

Putney School of Art and Design

Bursary Scheme for Students Resident in Wandsworth who are receiving Universal Credit 2025-26

Background Information

Students can apply for a Bursary towards course fees if they are resident in the Borough of Wandsworth and receive State benefits.

You can apply for one course (holiday or one term) in any one academic year – 1st September to July 31st August.

To be eligible students applying for a Bursary must:

- 1. Complete an application form
- 2. Be able to prove they are resident in the Borough of Wandsworth
- 3. Be able to prove that they are in receipt of The Government Universal Credit (within last 3 months of the application date)

Universal Credit -GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)

4. Be able to pay £89 contribution to their course fees, plus 50% of model fees on a Life Drawing, Life Sculpture or Portrait course. Applicants will need to budget for their own materials, the costs of which will not be included in a bursary.

Your application will be considered by a panel composed of three representatives of Putney School of Art and Design management and Committee members of the Friends of Putney School of Art and Design. The panel decision's is final, and there is no appeal procedure.

Criteria

You must comply with eligibility stipulations

You need to make a clear case on your form of how the bursary will assist you to develop as an artist or a designer.

You should explain this with reference to at least one of the following three areas

- Helping you to go into higher/further education
- Helping you to become self-employed or employed
- Helping you to improve your life or prospects in other ways

Please complete the application form below or request that one be sent to you. Email: psad@enablelc.org

- Deadline for Applications for the Autumn term 2025 Friday 4 July 2025 at 5pm
- Deadline for Applications for the Spring term 2026 Friday 31 October 2025 at 5pm
- Deadline for Applications for the Summer term 2026 Friday 6 February 2026 at 5pm

Applications should be emailed to psad@enablelc.org along with scanned proofs of eligibility or delivered to the reception at PSAD, Oxford Road, London SW15 2LQ by the deadlines above. Alternatively, you may submit a hard copy to the school reception.

The Bursary Scheme is funded by Putney School of Art and Design (part of Enable Leisure and Culture) and the Friends of Putney School of Art and Design.



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PSAD Bursary Application Form

Name:

Address:

Tel number: email:

Please state where you heard about PSAD's Bursary:

Subject course you wish to attend (e.g Screenprinting, Drawing & Painting) Please note that we will only be able to suggest a course for you where we have spaces. Please do not book a course before your application has been approved:

Your experience/education to date (relative to this application) with dates:

Please describe how the course will assist you as outlined in the criteria described above: