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Re: Student Finance Applications – now live

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

If your son/daughter has applied to university, I wanted to alert you to the fact that the government's 'Student Finance' website is now live for you to apply for:

- tuition fees loans
- maintenance fee loans

This relates to full-time students who intend to start university this coming Autumn. You are strongly advised to apply by May. We recommend all students (even those who are considering university as a 'PLAN B') apply for student finance. Please [click here](#) to apply for student finance.

Please note in the past year, there have been a number of changes to the terms and conditions of student loans, in particular the salary levels at which students pay back the loan. For more support:

- Student Finance England has a dedicated Youtube channel with lots of short videos which cover many of the key questions you may have – [click here](#)
- A 'Information guide' has been produced by the government – [click here](#)

If you wish to research the topic yourself, then I would recommend the following sources of information:

- UCAS website – section on student finance – [click here](#)

We will be completing some work with students in form time after Easter and all students will receive their own copy of The Money Charity's 'Student Money Manual 2024'.

Also, can I recommend that you look at the following excellent website:

<https://www.which.co.uk/money/university-and-student-finance/student-money-and-budgeting>

If we can do any more to support your son/daughter in the remaining weeks, please do not hesitate to let us know.

Yours sincerely

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