

STUDENT FUNDING HIGHER EDUCATION FUNDING QUICKGUIDE



This quick guide shows at a glance what Higher Education (HE) Funding is available and who can apply.

Funding for HNC/D level courses is subject to certain qualifying criteria as defined by the Student Awards Agency for Scotland (SAAS). This includes residency requirements, parental/spouse income and any previous funding received.

Further information is available on the SAAS website at www.saas.gov.uk.
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HIGHER EDUCATION (HE)

Funding Quick Guide for HNC / HND Courses **This quick guide shows types of funding and who can apply**

Type of Course	Fees Paid	Student Loan Full-time	Lone Parent Grant /Lone Parent Childcare Grant	Independent Student Bursary	Part-time Fee Grant	Young Students Bursary	HE Discretionary Fund (DF) Childcare Fund (CF)
Student Part-time	☑ ●●				☑		DF
Student under 25 - ● parentally supported Full-time	☑ ●●●	☑				☑	DF
Student over 25 (or under 25 and self supporting) Full-time	☑ ●●●	☑		☑			DF
Student lone parent - above compulsory school leaving age (16+) Full-time	☑ ●●●	☑	☑	☑			DF CF
Married/co-habiting/civil partnership under 25 with children Full-time	☑ ●●●	☑		☑			DF CF
Married/co-habiting/civil partnership over 25 with children Full-time	☑ ●●●	☑		☑			DF CF

● A parentally supported student is one who is under 25 and lives with parent(s) /parent and partner

●● Fees will only be paid if eligible for a fee waiver For further details please contact our Finance Team on 01563 523501 Ext 8549

●●● Applicable if no previous fee support received. If you have previously received tuition fee support from SAAS you may need to pay fees for further courses

Note To apply for the Part Time Fee Grant, contact SAAS for an application form / you can download application forms at www.saas.gov.uk

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