

1916 Bursary Fund

Up to €5000 per year of undergraduate study at a MEND region institution: Athlone Institute of Technology (AIT), Dublin City University (DCU), Dundalk Institute of Technology (DkIT) and Maynooth University (MU)



The 1916 Bursary Fund is a targeted funding scheme established by the Department of Education and Skills to support the implementation of the National Plan for Equity of Access to Higher Education 2015-2019. The National Access Plan is working to increase the numbers of students who are currently under-represented in higher education.

Bursaries are being offered to undergraduate students experiencing socio-economic disadvantage who are commencing third level education in September 2021 for the first time - and will fund the entire duration of a student's programme of study.

You may be eligible if:

- Your household reckonable income does not exceed €24,500 for 2020
- You belong to one of the 1916 Bursary Fund target groups (i.e. Lone Parents, Irish Travellers, Person experiencing Homelessness, Person with a Disability, Member of an Ethnic Minority, in/were in Care of the State)
- You are a first-time applicant to a full or part-time undergraduate (including mature students and Further Education Award Holders)

The bursary will be paid each year of the course up to a maximum of four years for full-time students and six years for part-time students as long as the recipient complies with the bursary guidelines and progresses to the next academic year of their course.

The application form is opened on 30 August 2021 at 4pm and closes on 15 October 2021 at 4pm

For more information and to make an application for the 1916 Bursary for Maynooth University, please visit our website: maynoothuniversity.ie/access-office/1916-Bursary-Fund

