

Get Qualified – updated 29.05.23

An initiative that supports the personal development of individuals for the achievement of qualifications and certifications required by industry.

SCOPE

The incentive is applicable to individuals following a course of studies leading to a certification, diploma, degree or post-graduate degree courses. Upon successful completion the student will benefit from a tax credit enabling them to recover part of the costs incurred.

Students following courses approved by the Ministry for Education and Employment are granted tax credits on the following costs:

- fees paid by the individual to the university, institution or other entity recognized by the Ministry for Education and Employment for the training and educational services leading to the approved qualification.
- fees for sitting for examinations required to achieve the approved qualification.

CHOICE OF TRAINING

A qualification shall be considered eligible if approved as level 3 or higher on the Malta Qualification Framework (MQF) grading structure.

Further information may be found in section 4.1 of the guidelines. In case of specialised training which is not MQF level rated, the training will be evaluated on a case by case basis. The qualification or certification is to be granted on merit that is verified through a form of assessment that is specific to that qualification or certification

PROCEDURES

In order to benefit from tax credits in-line with the scheme guidelines, students need to follow the below procedure for application:

- 1. Students may opt to register themselves by accessing the portal by clicking here.
- 2. Once registered, students will receive a username and password enabling them to access the online system, submit and manage their application. Following registration, students are reminded that they are still required to submit their application, in line with the <u>Incentive Guidelines</u>.

GRANT COMPUTATION

The maximum value of tax credits will be of 70% of the eligible costs and capped as per below:

MQF Level Qualification	Tax Credit Capping
3 (Vocational Certificates/Diplomas/Qualification)	€1,500
4 (Vocational Certificates/Diplomas/Qualification)	€2,500
5 (Undergraduate Diploma)	€3,500
6 (Bachelor Degree)	€12,500
7 (Post-graduate Degree, Diploma or Certificate)	€15,000
8 (Doctorate)	€25,000
Other Courses (specialized courses which are non MQF level-rated)	€2,000

FURTHER INFORMATION

FAQs

Further information on the scheme, as well as information and guidance on the filling in of the application form may be obtained by contacting the GET QUALIFIED Office during office hours.

For further information or assistance, please contact Freephone 153.

Website: https://www.maltaenterprise.com/support/get-qualified-2017-2023