



Prior Pursglove College

Application for Financial Support 2025/26

To qualify you must:

Be aged 16 or over and under 19 on 31 August 2025 and meet the DfE's residency criteria and Prior Pursglove College must be your main education provider.

If you are 19 or older you may be eligible if you are continuing a course, you began aged 16-18 or if you have an EHCP. If none of these apply, please contact the College directly about possible alternative Financial Support options.

Bursary funds and awards are subject to sufficient funds being available and are not guaranteed. There is a possibility of no award or limited award dependant on your actual need. Applications will be assessed, and students will be advised individually of assistance available to them by email to their college email account.

PART A – to be filled in by the student

Surname	<input type="text"/>	First Name	<input type="text"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>		
	<input type="text"/>	Post Code	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth	<input type="text"/>		
Age on 31 st Aug 2025	<input type="text"/>		

Have you lived in the UK for the last 3 years? *If no, please provide proof of residency status*

Yes

No

Do you support yourself financially/live independently?

Yes

No

Are you currently in care, a care leaver, or have you ever been?

Yes

No

Did you previously receive Free School Meals? (Year 11 leavers only)

Yes

No

Are you a parent who has responsibility for a child?

Yes

No

Please indicate who you live with

Parents/Carers

Other

Are you an unaccompanied Asylum Seeker?

Yes

No

Do you have significant caring responsibilities at home?

Yes

No

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Transport – PLEASE ONLY SELECT ONE

Do you use/plan to use one of the College buses only?

Yes

No

Do you use/plan to use public transport?

Yes

No

Do you use/plan to use other Transport, E.g. Travel by car

Yes

No

Do you have a disability which prevents you from walking 2 miles?

Yes

No

If you live 2 miles or less from College, travel support cannot be given.

Which Assistance are you applying for? Please tick ALL those that apply

1: Discretionary subsistence bursary (weekly payment)

2: Vulnerable bursary (weekly payment)

3: Transport bursary (monthly payment)

4: Digital Access bursary (data only sim pack – subject to availability)

5: Free meals

6: Child Care Costs- previously Care 2 Learn (paid direct to childcare provider)

7: T-level costs including transport to placements, PPE, specialist equipment

8: Other college related costs inc UCAS fees, trips, books and equipment (ad hoc)

(please note for T Level costs and additional ad hoc assistance a request form should be completed as and when costs are identified, along with copy receipts)

Student Bank Account

IMPORTANT: In order for your application to be processed, you MUST have a bank or building society account in your OWN NAME to enable payments to be made.

Name on Account

Name of bank/building society

Sort code- 6 digits

Account number- 8 digits

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PART B – to be filled in by the parent(s) or carer(s) if applicable:

	Yes	No
Does the young person live with you at the address shown?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you claim any of the following (please tick as appropriate)		
Universal Credit or Income Support	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Employment & Support Allowance (Income related) or Personal Independence Payments	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Free School Meals (year 11 leavers only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Working Tax Credit	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Child Tax Credit	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Job Seekers Allowance (Income Based)	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Pension Credits (Minimum Guarantee Credit)	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Foster Carers Allowance	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Other benefits	<input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Please specify other benefits:		

Please give gross earned household annual income, excluding income from benefits:

Adult 1

Adult 2

If you are a foster carer only include the foster carer allowance not your earned income

If no earned income, please put £0.00

You must attach evidence of the relevant benefit.

For example, the **THREE** most recent **Universal Credit** monthly award statements (showing name, address and breakdown of benefits and take-home pay) or a **Tax Credit Award notice (for the current year showing total household income for 2024/25 or benefits received and issued within the last 6 months detailing entitlement to Working Tax Credits/Child Tax Credits)**.

You must attach evidence of earned income. For example, a **P60 for 2024/25** or a full/complete **SA302** if Self-employed.

APPLICATIONS CANNOT BE PROCESSED WITHOUT EVIDENCE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME

Evidence of the above must be provided in order for your application to be processed. For students applying for a vulnerable bursary please see finance staff for details of exact evidence required. If you have any other further information to support your bursary application, please attach to this form.

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Part C: To be read and signed by student and parent/carer

Confidentiality: Applications are only seen by staff involved in the delivery of Learner Financial Support. Occasionally it may be necessary for additional supporting information to be sought from other College staff in order for a decision to be made.

General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR): The data requested on this form and any other supporting information will be used solely for the purposes related to your application for financial support. The data you provide will not be passed to any other third party without your prior consent, except where the College is required to do so by law. The College is funded by the Department for Education (DfE). If required to do so through audit, the College will allow the DfE to see the information you have provided to us. Please note that the College must protect the public funds it handles and so may use information you have provided on this form to prevent and detect fraud.

I have read and understood how the personal information collected in this application process will be used.

I declare that the evidence provided is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I agree to supply any further information needed to verify these statements and to inform the Finance Department of any alteration to them.

I understand that giving false or incomplete information that leads to incorrect/overpayment may result in future payments being stopped and any incorrectly paid funds being recovered and may result in a referral to the police with the possibility of student and/or family being prosecuted.

If found necessary to reduce the value of the award payable I agree to refund any overpayment which may have occurred.

I have read the financial support 2025/26 leaflet and am aware that bursary funds must be spent on expenses which enable me to participate in education and that receipt of bursary funding is subject to meeting attendance conditions.

Signature of student	
Signature of parent/guardian	
Date	

PART D – COLLEGE USE ONLY

Application ready for finance assessment:	Application approved:
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Subsistence Bursary	Vulnerable Bursary	Transport Bursary	Digital Access Bursary	Other costs	T-Level Costs	Free Meals	Care2Learn Or Childcare Support

Household income/ Benefits evidenced:	Total £ _____ / year
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