

## **Student Loan Age Cap 2016-17**

The upper age limit for eligibility for a student living cost loan has now changed from age 55 to 60, following a change in legislation.

This means that eligible students under the age of 60 on the first day of the first academic year of their course (normally 1 August) can now apply for a living cost loan for academic session 2016-17.

We have contacted students affected by this forthcoming increase in the age cap, who have already applied to us for support in 2016-17, to ensure they are aware of this change, and let them know the application process.

Any students who have not applied to us for funding in 2016-17, who think the change in regulations will make them eligible for a living cost loan this year, should contact us on 0300 555 0505 for further advice.

You can find further information about loans for undergraduate students, including repayment terms in our general [funding guide](#).

Information for eligible postgraduate students is available at [http://www.saas.gov.uk/full\\_time/pg/index.htm](http://www.saas.gov.uk/full_time/pg/index.htm).

Only certain postgraduate courses attract living cost loans so please check the 'eligibility' section to find out if your course attracts funding from us.