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2022/23

DSA1

Application for Disabled Students' Allowance (DSA)

We welcome applications in Welsh. This won't lead to a delay in our response.

Your forename(s)			
	for student finance before, Customer Reference Number		

Instructions

- To obtain this form in an alternative format such as Braille, large print or audio please email: brailleandlargefonts@slc.co.uk or call 0141 243 3686.
- Answer all the questions. If you leave any question blank we will not be able to process your application. If a question does not apply to you, please enter 'None' or 'N/A' as the answer.
- Please refer to the DSA1 notes each time you see this icon. In
- Whenever you see the evidence icon, you must provide evidence to support your application. Information about the evidence required can be found in the DSA1 notes and will also be marked with this icon.
- Sign and date the Terms and Conditions.
- Return your form to: Student Finance Wales

PO Box 211

Llandudno Junction

LL30 9FU

 If you have any questions call the Student Finance Wales Contact Centre on 0300 200 4050.

To find out how we'll use the information you provide go to **www.studentfinancewales.co.uk/privacynotice** to read our Privacy Notice before completing this form.

You may be eligible for a bursary or scholarship. In order for a university or college to determine and pay any bursary or scholarship to which you may be entitled, we will share some of your personal, financial and course details as well as information about your eligibility for student finance with them. For more information about this, read our Privacy Notice. Please contact the university or college if you require further information about their bursaries

and scholarships.







Section 1 - personal details

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Section 1 - personal details

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С	Previous loans Have you ever had any other loans from the Student Loans Company Limited (SLC)? If 'Yes', are you behind with the repayments? Yes No Yes No					d
	If you are behind with rep	payments on a pro	evious Ioan, y			
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	What language would yellow letters we send you?	ou like us to use	e on the		☐ English☐ Welsh	
d1	Did you move to Wales the purpose of receiving			□No	If 'Yes' please contact Student Finance Wales	t
	Armed Forces					
e 1	Are you a member of th outside Wales? fe fn	e Armed Forces	serving		☐ Yes ☐ No	
e2	Are you a family member Forces serving outside (for example: spouse or	Wales? <mark>e</mark> 📶	the Armed		☐ Yes ☐ No	

Section 2 - other financial support

Bursaries and awards

If you are an **undergraduate student** in this academic year will you be eligible to apply for:

- a Department of Health or NHS bursary (excluding the social work bursary paid by Social Care Wales); or
- a Scottish Government Health Directorate Bursary (Scottish Healthcare Allowance); or
- a healthcare bursary from the Department of Health, for Northern Ireland?

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If you are a **postgraduate student** in this academic year will you be eligible to apply for:

- a Department of Health, NHS, Scottish Government Health Directorate (Scottish Healthcare Allowance) or other healthcare bursary; or
- a Research Council bursary; or
- a Care Council for Wales bursary for students studying an approved postgraduate social work course (this only applies if you started your course before academic year 2022/23); or
- a bursary from your college or university that includes extra support because of your disability, long-term health condition, mental health condition, specific learning difficulty or autism spectrum disorder (do not count any payment you get from your university or college hardship fund)?
- If you have answered 'Yes' to either of the above questions, you will **not** qualify for DSA from Student Finance Wales. **Please do not continue with this application**. You should contact the provider of your bursary for advice on any extra support you may be entitled to because of a disability, long-term health condition, mental health condition, specific learning difficulty or autism spectrum disorder.

	Nationality			
a1	Are you a UK national? <u>n</u> e	No		if 'No' go to a2
		Yes		now go to b1
a2	Are you an Irish citizen? 📶 옅	No		if 'No' go to a3
		Yes -	 have you been resident Islands for the three yea first day of the first acad your course? 	ars prior to the
			No	if 'No' go to a3
			Yes	now go to b2
а3	Are you the family member of a UK	No		If 'No' go to a4
	 national, and both you and your UK national family member were living: in the UK on 31 December 2020, after moving to the UK from the EEA or Switzerland on or after 1 January 2018; or 	Yes -	have both you and your been resident in the UK or Switzerland for three the first day of the first a of your course?	, Gibraltar, EEA years prior to
	• in the EEA or Switzerland on 31		No	If 'No' go to a4
	December 2020? n e		Yes	now go to b2
a4	Have you been granted settled status	No		if 'No' go to a5
a4	Have you been granted settled status or pre-settled status under the EU Settlement Scheme? ne		- settled status Please provide your sha	if 'No' go to a5
a4	or pre-settled status under the EU			if 'No' go to a5
a4	or pre-settled status under the EU	Yes -		if 'No' go to a5 are code now go to b2 and have been Islands for first day of the
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Are you the child of a Swiss national?	No	if 'No' go to
ne	Yes -	 were you resident in the UK, Gibral EEA or Switzerland for three years prior to the first day of the first academic year of your course?
		No if 'No' go to
		Yes – provide your:
		Expiry date of pre-settled status Day Month Year Share code
		If your parent or step-parent has settled or pre-settled status under the EU Settlement Schen provide their: Date of birth Day Month Year
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		now go to I
Are you or your	No	if 'No' go to
Are you or your:husband, wife, civil partner; orparent(s), step-parent; or		 I have been working or looking for work in the UK.
child, step-childother direct ascending or descending line family member	Yes -	 my family member has been working or looking for work in the UK. My family member is my:
an EEA or Swiss national who is working, or		husband/wife/civil partner
has worked or is looking for work in the UK?		parent(s)/step-parent
		child/step-child
		other direct ascending or descend line family member - only applicab

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Have you been resident in the UK,	No	if 'No' go to a7
Gibraltar, the EEA or Switzerland for the three years prior to the first day of the first academic year of your course?	Yes -	 provide details of your/your family member's employment. You should also provide details of your previous study.
If you/your family member are currently working, will you/your family member	No	if 'No' go to a7
continue to work during your studies?	Yes -	- provide details:
		Provide your: Expiry date of pre-settled status Day Month Year Share code
		Provide your family member's :
		Date of birth Day Month Year Expiry date if pre-settled status Day Month Year Share code
		now go to b2

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a7	Are you the child of a Turkish Worker	No			if 'No' go to a8
	who is working in the UK? ne	Yes -	step-parer Leave to F	Remain in th	ker parent/ nted extended ne UK after 31 e Home Office?
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				No	if 'No' go to a8
				Yes	now go to b2
a8	Have you or your family member	No			if 'No' go to a9
	been granted leave under the Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy (ARAP) or the Afghan Citizens Resettlement Scheme (ACRS)? (n e	AF I h my	RAP or ACF nave been of y family me my: husband/which parent or some office the parent of the parent of the parent or some office the parent of the parent or some office the parent or some office the parent or some of the parent or some or some of the parent or some	granted leavember. My favife/civil par step-parent our: ce reference t status granth Year status is due ble) hth Year lived outside ce your latered?	e number nted e to expire to the UK and

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a9	Do you have settled status in the UK, that was not granted under the EU Settlement Scheme? ne	No Yes – provide your: Home Office reference numb Date latest status granted Day Month Year	if 'No' go to a10 oer now go to b1
a10	Have you been granted limited leave to enter or remain under a Ukraine Scheme? ne E By Ukraine Scheme we mean: • the Ukraine Family Scheme; • the Homes for Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme; or • the Ukraine Extension Scheme	No Yes – provide your: Home Office reference number Date latest status granted Day Month Year Date this status is due to expany Month Year	
a11	Have you or your: • husband, wife, civil partner; or • parent(s), step-parent been granted refugee status by the UK government? e	Yes – provide your: Home Office reference numb Date latest status granted Day Month Year Date this status is due to exp Day Month Year Have you lived outside the Usince your latest status was No Yes	pire JK and Islands

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Have you or your:	No	if 'No' go to a13
 husband, wife, civil partner; or parent(s), step-parent been granted 'leave to remain' as a Stateless Person? T 	Date status granted Day Month Year Date this status is due to exp Day Month Year Have you lived outside the Ul since your latest status was g	ire ≺ and Islands
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 husband, wife, civil partner; or parent(s) or step-parent been given: 'leave to enter or remain' in the UK on the grounds of family or private life; or 'leave to enter or remain' in the UK following a failed application for 'leave to enter or remain' on the grounds of family or private life on the grounds of Article 8 of the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR); or Discretionary Leave as a result of a failed asylum application; or Discretionary Leave where no application for asylum has been made? 	Date latest status granted Day Month Year Date this status is due to 6]
	 husband, wife, civil partner; or parent(s), step-parent been granted 'leave to remain' as a Stateless Person?	 husband, wife, civil partner; or parent(s), step-parent been granted 'leave to remain' as a Stateless Person?

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14	Have you or your:	No	if 'No' go to a15
	husband, wife, civil partner; or	Yes – provide your:	
	parent(s) or step-parent	Home Office reference nu	mber
	been granted Humanitarian		
	Protection? ne	Date latest status granted	
		Day Month Year	
		Date this status is due to	expire
		Day Month Year	now go to b3
		Have you lived outside the	UK and Islands
		since your latest status wa	s granted?
		No	go to section 4
		Yes	if 'Yes' go to b3
a15	Have you been granted 'leave to remain' in	No	if 'No' go to a16
	the UK under section 67 of the Immigration	Yes – provide your:	_
	Act 2016, or are you the dependent child of	Home Office reference nu	mber
	someone who has? n		
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		No	go to section 4
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6	Have you been granted 'Calais leave' in	No	if 'No' go to a17
	the UK, or are you the dependent child of someone who has? (1)	Yes – provide your: Home Office reference nur Date latest status granted Day Month Year Date this status is due to e Day Month Year Have you lived outside the since your latest status wa	nber xpire UK and Islands s granted?
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7	Have you been granted 'leave to remain' in the UK as a victim of domestic violence or abuse, or are you the dependent child of someone who has? ne	No Yes – provide your: Home Office reference nur Date status granted Day Month Year Date this status is due to e	
8	Have you been granted 'leave to remain' as a person who has been a bereaved partner, or are you the dependent child of someone who has? ne		
	If you answered 'No' to all the questions finance from Student Finance Wales.	in this section you are not elig	ible for student

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In the three years prior to the start of the academic year of your course, did you outside the UK and Islands at any time	live Yes
of your course. For example: if your o	
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At any time since 1 September 2019 has:	No if 'No' go to section 4
 either of your parents, step-parents, guardians; or your husband, wife, civil partner lived or worked outside the UK and Island the case of an EU, EEA or Swiss national the UK, Gibraltar, the EEA or Switzerland 	, outside
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Course details Course name n f you are following a cosubjects being studied	mbined studies or modular course, please list all
Qualification you expect o gain (e.g. BSc Physic	
Course start date	Month Year
Course end date	Month Year
Course length (years)	<u>n</u>
ear of course	Foundation Third year First year Fourth year Second year Other (give details)

Section 4 - about your course and your university or college

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	Postcode		

Section 5 - your university or college

riease ask your university or conege to complete this section.
If you do not want to tell your university or college about your disability, long-term health condition, mental health condition, specific learning difficulty or autism spectrum disorder, then please read section 5 notes for further instructions and then go to section 6.
To be completed by the Student's university or college.
SLC or UCAS university or college code
Part-time undergraduate students
Student's course start date is on or after 1 September 2014
I confirm to the best of my knowledge and belief that:
• The student named in section 1 is studying or applying for the course named in section 4 and plans to study at a rate of at least 25% in this academic year; and
• The student's rate of study is % of the equivalent full-time course.
Student started their course before 1 September 2014
 I confirm to the best of my knowledge and belief that: the student named in section 1 is studying or applying for the course named in section 4 and plans to complete the course at an average rate of study of at least 50% of that needed to complete the course, or an equivalent course, on a full-time basis; and The student's rate of study is of the equivalent full-time course.
Example The student is studying a part-time course over a six year period but would study for three years if he or she was on an equivalent full-time course. The rate of study is 50%.

Section 5 - your university or college

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 Full-time undergraduate students, (who are not applying for other finance) and full-time undergraduate distance learning students I confirm to the best of my knowledge and belief that: the student named in section 1 is studying or applying for the course named in section 4; and the student named in section 1 plans to complete the course on a full-time basis by distance learning methods. 				
Part-time postgraduate students Student started their course before 1st September 2014 I confirm to the best of my knowledge and belief that the student named in section 1 is studying or applying for a part-time postgraduate course which will				
not take more than twice as long to complete as an equivalent full-time course. Student started their course on or after 1st September 2014 I confirm to the best of my knowledge and belief that the student named in section 1 is studying or applying for a part-time postgraduate course which will take no more than four times as long to complete as an equivalent full-time course. All postgraduate students I confirm to the best of my knowledge and belief that: • the student named in section 1 is studying or applying for the course named in section 4; • this course has a usual entry qualification of a first degree or higher; and • the student will not receive an award from their institution (not including any payment from the institution's hardship fund) to meet the extra course-related costs they have to pay because of their disability. Your full name (in BLOCK CAPITALS)				
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Your signature	Position			
	Your phone number (including area code) Your email address			
University or college stamp	Day Month Year Date			

Section 6 - DSA information and evidence

learning difficulty or auti	eaith condition, long-term nealth condition, specifi sm spectrum disorder
have a physical or me	ving a disability under the Equality Act 2010 if you ntal impairment which has a substantial and long-term ability to carry out normal day-to-day activities.
condition, mental health co	ne nature of your disability, long-term health ondition, specific learning difficulty or autism spectrum space use the additional notes page at the back of
Is this your first application for	or Disabled Students' Allowance (DSA)? Yes No
If 'No', please provide the fapplication you have made	following details of each previous DSA funding
Date of application Day Month Year	Funding authority applied to (e)
made, please provide full de	nce of each previous DSA funding application you have etails of the funding you received in the box below. Int funding authorities for further information.

Section 7 - your consent

Your consent to DSA arrangements

Section 8 - your bank or building society account details

UK bank or building society account details

Where possible we will pay suppliers of your equipment or support services directly. However, please complete the section below so that we can pay you if we need to. You do not need to provide these details if you have already given them to us.

The account must be in your own name and be able to accept direct credits.

credits.	
Sort code	
Account number	
Building society roll number (if applicable)	

Terms and Conditions

These terms and conditions ("terms") and applicable legislation apply to all of the student finance available to students for the academic year 2022/23.

I understand that I must read the specific terms about the student finance products available because they will affect me if I apply for them at any time in this academic year.

I understand that my application for student finance may be delayed unless I sign and date these terms.

Loan Contract

- 1. I confirm I have read and understood these terms and A Guide to Terms and Conditions available at www.studentfinancewales.co.uk/terms-and-conditions.
- 2. I confirm that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information I have provided is true and complete. If it is not, I understand that I may not receive student finance, any support I have had may be withdrawn and I could be prosecuted.
- 3. I understand that student finance is provided to me by the Welsh Ministers (the "Lender") which includes any persons acting on their behalf and any replacement(s) under section 23(4) of the Teaching and Higher Education Act 1998 as amended or replaced from time to time (the "Act").
- 4. I understand these terms, the Act and the regulations made under section 22 of the Act will apply to any student finance provided to me by the Lender.
- 5. I understand that "student finance" in these terms means financial support by way of grant(s) and/or loan(s) made by the Lender under the regulations.
- 6. I understand that the Student Loans Company Limited ("SLC") carries out certain functions on behalf of the Lender.

My Obligations

- 7. I understand that if I have:
 - (i) reached the age of 18 years; and
 - (ii) have entered into agreement(s) for a loan under section 22 of the Act before I reached the age of 18 years,

I am agreeing to "ratify" any and all such student loans by signing these terms. This means that I confirm I entered into agreement(s) with the Lender and agree to the terms of any such previous agreement(s). If I have reached the age of 18 and refuse to "ratify" any previous agreement(s), I understand that I will not be eligible to get any further student finance under the regulations.

- 8. I agree to give SLC any information they need in support of this application for student finance and/or to seek repayment.
- 9. I agree to tell SLC immediately if my circumstances change in any way that might affect my entitlement to student finance. I understand that if I do not do this I may not get any further payments and I may have to repay the student finance

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I have already received. I agree that from the date I submit my student finance application until my loan(s), together with all and any interest, penalties and charges which apply, is fully repaid I must tell SLC about any changes in my personal details (including my National Insurance number) and contact details I have provided.

- 10. I agree that if I get an overpayment of student finance, I need to repay this in full and that any overpayment may be taken from any future entitlement to student finance.
- 11. I agree that I will repay the Lender any loan(s), together with all and any interest, penalties and charges which apply. I understand that this repayment will be due by me to the Lender as a debt. If I breach any of the terms of my loan, I agree to pay any charges and penalties which apply under the Act and the regulations. I understand that I will repay my loan(s) through the United Kingdom ("UK") tax system and/or I may repay SLC directly. If I live abroad, I will repay my loan(s) to SLC directly.
- 12. I agree that any loan(s) made to me in accordance with the regulations once my application is accepted by the Lender is a/are contract(s) between me and the Lender. I understand that I am liable for my loan(s) and will be charged interest from the first payment of the loan advance by the Lender.
- 13. I agree to tell SLC if I leave the UK to live outside the UK or if for any other reason I am outside the UK tax system for more than three months.

Legal Action and Applicable Law

14. In the event of any legal action, I agree that the laws of England and Wales will apply and that the courts of that part of the UK will hear any legal action. If my address is outside the UK the laws of the part of the UK where my education provider is situated will apply and the courts of that part of the UK will hear any legal action. I agree that the Lender has the right to take legal action against me in any other court with jurisdiction.

Sharing Information

- 15. If I am in breach of these terms and/or the regulations I agree that the Lender may share information held about me and my account with third parties, including the government or a government agency of another country, who may help to locate me and/or help take action to recover any payments I owe.
- 16. I confirm where I have provided any personal information about any other person in my student finance application, I have done so with their consent.
- 17. I understand that SLC will process my personal data in line with the Privacy Notice available at **www.studentfinancewales.co.uk/privacy-notice** which may be updated from time to time.

Disabled Students' Allowance ("DSA")

This section applies if I apply for DSA this academic year.

- 18. I understand that any equipment I receive through DSA must be used for my course of study and that I am responsible for paying any repair costs.
- 19. I understand that if I consent to SLC sourcing my equipment and support, SLC can pay the suppliers of any approved equipment and support directly.
- 20. I understand that with my consent, SLC can make payment to the needs assessment centre on my behalf.

- 21. I understand that with my consent, SLC can make a direct payment on my behalf to third parties providing any other approved service or support to me.
- 22. If I do not agree to SLC paying the suppliers of equipment, support or other services on my behalf, I understand that I will be responsible for meeting the costs of any approved equipment, support or other services out of my DSA allowance. SLC reserves the right to request evidence of receipt of equipment, support or other services in relation to my DSA.

Childcare Grant ("CCG")

This section applies if I apply for CCG this academic year.

- 23. I understand that if I do not provide the evidence of childcare costs within the timescales set, I may lose my entitlement. If my childcare costs are different from the estimates I have provided, further payments of my CCG may increase or decrease accordingly. If no further CCG payments are due to be paid to me, I may be liable to repay any difference.
- 24. I understand that if I do not take up my childcare, or if I change to a childcare provider who is not registered or approved, I will have to pay back any overpayment.
- 25. I confirm that neither I nor my husband, wife, civil partner or cohabiting partner have chosen to receive support for childcare from:
 - (i) the childcare element of Working Tax Credit;
 - (ii) the childcare element of Universal Credit;
 - (iii) Tax-Free Childcare; and/or
 - (iv) the NHS Bursary Childcare Allowance;

and I agree to tell SLC immediately if I or my husband, wife, civil partner or cohabiting partner does receive this support. I understand that SLC may share my personal data with HMRC to check whether I get childcare support.

Customer Reference Number			
Your full name (in BLOCK CAPITALS)			
Your signature (in ink)	Today's date Day Month Year		

Checklist
Before returning this form, please make sure you have done the following:
Signed and dated the Terms and Conditions.
Enclosed all the evidence items as requested in the DSA1 notes. Any original evidence you send will be returned to you as soon as possible.
If applicable, your university or college has completed section 5.
Remember to pay the correct postage.
once your form is fully complete and the Terms and Conditions have been signed nd dated, you should return it to:
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