

## **LOWER HEYFORD AND CAULCOTT COMMUNITY FUND**

### **Educational Grant for Young Persons**

These grants are available for young people who have lived in Lower Heyford or Caulcott for at least 2 years. They provide up to 4 years support (or the length of the course, whichever is less - so a 3 year course gets 3 year's support). The grants can be used against various forms of further education or training, including university (undergraduate and/or postgraduate), technical college, apprenticeships. If you are unclear as to whether your plans meet these criteria, please get in touch to discuss.

The grants will be paid as a lump sum of up to £1000 per annum each year for a maximum of 4 years (or less depending on the length of the course). The grant can be spread over a mix of undergraduate and post graduate courses (e.g. a 3 year undergraduate course followed by a 1 year postgraduate course).

The grants come into effect from this academic year (2020-2021). It is not possible to back-date. So, if you are already receiving a grant we will not adjust the grant for previous years but we will pay the new amount for any future years up to the 4 year total. For example, if you have had 2 year's support under the old scheme, then you can also have 2 year's support under the new scheme.

Payments will only be made against a receipt for costs incurred. The types of costs that qualify for support include accommodation, IT or books, other materials required for your course. Whilst we will not support travel costs to attend a training course overseas, we will consider supporting the daily costs of getting to and from an apprenticeship if this is going to be a significant cost for you. If this applies to you, please get in touch so we can discuss.

### **Application Form**

<b>Name:</b>			
<b>Address:</b>	Have you lived in Parish for at least 2years : <b>YES/NO</b>		
<b>Contact details</b>	<b>Home:</b>	<b>Mobile :</b>	<b>Email :</b>
<b>Date of Birth:</b>			

<b>Secondary Schools attended with start/finish dates</b>	
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Are you currently studying or going to study at college or other educational establishment?  
Please state:

- a. Where are you studying/ going to study:
  
- b. Date course began/begins:

If you are not going to study at college or other educational establishment, do you need assistance for some other formal educational or vocational training programme?

If so please give details including length of programme:

If an award is offered what would you use it for? (you must give some explanation, for example, buying books, tools or other equipment, contribution to accommodation etc.) and how much would you seek (up to £1000 per year for up to 4 years)?

**NB Appropriate receipts for items purchased will be required before the award is transferred**

Normally, grants will be paid as an annual amount for each year of your course (up to the max of 4 years). If you would like us to consider a different split, please indicate below with an explanation of why.

**Signed:**

**Print name:**

**Date:**

*Please return application form to either*  
*Mrs Hazel Stoddart*  
*1 Knapton's Croft*  
*Lower Heyford*  
*Oxfordshire OX25 5NR*  
*Email [hazelstoddart@me.com](mailto:hazelstoddart@me.com)*

*Or*  
*Dr Liz Goodwin*  
*Yggdrasill*  
*Freehold St*  
*Lower Heyford*  
*Oxfordshire OX25 5NS*  
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