

ENTRY FORM INSKRYFVORM



MATRICULANT OF THE YEAR 2025 MATRIKULANT VAN DIE JAAR 2025

RULES OF THE COMPETITION: READ BEFORE YOU ENTER and make a copy for yourself

1. It is a requirement that the matriculant who enters be in grade 12 this year and will study full-time at the University of the Free State in 2026.
2. The Matriculant of the Year final is from Monday 13 October at 8h30 up to Wednesday morning 15 October 2025. Finalists have to be present at all times during these times and **no** exception will be made.
3. ALL achievers in matric may enter themselves into the competition. It is not a requirement that your school should enter you.
4. The principal's signature and school stamp **MUST** be on the form and serve as certification that all the information on the entry form is correct.
5. Only the attached entry form is accepted as entry for the competition. Only attach the relevant correspondence/letters/certificates or other documentary proof of provincial and national achievements – NO CV's, whether on CD, e-mail or posted will be accepted.
6. Each entry form should be accompanied by a certified statement of the marks for the grade 11 final examination, as well as the March and June 2025 examinations.
7. **Each entry form should include a clear POST CARD SIZE photo of the face of the candidate in school uniform, NO computer printed or ID photos please. Photos are not returned. Also attach photo digitally in large jpeg format.**
8. No registered post will be accepted.
9. **You must phone Linda Greyling at the UFS 051 401 3384 (mornings)** to confirm that your entry form has reached her.
10. If you are one of the 25 semi finalists you have to sign an agreement that you will definitely study at the UFS. If you are one of the 14 top finalists and you decide after completion of the Matriculant of the Year weekend that you want to study at another university, you have to return ALL the corporate gifts from the sponsors AND you will be held liable for some of the costs.
11. **PLEASE NOTE:** Send the completed form before Friday 1 August 2025 to: Matriculant of the Year competition, Attention: Linda Greyling at greylin@ufs.ac.za. The entry form can also be delivered by hand to UFS Student Recruitment, Wekkie Saayman Building, c/o Rector and Granduandi Avenue, UFS Campus, Bloemfontein, attention: Linda Greyling.
12. **If your June results are not yet available, you have to submit this entry without it before the closing date (1 August 2025). As soon as your June results are available e-mail it to Linda Greyling at greylin@ufs.ac.za. Your June results must reach us by Friday 1 August 2025 or your entry will be disqualified.**
13. If your entry form is not complete (reports, photos or signature of the principal is omitted) your entry will be disqualified.

PRIZES: *TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLY:

- Prizes will be announced in the digital issue of the Volksblad newspaper in due course.
- All bursaries and prize money are paid in 2026 as soon as the student registers at the UFS.
- 25 semi finalists are nominated from the entries and each has to sign an agreement that they will definitely study at the UFS in 2026.
- From the 25 semi finalists 14 top finalists are chosen to participate in the final round.
- No travel cost to and from Bloemfontein are paid.
- Accommodation for finalists and parents will be provided free of charge. All meals for finalists are provided, whilst parents will have to provide a few meals themselves.

The winner's prizes are:

- Prize money from the sponsors Koviesie Alumni-Trust, Mazars, Absa and Pick and Pay Preller Walk, paid into your Absa account in 2026.
- Bursaries from UFS Student Recruitment
- Final round and other gifts – value R15 000

The 13 top finalists' prizes are:

- Prize money from the sponsors Koviesie Alumni-Trust, Mazars, Absa and Pick and Pay Preller Walk, paid into your Absa account in 2026.
- Bursaries from UFS Student Recruitment
- Final round and other gifts – value R15 000

Two special prizes of R5 000 each are sponsored by the Koviesie Alumni-Trust and will be awarded for an outstanding achievement in either academics, leadership, sport or culture.

The 11 semi finalists' prizes are:

- Prize money from the sponsors Koviesie Alumni-Trust, paid into your Absa account in 2026
- Bursaries from UFS Student Recruitment

REËLS VAN DIE KOMPETISIE: LEES EERS VOOR JY INSKRYF en maak 'n afskrif vir jousef.

1. Dit is 'n vereiste dat die matrikulant wat inskryf, vanjaar in graad 12 moet wees en in 2026 heeltyds aan die Universiteit van die Vrystaat gaan studeer.
2. Die Matrikulant van die Jaar-eindronde is van Maandag 13 Oktober om 8h30 tot Woensdagoggend 15 Oktober 2025. Finaliste moet te alle tye gedurende hierdie tye teenwoordig wees en **geen** uitsonderings word gemaak nie.
3. ALLE presteerders in matriek mag hulself vir die kompetisie inskryf. Dit is nie 'n vereiste dat jou skool jou moet inskryf nie.
4. Die skoolhoof se handtekening en skoolstempel MOET op die vorm wees en dien as sertifisering dat alle inligting op die inskryfvorm korrek is.
5. Slegs meegaande inskryfvorm word aanvaar as inskrywing vir die kompetisie. Heg slegs stawende korrespondensie/briewe/bewyse/sertifikate van provinsiale en nasionale prestasies aan – GEEN CV's, hetsy op CD, e-pos of gepos word aanvaar nie.
6. Elke inskrywingsvorm moet van gesertifiseerde puntestate van graad 11 se eindeksamen, asook Maart en Junie 2025 se eksamens vergesel wees.
7. **Elke inskrywingsvorm moet 'n duidelike gesigfoto in POSKAARTGROOTTE van die kandidaat in skoolklere insluit. GEEN rekenaar uitdrukke of ID-foto's word aanvaar nie. Foto's word nie teruggestuur nie. Heg ook foto digitaal in groot jpeg-formaat aan.**
8. Geen geregistreerde posstukke word aanvaar nie.
9. **Jy moet vir Linda Greyling by die UV 051 401 3384 (soggens)** bel om te bevestig dat jou inskrywing haar wel bereik het.
10. Indien jy een van die 25 semifinaliste is, moet jy 'n ooreenkoms teken dat jy beslis aan die UV kom studeer. Indien jy een van die 14 topfinaliste is en ná afloop van die Matrikulant van die Jaar-naweek sou besluit om aan 'n ander universiteit te studeer, moet jy ALLE korporatiewe geskenke van die borge teruggee EN jy gaan ook vir sekere kostes aanspreeklik gehou word.
11. **LET WEL:** Stuur die volledig ingevulde vorm voor Vrydag 1 Augustus 2025 aan: Matrikulant van die Jaar-kompetisie, Aandag: Linda Greyling by greylin@ufs.ac.za. Die voltooië inskryfvorm kan ook per hand afgelewer word by UV Studentewerwingsdienste, Wekkie Saayman-gebou, hoek van Rektor- en Graduandilaan, UV-Kampus, Bloemfontein, vir aandag: Linda Greyling.
12. **Indien jou Junie-eksamenpunte nog nie beskikbaar is nie, moet jy hierdie inskryfvorm daaronder instuur voor die sluitingsdatum (1 Augustus 2025). Stuur dan so gou as moontlik jou Junie-punte na Linda Greyling per e-pos greylin@ufs.ac.za. Jou Junie-punte moet ons teen Vrydag 1 Augustus 2025 bereik of jou inskrywing sal gediskwalifiseer word.**
13. Indien jou inskryfvorm nie volledig is nie (rapporte, foto's of skoolhoof se handtekening ontbreek) word jou inskrywing gediskwalifiseer.

PRYSE: *TERME EN VOORWAARDES GELD:

- Pryse sal later in die digitale uitgawe van Volksblad aangekondig word.
- Alle beurse en prysgeld word in 2026 oorbetal sodra die student aan die UV geregistreer het.
- Uit al die inskrywings word 25 semifinaliste aangewys wat elk die onderneming moet teken dat hulle wel in 2026 aan die UV gaan studeer.
- Uit die 25 semifinaliste word die 14 topfinaliste gekies wat aan die eindronde gaan deelneem.
- Geen reiskoste na en van Bloemfontein word betaal nie
- Verblyf vir finaliste en ouers word gratis voorsien. Alle maaltye word vir finaliste voorsien, terwyl ouers enkele maaltye self moet voorsien.

Die wenner se pryse is:

- Prysgeld van die borge Koviesie Alumni-Trust, Mazars, Absa and Pick and Pay Preller Walk, word in 2026 in jou Absa-rekening inbetaal.
- Beurse van UV Studentewerwingsdienste
- Eindronde en geskenke – waarde R15 000

Die 13 naaswenner se pryse:

- Prysgeld van die borge Koviesie Alumni-Trust, Mazars, Absa and Pick and Pay Preller Walk, word in 2026 in jou Absa-rekening inbetaal.
- Beurse van UV Studentewerwingsdienste
- Eindronde en geskenke – waarde R15 000

Twee spesiale pryse van R5 000 elk word geborg deur die Koviesie Alumni-Trust en sal vir 'n uitstaande prestasie op die gebied van leierskap, of akademiese, of sport of kultuur toegeken word.

Die 11 semifinaliste se pryse is:

- Prysgeld van Koviesie Alumni Trust betaal in jou Absa rekening in 2026
- Beursgeld van UV Studente Bemaking

Matriculant of the Year Competition 2025: Please complete in detail

Name and surname:

Noemnaam en van: _____

Your cell number | Jou selnommer: _____ ID

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E-mail address | E-pos adres: _____

Your school (name and city/town)

Jou skool (naam en stad/dorp): _____

Intended field of study: first choice

Voorgenome studierigting: eerste keuse:

Second choice: Tweede keuse:

Student Number | Studentenommer:

(Please enquire at | Doen navraag by: +27 51 401 9864)

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Residence/Hostel | Koshuis:

OFFICIAL USE | AMPTELIKE GEBRUIK

Matrikulant van die Jaar-kompetisie 2025: Voltooi asseblief volledig

Parents/guardian | Ouers/voogde

Parent/guardian responsible for communication with UFS

Ouer/Voog verantwoordelik vir skakeling met die UV

Name and surname

Noemnaam en van: _____

☐ Mother

☐ Father

☐ Guardian

Cell | sel: _____

Tel (w): _____

Email | E-pos: _____

Alternative Parent/Guardian / Alternatiewe Ouer/Voog

Name and surname

Noemnaam en van: _____

☐ Mother

☐ Father

☐ Guardian

Cell | sel: _____

Tel (w): _____

Email | E-pos: _____

THE PRINCIPAL MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:
DIE SKOOLHOOF VOLTOOI ASB ONDERSTAANDE:

Title, Name of principal | Titel, noemnaam van skoolhoof

Principal e-mail | Skoolhoof e-pos

School tel | Skool tel:

School e-mail | Skool e-pos

Number of pupils in grade 8 to grade 12

Leerlingtal in skool van graad 8 tot graad 12 _____

Principal's declaration that the above information is true and correct
Skoolhoof bevestig dat alle inligting waar en juis is

Signature: principal | Handtekening: Skoolhoof

School stamp Skoolstempel:

Your school photo in colour

will be published in the newspaper. Please make sure it is clear . **NO** Computer prints please – it is not printable in the newspaper.

Jou skoolfoto in kleur

word in die koerant gepubliseer. Maak asb seker dat jy 'n baie duidelike skoolfoto stuur. **GEEN** Rekenaarafdrukke nie asb. – dit is nie publiseerbaar nie.

1. Please paste a clear postcard size school photo here with cellotape.

Remember to write your name, surname and address on the back.

Plak asseblief een duidelike poskaartfoto liggies met kleeflint hier vas.

Onthou om jou naam, van en adres agterop te skryf.

Size | Grootte: 100mm(w) x 150mm (h)

Also attach photo digitally in large jpeg format.

Heg ook foto digitaal in groot jpeg-formaat aan.

1. CULTURAL – only from grade 10 – grade 12

Please distinguish between your achievements acquired in which grade. Specify your highest achievements and level of participation: school, regional, provincial, national, international.

Debate, public speaking, choir, eisteddfods, orchestra, piano (specify Unisa/Royal schools) and other music, Voortrekkers, cadettes, school newspaper, Land service, acting and drama.

NB: Please attach relevant correspondence/letters/certificates or other documentary proof of provincial and national achievements.

Grade 11: eg. Winner of school's public speaking /debate; compete at inter schools; etc

Graad 11: bv. redenaars: wen op skoolvlak; dring deur na streekuitdun

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2. SPORT – only from grade 10 – grade 12

Please distinguish between your best achievements acquired. Specify your highest achievements and level of participation: school, regional, provincial, national, international. Please indicate if your sport is not a school activity.

Hockey, rugby, netball, tennis, shooting, ballet, dance, athletics, cross-country running, swimming, biathlon, squash, cricket, "jukskei", golf, karate, cycling, judo, chess, drum majorettes, referee, coaching, first aid, time keeper, score keeper, gymnastics, lifesaving, tug of war, baseball, badminton, volleyball, basketball, soccer, Midmar mile, Argus cycling tour.

NB: Please attach relevant correspondence/letters/certificates or other documentary proof of provincial and national achievements.

Grade 11: e.g. netball u/17 team, selected for Southern Free State competed at SA nationals u /17.

Graad 11: bv. netbal 0/17-span, ingesluit in Suid-Vrystaat-span; neem deel aan SA toernooi.

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1. KULTUUR – slegs vanaf graad 10 – graad 12

Onderskei asseblief tussen watter prestasies in watter graad behaal is. Spesifiseer jou beste/hogste prestasies, en vlak van deelname, bv. streek, provinsiaal, nasionaal of internasionaal.

Debat, redenaars, koor, revue, kunswedstryde, eisteddfod, orkeste, klavier (spesifiseer Unisa, Royal Schools, ens) en ander musiek, Voortrekkers, kadette, skoolkoerant, landsdiens, drama en toneel.

NB: Heg asb stawende korrespondensie/briewe/bewyse/sertifikate van provinsiale en nasionale prestasies aan.

2. SPORT – slegs vanaf graad 10 – graad 12

Spesifiseer jou deelname en jou beste prestasie in alle aktiwiteite ten opsigte van skoolvlak / streekvlak / provinsiale vlak / nasionale vlak en internasionale vlak. Dui aan indien die sportsoort buite skoolverband gedoen word.

Hokkie, rugby, netbal, tennis, skiet, ballet, danse, atletiek, landloop, swem, tweekamp, muurbal, krieket, jukskei, gholf, karate, fietsry, judo, skaak, trompoppies, skeidsregters, afripter, noodhulp, tydhouer, gimnastiek, lewensredding, toutrek, sagtebal, vlugbal, basketbal, pluimbal, sokker, Midmar-myl, Argus-fietswedren.

NB: Heg asb stawende korrespondensie/briewe/bewyse/sertifikate van provinsiale en nasionale prestasies aan.

3. LEADERSHIP – only grade 10 – grade 12

Please distinguish between your achievements acquired in grade 11 and 12. Specify your highest achievements and level of participation: school, regional, provincial, national, international.

Leadership Leierskap	Grade Graad	Specify Spesifiseer
Headboy/headgirl Hoofseun/hoofmeisie		
Deputy headgirl/ headboy Onderhoofseun/onderhoofmeisie		
Prefect /RCL Prefek /VRL		
Hostel Koshuis		
Captain of sport team(s) specify the kind of sport and team		
Kaptein van sportspanne (spesifiseer asseblief die sportsoort en span)		
Editor/chairperson/committee member of cultural activity / specify activity		
Redakteur/voorsitter/komiteelid van kultuuraktiwiteit en spesifiseer die aktiwiteit		
Other leadership positions Ander leiersposisies		

4. OTHER (NOT sport, culture, leadership).

Specify your highest achievements and level of participation:
school, regional, provincial, national, international and in which
grade you participated.

Grade 11: E.g. Olympiads, Expos, community involvement, exchange students

Graad 11: Bv. Olimpiades, Ekspo's, gemeenschapsbetrokkenheid, uitruiIstudente

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5. ACADEMIC

CHECKLIST:

Please include your certified results of:		Sluit jou gesertifiseerde rapporte in:
1. December grade 11		1. Desember graad 11
2. March grade 12		2. Maart graad 12
3. June grade 12 – e-mail as soon as it is available to Linda Greyling greylinl@ufs.ac.za to reach us before Friday 1 August 2025 or your entry will be disqualified.		3. Junie graad 12 – e-pos so gou moontlik na Linda Greyling greylinl@ufs.ac.za om ons voor Vrydag 1 Augustus 2025 te bereik, andersins is u inskrywing gediskwalifiseer.

3. LEIERSKAP – slegs graad 10 – graad 12

Onderskei asseblief tussen leiersposisies wat in graad 11 en matriek beklee is, asook leiersposisies op skool-, streek-, provinsiale, nasionale en internasionale vlak.

4. ANDER (NIE sport, cultuur of leiderschap NIE).

Spesifiseer jou beste / hoogste prestasie en vlak van deelname, bv. skool-, streek-, provinsiale, nasionale en internasionale vlak en in watter graad jy was.

5. AKADEMIE

KONTROLELYS:

Sluit jou gesertifiseerde rapporte in:

1. Desember graad 11
2. Maart graad 12
3. Junie graad 12 – e-pos so gou moontlik na Linda Greyling greylinl@ufs.ac.za om ons voor Vrydag 1 Augustus 2025 te bereik, andersins is u inskrywing gediskwalifiseer.

I DECLARE THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT

EK VERKLAAR DAT BOGENOEMDE BESONDERHEDE WAAR EN JUIS IS

Signature: Parent/guardian | Handtekening: Ouer/voog

Signature: Candidate | Handtekening: Kandidaat