

Your guide to student finance

2026-27 Figures

Tuition fees

Don't be fazed by fees

You don't need to have this money up front – it is paid directly to the university from the government as a tuition fee loan.



**Tuition fees per year
for most courses
and universities**

£9790

Living Costs

A maintenance loan is also available to help with your day-to-day living costs. It's paid straight into your bank account.

These are the typical maximum and minimum amounts you can expect to receive per academic year. The exact amount will vary depending on your household income and personal circumstances. The maximum and minimum amounts are higher for students who are eligible for benefits.

	Maximum Amount	Minimum Amount
Parental home	£9,118	£4,013
Living away from home (studying outside of London)	£10,830	£5,048
Living away from home (studying in London)	£14,135	£7,039



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UEA University of
East Anglia
Norwich

Working out your monthly repayments

The repayment threshold is £25,000*, meaning you will not start paying off your student loan until you are earning over this amount. You pay back 9% of what you earn over the repayment threshold.

So, how much will you be paying back each month?

Let's suppose you earn £30,000...

$$£30,000 - £25,000 = £5,000$$

$$£5,000 \div 12 = £417$$

$$£417 \times 0.09 = \mathbf{£38} \text{ monthly repayment}$$

Interest %

You'll be charged interest from when you first take out your loan, until it's been repaid in full or cancelled.

For 2026 entry, the interest rate is based on the Retail Price Index (RPI), which is a measure of inflation.

It measures changes to the cost of living in the UK.



Find detailed information on repaying your student loan at www.gov.uk/repaying-your-student-loan

* Frozen until 2027

UEA Scholarships



Music scholarships

Value: £3,000 (£1,000 per year)

Aimed at those who show exceptional musical achievement and commitment, this award will help students to develop their musical skills and contribute to music at UEA.



Sports scholarships

Value: up to £1,500 per year

Our sports scholarships offer both financial and specialist support services to help you perform at your peak. Applications are welcomed for all sports, with each case being reviewed against our performance criteria.



The Difference Scholarship

Value: £15,000 (£5,000 per year)

If you're applying to UEA and have an annual household income of less than £30,000 you may be eligible for our Difference Scholarship.



For more information on all our scholarships, including details on eligibility and how to apply, visit www.uea.ac.uk/scholarships

UEA Bursaries

Eligibility	Amount
Household income less than £20,000	£1,600 per year (up to 4 years)
Care leavers and estranged students	£3,000 per year (up to 4 years)

*For more information and full eligibility details, visit www.uea.ac.uk/study/bursaries

About this leaflet

We have taken great care in compiling the information contained in this leaflet, which we believe to be accurate at the time of going to print. Figures stated relate to first-time undergraduate degrees for most students paying UK (Home) fees. For the most up-to-date information call Student Finance England on **0300 100 0607** or visit www.gov.uk/student-finance

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