

MEDIA STATEMENT



SABC EDUCATION LAUNCHES THE 2021 MATRIC RESULTS SERVICES

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[SABC Education](#) in partnership with the Department of Basic Education (DBE) is launching its Matric Results service which runs from 19 January until 28 February 2022. The Minister of Basic Education will release the senior certificate results on Thursday, 20th January 2022 and the candidates' results on Friday, 21st January 2022.

The [SABC Education](#) Matric Results service will release the results to all students across all Provinces who have registered using the SMS, USSD and MatricsMate App at mid-night on the day of the release.

Learners should register with their exam number on the platform of their choice to access their results.

To register on the mobile services to receive your 2021 Matric Results:

SMS

- SMS your exam number to **45856**
- The system verifies the Exam number; your exam number must be correct in order to be accepted.
- Learners will be charged R1-50 per SMS, free SMS's do not apply

USSD

- Dial ***120*45856#** enter exam number to register
- You will be charged R1-50 per minute
- Results will be sent to your phone once they are available

MATRICSMATE APP

- Download for free from Google Play and Apple App Stores

Should the learners have queries relating to registration and the use of the SABC Education Matric Results service, they can contact call centre on **011 507 4755**, Monday to Friday from 8am to 5pm. However, on the day of the release, the call center will operate from Midnight to 5pm.

In addition, SABC education, will launch a campaign called #MatricCentric, with a sub tagline of #Classof21. The campaign aims to not congratulate the class of 2021 provide information required for matriculants to navigate life after high school, and provide support to those who will need to resit their Matric exams.

The #MatricCentric campaign will see a series of 3 LIVE videos/audio chats being formulated on our social media platforms as we speak to Matriculants about their next step after Matric.

For further details on the SABC Education Matric Results services, contact Raymond Moruku, at morukurk@sabc.co.za or visit www.sabceducation.co.za.

Embargo on the publication of results:

The 2021 National Senior Certificate (NSC) examination results will be released at the different schools at 08:00 on Friday, 21 January 2022. These results will be made available to the media on Thursday 20 January 2022, at 07:00. The publication of results will be embargoed until 06:00 on Friday 21 January 2022 for all PEDs results, except in the case of the Western Cape.

The Western Cape data will be released to the media on Friday, 21 January 2022 at 12:00. The publication of results will be embargoed until 16:00 on Friday.

NB: Bursaries are available from **NSFAS** for any course of study. Contact **NSFAS** on 08600 **NSFAS** (0860067327), e-mail info@nsfas.org.za or visit www.nsfas.org.za.

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