



Supplementary Funding Eligibility Form (valid for starts to 31/12/2020 only):

Surname

First Name(s)

Date of Birth

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Course Code Course Title

Student Ref

To be completed by any student intending to study on a funded course and who has indicated on their enrolment form that they have not been resident in the UK/EU for the three years prior to the start of the academic year, or where the nationality or domicile fields indicate a non-UK/EU country.

The student must be able to tick all of the boxes in section 1, or one of one of the other boxes on this form in order to be eligible for funding. Sufficient documentary evidence must be presented to justify the eligibility category being claimed, and this should be summarised at the back of this document.

1. Most individuals who want to take part in learning will be eligible for funding if they meet three basic rules:

They are a citizen of the UK, have Right of Abode (the right to live permanently in the UK without any immigration restrictions), or are a citizen of the EEA

They have been ordinarily resident in the UK, EU or EEA continuously for at least the previous three years on the first date of learning

The learning is taking place in England

2. Individual's immigration status; anyone with any of the statuses listed below, and their husbands, wives, civil partners and children, are eligible for funding:

Refugee status

Discretionary leave to enter/remain

Exceptional leave to enter/remain

Indefinite leave to enter/remain

Humanitarian protection

Section 67 of the Immigration Act 2016 leave

3. Asylum seekers are eligible to receive funding if they:

Have lived in the UK for 6 months or longer while their claim is being considered by the Home Office, and no decision on their claim has been made

Are receiving local authority support under section 23C or section 23CA of the Children Act 1989 or the Care Act 2014

4. In addition to the groups above, the ESFA will also consider the following groups of students (including those who may not have lived in the UK for the last 3 years), aged up to and including the age of 18, as eligible for funding:

Those who are accompanying or joining parents or spouses or civil partners who have the right of abode or leave to enter or remain in the UK (or accompanying or joining relevant family members, usually parents, who are EEA nationals), or those who are children of diplomats

Those who are dependants of teachers coming to the UK on a teacher exchange scheme

Those who are residing legally in the UK (including those entering the UK in the last 3 years who are or were not accompanied by their parents) who are British (or EEA) citizens or those whose passports have been endorsed to either show they have the right of abode in this country or to show that they have no restrictions on working in the UK

Those who are dependants of adults residing legally in the UK who have been given immigration rights as workers to reside in the UK

Those who are dependants of foreign students where the accompanying parent or legal guardian has been given Home Office Tier 4 student immigration status (the accompanying parent or legal guardian is excluded from our funding)

Asylum seekers

Those who are (including unaccompanied asylum seekers) placed in the care of social services or those in receipt of Section 4 support

5. Non-EEA citizens; In addition to the groups above, the following groups of 19+students will also be considered eligible for ESFA funding:

A non-EEA citizen is eligible for funding if they have permission granted by the UK government to live in the UK, which is not for educational purposes, and have been ordinarily resident in the UK for at least the previous three years before the start of learning

6. Family members of EU and EEA nationals aged 19+;

Eligibility because of family membership (reason summarised in evidence box below)

'Principal' family member

the 'principal' is the European Union (EU) or EEA national.

Family member

The 'family' or 'family member' is the learner, and must be the husband, wife, civil partner, child, grandchild, dependent parent or grandparent of the 'principal'.

The table below shows eligibility for family members:

		Principal ordinarily resident in the EEA for three years		
		EU (including UK) citizen	Non-EU EEA citizen	Non-EEA citizen
Family member not ordinarily resident in the EEA for three years	EU (including UK) citizen	Eligible	Eligible	Not eligible
	Non-EU EEA citizen	Eligible	Not eligible	Not eligible
	Non-EEA citizen	Eligible	Not eligible	Not eligible

Member States of the European Union (EU)

- Austria
- Belgium
- Bulgaria
- Croatia
- Cyprus
- Czechia
- Denmark
- Estonia
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Greece
- Hungary
- Ireland
- Italy
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Luxembourg
- Malta
- Netherlands
- Poland
- Portugal
- Romania
- Slovakia
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Sweden
- UK

Member states of the European Economic Area (EEA)

- Iceland
- Liechtenstein
- Norway
- Switzerland

Summary of evidence seen e.g. spouse's British Passport / right of abode / refugee papers / ARC card

Staff Signature

Date

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Student Declaration: I declare that the information provided above is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Student

Date

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