What is Universal Access to Quality Tertiary Education Act or Republic Act No. 10931?

This law made it possible for students to pursue quality college education without paying tuition and other school fees in 112 State Universities and Colleges (SUCs) and 78 CHED-recognized Local Universities and Colleges (LUCs). It also allows students to enroll in technical-vocational education and training (TVET) programs in public training institutions for free.

It also provides financial aid to students from the poorest of the poor households as well as loan programs for students who need additional finances to support their tertiary education.

What are the four programs of RA 10931?

- Free Higher Education
- Free Technical-Vocational Education and Training
- Tertiary Education Subsidy
- Student Loan Program



Who is implementing RA 10931?

The Unified Student Financial Assistance System for Tertiary Education or UniFAST is the government agency in charge of implementing the Universal Access to Quality Tertiary Education Act (RA 10931).

The UniFAST was created in 2015 by virtue of RA 10687 as a system to unify existing government student financial assistance programs for Tertiary Education in the Philippines.

The UniFAST will ensure that deserving Filipinos are given equitable access to educational opportunities.





What you need to know about the Universal Access to Quality Tertiary Education Act or Republic Act 10931

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