

University Centre Colchester Bursaries 2017/18

University Centre Colchester Further Education Progression (FEP) Bursary

The University Centre Colchester Further Education Bursary is new for 2017/18 and is in addition to any other loans or grants that students might receive. From 2017/18 new fulltime students commencing on a University Centre Colchester course who have successfully completed a full level three qualification with Colchester Institute in 2016/17 are eligible for a £1,500 progression bursary (pro rata payment for part time students).

The progression bursary which is linked to continuing attendance and success on programme will be awarded for each year of study for a maximum of three years.

To apply for the Further Education Progression Bursary you must meet the following criteria:

- Have successfully passed a 'full' level three qualification with Colchester Institute in 2016/17
- Register for a Bachelors or Foundation degree, Cert HE or Dip HE at University Centre Colchester with first enrolment in 2017/18;
- Be enrolling for the first year of your higher education study at University Centre Colchester;
- Apply to University Centre Colchester as an undergraduate.
- Apply to Student Finance England for student finance.

You are **not** eligible for the Further Education Progression Bursary regardless of meeting the above criteria if you are:

- A student directly continuing from one course to another (for example from a foundation degree on to the final year of your honours degree);
- A student transferring to University Centre Colchester on any year of study other than year one from another institution;
- A student undertaking a postgraduate qualification;
- Any student whose fees are paid or part-paid through a sponsorship arrangement or is in receipt of a fee waiver/discount.

University Centre Colchester Support Bursary

Students who meet the criteria for the Further Education Progression Bursary with the exception of studying with Colchester Institute in 2016/17 will be eligible for the University Centre Colchester Support Bursary where the final bursary amount equates to £1,000.

For further details regarding criteria please see above.

Students will not be eligible for the University Centre Colchester support Bursary if they are also in receipt of the Further Education Progression Bursary.

How to Apply

Eligibility will be checked automatically when enrolling onto programmes in Autumn 2017. Eligible students will be contacted directly during their first month of study.