



Frequently asked questions

How do I apply for the Alumni Bursary?

If you are a former student of the University of Leeds you may be eligible for a 10% alumni tuition fee bursary. If you think you are eligible you need to email the relevant School or admissions contact for the course you have applied for. For PhD applicants please contact the relevant Graduate School or Postgraduate Research Secretary. In the email you will need to provide information regarding your former studies, the course you have applied for and how you are funded for your tuition fees. For more information please see http://www.leeds.ac.uk/info/130541/university_scholarships_and_funding/88/alumni_bursary

Do you offer any funding for PGCE courses?

The Postgraduate Scholarships Office does not offer any funding for students undertaking PGCE courses. We recommend that you contact the School of Education or visit their website <http://www.education.leeds.ac.uk/prospective/pgce/programme.php>

I wish to come to the University of Leeds as an exchange student. Do you have any funding available that I could apply for?

The Postgraduate Scholarships Office does not offer any funding for exchange programme students, however, we recommend that you visit the Study Abroad Office website for details of their Travel Awards <http://www.leeds.ac.uk/studyabroad/>

Is there any funding available for disabled students?

The Postgraduate Scholarships Office does not have any funding specifically for disabled students, all of our scholarship awards are made on the basis of academic merit. We recommend that you visit the following website for the Snowdon Trust: <http://www.snowdontrust.org/grants/>

The Snowdon Trust provides grants of up to £3,000 for disabled students of all nationalities. Please note the aim of the Scheme is to provide funds that help cover the **additional** costs of being disabled and a student in further and higher education, or a person in training. The Award Scheme will not therefore **usually** meet expenses that have to be borne by all students, such as tuition fees or standard living and accommodation costs.

Please also see the University of Leeds Equality Service website for useful information: <http://www.equality.leeds.ac.uk/for-students/disability/>

I am intending to study at a different university. Can you offer me any funding?

The University of Leeds only offers funding to students studying at this institution.

I am an international student. Are there any other organisations apart from the University that I can apply to for funding?

The British Council administers a variety of scholarships and awards to help international students from certain countries study in the UK. Please refer to their website for details: <http://www.educationuk.org/UK/Article/GB1262438125716>.

The Association of Commonwealth Universities administers Chevening Scholarships <http://www.chevening.org/>. If you are from a Commonwealth country you can also contact the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission for details of their scholarships. Please see <http://cscuk.dfid.gov.uk/> for more information.

A number of Chevening Partnership awards co-funded by (Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) and the University of Leeds) are also available.