



SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE

A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE KOGI STATE SCHOLARSHIP BOARD



GOV. ODODO FLAGS OFF STUDENTS' BURSARY APPLICATION PROCESS

- Over 40,000 Students applied so far;
- Application deadline extended till May 20, 2024.

The Honorable Commissioner for Education, Hon. Wemi Jones, FCIB, has flagged-off the Kogi State Students' Bursary application process on behalf of the State Government.

The Honorable Commissioner who addressed a Press Conference on Monday, April 16, 2024 to unveil the Registration Portal expressed the whole hearted commitment of the administration of His Excellency, Alhaji Ahmed Usman Ododo, to improve the welfare of Kogi Students, hence the revitalization of the State Scholarship Board and timely revival of the Students' Bursary Scheme in the State.



KOGI STATE STUDENTS' BURSARY AWARD 2024

#ODODOSTUDENTSUPPORT2024

To register, visit:

<https://scholarshipboard.kogistate.gov.ng>



KOGI STATE SCHOLARSHIP BOARD

GOV. ODODO APPOINTS JOSEPH-RAJI AS EXEC. CHAIRMAN OF KSSB

The Executive Governor of Kogi State, His Excellency, Alhaji Ahmed Usman Ododo has appointed Mr. Afolabi Joseph-Raji - a former seasoned Banker and result-oriented administrator as the Executive Chairman of Kogi State Scholarship Board.

Afolabi after receiving his letter of appointment from the Secretary to the State Government - Mrs. Folashade Ayoade, PhD, expressed his appreciations

to the Governor for his confidence in him to deliver on his Consolidation and Continuity agenda in the Kogi State Scholarship Board. He promised to lead the Board to deliver on its mandate in an exceptional manner.



KSSB UNVEILS NEW LOGO

Our New Logo



KOGI STATE SCHOLARSHIP BOARD
...supporting your passion to succeed

Our Old Logo



The Management of Kogi State Scholarship Board (KSSB) has unveiled a New Corporate Logo in line with the Board's desire to be more purposeful in fulfilling its key mandates.

The Executive Chairman of the Board explains that the New Logo is not a mere formality nor publicity stunt, rather, it is a key tool which will serve as a compass for Board as it strives to fulfill its key mandates going forward.

KSSB LAUNCHES NEW WEBSITE

In line with the desire to become more effective in the delivery of its key functions, the leadership of the Kogi State Scholarship Board has launched a new website:

<https://scholarshipboard.kogistate.gov.ng>



Kogi State Scholarship Board

Official website of Kogi State Scholarship Board

APPLY FOR BURSARY



KSSB BURSARY SENSITISATION TEAM VISITS TERTIARY INSTITUTIONS ACROSS KOGI STATE

In a bid to ensure that no student of Kogi origin is left behind from benefiting from the OdodoStudent-Support2024, the KSSB Bursary Sensitization Team has visited all Tertiary Institutions across the state to create more awareness about the ongoing registration of Students of Kogi State origin for the State's Bursary payment.

The Bursary Sensitization Team led by the Executive Chairman of the Board - Mr, Afolabi Joseph-Raji has so far visited the following Federal, State and Private Higher Institutions across the State:

- Prince Abubakar Audu University, Anyigba
- Confluence University of Science and Technology, Osara.

- Kogi State University, Kabba
- Federal University Lokoja
- Salem University, Lokoja
- Kogi State Polytechnic, Lokoja
- Federal Polytechnic Idah
- Gloryland Polytechnic, Ankpa
- Prime Polytechnic, Ajaokuta
- Federal College of Education, Okene
- College of Education, Ankpa
- College of Education (Technical), Mopa
- College of Nursing and Midwifery, Obangede
- College of Health Sciences And Technology, Idah
- Nigeria-Korea Friendship Institute, Lokoja.



KSSB MANAGEMENT ATTENDS THE INAUGURATION OF NAKOSS NATIONAL EXECUTIVES

On April 17th, 2024, the Management of Kogi State Scholarship Board joined other State Government Officials to grace the occasion of the inauguration of the new National Executives of the National Association of Kogi State Students (NAKOSS) at the Federal University, Lokoja.

Other State Government Officials at the event included the Honorable Commissioner for Youths and Sports, Hon. Monday Anyebe, The Director of Protocol to the Executive Governor, The Special Adviser to the Governor on Youths and Students Affairs, Hon. Oladele John Nihi.

The KSSB Chairman seized the opportunity of the interface with the NAKOSS National Executives to sensitize the students body about the flag-off of the registration portal for the Kogi State Students Bursary Award. He urged NAKOSS to spread the news to all its chapters nationwide so that no one is left behind from benefiting from the OdodoStudentSupport2024.





OUR VISION, MISSION AND CORE VALUES (RELOADED)

OUR VISION

To provide exceptional Scholarship support to qualifying indigenes of Kogi State and become the foremost State Scholarship Board in Nigeria.

OUR MISSION

To support Students from Kogi State to achieve academic success through the provision of financial and academic aid in the form of scholarships and bursaries

OUR CORE VALUES



KSSB UNVEILS GALLERY



In line with the new vision and core values of the new leadership of the KSSB to pursue excellence and innovation to improve service delivery, the Board recently installed a Gallery at the entrance of its office in the State Secretariat Complex. The Management also installed other informative Wall Arts in its office to complement the Gallery.

The essence of the Gallery and Wall Arts is to effortlessly communicate the vision and mission of the Scholarship Board to Staff and Visitors alike whilst beautifying the work environment.

NAKOSS NATIONAL PRESIDENT AND KEY STAKEHOLDERS VISIT KSSB



The National President of the National Association of Kogi State Students (NAKOSS), Comrade Dr. Jeremiah Elukpo and some key former National Executives of the Association including Hon. Austin Adebajji Aiyelabowo and Hon Farouk Marzai Suleiman (both former NAKOSS Presidents) and Isiyak Suleiman (former NAKOSS Vice President) paid a courtesy visit to the Board on Monday, April 29, 2024 to discuss about areas of partnership for a smooth Bursary disbursement to beneficiaries across the Nation.

The Executive Chairman assured them that the Board is already in partnership with the NAKOSS structure to effectively engage the students, He further stated that the board will continue to work transparently to deliver on its key mandates and in line with the charge by His Excellency, Alhaji Ahmed Usman Ododo, the Executive Governor of Kogi State.



INSPIRATIONAL NUGGETS

We are what we repeatedly do.

Excellence

therefore is not an act, but a habit.

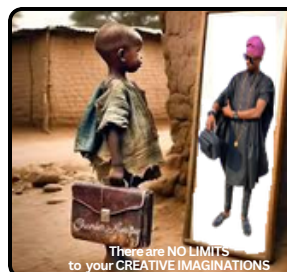
—Aristotle

FEAR HAS 2 MEANINGS:

*Forget Everything
And Run
Or
Face Everything
And Rise.*

THE CHOICE IS YOURS.

—POSITIVELIFETIPS.COM



There are no limits to what you can accomplish, except the limits you place on your own THINKING



100 DAYS OF PROGRESS



The Board, Management and Staff of
KOGI STATE SCHOLARSHIP BOARD

Heartily Congratulates His Excellency,
Alhaji Ahmed Usman Ododo

on his first **100Days in Office** as the **Executive Governor of Kogi State**.

We wish you greater accomplishments as you stay focused on the implementation of the Consolidation and Continuity Mandate.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ALERT

The Kogi State Scholarship Board wishes to notify Kogi Scholars about the following Scholarship opportunities:

S/N	Type of Scholarship	Awarding Institution	Application Link	Deadline
1	Nigerian Scholarship Award (NSA)	Federal Scholarship Board	www.education.gov.ng	13 th May 2024
2	Education Bursary Award (EBA)	Federal Scholarship Board	www.education.gov.ng	13 th May 2024
3	Nigeria LNG Postgraduate Scholarship Award	Nigeria LNG Limited	www.nigerialng.com	22 nd April 2024

Prospective Applicants are advised to visit the websites detailed above to carefully review specific application guidelines.

We wish all qualified Kogi State Scholars the best of luck in their applications.

- **KSSB Management.**

PICTURE GALLERY



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