amount €
emuneration paid to depen	dent siblings (whether or not PAYE/ PRSI regula	tions
ere applied). Total amount		
ere applied). Total amount	included in accounts: ependent siblings where PAYE/ PRSI regulations	s were
ere applied). Total amount emuneration paid to non-dot applied. Total amount indemuneration paid to non-dot excess of market rates:	included in accounts: ependent siblings where PAYE/ PRSI regulations cluded in accounts: ependent siblings (in accordance with PAYE/PRS	
ere applied). Total amount emuneration paid to non-do ot applied. Total amount ind	included in accounts: ependent siblings where PAYE/ PRSI regulations cluded in accounts: ependent siblings (in accordance with PAYE/PRS	



### SCHEDULE C

# Calculation to establish agin or (loss) on disposal of Assets or Rights in the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008)

Gain (Loss) for Grant Purposes	(H+D) I	<b>(</b>	Ф	<b>(</b>
Years	Ξ			
Actual Gain or	G (F-C)	<b>(</b>	<b>(</b>	Ψ
Net Disposal Price	F (D-E)	Ψ	<b>(</b>	Ψ
Incidental Costs of Disposal	ш	<b>(</b>	<b>(</b> E	(
Disposal Price	Q	Ψ	(	<b>(</b>
Total	C (A+B)	<b>a</b>	<b>(</b>	Ψ
Expenditure	m	Ψ	(4)	Ψ
Original Cost	<	Ψ	(4)	<b>(</b>
Date of Acquisition				
lisposing of Date of Description Right. i.e. Disposal of Assets Mother				
Date of Disposal				
Person disposing of Assets / Right. i.e. Father Mother	Candidate, Candidate's Spouse			

### SCHEDULE D

## Calculation to establish the net value of Gifts and Inheritances in the year ended 31 December 2008 (the tax year 2008)

Net Value F (D-E)	Ψ	Ф	æ
C.A.T. Paid, if any E	(4)	Œ	Ψ
Value before C.A.T. D (A-B-C)	<b>(</b>	<b>(</b> E)	<b></b>
Consideration, if any C	(4)	<b>(</b>	<b>a</b>
Liabilities (and Costs, if any B	Ψ	(4)	<b>(</b>
Market Value of Gift or Inheritance A	(4)	Œ	(4)
Brief Description of Gift or Inheritance			
C.A.T. File Number, if any			
Date of Gift or Inheritance			
Disponer Address			
Disponer Name			
Recipient of Gift or Inheritance i.e. Father, Mother, Candidate, Candidate's Spouse			

### SCHEDULE E - Profit from Woodlands

Sales and other income from Woodlands for a year ending between 1 January 2008 and 31 December 2008 (inclusive of grants, premia, etc.)

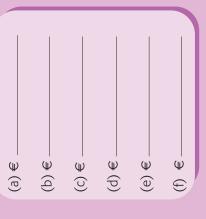
Value of standing trees at the beginning of the year

Add Total expenditure on woodlands in the year

Less Value of standing trees at the end of the year

Cost of sales - (b) + (c) - (d)

Profit - (a) - (e) (Include this total (f) in section 10 on page 11.)



### **DECLARATIONS AND AUTHORISATIONS**

By submitting this Application Form, I/ We acknowledge and affirm that I/We have read and understood all of the terms, declarations and authorisations contained in the Application Form/ Notes Booklet and the terms of the relevant maintenance grant scheme\*, which governs the award of grants.

I/We authorise the Local Authority/VEC processing this application, and the Department of Education and Science to make such enquiries as they see fit in connection with this application. I/We authorise the Local Authority/VEC and the Department of Education and Science to make enquiries and seek any documents they consider necessary to enable them to process this application.

I/We authorise the Local Authority/VEC and the Department of Education and Science to refer any information provided as part of this application to the Revenue Commissioners and/or the Department of Social and Family Affairs.

I/We authorise the Revenue Commissioners and the Department of Social and Family Affairs to supply any relevant information or documents from their records, including my/our tax returns, to the Local Authority or VEC and the Department of Education and Science and to make any enquiries and seek any documents they consider necessary to enable them to assist the Local Authority or VEC to process this application.

I/We authorise the Local Authority/VEC and the Department of Education and Science to transfer information from my/ our grant application to a central database which may be accessed by the Revenue Commissioners and the Department of Social and Family Affairs.

I/We authorise the Local Authority, or VEC as the case may be, to transfer the Application Form and supporting documentation to another Local Authority or VEC where appropriate or necessary.

I/We declare that the Reckonable Income for Grant Purposes is as detailed on this application form which has been completed in accordance with the ACCOMPANYING NOTES which I/We have read, and that no sources or amounts have been omitted.

I/We will inform the awarding authority if my/our circumstances change in any way that might affect my entitlement to a grant.

I/We accept that failure to provide accurate information through a deliberate material omission or inaccuracy, will result in LOSS OF GRANT AND REPAYMENT OF ANY PORTION OF A GRANT ALREADY RECEIVED AND POSSIBLE PROSECUTION.

I/We declare that to the best of my/our knowledge and belief, all the information given in this form is true, complete and accurate in every particular.

Please Complete all Sections				
Signed and dated by:				
A. INDEPENDENT MATURE CANDIDATE				
Signature of Candidate:	Date:	/ /200		
Signature of Candidate's Spouse/Partner:	Date:	/ /200		
Signed and dated by:				
B. ALL OTHER CANDIDATES				
Signature of Candidate:	Date:	/ /200		
Signature of Candidate's Father/Guardian:	Date:	/ /200		
Signature of Candidate's Mother/Guardian:	Date:	/ /200		

<sup>\*</sup>Details of the scheme relevant to grant applications are available on request from the Local Authority/VEC, from the Department of Education and Science website <a href="www.education.ie">www.education.ie</a> or from <a href="www.studentfinance.ie">www.studentfinance.ie</a>.



### THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF DOCUMENTS MOST FREQUENTLY REQUIRED FOR EACH CATEGORY OF APPLICANT

### Original documentation should be submitted (copies not acceptable)

(Please tick the documentation you have attached)

<b>✓</b>	Document Description
	Original Long Form Birth Certificate
	Proof of Independent Residence <b>from</b> 1st October 2008 in case of mature candidates
	Evidence of Exam results or participation on a PLC, FETAC or third level course
	Evidence of divorce or separation
	Evidence of maintenance agreement
	Proof of Parents/ Guardians residence
	Evidence of nationality (certified copy of a passport)*
	Evidence of your current Immigration Status (where relevant)
	Marriage Certificate
	Foster Care arrangement
	Legal Guardianship
	Adoption

<sup>\*</sup>This is a document, which has been stamped and signed as being a true copy of the original by a member of the Garda Siochana or a Commissioner of Oaths. The person certifying the copy must provide their name, address and telephone number.

In certain circumstances further documentation may be required.

Documentation in respect of income:

(Documentation is required in respect of the income of the person(s) on whom the means assessment must be carried out:

- Income details of parent(s)/guardian(s) and of the student for dependent students;
- Income details of parent(s)/guardian(s) and of student for dependent mature students;
- Income details of student, and that of spouse/partner, if an independent mature student)

<b>✓</b>	Document Description
	P21 – i.e. PAYE Balancing Statement (prepared by your local tax office or available online at www.revenue.ie)
	P60 for each employment
	P45 if employment ceased
	Accounts, Notice of Assessment, Adjusted Profit Computation (self employment)
	Social Welfare Statement/ Health Service Executive Statement
	Interest Certificates (interest on Deposit accounts, Investment, etc)
	Schedule A (Refer to Page 12 of the Application Form)
	Schedule B (Refer to Page 12 of the Application Form)

In certain circumstances further documentation, or clarification of documentation submitted, may be required.

### **Supplementary Documentation:**

You may be asked by your Local Authority/VEC to have **Form SA1** completed and stamped in the college you will be attending. Please ensure that you get this form completed as soon as possible and return it to your awarding body.

ENTER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION Please quote section Number on the left

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