

### **2021 GRADUATION NOTICE**

#### **DATE AND VENUE**

- All Graduands are hereby advised that the 2021 Graduation Ceremony is imminent. The actual graduation date shall be announced as soon as it is known.
- The ceremony will be held at the University's Main Campus in Lupane.
- All graduands who are graduating in person are supposed to be seated by 0900 hours. Graduands who arrive late will not be allowed into the Graduation Venue.

NB: Due to the COVID-19 protocols and regulations as outlined by the government, only those graduands with First Class and Distinctions with Awards in the Masters, Special Honours and Undergraduate degrees would be allowed to attend the face-to-face ceremony. The rest of the graduands will graduate virtually but are required to pay the graduation fees.

### **REHEARSALS**

It is compulsory for those who are graduating in person to attend the rehearsals. Rehearsals shall be held a day before the *Graduation Ceremony* at the Faculty of Agricultural Sciences Building Car Park - Main Campus, Lupane at 1400 hours.

### **GRADUANDS AND GUESTS INVITATION CARDS**

- Not *more than one guest* shall be allowed.
- Graduands will collect their invitation cards from the Admissions and Students Records Office upon production of the graduation fees
  proof of payment.

### **GRADUATION FEES AND OUTSTANDING TUITION FEES**

- Graduands with outstanding tuition fees are advised to clear their balances with the Bursar's Office **well before the graduation day.** The Graduation Fee is twenty United States Dollars (**US\$20**) payable at the prevailing RTGS auction floor rate on the day of payment. Payment of the Graduation Fee is compulsory to all Graduands (that is, whether they are graduating in person or virtually).
- Graduands are further advised that the Graduation Fees will only be accepted from those who do not have outstanding tuition fees balances.
- Please take note that the Graduation Fees are payable at the Bursar's Office (swiping & ECOCASH facilities are available) or direct deposit into the following University Bank Accounts:-

AFC Commercial Bank - RTGS Account No.: 151000027888 Account Name: Lupane State University
CBZ Bank - RTGS Account No.: 01222477650019 Account Name: Lupane State University
Stanbic Bank - US\$ Account No.: 9140001435212 Account Name: Lupane State University

 Where payment is done through RTGS/direct deposit, graduands are required to submit copies of their receipts to Student Accounts for clearance and issuance of receipts.

# TRANSPORT FEE

All graduands who are graduating in person should pay a transport fee of **US\$10** (payable at the prevailing RTGS auction floor rate on the day of payment).

## **GRADUATION REGALIA**

- All graduands are expected to be smartly dressed (dark suits with a white shirt and a dark tie for men and white top and dark skirt/trousers or dark dress for the ladies).
- Graduands must be in possession of the correct Academic Regalia (gown, appropriate hood and cap) for their respective Faculties. Those with inappropriate Academic Regalia will be excluded from the graduation proceedings.

# **APPROVED GRADUATION REGALIA SUPPLIERS**

Graduation regalia can be obtained from the following approved University suppliers.

## BULAWAYO

Zoe Manufacturers Shop No. 1, Hot Bread Complex 12th Avenue/Fife Street Tel: +263 988 761/0292 68187 +263 717 468 694

#### GWERU

Zoe Manufacturers Reflections Florists Kingstones Building 5<sup>th</sup> Street Tel: +263 717 468 694

## BULAWAYO

Kings Headgear Investments Shop 9B Railway Avenue Tel: +263 712 706 398 +263 773 691 071

# **MASVINGO**

Zoe Manufacturers 3 Bradburn Street J. Tongogara/Hughes Street Tel: +263 772 304 738 +263 717 468 694

### BULAWAYO

Zilch Investments No. 8 Trust House Fort Street Btwn 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> Avenues +263 778 642 664

#### HARARE

Zoe Manufacturers Suite 27, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Khan House L. Takawira/Albion Street Tel: +263 717 468 694 +263 772 235 752

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