



SCHOLARSHIP 2025/2026 SESSION

Yayasan Sarawak invites eligible candidates to apply for sponsorship under the Yayasan Sarawak Tun Taib Scholarship and Yayasan Sarawak Tunku Abdul Rahman Scholarship for the 2025/2026 intake.

Prioritize for Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematic (STEM) and selected courses only	
1.	<i>Engineering (Priority to Aerospace Engineering)</i>
2.	<i>Information Technology (Priority to Semiconductor Technology)</i>
3.	<i>Medical & Health</i>
4.	<i>Life Science</i>
5.	<i>Food Technology</i>
6.	<i>Psychology & Counselling</i>
7.	<i>Construction & Land Development</i>
8.	<i>Accounting</i>
9.	<i>Finance</i>
10.	<i>Law</i>

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

BASIC REQUIREMENTS:

1. Sarawakian (either mother **OR** father **OR** both parents must be a **Sarawakian**)
2. Currently or will be pursuing **FULL-TIME** studies in a recognized course at any Higher Education Institution within **Malaysia or Abroad**. The applicant has already received an offer letter for admission to the Institution.

FIRST DEGREE COURSE	POSTGRADUATE COURSE
<p>ONLY for sponsorship applications at local institutions in Malaysia only.</p> <p>Applicants in public higher education institutions and Sarawak Government's private institutions are given priority.</p>	<p>For sponsorship applications to Institutions Within the Country or Abroad</p> <p>(Priority given to the World's Top Institutions).</p>

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENT (ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY)

3. Applicants who are currently enrolled in a higher education institution **OR** who have been admitted to a higher education institution must have one of the following academic qualifications:

(Priority for students in First Years and Second Year Only)

LEVEL OF STUDY	ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS AND QUALIFICATIONS
First Degree (Undergraduate)	Applicants must have obtained a Credit in the Bahasa Melayu subject in the Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) examination or its equivalent. <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Obtained at least a Grade C in the Malaysian Certificate of Education (SPM).2. Obtained at least a Grade B6 in the Unified Examination Certificate (UEC). Obtain a CGPA of 3.00 or higher for graduates of <i>Sijil Tinggi Pelajaran Malaysia (STPM)</i> or its equivalent/ Diploma / Matriculation / Foundation.
Postgraduate	Obtained excellent academic achievements (CGPA 3.00 or higher) during first degree or master's degree.
Additional Requirements	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Demonstrates strong leadership qualities and actively involved in extracurricular activities.2. Participate in and contribute significantly to community activities.3. Talent Development (Excels in one or more fields, particularly leadership, skills, and creativity).
Sponsored Courses	Undergraduate Level (First Degree) – Refer to Course List
	Postgraduate Level (Master's, PhD, and Professional Degrees) - Refer to Course List

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

4. Candidates who are qualified and meet the above criteria will be interviewed by a special panel. The panel will make its decision based on the candidate's performance during the interview, potential, leadership talent, community contribution, and other criteria deemed appropriate by the panel.

CANDIDATES WHO ARE INELIGIBLE TO APPLY:

5. Applicants who DO NOT MEET the basic eligibility criteria.
6. Students currently pursuing STPM, Certificate, Pre-Diploma, Diploma, Matriculation, or Foundation level courses.
7. Applicants enrolled in a distance learning or part-time courses / programmes.
8. Applicants who are still affiliated with a sponsoring organization.
9. Applicants who are currently working but DO NOT have a release/approval letter from their employer.
10. The applicant's age must not exceed 45 years (for Bachelor's Degree) and 50 years (for Master's and PhD)

HOW TO APPLY

11. The application is available online at <http://www.yayasansarawak.org.my>
12. When applying online, **ALL DOCUMENTS MUST CERTIFIED TRUE COPY BEFORE BEING UPLOADED.**

Listed below are the documents that MUST be uploaded: -

- a. A copy of the student's and parent's MyKad.
- b. A copy of the student's birth certificate.
- c. Copy of the University/ Institution's Admission Offer Letter
- d. Copy of the LATEST academic results (CGPA)
- e. A copy of SPM Exam Results (Note: Bahasa Melayu must be Credit)
- f. Co-Curriculum Certificate from the Sarawak State Education Department (JPNS).

If **UNAVAILABLE**, include a copy of the

- i. Highest Co-Curricular achievement **OR**
- ii. Highest Participation **OR**
- iii. Position

For **each of 4 Elements** as below: -

- i. Sport
- ii. Academic
- iii. Club
- iv. Association

(These 4 elements will contribute to the shortlisting marks for interview purposes)

- g. A copy of the most recent salary slip/pension statement/salary confirmation letter (for the self-employed)
 - h. Current government or private employees must apply through their respective Head of Department and include a **letter confirming permission** to study full-time. (if related)
13. Hardcopy document **IS NOT REQUIRED**.
14. Please ensure the size of each document to be uploaded is **CLEAR AND DO NOT EXCEED 1MB**.
15. All applicants are encouraging to use desktop to apply via portal/ Yayasan Sarawak Web System (<http://www.yayasansarawak.org.my>) to avoid difficulty uploading the documents.
16. Any changes or amendments to the application conditions in this advertisement, including the application closing date, will be announced on the Sarawak Foundation website.

NOTE: FAILURE to submit the required documents may result in YOUR APPLICATION BEING REJECTED/ NOT PROCESSED

17. **CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: FRIDAY, AUGUST 8, 2025, 4.00 PM.**

Applications received AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Any questions please contact:

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