

Tuition Fees 2023 – 2024

All of these apply to students commencing studies in 2023 – 2024 with programmes validated either by Durham University or Newman University (and include Distance Learning).

UNDERGRADUATE – Campus Based Learning	
Certificate of Higher Education (Cert HE)* Full Time	£6,165.00 per annum 1 year duration, studying 120 credits, so this would be the total tuition fee.
Certificate of Higher Education (Cert HE)* Part Time 60 credits a year	£3,082.50 per annum 2 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 2 years: £6,165.00
Diploma of Higher Education (Dip HE)* Full Time	£6,165.00 per annum 2 years duration, usually studying 120 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 2 years: £12,330.00
Diploma of Higher Education (Dip HE)* Part Time 60 credits a year	£3,082.50 per annum 4 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 4 years: £12,330.00
Diploma of Higher Education (Dip HE)* Part Time 80 credits a year	£4,625.00 per annum. 3 years duration, usually studying 80 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 3 years: £13,875.00
Bachelor of Arts (BA)* Full Time	£6,165.00 per annum 3 years duration, usually studying 120 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 3 years: £18,495.00
Bachelor of Arts (BA)* Part Time 60 credits a year	£3,082.50 per annum 6 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 6 years: £18,495.00
Graduate Certificate Part time 60 credits per year	£2,500.00 per annum 1 year duration, studying 60 credits so this would be the total tuition fee.
Graduate Diploma Full Time	£5,000.00 per annum 1 year duration, studying 120 credits, so this would be the total tuition fee.

UNDERGRADUATE – Distance Learning

Foundation Award Part time 60 credits per year	£2,580.00 per annum 1 year duration, studying 60 credits, so this would be the total tuition fee.
Certificate of Higher Education (Cert HE)* Part time 60 credits per year	£2,580.00 per annum 2 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 2 years: £5160
Diploma of Higher Education (Dip HE)* Part time 60 credits per year	£2,580.00 per annum 4 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 4 years: £10,320
Bachelor of Arts (BA)* Part time 60 credits per year	£2,580.00 per annum 6 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 6 years: £15,480
Graduate Certificate Part time 60 credits	£2,340.00 per annum 1 year duration, studying 60 credits, so this would be the total tuition fee.
Graduate Diploma Part time 60 credits per year	£2,340.00 per annum 2 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 2 years: £4,680

POSTGRADUATE – Campus Based Learning

Master of Arts (MA) Part Time 2 years	£3,240.00 per annum 2 years duration, usually studying 90 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 2 years: £6,480
Master of Arts (MA) Part Time 3 years	£2,160.00 per annum 3 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 3 years: £6,480
Postgraduate Certificate Part Time	£2,160.00 per annum 1 year duration, studying 60 credits, so this would be the total tuition fee.
Postgraduate Diploma Part Time	£2,160.00 per annum 2 years duration, usually studying 60 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 2 years: £4,320
Postgraduate Diploma Full Time	£4,320.00 per annum 1 year duration, studying 120 credits, so this would be the total tuition fee.

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INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS – Campus Based

Bachelor of Arts (BA) Full Time 120 credits per year	£9,650.00 per annum 3 years duration, usually studying 120 credits per year. Total tuition fee over 3 years: £28,950
Postgraduate Diploma Full Time 120 credits	£6,500.00 per annum 1 year duration, studying 120 credits, so this would be the total tuition fee.

POST GRADUATE RESEARCH

Full-time UK/EU students	£3,734 per year
Part-time UK/EU students	£2,037 per year
Full-time international students	£10,332 per year
Bridging into PhD	£997 per year

Continuation Fee

If full tuition fees for a course have been paid and yet additional time is needed to complete work such as re-sits or a dissertation, then a continuation fee will be charged for each additional year beyond the planned period of study. **The continuation fee is £700.00.** The continuation fee, like annual tuition fees may be subject to inflationary increases.

Additional Required Tuition Elements

All tuition fees include any *required* hospitality in order to complete the formational requirements of tuition. There are different requirements for each course.

Government Funding

All programmes marked with an * are undergraduate and therefore potentially eligible for student finance¹ which includes tuition fee loans and maintenance loans. Grants are available for both carers of children and carers of adults. There is also funding for both undergraduate and postgraduate students with a diagnosed disability, long term health condition or learning difference. Post Graduate loans are available for students registering onto the part time MA only (not for the PGCert or PGDip).

Bursaries for Self-Funding Students

If you are self-funding your study, you may be eligible to apply to our Bursary Fund for help with your tuition fees. Please see our website here: <https://www.queens.ac.uk/study/fees/bursary-fund> for more information.

Fitting Study in with your Employer, your Church and your Family

Most of our students have commitments to all three of these! As soon as possible, please discuss with us any day/evening/weekend commitments that you may need to address, for instance, with your employer if you are seeking flexible working during your period of study. The Queen's academic year is longer than most universities and this is to help spread out study for part time students. The academic year runs from September to July and you may have commitments in July and August regarding placement and submission of work. For more information on how many hours of study (face to face and private study) to plan for see the link below to "Full and Part Time Information" on the Queen's website.²

Other costs - what should I budget for?

- If you require accommodation, please discuss this with us; we have a range of facilities on offer. If you wish to stay overnight or join for meals outside of your normal pattern of study, this can be booked as needed. Please email hospitality@queens.ac.uk for details.
- Tuition fees are inclusive of other incidental academic costs such as library membership, use of the virtual learning environment (VLE), hard copy lecture handouts, annual University registration fees, assessment entry etc.
- Printing and photocopying are available to students in the library for a small charge.
- Your course may at some point involve visits to Churches and other contexts (local to Birmingham) and there may be a placement. You will be involved in the decision about the location of your placement, but you will need to budget travel expenses for this which could be on a weekly basis for several weeks, or in concentrated blocks of time.
- As a full time student, you may be eligible for a council tax discount³ and a mature student rail card⁴.
- You will need to have regular access to a computer and should think about costs relating to this including home printing – depending on your style of learning and note taking. You will need good access to the internet at home to access electronic resources, to submit work and, for some modules, to join in with online seminars and lectures. Most communications will be via your Queen's email address, so you will need to log on regularly to check these (at least daily).
- If living off campus, you should budget for travel costs to and from lectures at the Queen's campus.
- You are *not required* to purchase any core text books. However, the tutor may highlight texts that you may wish to consider purchasing for future use. We have regular student book sales and discounts with specialist suppliers.

¹ If you have ever completed an undergraduate degree, even in the days before student loans, it is unlikely that you will be eligible for student finance. If you have not however you *may* be entitled to tuition fees and then (depending more on your income) maintenance grants. Other student grants are available from the government relating to the cost of dependants if you have children or are a carer for another adult. See <https://www.gov.uk/student-finance/overview> for more information

² See <https://www.queens.ac.uk/study/programmes/modes>

³ See <https://www.gov.uk/council-tax/discounts-for-full-time-students> for full details.

⁴ See <http://www.16-25railcard.co.uk/help/faqs/mature-student/>

- Students run social events and societies; there is also a Common Room and opportunities through student links to join the National Union of Students (NUS). You do not need to pay membership fees for the Common Room or to join any societies however there may be incidental costs, and there is a charge to join the NUS.
- There is a cost for attending Graduation and for gown hire - budget about £100, attendance is not compulsory but very enjoyable!

Additional Costs for Research Students:

- Some books and resources
- Computer equipment and software
- Travel to and associated costs of attending conferences and supervision meetings
- Specific courses useful for research as part of completing the Training and Supervision Plan.
- Any visa costs associated with visiting the Netherlands.