

THE NYERI NATIONAL POLYTECHNIC

Supporting Innovation in the Technical Vocational Education Sector: Towards Productivity and Competiveness (SITVES) Project

Scholarship application Form-Dairy Processing Course

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for choosing to improve your skills in dairy processing under NNP-SITVES Project. Before completing the form, please read the instructions carefully.

- i. Application form must be completed in full and submitted to Nyeri National Polytechnic by **COB 30th April 2021**
- ii. Only complete applications will be considered
- iii. Admission in the project is based on a competitive selection process
- iv. During interview, you will be expected to have the following:-
 - Completed application form
 - Original ID
 - Original certificate of your highest level of education

NB: Scholarship form may be downloaded from the Nyeri National Polytechnic website <https://thenyeripoly.ac.ke> then pay KES 1500 non-refundable fee upon submission.

Section A: Scholarship Eligibility

- i. Must be a Kenyan
- ii. Possess KCSE certificate
- iii. Must fulfill the criteria and be within one of the two categories:-
 - Employee/apprentice in milk value chain (milk collection, milk processing, and milk sale outlets) but have no formal training in the area
 - A budding entrepreneur/business owner in milk value chain (milk collection, milk processing, milk sale outlets) but have no formal training in the area
- iv. Commit to undergo Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR). This will lead to credit transfer in areas where competency is demonstrated.
- v. Commit to attend all training sessions equivalent to the competency chosen
- vi. Youth and women are encouraged to apply

Section B: Bio Data

Full name of Applicant		Attach passport size photo here
Sex (Male/Female)		
Date of Birth		
ID Number		
Personal phone No		
Alternative phone No		
PO Box		

Email address		
Why do you want to acquire skills in milk value chain?		

Section C: Competency Selection

The list below outlines the competencies that shall be considered in the awarding of scholarship. Please note that you are free to acquire skills in one unit of competency at a time.

S/NO	Unit of Competency	Duration (Months)	Tick Unit chosen
1.	Procure raw milk	2	
2.	Process fluid milk	1	
3.	Production of fermented milk products	3	
4.	Process cheese	3	
5.	Process fat based milk products	1	
6.	Process concentrated milk products	3	
7.	Control quality of milk products.	4	
8.	Package and sale of milk products	2	
9.	Cleaning and sanitation of dairy equipment and premises	2	
10.	Manage dairy value chain enterprises	1	

Indicate your preferred mode of training

- i. Full time (all days)
- ii. Part time (evenings/weekend)

Section D: Category Selection

Entrepreneur/Business owner	Evidence
Business must be in existence and operational at the time of application	
Must have a verifiable business location	
Business must be operating legally	

Employee/Apprentice	Evidence
Must have worked in the milk value chain for the last 6-12 months	
Must be affiliated to a registered dairy enterprise	
Applicant must be/or have been performing tasks in the competency applied for	

