

2017/2018 SESSION FEES PAYMENT GUIDE FOR FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

1. The University is aware of some unscrupulous elements spreading false information advising new students to travel down to the OAU Campus at Ile-Ife, Osun State to make their payments using fees collection agents. Any such persons or agents should be reported to the central security post on campus.
2. **BEWARE OF FRAUDSTERS!!! OBAFEMI AWOLOWO UNIVERSITY, ILE-IFE DOES NOT EMPLOY AGENTS OR ANY THIRD PARTY FOR THE COLLECTION OR PROCESSING OF FEES. ENSURE THAT ALL FEES PAYMENT ARE MADE ONLY ON THE UNIVERSITY STUDENT PORTAL.**
3. Candidates who made Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife their first choice and took part in the 2017 Obafemi Awolowo University Post UTME screening exercise can now check their admission status for the 2017/2018 academic year via the “**Check Admission Status**” link (<http://eportal.oauife.edu.ng/admissions.php>) on the University’s E-PORTAL site as from 22nd February, 2018.
4. Once the admission is ascertained, such candidate should to log on to University **eportal** using their UTME Registration Number as “Username” and surname as “Password” and follow the instructions for payments and registration as laid out.
5. **Confirmation of admission on the OAU student portal shall commence with the payment of a non-refundable acceptance fee of ₦20,000.00 (fresh students only). Payment commences on 22nd February, 2018. FRESH students have until March 12 2018 to accept the admission offer.**
6. **New students are to note that Fees Payment (Acceptance, School Fees, etc.,) must be initiated on the Student Information Portal (<http://eportal.oauife.edu.ng>) ONLY, after which payment can be made either on-line using ATM/Debit cards or physically at any commercial bank branch using the REMITA code generated on the eportal.**
7. Candidates should then proceed to select payment activity and then choose the **Type of Payment** (Acceptance, Main Charges, Accommodation....) and indicate **Mode of Payment** (Bank Branch / Transfer / Master Card i.e. ATM) in order to link the payment to **REMITA**. If Bank Branch is selected, download **RRR** (Remita Retrieval Reference) and use it to pay by cash in any **BANK OF YOUR CHOICE** that accepts cash payment to **REMITA**. If either **TRANSFER** or **MASTER CARD** is chosen, supply the additional information to effect the payment. Please, note that you can access the University e-portal anywhere to effect your payment in any branch of the Banks nearest to you effective **22nd February, 2018**.
8. **Candidates should note that ONLY payments that are “successful” on the REMITA platform are deemed actually PAID. Successful payments can be confirmed on the E-Portal (<http://eportal.oauife.edu.ng>) via the following steps after login:**
 - a. **Select [Payment Activities], Chose [View Payment Status], Verify that the status of the payment represented by the appropriate RRR number shows “successful”.**
9. Candidates making ONLINE payments using DEBIT cards should please note that due to Internet/Network Provider service congestion, confirmation of payment might be delayed. Consequently, patience should be exercised in order to avoid multiple payments and account deductions.