

Santander Universities Brighter Futures Grants (Autumn 2024)

Terms & Conditions

These Terms and Conditions apply to the Santander Universities Brighter Futures Grants (to be collectively referred to as the “grant”). By applying to the grant, applicants agree to be bound by the following Terms and Conditions.

Eligibility criteria

To be eligible, you must:

1. Be studying an undergraduate or postgraduate degree (part-time or full-time) at one of the following UK universities:

University of Aberdeen	University of Birmingham
Aston University	University of Bradford
Bangor University	University of Brighton
Bath Spa University	University of Chester
Birkbeck University of London	University of East Anglia
Birmingham City University	University of Edinburgh
Bournemouth University	University of Essex
Brunel University London	University of Exeter
Cardiff Metropolitan University	University of Glasgow
Cardiff University	University of Greenwich
Coventry University	University of Hertfordshire
Cranfield University	University of Huddersfield
Durham University	University of Kent
Edinburgh Napier University	University of Leicester
Glasgow Caledonian University	University of Lincoln
Goldsmiths University of London	University of Liverpool
Heriot Watt University	University of Middlesex
Keele University	University of Northampton
Kings College London	University of Northumbria at Newcastle
Lancaster University	University of Plymouth
London Business School	University of Roehampton
Loughborough University	University of Sheffield
Manchester Metropolitan University	University of St Andrews
Newcastle University	University of Stirling
Nottingham Trent University	University of Strathclyde
Oxford Brookes University	University of Sunderland
Queen Margaret University	University of Surrey
Queen's University Belfast	University of Sussex
St Mary's University, Twickenham	University of The West of England

Swansea University	University of Westminster
The Open University	University of Wolverhampton
Ulster University	University of York
University of Abertay	

2. Know your student ID number and provide it via the application form.
3. Check the specific requirements for your university and meet any additional criteria as mentioned on the Santander Universities Brighter Futures Grants (Autumn 2024) landing page.
4. Create an account on the Santander Open Academy Platform (if you're not registered already)

Terms and conditions for the grant

1. All applications must be submitted via the Santander Open Academy Platform from 09:00 (GMT) 14/10/2024 until 23:00 (GMT) 05/12/2024.
2. Upon submitting your application, you must accept the terms and conditions for the grant.
3. You can only apply once (one application per student).
4. Applications not submitted in accordance with these Terms and Conditions, or applications which are delayed, duplicated, incomplete, illegible, mislaid or lost through technical problems will be disqualified. No responsibility is accepted for such entries.
5. Winners will be selected at random (using an online random generator) by their respective university from all valid submissions received. If you wish to find out more about this process, please contact your university. The university's decision on the allocation of the award, in accordance with these terms and conditions, is final. There is no appeal process.
6. It is your responsibility to ensure you read and understand the eligibility criteria and submit your application appropriately, on time and following the application requirements as indicated on the Santander Open Academy Platform.
7. If you are selected as a winner, you must accept the grant within 14 days (by 20/01/2025). You can do this by clicking on the link in the successful email sent by the Santander Open Academy Platform. You can also accept from the 'My Applications' section in your profile menu once logged into the Santander Open Academy Platform. Failure to do this within the time period will result in the grant being reassigned to another student from your university.
8. Once you have accepted the grant, you can expect to hear directly from your university via email within 14 days so they can confirm the grant payment process. Your university is responsible for making the grant payment and determining when the grant is paid to you as per their grant payment process.
9. By participating in the grant application process, you acknowledge that if you accept the award, your university will contact you to inform you of your successful application and discuss further details regarding the grant. Additionally, you may be contacted by your university to inquire if you would be willing to share your grant experience with Santander and the university for testimonial or promotional purposes. Your consent to share your experience with Santander and the university is entirely voluntary, and you are under no obligation to participate in such discussions or provide testimonials. This will not affect your chances of winning the grant.

Data protection

For information on how the participating universities process applicants' personal data, please read the privacy notices below:

University of Aberdeen	University of Birmingham
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Aston University	University of Bradford
Bangor University	University of Brighton
Bath Spa University	University of Chester
Birkbeck University of London	University of East Anglia
Birmingham City University	University of Edinburgh
Bournemouth University	University of Essex
Brunel University London	University of Exeter
Cardiff Metropolitan University	University of Glasgow
Cardiff University	University of Greenwich
Coventry University	University of Hertfordshire
Cranfield University	University of Huddersfield
Durham University	University of Kent
Edinburgh Napier University	University of Leicester
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Lancaster University	University of Plymouth
London Business School	University of Roehampton
Loughborough University	University of Sheffield
Manchester Metropolitan University	University of St Andrews
Newcastle University	University of Stirling
Nottingham Trent University	University of Strathclyde
Oxford Brookes university	University of Sunderland
Queen Margaret University	University of Surrey
Queen's University Belfast	University of Sussex
St Mary's University, Twickenham	University of The West of England
Swansea University	University of Westminster
The Open University	University of Wolverhampton
Ulster University	University of York
University of Abertay	

Key Dates and Selection Process

1. Application process

- You must first register on the Santander Open Academy Platform in order to apply for the grant. Applications are open from 09:00 (GMT) 14/10/2024 and will close at 23:00 (GMT) on 05/12/2024.
- Please ensure that you read the Terms and Conditions before applying.
- You will receive confirmation of your application submission via an email from the Santander Open Academy Platform.

2. Selection process

- Once applications have closed, each university will select 10 winners (from their own institution) at random. This will be done using an online random-selection platform.

3. Winners announced

- You will be told the outcome of your application on 06/01/2025 by 23:00 (GMT) via an email from the Santander Open Academy Platform.

4. Receipt of the grants

- If you are a winner, you must accept the grant within 14 days (by 20/01/2025). You can do this by clicking on the link in the successful email sent by the Santander Open Academy Platform. You can also accept from the 'My Applications' section in your profile menu once logged into the Santander Open Academy Platform.
- Failure to do this within the time period will result in the grant being reassigned to another student from your university.
- Once you have accepted the grant you can expect to hear directly from your university via email within 14 days so they can confirm the grant payment process. Your university is responsible for making the grant payment to you and determining when the grant is paid to you as per their grant payment process.