



# **Tuition Fees**

## **Academic**

### **Year 2024/5**

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# USING THIS BOOKLET

## Guidance

This booklet is designed to provide clear and transparent guidance regarding 2024/5 tuition fees. Every reasonable effort is made to ensure that the information provided in this booklet is accurate but no guarantees for the currency or accuracy of information can be made.

Links to external websites and references to external guidance and policy documents are provided for information. However, the University takes no responsibility for the currency or accuracy of these links, references, and associated content.

Please note that students should confirm fees via [Ask WLV](#)

## Fee Status

There are five main categories of fee status: **HOME, EU, ELQ, ISLAND**, or **OVERSEAS**. All applicants are assessed on an individual basis to determine the applicable fee status. See **PART 3** for further details.

The fee status can, in part, define the availability and level of financial support available during the period of study.

The tables in this booklet refer to two fee categories: **Home** and **Overseas**. Students with a fee status of **HOME, EU, ELQ** or **ISLAND** are liable to pay the **Home** fee and students with a fee status of **OVERSEAS** will pay the **Overseas** fee.

From 2021/22 [new eligibility rules for home fee status and student finance](#) apply.

## Location of Study

The fees outlined in **PART 1** of this booklet apply to students undertaking a course at a **university** campus.

The fees outlined in **PART 2** of this booklet apply to students undertaking a university course with a **Partner College**.

## Fee Types

For tuition fees there are two types of fees.

**STANDARD** fees apply to the majority of OfS (Office for Students) fundable courses. They also apply to a range of courses funded by other sources.

Standard fees are outlined in **PARTS 1** and **2** of this booklet.

**NON-STANDARD** fees are applied to specific courses. For more guidance on Non-Standard fees please see **PART 3** of this booklet.

## General Guidance Notes

Guidance notes and links to further information are provided in **PART 4**.



# 1a

University based  
Full-time  
Undergraduate  
courses

## 1a. Undergraduate Full-time course fees

### 1.1 All Bachelor Degree's including: -

- Bachelor Degree's with Sandwich placement year
- Bachelor Degree's with integrated Foundation year
- Bachelor Degree's with Integrated Masters
- Bachelor Degree's Accelerated 2 Years

2024/5	HOME	OVERSEAS
Standard 120 Credits per year	£9,250	£14,950
Lab based Courses per year	£9,250	£15,450
Accelerated – 2 years 180 credits per year (non-lab-based)	£11,100	£22,175
Accelerated – 2 years 180 credits per year (lab-based)	£11,100	£22,425

**Note:** Integrated Masters are FHEQ (Framework for Higher Education Qualifications) level 7 qualifications, however, for the purposes of determining ELQ status the MPharm is treated as a level 6 qualification. This is in line with the ELQ policy; see **PART 3 (Guidance Note A)** for further details.

### 1.2 Undergraduate Sub- Degrees

- Foundation Degree 2 years
- HND (Higher National Diploma) 2 years
- HNC (Higher National Certificate) 1 year
- Certificate in Education Post Compulsory Education
- Professional Graduate Certificate in Education

2024/5	HOME	OVERSEAS	OVERSEAS LAB BASED
Standard 120 Credits per year	£9,250	£14,950	£15,450

\***Note** the fees in tables 1.3 apply to the **Professional** Graduate Certificate in Education (FHEQ level 6). Fees applicable to the Postgraduate Certificate in Education (PGCE) (FHEQ level 7) are listed in 1.5

### 1.3 Sandwich courses (placement/study year out)

Entry pre-2022/3	HOME	OVERSEAS
One year placement in Employment	£1,200	£1200
Entry Post-2022/3	HOME	OVERSEAS
One year placement in Employment	£1,850	£1,850

\**Applicable at the point of undertaking the sandwich year out, usually year 3 or a 4-year programme.*



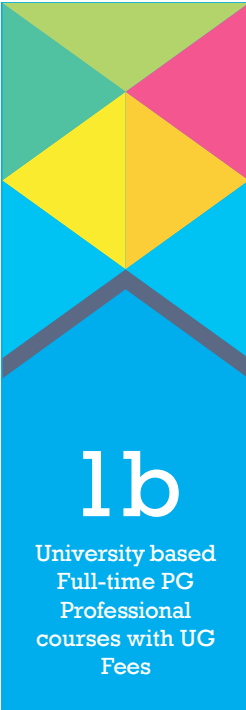
## 1.4 Overseas Study Year

Study at a partner university abroad, you won't pay any tuition fees to your host university. Instead, you will pay 15% of your tuition fees to Wolverhampton University during your year abroad.

2024/5	HOME
Erasmus and overseas study years	£1,385

If you study abroad for a term rather than a full academic year, you pay your normal tuition fees to Wolverhampton University, but you wouldn't pay tuition fees to the host university.

Please note that your host university may charge you other non-tuition fee costs. Full details of this will be on their webpages for exchange students.

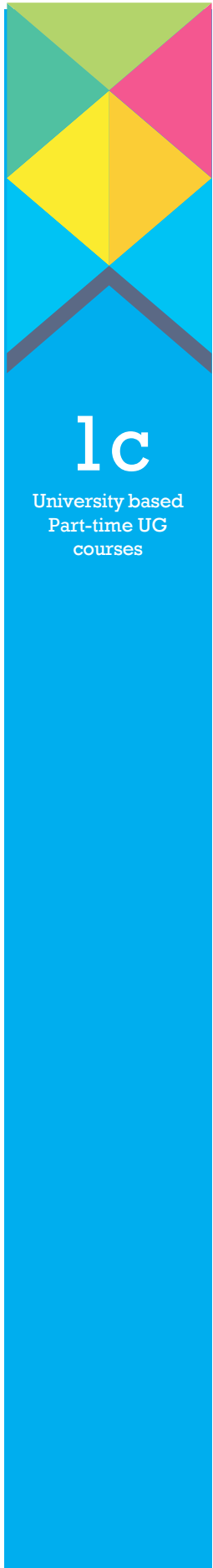


## 1b. Postgraduate courses eligible for undergraduate fees

### 1.5 Full-time Postgraduate Courses leading to a professional qualification

MArchitect  
 Post Graduate Certificate in Education - PGCE  
 Pre-registration postgraduate healthcare course

2024/5	HOME	OVERSEAS	OVERSEAS LAB BASED
Standard per year	£9,250	£14,950	£15,450



## Ic. Undergraduate Part-time courses

### I.6 Part-time courses (charge for 60 credits/0.5 FTE)

Fees for part-time students are charged pro-rata to the full-time fee and calculated on the number of credits taken per year. This is known as 'course intensity'. For example, if a full-time student was expected to study 120 credits per year and a part-time student studied 60 credits then their 'course intensity' would be 50%.

2024/5	Home Fees by Credit Value (rounded up to nearest £)		
CREDITS	HOME	OVERSEAS	OVERSEAS LAB BASED
90	£6,935	£11,213	£11,588
80	£6,166	£9,967	£10,300
<b>60</b>	<b>£4,625</b>	<b>£7,475</b>	<b>£7,725</b>
40	£3,083	£4,983	£5,150
30	£2,312	£3,738	£3,863
20	£1,542	£2,492	£2,575
15	£1,155	£1,869	£1,931
10	£771	£1,246	£1,288

*The Overseas fees are for information as the University does not normally offer Part-time programmes for Overseas students based in the UK (United Kingdom).*

### I.7 Part-time Undergraduate courses by Distance Learning (charge for 60 credits/0.5 FTE)

CREDITS	HOME & OVERSEAS
90	£6,935
80	£6,166
<b>60</b>	<b>£4,625</b>
40	£3,083
30	£2,312
20	£1,542
15	£1,155
10	£771



## Id. All Full-time Postgraduate Taught Courses (excluding Ic. PGCE, Pre-registration and MArch)

### I.8 Full-time Standard Postgraduate Taught Masters

The fees shown are for a 180-credit course - the equivalent of a full-time Masters, unless specified.

Courses that fall below this credit amount, such as full-time Postgraduate Certificates and Diplomas will be charged on a pro-rata basis, unless specified \*. This includes students studying the 180 credit Extended Masters courses.

2024/5	HOME	OVERSEAS	OVERSEAS LAB BASED	OVERSEAS EXTENDED	OVERSEAS LAB BASED EXTENDED
Tier 1	£8,815	£15,950	£16,450	£17,500	£18,000
Tier 2	£10,175	£15,950	£16,450	£17,500	£18,000
Tier 3	£11,836	£15,950	£16,450	£17,500	£18,000

### I.9 Full-time 200 Credit Taught Masters with Professional Practice

2024/5	HOME	OVERSEAS	OVERSEAS LAB BASED
Tier 1	£9,794	£16,950	£17,450
Tier 2	£11,295	£16,950	£17,450
Tier 3	£13,475	£16,950	£17,450

The tables above cover most Postgraduate Taught courses offered by the University.

### I.10 Exceptions to standard charges include: -

2024/5	HOME	OVERSEAS
MA Social Work - 2 years Full time	£5,775 p.a.	£12,400 p.a.





## I.e. Part-time postgraduate taught courses

### I.11 Part-time postgraduate taught courses

Part-time students will be charged 50% of the fee in each of the first 2 years (year 2 may be subject to an inflationary based increase).

For example:

- a student on 180 credits Masters course will be charged the equivalent of 90 credits per year
- a student on a 120 credit PG Diploma will be charged the equivalent of 60 credits per year

A student on a yearlong course (e.g., a 60 credit PG Cert or a 20-credit standalone module) will be charged the full course fees.

2024/5 HOME FEES			
CREDITS	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3
120	£5,877	£6,783	£7,891
100	£4,897	£5,653	£6,576
90	£4,408	£5,088	£5,918
80	£3,918	£4,522	£5,260
60	£2,938	£3,392	£3,945
40	£1,959	£2,261	£2,630
30	£1,469	£1,696	£1,973
20	£979	£1,131	£1,315
15	£735	£848	£986
10	£490	£565	£658

2024/5 INTERNATIONAL FEES				
CREDITS	OVERSEAS	LAB BASED	EXTENDED	EXTENDED LAB BASED
120	£10,633	£10,967	£10,500	£10,800
100	£8,861	£9,139	£8,750	£9,000
90	£7,975	£8,225	£7,875	£8,100
80	£7,089	£7,311	£7,000	£7,200
60	£5,317	£5,483	£5,250	£5,400
40	£3,544	£3,656	£3,500	£3,600
30	£2,658	£2,742	£2,625	£2,700
20	£1,772	£1,828	£1,750	£1,800
15	£1,329	£1,371	£1,313	£1,350
10	£886	£914	£875	£900

*The Overseas (O/S) fees are for information as the University does not normally offer Part-time programmes for Overseas students based in the UK (United Kingdom).*



## If. Research Degree

### I.12 Full -Time Postgraduate Research

Please note that in addition to the fees outlined in the table below students may be liable for other charges such as Research Support Fees (also known as 'bench fees'). The amount of such charges will be negotiated and agreed at the outset with the relevant staff.

Course	Category	2023/24	2024/25
Taught Postgraduate Research in the UK	Home	£4,712	£4,786
	Overseas	£15,450	£15,950
Research by Distance Learning	Overseas /International	£9,600	£9,600

Fees have been confirmed by UK Research and Innovation ([UKRI](#)) February 2024.

### I.13 Part-Time Postgraduate Research

Please note that in addition to the fees outlined in the table below students may be liable for other charges such as Research Support Fees (also known as 'bench fees'). The amount of such charges will be negotiated and agreed at the outset with the relevant staff.

As this is non modular the part time fees are 50% of full-time fees per annum

Course	Category	2023/24	2024/25
Taught Postgraduate Research in the UK	Home	£2,356	£2,393
	Overseas	£7,225	£7,975
Research by Distance Learning	Home	£2,356	£2,393
Research by Distance Learning	Overseas	£4,800	£4,800

### I.14 Other Research Fees

Category	Fees per year
Writing Up Fee (Write up period 12 months only)	£1,000
PhD by Published Work (Staff Only)	£1,000
Higher Doctorate	£1,000

## I.15 Professional Doctorates

Based on 540 credits, 180 each year Full-time.

2024/25	HOME	OVERSEAS	OVERSEAS LAB BASED
Tier 1	£8,815	£15,950	£16,450
Tier 2	£10,175	£15,950	£16,450
Tier 3	£11,836	£15,950	£16,450



## 2. UK Partner College Fees

Tables 2.1 and 2.2 outline fees that are applicable to specific Partner Colleges.

College	Course Type	Mode of delivery
Birmingham Metropolitan College	Cert Ed/PGCE	Part-time
Bournemouth and Poole College	Foundation Degree	Full-time & Part-time
	Bachelors	Part-time
City of Wolverhampton College	Foundation Degree	Full-time & Part-time
	Cert Ed/PGCE	Part-time
Cheshire College South and West	Bachelors	Full-time
Dudley College	Cert Ed/PGCE	Part-time
The London Early Years Foundation	Foundation Degree	Full-time & Part-time
	Bachelors (Top Up)	
Newcastle and Stafford College	Cert Ed/PGCE	Part-time
Sandwell College	Foundation Degree	Full-time & Part-time
	Cert Ed/PGCE	Part-time
South Staffordshire College	Foundation Degree	Full-time & Part-time
Telford College	Foundation Degree	Full-time & Part-time

### 2.1 Full-time Undergraduate courses

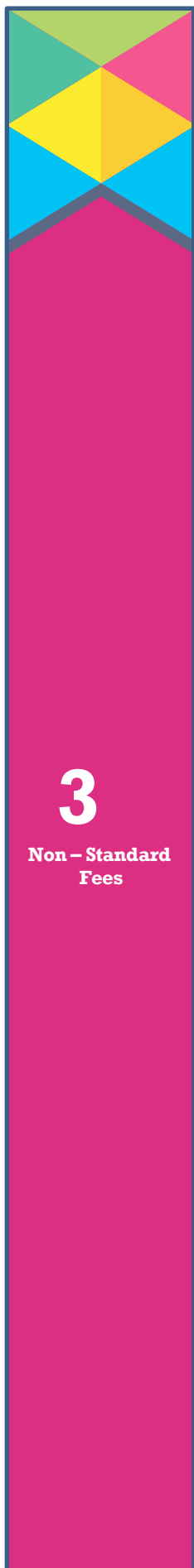
Where the University is responsible for fees, the full-time courses are all per annum.

Course Type	Home Fees
Foundation Degree	£6,165
Bachelors	£6,165
Bachelors (top up)	£6,165



## 2.2 Part-time Undergraduate courses (charges by credit)

Home Fees by Credit Value (rounded up to nearest £)				
Course Type	80	60	40	20
CERT Ed/PGCE	N/A	£3,050	£2,033	£1,017
Batchelors/FD	£4,110	£3,083	£2,055	£1,028



# 3

Non – Standard Fees

## 3. Non-standard credit bearing course fees

The University runs several courses for which non-standard tuition fees apply. Please note that students should confirm fees via our AskWLV service.

### 3.1 Department for Education (DFE) and Health Education England (HEE) contract fees

If advised that you are on an HEE or DFE contract course you should contact your School for guidance.

### 3.2 Wolves-Online

Masters Fees 2023/4		
Fee band	Amount	Credits
Band 1	£550	15
	£1,100	30
	£6,600	180
Band 2	£600	15
	£1,200	30
	£7,200	180
Band 3	£645	15
	£1,290	30
	£7,740	180

### 3.3 Continuing Professional Development (CPD) and Continuing Education (CE) – credit bearing provision

2024/5 CPD UG/PG Fees	
Credits	Amount
10	£500
15	£750
20	£999
30	£1,499
40	£1,998
60	£2,997



### 3.2 Lifelong Learning Capped by OfS maximum level applied

2024/5 Undergraduate 4-6	
Credits	Tier 1
30	£2,310



## GENERAL NOTES FOR GUIDANCE

### A. Equivalent or Lower Qualifications (ELQ) Policy

The Government no longer provides funding to universities for Home students who are studying for a higher education qualification that is equivalent to or at a lower level than one they have already achieved.

Students assessed as ELQ will be liable to pay the applicable Home fee. However, ELQ students should be aware that they will be ineligible for certain forms of financial support during the period of study.

There are several exemptions to this policy for which public funding will continue to be provided, including Foundation Degrees and for students who are in receipt of Disabled Students Allowance. **It is important to note that students are assessed annually on an individual basis.** As such ELQ tuition fees only apply to students who have been assessed by the University as ELQ.

Details about the policy can be found in Section 2b, paragraph 59, of 'Guide to funding 2020-21' which can be accessed from the [OfS](#) website.

Students liable to pay Overseas fees are unaffected by this policy.

### B. Categories of Fee Status

Students with a fee status of **HOME, EU, ELQ** or **ISLAND** are liable to pay the **Home** fee and students with a fee status of **OVERSEAS** will pay the **Overseas** fee. Which fee category a student is placed within is determined, in part, by reference to UK legislation including 'The Education (Student Fees, Awards and Support) (Amendment) Regulations 2017' (SI 2017/114). The regulations can be complicated but independent advice is provided by [UKCISA](#) (UK Council for International Student Affairs) under Information & Advice.

All Home students are assessed against the ELQ Policy (see **Guidance Note A** above) and assigned the **ELQ** fee status if applicable.

Students' resident in the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man are assigned the **ISLAND** fee status. Island fees are the same as Home fees but for guidance on financial support with fees and living costs students should contact their island authority:

- [Guernsey: student support](#)
- [Jersey: student support](#)
- [Isle of Man: student support](#)

The **Overseas** fee applies to students who do not fall within the **HOME, EU, ELQ** or **ISLAND** fee categories

#### Tuition fee guidance from the GOV.UK website

GOV.UK is the official government website for information about public services. The 'Education and Learning' section provides much useful guidance regarding fees. The [homepage](#) lists all the available sections including 'Education and Learning.'

### C. Money Matters

Students are encouraged to access information on the University's [Money Matters](#) web pages. A range of information is available including.

- Financial support (including scholarships, bursaries, and discounts)
- How to pay (including details on how and when to pay)
- Finding out more (including University contacts)



### 1.9.1.1 GLOSSARY

'EU' Countries	- Belgium, France, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Germany, Denmark, Ireland, United Kingdom, Greece, Portugal, Spain, Austria, Finland, Sweden, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Bulgaria, and Romania.
'EEA' Countries	- All EU countries plus Iceland, Liechtenstein, and Norway.  Iceland, Liechtenstein, and Norway are European Economic Area (EEA) member states, but they are not members of the European Union (EU).
'EFC'	- Externally Funded Course.
'OfS'	- Office for Students.
'Island' Students	- Students whose normal area of residence is in either the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man.
'N/A'	- Not applicable.
'Specified Students'	- Overseas students
'TBC'	- To be confirmed.