

THE GEORGE FENTHAM BIRMINGHAM CHARITY**APPLICATION FOR EDUCATIONAL GRANT**

You can use this form to apply for a grant from the charity if you are currently studying on a course or if you have a place on a course to start within the next year.

Please complete all the sections and answer all questions that apply to you.

SECTION 1. PERSONAL DETAILS

Name: Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss

Surname..... Forenames.....

Address.....Postcode

Tel Email Date Of Birth Age

I am resident in the UK? Yes/No

How long have you lived in Birmingham?

If you have lived in Birmingham for less than 3 years, please state your connection with the city

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Are you married, cohabiting or in a civil partnership? Yes/No

If yes, where does your spouse/partner live?

Have you got any children or other dependants? Yes/No

If yes, how many? Ages of dependants

Where do they live?

SECTION 2. DETAILS OF PREVIOUS QUALIFICATIONS AND EMPLOYMENT

To be completed by all applicants

State the **highest** level of qualification you currently hold (such as GCSEs, A Levels, Btec, Access course, Degree)

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Name of the college/university it was received from:.....

Grades achieved

Previous employment (if applicable)

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SECTION 3. COURSE OF STUDY FOR WHICH THIS APPLICATION APPLIES

Course Title

Subject

Is this course full or part time?

University/College of Study (please state full address)

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Date course commenced/commences: Date course ends

(please state dates in day, month and year)

SECTION 4. STUDENT'S FUNDING DURING THE COURSE

To be completed by all applicants

Have you applied for financial support from Student Finance England? Yes/No

If no, please state reason.....

Have you applied for any available extra financial support from your college/university? Yes/No

If no, please state reason.....

Have you applied for financial support from anywhere else?

(such as charities /Professional and Career Development Loan) Yes/No

If yes, please give details of organisations you applied to and if successful, amount given

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If funding was refused, please state reasons

Have you ever received funding from the Fentham Trust before? Yes/No

If yes, please give dates received and amounts

SECTION 5. PARENTAL/PARTNER'S CONTRIBUTION

Parental Occupational/Financial Details:

Please state exact amounts of income, even if parents are retired or on benefits:

Mother's Occupation

Mother's annual income (gross – before tax).....

Father's Occupation

Father's annual income (gross – before tax)

Do your parents or other relatives give you any financial support? Yes/No

If yes, please give amount

Do/will you live with your parents **during term time** while on the course? Yes/No

Partner's Occupational/Financial Details:

This must be completed by all applicants who are married or living in a permanent relationship. Please state exact amounts of income even if partners are retired or on benefits:

Partner's Occupation

Partner's annual income (gross – before tax).....

Does your partner give you any financial support? Yes/No

If yes, please give amount

SECTION 6. STUDENT'S INCOME AND EXPENDITURE DETAILS

Please complete income and expenditure in either weekly or annual amounts, whichever is easier.

This section is about what **your own personal** income and expenditure is (or expect it to be) while studying.

<u>YOUR INCOME</u>			<u>YOUR EXPENDITURE</u>		
	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Annually</u>		<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Annually</u>
Tuition Fee loan	£.....	£.....	College or university tuition fees	£.....	£.....
College/university Bursary	£.....	£.....	Other college or university fees	£.....	£.....
Student Loan	£.....	£.....	Rent/Mortgage	£.....	£.....
Access Fund	£.....	£.....	Council Tax	£.....	£.....
Hardship Fund	£.....	£.....	Water Rates	£.....	£.....
Income Support	£.....	£.....	Gas	£.....	£.....
Job seeker's allowance	£.....	£.....	Electricity	£.....	£.....
Housing Benefit	£.....	£.....	Telephone	£.....	£.....
Disability Benefits/PIPs	£.....	£.....	Laundry	£.....	£.....
Child Benefit	£.....	£.....	Childcare	£.....	£.....
Parental Contribution	£.....	£.....	Food	£.....	£.....
Partners Contribution	£.....	£.....	Books	£.....	£.....
Paid Employment	£.....	£.....	Equipment	£.....	£.....
Career Development Loan	£.....	£.....	Travel/Fares	£.....	£.....
Trust/Charities	£.....	£.....	Other (please specify)	£.....	£.....
Other (please specify)	£.....	£.....		
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Total Annual/Weekly Income			Total Annual/Weekly Expenditure		

Do you have any other debts? Yes/No If yes, how much: £.....

SECTION 7. FUNDING REQUIRED

How much are you asking George Fentham Birmingham Charity for? £.....

Is there any other source of funding available to you that could reduce your current shortfall? Yes/No.....

If you are successful and are awarded a grant, what would you spend it on?

SECTION 8. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please explain why your circumstances are exceptional. Please give as much detail as possible and continue on a separate page if needed.

SECTION 9.

How did you find out about the George Fentham Birmingham Charity?

DECLARATION AND AUTHORITY: I confirm that the information given in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief and I undertake to keep the Trustees informed of any other grant or change in my financial circumstances before and during the period of any grant or loan the Trustees may make to me. I authorise the Trustees to disclose the information contained in this form to third parties where necessary in order to verify or clarify the information given.

SIGNATURE

DATE.....

SIGNATURE OF PARENT.....

(applicants under the age of 18 are normally expected to supply a parental signature)

IMPORTANT NOTICE

In order that your application can be considered you must arrange for your tutor to send direct to this office a confidential report as to your progress with your studies and your suitability for the course you are undertaking. If the Trustees consider that you may be eligible for an award, you may be asked to attend an interview.

Please forward your completed application form to:

THE GEORGE FENTHAM BIRMINGHAM CHARITY, c/o Veale Wasbrough Vizards, Second Floor, 3 Brindley Place, Birmingham, B1 2JB or email to GeorgeFentham@vww.co.uk

Privacy Notice

The George Fentham Birmingham Charity will use the information provided in this application form (which might include personal data about you or your spouse / partner / parents) to (a) assess the application to determine whether the request for a grant is successful and (b) to communicate with you.

Any personal data provided by you about yourself or your spouse / partner / parents on the application form will be used by the Charity and VWV as the Charity's administrator for the purposes identified above.

For further information about how the Charity uses personal data, please visit <http://www.georgefenthamcharity.org.uk> and click on "privacy notice".