



Post-offer Visit Day Event Bursary



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You may be able to claim an Event Bursary of up to a maximum of £200 per undergraduate offer holder for travel and accommodation costs associated with attendance at one of our Post-offer Visit Days. We will include the information and link to the application form in your booking confirmation so keep a look out!

Claiming couldn't be easier. Firstly you need to fill in the Event Bursary <u>Application form</u> and upload your evidence.

We will assess your evidence before you arrive and let you know if you have been successful.

All you then need to do is visit our Event Bursary Claim Desk, on your visit day, located in the Teaching and Learning Centre (Map Ref 50:D6), between 9:30 am and 4:00 pm, and speak with a staff member.

You must register at the Event Bursary Claim Desk on the day to confirm your attendance at the event.

In order to claim you will need to provide the following when you apply:

• Evidence that shows you are in receipt of government-funded and income-assessed financial support from your college or sixth form such as a 16-19 bursary or free school meals.

AND

• Evidence that shows you are a student at a state-maintained school/college*.

or

 Evidence which shows you are care experienced and/or estranged (CEES).**

or

• Evidence that shows you are studying at an independent school and in receipt of a full scholarship awarded on the grounds of financial hardship.

or

- Have successfully completed one of the following Access and Participation schemes with Durham University:
 - STFP
 - Sutton Trust Summer School
 - Supported Progression.
- * includes Academy and Grammar school sixth forms.

** 'CEES' refers to anyone who is care experienced and/or estranged. 'Care experienced' means anyone who has been, or is currently, in care. This care may have been provided in many different settings, including living with foster carers; living in a residential children's home; being looked after at home under a supervision order; living with friends or relatives in kinship care. 'Estranged' students are those aged 18-24 who are not communicating with either of their biological or adoptive parents due to an irreconcilable breakdown in their relationships with them.

Please note receipt of child benefit for the offer holder is not sufficient evidence. Unfortunately we are unable to make payments retrospectively.





