

## 2021 2JIAJIRI SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM FOR SKILLERS

“IMPROVING THE EMPLOYABILITY OF YOUNG PEOPLE THROUGH SKILLS AND ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT”

(TO BE COMPLETED IN BLOCK LETTERS)

Dear Applicant,

We are excited that you are applying for the **Skills and Enterprise Development Project**. Before completing the application form, please read the information below carefully.

- i. Fill out the application form as clearly and as completely as possible. Only complete applications will be considered.
- ii. Admission into the programme is based on a competitive selection process.
- iii. During the interview, you will be expected to come with the following items, failure to which will lead to automatic disqualification: -
  - a. Completed application form with 2 Passport size photos
  - b. Original and 2 copies of National ID
  - c. Original and 2 copies of certificate of your highest level of education.

### SECTION A: GENERAL INFORMATION ON THE PROJECT

This is a partnership project by KCB Foundation and the Employment and Skills for Development in Africa (E4D) Programme of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH. The overall project objective is to increase employability and income generation for the youth in the construction sector in Kenya. The project will also support the provision of construction toolkits to select youth to enable them to establish their business enterprises in the construction sector. In addition, select youth will benefit from low cost financing for various products & services to support their journey towards being a successful entrepreneur.

#### About the ‘Skills and Enterprise Development’ Project

The project offers scholarships for needy youth in short technical courses in building & construction. This will be achieved through practical oriented vocational training, life skills, work readiness training and enterprise development skills necessary to drive employment and wealth creation in the construction sectors.

The scholarship will run between 3 to 6 months in the institutions indicated on page 7 of this application form. The certification level will be NITA grade 3.

Each training intake is expected to run for 6 months and will consist of 3 months classroom training with practical exercises and 3 months industrial attachment with construction projects. It is expected youth will be funneled into employment once they complete their attachment; while youth interested to establish their own micro-enterprises or scale up existing ones will be supported in business development services.

### Scholarship Selection Criteria

**Eligibility: To qualify for the skills and enterprise development project scholarships all applicants must fulfill the criteria below:**

- Applicant should be a Kenyan youth aged between 18-35 years old and have a National ID
- Have at least Kenya Certificate of Primary Education (KCPE) or above.
- Commit to attend all training sessions in a technical training institution in their county of residence.
- Must be willing to take up a National Industrial Training Authority (NITA) grade test certification.
- Applicants must be within one of the three categories (Business Owner, Apprentice or Skiller) – Refer to Section D

#### NOTE

Applicants will be given equal opportunity and shall not be discriminated on the basis of disability, gender, regional, religious and ethnic background. **Women and Persons with Disabilities (PWDs) are highly encouraged to apply.**

## SECTION B: BIO DATA

Please note that any false information will lead to automatic disqualification at any point.

ATTACH PASSPORT SIZE PHOTO HERE	Full name of applicant:		
	Sex (Male/Female):		
	Date of Birth:		
	ID Number:		
	County of Residence:		
Mobile Number:		Alternative Contact:	
P.O. Box:			
Email Address:			
How did you find out about the scholarship?	<input type="checkbox"/> KCB Branch <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media <input type="checkbox"/> KCB Foundation Website <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): .....		
Name of Next of Kin:			
Mobile Number:			

## SECTION C: COURSE SELECTION

The following courses will be provided; Masonry & Brickwork, Electrical Installation, Plumbing & Pipework, Carpentry & Joinery, Roofing, Tile Laying, Welding & Metalwork and Painting. Refer to Appendix I for the list of Training Institutions. The trades must be NITA certified at the level of Grade 3.

Please indicate two courses in order of preference in the table below.

NO.	COURSE ON OFFER	NAME OF TRAINING INSTITUTE
1.		
2.		



## SECTION D: CATEGORY WHICH YOU FALL UNDER

Business Owner	Apprentice	Skiller
<p>a. The business must be existing at the time of this application and operational for a minimum of one year and a maximum of five years.</p> <p>b. Applicant must provide records/ evidence to prove operational existence e.g., business permits</p> <p>c. Applicant must have a verifiable business location</p>	<p>a. Applicant must have worked under a supervisor for the past 6 to 12 months performing aspects of the skill they are applying the scholarship for.</p> <p>b. Must be above 18 years of age</p>	<p>a. Applicant does not need to have any prior experience in the skill they are applying the scholarship for.</p> <p>b. Must be between 18 and 35 years old</p>

Tick the category you fall under (Tick One Only) Business Owner  Apprentice  Skiller

For Business Owners and Apprentices, answer part a or b below with the most accurate information. (You can only fill one category)

### A. BUSINESS OWNER

Name of Business:	
Location of Business: (County, Town, Village, Plot, Building and Street)	
How long has the business has been in operation:	
Is the business registered?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
Nature of Business: (e.g., furniture shop, jua kali, etc.)	

### B. APPRENTICE

Are you currently working/ undertaking apprenticeship/training?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
If YES, state location of employment / business (County, Town, Village, Plot, Building and Street):	
Name and contact of current employer/supervisor:	
Nature of employment/ business:	





## SECTION F: APPLICANT DECLARATION

I certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed by the Applicant:

Name ..... ID Number .....

Signature ..... Date .....

### FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Name of Training Institute:	
Duration of Training:	
Name of Interviewer:	
Staff/ID Number:	
Signature of Interviewer:	
Date of Interview:	



## APPENDIX I: 2021 PARTICIPATING INSTITUTIONS & COUNTIES

INSTITUTION	COURSE	COUNTY	INTERVIEW DATES
Mawego Technical Training Institute	Masonry & Brickwork Plumbing & Pipework Welding & Metalwork Carpentry & Joinery Electrical Installation	Homabay	Friday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2021
CITC (Christian Industrial Training Center) Pumwani Nairobi	Welding & Metalwork Plumbing & Pipework Masonry & Brickwork Electrical Installation	Nairobi	Friday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2021
Mitunguu Technical Training Institute	Masonry & Brickwork Electrical Installation Plumbing & Pipework Welding & Metalwork	Meru	Friday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2021
Comboni Polytechnic	Carpentry & Joinery Electrical Installation Painting Welding & Metalwork Masonry & Brickwork Plumbing & Pipework	Nakuru	Monday, 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2021
DON BOSCO Embu Technical Institute	Carpentry & Joinery Masonry & Brickwork Electrical Installation Plumbing & Pipework	Embu	Monday, 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2021
KCITI (Kenya Christian Industrial Training Institute)	Electrical Installation Plumbing & Pipework Masonry & Brickwork Welding & Metalwork	Nairobi	Monday, 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2021
St. Dominic Technical Agricultural Training Institute	Masonry & Brickwork Carpentry & Joinery Electrical Installation Plumbing & Pipework Welding & Metalwork	Kiambu	Tuesday, 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2021
Jeremiah Nyaga Technical Training Institute	Plumbing & Pipework Masonry & Brickwork Welding & Metalwork Electrical Installation Carpentry & Joinery	Embu	Tuesday, 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2021
Bunyala Technical Training Institute	Masonry & Brickwork Electrical Installation Plumbing & Pipework Welding & Metalwork	Busia	Tuesday, 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2021
Kaitheri Youth Polytechnic	Plumbing & Pipework Masonry & Brickwork Electrical Installation Welding & Metalwork	Kirinyaga	Tuesday, 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2021
Mabati Technical Training Institute	Electrical Installation Welding & Metalwork	Kilifi	Tuesday, 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2021
Panesar Training Institute	Carpentry & Joinery	Nairobi	Tuesday, 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2021

