

Academic-related Grants for Graduates and Undergraduates

1. Freshers' Book Grants

Applicants	All 1 st years on their first undergraduate or graduate course – in all subjects.
Purpose	A contribution to cost of course-related books in the first year of their undergraduate or graduate studies.
Quantity	A Blackwell's EGift code worth £ 50 per person, valid until the end of Michaelmas Term. Intended for use on course-related academic books. May be used online or in the shop.
Clarifications	 Available to collect up until Friday of 4th week in Michaelmas Term. Valid until the end of Michaelmas Term. Not means-tested.
Application	Available by email request from the Finance Bursar's PA (FBSec@wadham.ox.ac.uk) up until the end of 4 th week in Michaelmas Term.

2. Grants for Students with Declared Disabilities

Applicants	All undergraduate and graduate students registered with the University's Disability Advisory Service.
Purpose	To support academic-related costs which would previously have been covered by the government's Disabled Students Allowance (DSA).
Quantity	Normally a maximum of £ 200 for equipment, £ 50 per annum for photocopying and consumables.
Clarifications	Awards are not automatic but will be assessed by Loans & Grants Committee; application must be supported by a Student Support Plan (a copy of which is normally held by the Academic Administrator).
Application	While you may apply all year round using the online application form, applications submitted after close of play on Friday of 5 th week each term will go to the Loans & Grants Committee meeting in the following term.
	Each application requires a comment from the relevant College Tutor or Advisor. This is requested by the Finance Bursar's PA upon receipt of applications.

3. Classics, Ancient History and related joint schools - Holbrook & Bickley Rogers Fund

Purpose	Contribution to course-related activities, including pre-matriculation courses, Summer Schools, exceptional book purchases, trips to conferences.
Quantity	Discretionary, typically £ 350 for Greek and Latin language courses, up to £600 for those going to courses at British Schools of Athens or Rome.
Clarifications	 Where courses are residential, the cost of accommodation and travel may be included. For pre-matriculation courses, the grant would normally be paid upon matriculation. Committee will consider advice from the Tutor in Classics or Ancient History when making a decision.
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4. Courses with a focus on the Persia and the Middle East - Khusraw Eghbal Fund

Purpose	 Travel Bursaries to assist with overseas course-related study Primarily for Persian Language, literature and history of Iran, Broader applicability to other students of Oriental Studies and European & Middle Eastern Languages (EMEL) studying the ancient and/or modern languages of the Middle East.
Quantity	Discretionary, typically £ 350 - 400.
Clarifications	Committee will consider advice from the Fellow in Persian or the Professorial Fellow in Iranian Studies when making a decision.
Application	While you may apply all year round using the online application form, applications submitted after close of play on Friday of 5th week each term will go to the Loans & Grants Committee meeting in the following term. Each application requires a comment from the relevant College Tutor or Advisor. This is requested by the Finance Bursar's PA upon receipt of applications.
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5. Middle Eastern, Islamic and South Asian studies - Thomas Family Fund

Purpose	 Contribution towards a project in one of the subject areas above (including but not restricted to the study of religion, history, literature and art). May include a contribution to travel costs.
Quantity	Discretionary, typically up to £ 325.
Clarifications	Committee will consider advice from Tutors in Oriental Studies when making a decision.
Application	While you may apply all year round using the online application form, applications submitted after close of play on Friday of 5th week each term will go to the Loans & Grants Committee meeting in the following term.
	Each application requires a comment from the relevant College Tutor or Advisor. This is requested by the Finance Bursar's PA upon receipt of applications.
	Award holders are expected to write a letter of thanks to the Thomas Family, outlining how the grant has made a difference to them.

6. Clinical Medicine - Medical Equipment Grants

Applicants	All on-course Clinical Medicine students
Purpose	Contribute to cost of small items of necessary medical equipment (e.g. stethoscopes) and books.
Quantity	Typically up to £ 100.
Clarifications	Committee will consider recommendation of Tutors in Medicine or College Advisor when making a decision.
Applications	While you may apply all year round using the online application form, applications submitted after close of play on Friday of 5 th week each term will go to the Loans & Grants Committee meeting in the following term. Each application requires a comment from the relevant College Tutor or Advisor.
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7. Local history research - Wyndham Fund

Purpose	Small discretionary awards to assist students in research in local history.
Quantity	Discretionary, typically £ 100 - £ 200.
Clarifications	"Local History" is taken to mean history focused on a particular area or neighbourhood (but not necessarily local to Oxford).
Application	While you may apply all year round using the online application form, applications submitted after close of play on Friday of 5th week each term will go to the Loans & Grants Committee meeting in the following term.
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8. Thesis printing and Binding Grant

Applicants	Graduates and undergraduates — all subjects
Purpose	Thesis printing and binding – upon submission of Thesis (or Dissertation).
Quantity	Max of £ 95 (per degree course). Up to 100% of costs.
Application	While you may apply all year round using the online application form, applications submitted after close of play on Friday of 5 th week each term will go to the Loans & Grants Committee meeting in the following term.
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For any further details, please contact FBSec@wadham.ox.ac.uk