



University of East London Short Course Bursary 2018/19

Terms & Conditions

What is the University of East London (UEL) Short Course Bursary?

1. The Short Bursary, is an umbrella term for the following bursaries, comprising of a total award of £200 for students with 'Home' student status. The award will be credited to your UEL student account.
 - New Beginnings
 - Introduction to Law and Criminology

The bursary is subject to an application process and is open to all applicants who meet the criteria below:

2. Students will only be able to apply for an award if they meet all of the following criteria:
 - Students studying a taster module of between 10% and 50% of a full-time course, and who have no previous experience of Higher Education.
 - Higher Education includes: Undergraduate degrees, Postgraduate degrees, Higher National Diplomas/Certificates (HND/HNC), Diplomas in Higher Education (Dip HEs), Certificates in Higher Education (Cert EDs), Foundation Degrees and Integrated Masters Degrees. You will be classed as having previous experience of Higher Education even if: You only attended for 1 day, you didn't apply for funding or you studied overseas.
 - Fee assessed as a Home student. EU students are fee assessed as Home students if they can prove they have lived in the UK for at least 5 years prior to 01/01/2019 (if your UG course starts in January 2019) or 01/09/2019 (if your UG course starts in September 2019).
 - Students are eligible for the New Beginnings bursary if they receive one of the benefits listed below in the qualifying criteria.



- Application forms and associated proofs must be submitted within the specified deadline.

3. Qualifying Criteria:

To qualify for the Short Course Bursary, students must meet at least one of the following financial criteria:

- Gross Income (before tax) below £18,200 (£26,000 with partner)

Or receive one of the following qualifying benefits:

- Income Related Employment Support Allowance (ESA)
- Income Based Jobseekers' Allowance (not Contribution based)
- Income Support
- Housing Benefit/ Local Housing Allowance
- Council Tax Benefit
- Universal Credit
- Working Tax Credit
- Subsistence from your Local Authority (Care Leavers Only)

If you do not meet the above criteria, please do not apply. Your application will not be considered.

4. An application form is available online. Applications will be assessed internally by a relevant member of staff. All decisions are final.
5. UEL will notify successful applicants of the provisional outcome within two weeks of the deadline for applications. The bursary will only be confirmed once an unconditional offer has been issued by our admissions team. All communications will be sent via email.
6. The Bursary will be credited to their tuition fees account and should be used in the year awarded.



7. UEL reserves the right to verify applications and request additional evidence.
8. The UEL Fees Policy can be found on our website at www.uel.ac.uk
9. A complaint is normally a specific concern related to a procedural error, irregularity, or maladministration in admissions procedures or policies. If you are dissatisfied with any aspect of the administration of your bursary, please contact us in the first instance so that an informal resolution can be sought. This may be done in writing by emailing study@uel.ac.uk