

2026 2JIAJIRI SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM (TO BE COMPLETED IN BLOCK LETTERS)

Dear Applicant,

We are excited that you are applying for the 2Jiajiri Programme. Before completing the application form, please read the information below carefully.

KCB Foundation in partnership with **Homa Bay County** is offering scholarships for Vocational Training for 2026 in **Building & Construction, Automotive Engineering, Beauty and Personal Care and Domestic Services**. The scholarships will be available in various schools across the County

Fill out the application form as clearly and as completely as possible. Only complete applications will be considered and admission into the Programme is based on a competitive selection process. During the interview, candidates will be expected to come with completed application forms with passport size photo attached together with copies of their National Identity card and certificate of their highest academic qualification. The candidates will also be expected to present originals of the above documents. Failure to produce these documents will lead to automatic disqualification.

SECTION A: GENERAL INFORMATION ON 2JIAJIRI

2Jiajiri is an enterprise development and wealth creation Programme of the KCB Foundation. The objective of the Programme is to create and support new and existing enterprises in the informal sector through vocational training, business development services and market linkages. The intention of the Programme is that the increasing expansion and formalization of enterprises will create employment opportunities. The Programme focuses on the following sectors:

1. Agribusiness
2. Automotive Engineering
3. Beauty and Personal Care
4. Building and Construction
5. Domestic Service

SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION CRITERIA

Eligibility: To qualify for 2Jiajiri scholarships applicants must fulfill the criteria below:

- Have a National Identity Card
- Possess the ability to read and write in Kiswahili and/or English
- Commit to attend all training sessions in participating technical training institutions/vocational training centers in their county of residence
- Be within one of the three categories (Skillers, Business Owner, Apprentice)

NOTE

- *Applicants will be given equal opportunity and shall not be discriminated against based on disability, gender, regional, religious, and ethnic background.*
- *Please contact the respective school of your interest for detailed information.*

SECTION B: BIO DATA Please note that any false information will lead to automatic disqualification at any point

Attach a passport photo here	Full name of applicant:		
	Sex (Male/Female):	Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy):	ID Number:
	PWD Status :		
	County of Residence:	Sub County:	Ward:
	Email Address:	P.O. Box: _____	
	Mobile Contact:	Alternative Contact Number _____	
Name of next of Kin		Mobile Number	

How did you find out about the scholarship?

KCB Branch ☐ County of Homa Bay ☐ Radio ☐ TV ☐ KCB Foundation website ☐ social media ☐ Others (Please specify)

SECTION C: COURSE SELECTION

The following table outlines the upskilling courses/trades that shall be considered in awarding the scholarships. Please note that courses considered for the scholarship should not exceed **12 months of study**.

Agribusiness	Vegetable Production and Aquaculture, Horticulture Farm Management, Poultry Farm Management, Dairy Farm Management
Automotive Engineering	Electronic Mechanics, Motor Vehicle Electrician, Motor Vehicle Mechanic, Panel Beater, Plant Mechanic, Spray Painter, and Upholstery
Beauty and Personal Care	Beauty Therapy, Hair dressing, Tailoring and Dressmaking
Building and Construction	Arc Welder, Cabinet Maker, Carpentry and Joinery, Electrical Fitter, Electrical Wireman, Gas Welder, General Fitter, Masonry, Molder, Painter Decorator, Plumber, Pipe Fitter, Polisher, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning, Sheet Metal, Sign Writer, Solar Photovoltaic, Tiling, Woodcarver and Wood Machinist
Domestic Services	Food & Beverage, Housekeeping and Laundry, baking

Please indicate **TWO** courses in order of preference in the table below based on the list of participating technical training institutions/vocational training centers provided.

NO	COURSE ON OFFER	NAME OF TRAINING INSTITUTE
1.		
2.		

SECTION D: CATEGORY WHICH YOU FALL UNDER

BUSINESS OWNER	APPRENTICE	SKILLERS
a. The business must be existing at the time of this application and operational for a minimum period of 6 months. b. The business must be within the 5 pillars of 2jiajiri. (Agribusiness, Automotive Engineering, Beauty & Personal Care, Building & Construction and Domestic services) c. Age limit 25 - 34 years. d. Applicant must have a verifiable business location. e. Applicant must provide business records/evidence to prove operational existence e.g., business permits.	a. Applicant must have worked under a supervisor for the past 6 to 12 months, performing aspects of the skill they are applying the scholarship for. b. The practice must be within the 5 pillars of 2jiajiri. (Agribusiness, Automotive Engineering, Beauty & Personal Care, Building & Construction and Domestic services). c. Age limit 18 - 34 years. d. Physical location/address of the business of the supervisor/referees.	a. Applicant does not need to have any prior experience in the skill they are applying for. b. Age limit 18 – 34 years

Tick the category you fall under (*Tick One Only*)

Business Owner ☐
Apprentice ☐
Skillers ☐

FOR BUSINESS OWNERS AND APPRENTICES, ANSWER PART A OR B BELOW WITH THE MOST ACCURATE INFORMATION. (You can only fill one category)

A. BUSINESS OWNERS

Name of business _____

Location of Business? (County, Town, Village, Plot, Building and Street) _____

Period the business has been in operation _____

Is the business registered? YES ☐ NO ☐

Nature of Business E.g., Garage, Kiosk, Salon, etc. _____

B. APPRENTICES

Are you currently working/ undertaking apprenticeship/training? YES ☐ NO ☐

If YES, state location of employment / business (County, Town, Village, Plot, Building and Street)

Name and contact of current employer/supervisor _____

Nature of employment/ business _____

If NO, state details of any previous work/ apprenticeship/training experience i.e. Location of employment/

business (County, Town, Village, Plot, Building and Street) _____

Name and contact of previous employer/supervisor _____

Nature of employment / business _____

SECTION E: JUSTIFICATION FOR BEING AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP- THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED

Please provide an explanation of why you deserve this scholarship *Note
that this section should **ONLY be completed BY THE APPLICANT**

What are your expectations of the 2Jiajiri Programme?

SECTION F: APPLICANT DECLARATION I Certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief

Signed by the Applicant:

Name (As it appears on your National ID Card): _____

ID Number: _____

Signature of the Applicant: _____ Date: _____

LIST OF PARTICIPATING INSTITUTIONS & COURSES

NO	INSTITUTIONS	SUB COUNTY	WARD	COURSES
1	Homa Bay Vocational Training Center	Homa Bay	Homa Bay Central	Masonry Motor Vehicle Mechanics Carpentry Plumbing
2	Sero Vocational Training Center	Homa Bay	Homa Bay Central	Hairdressing Electrical Fashion Food & Beverage Welding
3	Jwelu Vocational Training Center	Kabondo Kasipul	Kabondo West	Masonry Electrical Fashion & Design Hairdressing
4	Omiro Vocational Training Center	Kabondo Kasipul	Kokwanyo/Kakelo	Welding Electrical Carpentry Fashion & design
5	Kanyaluo Vocational Training Center	Karachuonyo North	Kanyaluo	Masonry Electrical Fashion & design
6	Paul Mboya Vocational Training Center	Karachuonyo North	Central Karachuonyo	Masonry Motor Vehicle Mechanics Electrical Fashion & design Hairdressing
7	Kosele Vocational Training Center	Kasipul	Central Kasipul	Masonry Electrical Fashion & Design Hairdressing
8	Nyang'iola Vocational Training Center	Kasipul	West Kasipul	Masonry Electrical Food & Beverage Fashion Hairdressing
9	Lambwe Vocational Training Center	Mbita	Lambwe	Masonry Electrical Fashion & Design Hairdressing

10	Mfangano Vocational Training Center	Mbita	Mfangano	Welding Masonry Fashion & Design Hairdressing
11	Wakiaga Vocational Training Center	Mbita	Rusinga Island	Masonry Electrical Fashion Hairdressing
12	Waondo Vocational Training Center	Mbita	Gembe	Welding Masonry, MVM Food & Beverage Fashion
13	Kabuoch Vocational Training Center	Ndhiwa	North Kabuoch	Masonry Fashion & Design Hairdressing Carpentry
14	Langi Vocational Training Center	Ndhiwa	Kanyamwa Kologi	Masonry Fashion & Design
15	Mboga Vocational Training Center	Ndhiwa	Kanyadoto	Masonry Motor Vehicle Mechanics Fashion
16	Ndiru Vocational Training Center	Rangwe	Kagan	Motor Vehicle Mechanics Electrical Fashion Hairdressing Carpentry
17	Nyagwethe Vocational Training Center	Suba South	Gwasi North	Welding Masonry Electrical Fashion Carpentry
18	Sindo Vocational Training Center	Suba South	Kaksingri West	Masonry Food & Beverage Fashion & Design Hairdressing