

# APPLICATION GUIDELINE/REQUIREMENTS

## TERTIARY EDUCATION SPONSORSHIP PROGRAMME (TESP 2020)

Open to all full-time students who are currently pursuing a first degree programme in a selected field at a selected local higher learning institution.

#### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Application must be made online through MARA Portal at: <a href="www.mara.gov.my">www.mara.gov.my</a> starting from 27 August 2020 (Thursday) 10.00 am until 13 November 2020 (Friday) 4.00 pm.
- Applicant must meet the general and academic requirements.
- If any of the information given by the applicant is false. MARA reserves the right to terminate or withdraw the loan offer.

#### **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

- Malaysian
- Applicant and either one of the parents is **Bumiputera**.
- Meet the family Sosio Economic Status (SES) eligibility requirements set by MARA
- Parents total taxable income is not more than RM180,000 a year. If parents are selfemployed or working overseas, their average monthly (gross) income must be less than RM 15,000 per month
- Parents/Guardians and applicant are not blacklisted by MARA.
- Applicants are not receiving any financial support/sponsorship from any agency for the current study programme.
- Free from any chronic / contagious / disease that requires follow-up treatments.
- Applicant's age limit should **not exceed 40 years old** at the time of application.

#### **ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS**

#### New Student

• Obtain CGPA ≥ 2.75 in Foundation / Matriculation / Preparatory / STPM and equivalent

## **Existing Student**

- Obtain CGPA ≥ 2.75 in previous semester; AND
- The remaining years of study is not less than a year

### Others

- Pass SPM with a credit in Bahasa Melayu
- Academic requirement for Medicine, Dentistry and Pharmacy programmes must meet the criteria set by professional boards.