

Essex Pathways Bursary 2021-22

The University is offering a bursary of up to £1,500 for students who achieve a 1st or 2.1 degree in year 0 and progress to year 1 at the University of Essex.

Terms and conditions

Eligibility

To be eligible you must meet **all** of the following conditions:

- Be in year 0 of studies at the University of Essex 2020-21
- Achieve a 1st or 2.1 in year 0 of your studies
- Register for your first year of study for a full-time undergraduate degree course¹ starting in October 2021

Students who are not eligible

The following students are not eligible for this award regardless of meeting the above criteria:

- Students who transfer in from year 0 from another HE institution
- Students studying online distance learning courses

How to apply

There is no application process; bursaries will be automatically paid according to the details below.

Payment arrangements

The bursary is worth up to £1,500 for the first year of study only. Students who achieve a 1st in year 0 will receive £1,500. Student who achieve a 2.1 in year 0 will receive £1,000.

Payment will be made in two instalments, normally in February and May. Students must be registered for full-time study in order to receive payment (see bursary suspension below). Please note that if our records show that you are in debt to the University when an award payment is due to be made, the payment will be offset against your student account in the first instance and you will be entitled to receive any balance.

Can I hold this with other awards?

This bursary may be held in conjunction with other University awards.

Bursary suspension

The bursary will be suspended during a period of approved leave of absence (intermission) where this period covers a whole or part of an academic year, and may be reinstated on your return to full-time study subject to the conditions above. On your return to study you will be entitled to the balance of the bursary for the stage. There will be no payment for repeat periods of study in any circumstances.

¹ Courses leading to the award of a Bachelor's Degree, Integrated Masters (four years)

Scholarship termination

If you withdraw from your studies, or are required to withdraw, no further payments will be made. Your bursary will be terminated if you cease to be registered as a student with the University, or for good cause at the discretion of the Dean of the student's Faculty, or his/her nominee for this purpose.

Resolution of disputes

Acceptance of the bursary constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions. Registered students should contact the [Funding Team](#) in the first instance for guidance regarding this award. In cases not covered by the above terms and conditions, or where a student claims exceptional circumstances, or disputes a decision not to make payments due under a scholarship or bursary, final appeals on decisions regarding eligibility must be made via the [Student Complaints process](#). The Academic Registrar or his/her nominee will review the case and his/her decision will be final.

NOTE: *These terms and conditions apply to Essex Pathways Scholarships awarded to students for the academic year 2021-22. The University of Essex reserves the right to update these terms and conditions as necessary.*