
NTU Opportunity Bursary Terms and Conditions for students joining NTU before 1st September 2024

1. Introduction

- 1.1 Nottingham Trent University offers financial support, in the form of non-repayable bursaries to full-time undergraduate students.
- 1.2 These Terms and Conditions apply to full-time undergraduate students who are eligible to receive the NTU Opportunity Bursary by virtue of their entitlement to the £750 NTU Bursary*.
- 1.3 The NTU Opportunity Bursary is given in the form of a non-repayable cash award of £165, which is paid in addition to the £750 NTU Bursary*.
- 1.4 Starting in the 2023/24 academic year, eligible students will receive the NTU Opportunity Bursary for each academic year of their course, provided that in each year they are eligible to receive the £750 NTU Bursary*.
- 1.5 The NTU Opportunity Bursary will not be backdated to cover any years prior to the 2023/24 academic year.

2. Application process and notification of NTU Opportunity Bursary entitlement

- 2.1 There is no application process for the NTU Opportunity Bursary, it will be awarded to eligible students at the same time as the £750 NTU Bursary*.

3. Assessment timings

- 3.1 Eligibility for the NTU Opportunity Bursary can only be established when the University has confirmed eligibility for the £750 NTU Bursary*.
- 3.2. In line with the assessment of eligibility for the £750 NTU Bursary*, no NTU Opportunity Bursary for a specific academic year will take place after 31 July of that academic year, irrespective of any subsequent change in a student's circumstances.

* Eligibility for the [NTU Bursary](https://www.ntu.ac.uk/ntu-conditions) (and in turn the NTU Opportunity Bursary) can be checked by visiting www.ntu.ac.uk/ntu-conditions and selecting the NTU Bursary terms and conditions document for the year in which a student joined NTU.

4. Payment of the £165 NTU Opportunity Bursary

- 4.1 The NTU Opportunity Bursary payable to a student for an academic year will be paid in one single instalment at the end of January. Eligible students will receive a notification letter each academic year, advising of the date of payment.
- 4.2 The NTU Opportunity Bursary will be paid directly into the student's bank account. It will be made by the Student Loans Company, on behalf of the University, using the account details supplied by the student to the Student Loans Company.

5. Payments in subsequent years

- 5.1 Students who meet the relevant [terms and conditions](#) to receive the £750 NTU Bursary in any subsequent year, will also receive the NTU Opportunity Bursary in that year.

6. Retrospective adjustments

- 6.1 If a student's £750 NTU Bursary* is revised or revoked in line with the relevant [NTU Bursary Terms and Conditions](#), the NTU Opportunity Bursary will also be revoked.

7. Miscellaneous provisions

- 7.1 Students must inform the University immediately of any change in their circumstances which may affect their entitlement to receive an NTU Bursary. In the event of a failure by the student to notify the University promptly of any such changes, the University will be entitled to recover or adjust (as appropriate) any associated Bursary cash payment.
- 7.2 The University is committed to the responsible handling and protection of personal information. Please see the University's [Student Privacy Notice](#).

Appendix 1: NTU Opportunity Bursary increase from 1st September 2024

From 2024/25 academic year, the level of the level of the [NTU Opportunity Bursary](#) for full-time students will increase to £170 per year.

Appendix 2: NTU Opportunity Bursary for Part-Time students from 1st September 2024

Starting in the 2024/25 academic year, for each year a part-time student is awarded an NTU Bursary of £375, they will also be awarded an additional [£85 NTU Opportunity Bursary](#).

For more information about eligibility for the NTU Bursary for part-time students, visit www.ntu.ac.uk/ntu-conditions and select the NTU Bursary terms and conditions document for the year which a student joined NTU.

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