

West Hatch High School

A Specialist Business and Enterprise School

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Dear Parent/Carer



16-19 Bursary Fund 2018-2019



As your son/daughter has now started at West Hatch in our Sixth Form, I would like to draw your attention to the 16-19 Student Bursary Fund.



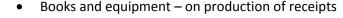
The fund is made available from the government through its funding body, the Education Funding Agency (EFA) for 16-19 year olds, to provide assistance to students whose access to, or completion of, education is inhibited by financial constraints or barriers.



Funds may be typically provided for:



Transport





- Hardship costs, e.g. uniform Additional course costs (e.g. trips and visits)
- Costs of travel to higher education venues
- Other discretionary areas



There are varying levels of eligibility for funding and these include students who are, or may be entitled to free school meals, or students from households with low levels of family income.



It is very simple to apply to the fund. You would just need to complete the attached Bursary Application Form and we can quickly assess whether your son/daughter will be eligible for funding.



If you require any further information then please refer to our Bursary Policy which can be found on the school website under the 6th Form area.



Please note that all applications for funding should be returned to me in Finance no later than Friday 14th



September 2018.



Yours sincerely



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