

Adult Financial Support 2017/18

ELIGIBILITY	
<p>Age</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 19 and over on 31st August 2017 • 19 and over on 31st August 2017 but eligible for the Advanced Learner Loan • 19 and over on 31st August 2017 but on an apprenticeship programme • 19 but less than 20 on 31st August 2017 and continuing the 2nd year of a course you started in the previous academic year • 19 and over and in receipt of an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)? 	<p>Yes</p> <p>No</p> <p>No</p> <p>No</p> <p>Yes</p>
<p>Studying</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A fully funded ESFA course or co-funded by the European Social Fund (ESF) • An otherwise publicly funded course leading up to and including level 3 • A 16-19 traineeship programme • An apprenticeship programme or waged training programme • A course mandated by the Jobcentre Plus • A distance learning programme? 	<p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>No</p> <p>No</p> <p>No</p>
<p>Residency</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ordinarily resident in the UK, EU/EEA for the last three years before the start of the learning programme • Children of refugees with humanitarian protection (HP), in receipt of (or the spouse, civil partner or child of someone in receipt of) discretionary leave (DL) and exceptional leave to enter or remain (ELE/ELR) • Moved to live in the UK, EU or EEA within the last 3 years before the start of the course • Non EEA / Oversea student in the UK on a Tier 4 student VISA? • Non EEA family members of persons in the UK on a Tier 4 student visa <p>Note: Students who have lived outside this area or have gaps in there residency during the last 3 years may not be eligible for</p> <p><u>Asylum Seekers</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lived in the UK for 6 month or longer pending the outcome of the Home Office • In care of the local authority and receiving support under section 23C/23CA of the Children Act 1989 or section 21 of the National Assistance Act 1948 support. Further information may be required. • Granted support under section 4 of the Immigration & Asylum Act 1999 	<p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>No</p> <p>No</p> <p>No</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p>

<u>Family Members</u>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Family members of EEA nationals who have been ordinarily resident in the EEA for at least the previous three years before the start of their course 	Yes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Family members of EEA nationals who <u>have not</u> been ordinarily resident in the EEA for the last three year but the “family member” is an EU or UK citizen who has been resident in the EEA for the last three years 	Yes

BURSARY CATEGORIES	ELIGIBLE
<p>Travel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Less than 3 miles from any of the College campuses where you study? More than 3 miles from any of the College campuses where you study? <p><u>Bedford College Travel Bursaries</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> More than 3 miles and within Bedford bus route zones More than 3 miles and within the Bedfordshire bus route zones or beyond Shuttleworth College Bus Pass 	<p>No</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>£350/year £450/year £450/year</p>
<p>Course Costs (including Professional Membership) and Trips</p> <p>19 and over</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Household income less than £16,190 Household income greater than £16,190 but less than £26,000 Household income greater than £26,000 <p>19 and over and in receipt of (or applied for) the ALL*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Household income less than £16,190 Household income between £16,190 and £26,000 Household income greater than £26,000 <p>Course costs and/ or trips will only be funded for second year students where specified as required. All course materials and equipment are usually purchased in the first year of the course.</p> <p>*ALL – Advanced Learner Loans</p>	<p>50% costs 50% costs No</p> <p>No No No</p>
<p>Tuition</p> <p>19 and over</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In receipt of Income Support, JSA or ESA WRAG Mandated to training through the Jobcentre Plus In waged employment and total household income is less than 	<p>Free Free 50%</p>

<p>£26,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In waged employment and total household income is more than £26,000 <p>19-23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Studying towards you first level 2 or level 3 qualification 	<p>No</p> <p>Free</p>
<p>Residential</p> <p>19 and over</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Household income less than £16,190 Household income between £16,190 and £26,000 Household income greater than £26,000 	<p>£883/term</p> <p>£664/term</p> <p>No</p>