Student Money and Accommodation Advice

Moving from Foundation Year (0) to Year 1 – getting your student finance application right

# What is a degree with foundation year?

A degree with foundation year has a foundation year (Year 0) integrated into the degree programme. When you apply for funding for a degree with foundation year, this informs Student Finance England that you need funding for a four-year course, not just for three years.

It is important, when moving to year 1 of your course, that you still ask for funding for the four-year course. For example, if you are studying Economics including Foundation Year, when moving to Year 1 you should return the course title as ‘Economics including Foundation Year’, not ‘Economics’. If you apply for a loan for the three-year course instead when going into Year 1, Student Finance England will think you have transferred to a different course, and this will cause a reduction in years of funding entitlement.

If you are changing your course, please contact the Student Money and Accommodation Team for an appointment using our [booking form](https://forms.office.com/e/bLhQwsvH5e).

# Should I apply for the three-year course now I am going into Year 1?

No, keep the course title listed on your application as the degree with foundation (4 years). There is a table at the end of this information sheet with all of the degree with foundation year titles and UCAS codes to help you select the right course when applying. You just need to tell them that you are going into year 1 of the degree with foundation year. This will ensure that your funding is calculated for the full four years of the course, rather than only three years.

# How does Student Finance England assess my loan entitlement?

Student Finance England usually allows full-time students enough funding for the length of their course, plus one year, minus any years of previous study. Please see our previous study sheet for more information: [www.londonmet.ac.uk/advice](http://www.londonmet.ac.uk/advice)

# What should I do if I have already applied for the three-year course in error?

If you have not yet re-enrolled please update the course details using your online Student Finance England account. If you have already re-enrolled, contact the University’s Fee and Funding team at [feequery@londonmet.ac.uk](mailto:feequery@londonmet.ac.uk) and ask them to send Student Finance England a change of circumstances notice to correct the course details.

Whilst the information on the application is incorrect, the University may be unable to confirm your attendance which could delay your student funding payments.

# I started my foundation course in February, do I apply for September start funding for year 1?

Although you may be starting your new modules in September, it is very important that you continue to apply for February-start funding throughout the whole of your course. Please see our [February start information sheet](https://student.londonmet.ac.uk/life-at-london-met/student-services/student-money-and-accommodation/) for further information.

# How to contact us

Please visit [www.londonmet.ac.uk/advice](http://www.londonmet.ac.uk/advice) for contact information or complete our [booking form](https://forms.office.com/e/bLhQwsvH5e) to book an appointment with an adviser.

# What are the UCAS codes for the extended degrees?

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| Course Name | UCAS Code |
| Accounting and Finance (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | N403 |
| Airline, Airport and Aviation Management (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | H491 |
| Architecture (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | K102 |
| Art and Design (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W007 |
| Banking and Finance (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | N349 |
| Biomedical Science (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | B902 |
| Business Management (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | N210 |
| Business Management and Marketing (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | NN16 |
| Chemistry (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | F103 |
| Computer Networking and Cloud Security (including foundation year) - BEng (Hons) | H204 |
| Computer Networking and Cyber Security (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | GG7M |
| Computer Science (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | G407 |
| Computer Systems Engineering and Robotics (including foundation year) - BEng (Hons) | HG67 |
| Computing (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | G405 |
| Creative Writing and English Literature (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | WQ12 |
| Criminology (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | M931 |
| Data Science (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | D301 |
| Digital Forensics and Cyber Security (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | G553 |
| Digital Media (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | G456 |
| Early Childhood Studies (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | X1X1 |
| Economics (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | L110 |
| Education (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | X302 |
| Electronics and Internet of Things (including foundation year) - BEng (Hons) | H211 |
| Events Management (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | NN86 |
| Fashion (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W224 |
| Fashion Marketing and Journalism (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | NP6M |
| Fashion Photography (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W645 |
| Fashion Textiles (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | LM54 |
| Film and Television Production (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | P315 |
| Film and Television Studies (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | P304 |
| Fine Art (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W122 |
| Forensic Science (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | F413 |
| Games Animation, Modelling and Effects (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | G404 |
| Games Programming (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | GG50 |
| Graphic Design (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W216 |
| Health and Social Care (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | L504 |
| Human Nutrition (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | B405 |
| Illustration and Animation (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W241 |
| Interior Architecture and Design (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W252 |
| Interior Design (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | WK27 |
| Interior Design and Decoration (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W267 |
| International Business Management (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | N124 |
| International Relations (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | L252 |
| Journalism (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | P512 |
| Journalism, Film and Television Studies (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | L507 |
| Law (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | M102 |
| Marketing (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | N503 |
| Mathematical Sciences (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | G111 |
| Mathematics (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | G110 |
| Media and Communications (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | PPH8 |
| Music Business (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W303 |
| Music Technology and Production (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | W306 |
| Pharmaceutical Science (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | B232 |
| Pharmacology (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | B211 |
| Photography (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W123 |
| Psychology (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | C803 |
| Social Work (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | L505 |
| Sociology (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | L221 |
| Sports Therapy (including foundation year) - BSc (Hons) | CB65 |
| Textiles (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | W226 |
| Tourism and Travel Management (including foundation year) - BA (Hons) | N837 |

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