



### Information for Applicants: Please read before completing this application:

#### Eligibility

This is a means tested bursary and your circumstances will be assessed when you apply for the bursary; at the time of your application, you should provide the same information as is now required for rent reviews, ie. social welfare receipts, bank statements and payslips and a P60 for those in employment. If your rent review has been submitted in the past 3 months, we will be able to use the information provided in that; please note this in your application form.

Please note that the *bursary cannot be awarded to tenants who have arrears on their rent account.* You should have had a clear rent account for a minimum of 3 months before your application can be accepted.

#### What the bursary covers

For eligible students, the grant is there to help with the various costs that might be associated with attending the course, including registration/course/exam fees, books/materials, transport and childcare. The receipts should be made available at the time of applying for the bursary.

#### Criteria

Any post-secondary school course, run by a recognised educational institution, will be considered, however, the course should be beneficial to the career development and future employment of the tenant.

#### Application

The application should be made within 3 months of the start of the course. A tenant may avail of the bursary for up to 3 times. The amount available is decided\* on an individual basis, but is up to €500 maximum, per academic year.

If you think you may be eligible for the bursary, you should make the application as soon as possible. Your eligibility can only be confirmed once the full application has been submitted.

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# **APPLICATION FORM: EDUCATION COSTS**

## PERSONAL DETAILS

NAME:
ADDRESS:
PHONE NO.:
NO. OF YEARS TENANT/CHILD OF TENANT:
<b>INCOME:</b> - ALL INCOME MUST BE NOTED AND PROOF OF SAME PROIVDED
WAGES:
SOCIAL WELFARE:
SUPPLEMENTARY WELFARE ALLOWANCE:
MAINTENANCE:
OTHER(S):
INCOME OF SPOUSE/PARTNER:
NO. OF DEPENDENT CHILDREN:
OUTGOINGS: PROOF OF ALL OUTGOINGS TO BE ATTACHED TO APPLICATION
RENT:
CHILDCARE:
OTHER(S)

DETAII	LS OF COURSE FOR WHICH ASSISTANCE IS BEING SOUGHT:
Course	e Title:
College	e/Institution:
Course	Duration:
Curren	t year of course:
Course	e start date:
Why a	re you interested in undertaking this course?
Course	e Fee/Expenses:
Per Yea	
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Fundin	g From Other Sources:



HOW WILL THE COURSE RELATE TO YOUR INVOLVEMENT AS A TENANT WITH N & E HOUSING ASSOCIATION AND/OR YOUR CURRENT OR FUTURE EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS:

#### **DECLARATION:**

I confirm that I have given full and complete information in this application with regard to my income, other sources of funding for this course and I understand that I have to supply written evidence of income, course offer, course fee and outcome of applications for other sources of funding to North & East Housing Association before a decision will be reached on this application.

I confirm that I will furnish results on successful completion of examination.

I confirm that, once funded, if I fail to attend the course, the amount funded must be repaid.

Signed:	Date:	
HOUSING OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:		
I have held a discussion with I fully support and recommend this application:	about this application.	
Signed:	Date:	
DECISION OF BOARD:		