# Bursaries and scholarships - what are your students entitled to?

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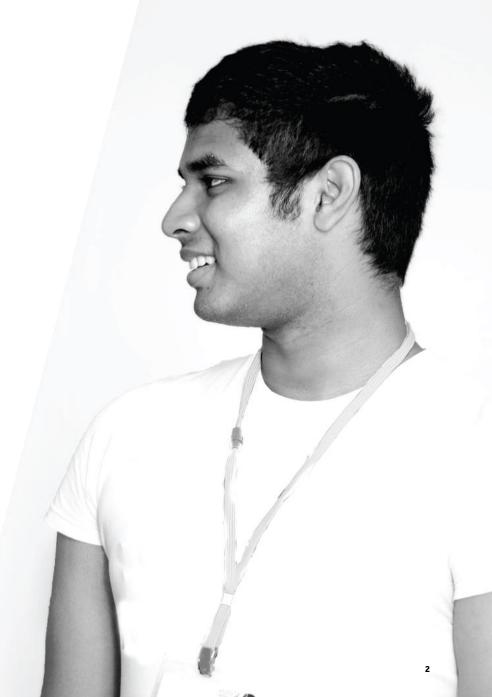




## Coming up...

- Overview of the cost of study
- Bursaries and entitlement
- Scholarships, eligibility and application
- Next steps





## Cost of study

- Tuition fees
- Living costs
- Variety of funding strands for covering these costs:
  - Self funding
  - Loans
  - Financial Support from the university





## Use of terms bursary and scholarship

- Bursary
  - Guaranteed award if student is eligible
  - Usually fairly small amount
- Scholarship
  - Competitive application process so award not guaranteed
  - Usually much larger amounts, might cover tuition fees, living costs or both





### Bursary

#### Common features:

• Used as a driver for access and widening participation

Often tied to household income

• May not require a separate application if the student is applying for a means tested maintenance loan





## **Scholarships**

Payments made to support students' education, awarded on the basis of a merit, personal achievement or academic ability.

#### Examples:

- Academic Excellence
- Sports
- Music / Choral
- International
- Travel
- Bespoke





### Application process

Applying for scholarships and bursaries can vary. Scholarships' application process varies considerably between institutions.

#### Things to consider:

- Eligibility criteria
- Deadlines
- Amount awarded
- Terms and conditions
- Stewardships and extra opportunities





# Where to find funding and next steps

- University websites
- Online search tools
- Employers
- Charities and Trusts

Encourage students to do their research and to start early!

- Open days
- Virtual events
- Career fairs





# Questions?





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Durham University / University of Edinburgh / University of Exeter / University of Glasgow / Imperial College London

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