

Fees Schedule
Newcastle University
2011-2012

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**NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY
FEES SCHEDULE
ACADEMIC YEAR 2011-2012**

1 INTRODUCTION

This document contains information about the fees for our programmes of study for the academic year 2011/2012. However, please note that the fees stated are for 2011/2012 ONLY. Fees are payable for each year of your programme of study, unless stated otherwise (eg fee per 10-credit module), and are likely to increase in subsequent years.

Students studying English Language, Foundation or Pre-Master's programmes at INTO Newcastle University should refer to the information provided by INTO Newcastle University.

1.1 CHANGES TO FEES

Home/EU Undergraduate and home/EU PGCE students, and those who commenced study in 2006/2007 or after, will be charged a tuition fee of £3,375. Students already studying at the University prior to 2006/2007, or those who deferred their entry from 2005 to 2006 and who received their offer for their course before 1 August 2005, will be charged £1,345. Students liable to pay the fee of £1,345 should refer to Student Finance England (or equivalent bodies in Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales) for information about means-tested financial support for fees for which they may be eligible.

All UK and EU students may choose to defer fee payment in part or in full until after they graduate, by taking out a fee loan through the Student Loans Company. Full information about the Government's student loans for maintenance and fees as well as University Bursary schemes for students entering Higher Education from 2006 is available in the University's Pre-Arrival Booklet sent to all new students from July and in the Student Handbook distributed to all new students at Registration. Information is also available on government websites, see: www.dcsf.gov.uk/studentsupport/ or www.direct.gov.uk/studentfinance (and at equivalent websites for Scottish, Welsh and EU students) and from the University's website and the 2011 Guide to Student Finance (PDF: 478KB) at <http://www.ncl.ac.uk/undergraduate/finance/>

1.1.1 Equal or Lower Qualifications (ELQs)

UK and EU applicants should be aware that, following changes to the way in which the UK government subsidises the study of UK and EU students, any applicant already in possession of a qualification at the same level, or higher, than the qualification they are applying to study, may be charged a higher fee than those quoted here. The ELQ status of a student is assessed annually.

Applicants who already have an enhanced first degree at undergraduate level (eg MChem, MEng, MMath) which is considered equivalent to a postgraduate masters degree and who now wish to study for postgraduate qualification, are also subject to these changes.

Exceptions:

Students in receipt of Disabled Students Allowance.

Students applying to register on the MBBS, BDS or a programme leading to RIBA recognised qualification in Architecture.

All students applying to register on a research degree.

Students already holding a Bachelors degree, who are applying to register on an enhanced first degree at undergraduate level (eg MEng), for as long as they are registered on that degree. However, if a student already holding a bachelors degree and registered on an enhanced first degree, then transfers from their enhanced first degree to a bachelors degree, they will no longer be exempt.

In 2011 Newcastle will not impose a higher fee on students who fall under the ELQ definition, but reserves the right to do so in future.

1.2 CONDITIONS

Fees for individual programmes can be viewed via the programme lists at:

<http://www.ncl.ac.uk/undergraduate/degrees/courses> for undergraduate study and at

<http://wwwstage.ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/search/list/courses/all> for postgraduate study.

Information on paying tuition fees can be found at: <http://www.ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/funding/fees/>

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A student who fails to pay tuition fees, or in respect of whom tuition fees are not paid by a grant-awarding body or other sponsor, by the due date and who cannot show reasonable cause and give a satisfactory assurance as to payment will be excluded from further study in the University.

Under the regulations of the University, no degree, diploma or certificate shall be conferred upon any person owing money to the University.

1.3 OTHER NOTES

These fees are composite fees, except where stated otherwise in this Schedule or in any other official University publication. They include matriculation, registration, tuition or supervision, library, examination, re-examination as an internal candidate and graduation fees. Membership of the Union Society does not entail payment of a separate fee. Instead, the Students' Union receives an allocation from the University towards the cost of providing services which are available to all students.

Composite fees do not include accommodation fees (for further information see <http://www.ncl.ac.uk/undergraduate/accommodation/>) or certain incidental fees.

Students resitting one or more modules as an external candidate will be charged a fee of £220 for the year. (This is a separate charge from the administrative charge made to students who choose to sit their resits in another location.) An external candidate is a student who, following the August resit period, still has outstanding resit requirements, which they must complete before they can progress to the next stage of their studies.

Some programmes have additional expenses such as fieldwork, visits, drawing materials, printing etc (see section 16, Expenses for fieldwork, vacation courses, etc).

2 DEFINITIONS

2.1 HOME AND INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Different fees are charged for home/EU students and international students. Clarification for the eligibility of students to pay home fees can be found at <http://www.ukcisa.org.uk/>

Any student not eligible to pay home/EU fees (or Island fees, as listed in paragraph 2.3, below) will be classed as *International*.

2.2 RECIPROCAL EXCHANGE STUDENT

A person who was admitted to his/her course under arrangements with an institution outside the United Kingdom for the exchange of students on a fully reciprocal basis.

2.3 ISLAND STUDENTS

NOTE: *Island Fees are usually not confirmed between UUK and the Islands Governments until the May preceding the year of study.*

A person who is domiciled in the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man.

Standard undergraduate fees for Island students are as follows:

| | Variable Fee Exempt Undergraduate Students (who were in the system before 2006/07) | Variable Fee paying Undergraduate Students | Postgraduate |
|--|--|---|--------------|
| Band 1 (see Fee Band Definitions below – excluding HEFCE Band C programmes) | £4,899 | £6,194 | The |
| HEFCE Band C programmes | £6,369 | £7,768 | appropriate |
| Band 2 (see Fee Band Definitions below – excluding HEFCE Band C programmes) | £8,329 | £9,867 | Home and |
| Band 3 (see Fee Band Definitions below) | £19,598 | £21,938 | Excepted Fee |

Note: *HEFCE Band C for Island students includes: all undergraduate programmes in the School of Architecture, Planning and Landscape;*

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all undergraduate programmes in the School of Mathematics and Statistics;
all undergraduate programmes in the School of Computing Science.
all undergraduate programmes in the School of Modern Languages;
C800 in the School of Psychology;
L701/F800/FH82 in Geography in the School of Geography, Politics and Sociology;
E100/W150/W300/W301/W304/W340 in the School of Arts and Cultures;
V400/V490 in Archaeology in the School of Historical Studies.

2.4 FEE BAND DEFINITIONS

Band 1 – applies to the majority of programmes in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences and exceptional programmes in the other two faculties. This fee band applies to academic disciplines with a predominance of class-room based research and study.

Band 2 – applies to the majority of programmes in the Faculty of Science, Agriculture & Engineering, the Faculty of Medical Sciences and to exceptional programmes in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences. This fee band applies to academic disciplines with a predominance of laboratory or studio based research and study.

Band 2a – applies only to individual postgraduate research programmes deemed by the Head of School to have a considerable element of intensive laboratory and/or fieldwork (this only applies to students not in receipt of a Research Training Support Grant).

Band 2b – applies only to individual postgraduate research programmes deemed by the Head of School to be substantially based on high-cost laboratory, clinical and/or fieldwork particular to the project (this only applies to students not in receipt of a Research Training Support Grant).

Band 2c – applies only to individual postgraduate research programmes deemed by the Head of School to be substantially based on very high-cost laboratory, clinical and/or fieldwork particular to the project (this only applies to students not in receipt of a Research Training Support Grant).

Band 3 – applies only to clinical medical and dental study and individual postgraduate research programmes deemed by the Head of School to be heavily reliant on sophisticated laboratory, clinical and/or fieldwork specifically tailored to the project (this only applies to students not in receipt of a Research Training Support Grant).

Band 4 – applies only to individual postgraduate research programmes which require specific and identified research costs, these costs to be identified and added to the standard band 3 fee and approved by the Dean of Postgraduate Studies (this only applies to students not in receipt of a Research Training Support Grant).

3 STANDARD UNDERGRADUATE FEES

Undergraduate fees for full-time Home students

| | Home and Excepted |
|--|----------------------|
| Students who commenced study in 2006/2007 or since | £3,375 |
| Students who commenced study before 2006/2007 | £1,345 |

Undergraduate fees for full-time International students

| | International |
|--------|---------------|
| Band 1 | £10,840 |
| Band 2 | £13,900 |
| Band 3 | £25,735 |

By default programmes of study less than 120 credits will be charged on a *pro rata* basis according to number of credits.

Undergraduate fees for part-time students

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A fee for each 10 credits will be charged at pro-rata the full-time rate (a maximum of 60 credits may be taken in any one academic year)

Placement fees

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| Placement year for undergraduates paying the higher Home/EU fee | £845 |
| Placement year for undergraduates paying the lower Home/EU fee | £665 |
| Placement year for international undergraduate students | £845 |
| Certificate in Architectural Practice | £845 |

Undergraduate fees for repeating students

Undergraduate students permitted to repeat part, or all, of a year of study shall pay the appropriate full-time fee if registering for more than 60 credits in an academic year. Students repeating 60 credits or less in an academic year shall pay the appropriate fee for the number of credits taken.

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| Exceptions – Faculty of Medical Sciences: | Home and Excepted | International |
| MBBS Stage 4 repeat study part-year | Half the appropriate full-time fee | £12,870 |
| BDS final year repeat study part-year | One third the appropriate full-time fee | £8,580 |

Non-standard Fees

Fees for individual programmes can be viewed via the programme lists at:
<http://www.ncl.ac.uk/undergraduate/degrees/courses>

4 STANDARD POSTGRADUATE FEES

Research programmes with a considerable element of high-cost laboratory work might, at the head of School's discretion, fall into Band 2a, 2b or 3 (see definitions of fee bands, above).

Part-time students are normally expected to receive tuition and/or be in attendance for up to half the hours per week applicable to students registered full-time for similar programmes. By default all part-time students will be charged on a *pro rata* basis to the full-time fee, based on the number of credits.

Home, Research Council sponsored students receive a discount on their fees and pay a fee of £3,732 (£1,866 part time).

| | | | (or students who began their studies 2006/7 or earlier) | |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|--|-----------|
| | Full Time | Half Time | Full Time | Half Time |
| Home Fees | | | | |
| Postgraduate Taught | | | | |
| Band 1&2 | £4,450 | £2,225 | £4,140 | £2,070 |
| Band 3 | £13,525 | £6,760 | £13,525 | £6,760 |
| Postgraduate Research | | | | |
| Band 1&2 | £4,275 | £2,140 | £3,980 | £1,990 |
| Band 2a | £6,775 | £3,390 | £6,260 | £3,130 |
| Band 2b | £9,275 | £4,640 | £7,500 | £3,750 |
| Band 2c | £10,775 | £5,390 | | |
| Band 3 | £13,275 | £6,640 | £13,275 | £6,640 |
| International Fees | | | | |
| Postgraduate Taught | | | | |
| Band 1 | £10,840 | £5,420 | | |
| Band 2 | £13,900 | £6,950 | | |
| Band 3 | £22,800 | £11,400 | | |
| Postgraduate Research | | | | |
| Band 1 | £10,630 | £5,315 | | |
| Band 2 | £13,900 | £6,950 | | |

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| Band 2a | £16,400 | £8,200 |
| Band 2b | £18,900 | £9,450 |
| Band 2c | £20,400 | £10,200 |
| Band 3 | £22,900 | £11,450 |

Home and International Band 4 - To be determined on an individual basis, depending upon the costs of the research project

In exceptional cases, where a postgraduate research degree is undertaken in a Faculty that normally attracts Band 2 or equivalent fees but the specific research to be undertaken does not involve a substantial amount of studio, laboratory or clinical work a **lower International fee** – normally Band 1 or equivalent – may be charged at the discretion of the Academic Registrar.

Marie Curie Scheme

Marie Curie Scheme trainees from *recognised associated states* pay the Home and Excepted fee rate. Students will be charged a *pro rata* fee by month of study.

Non-standard Fees

Fees for individual programmes can be viewed via the programme lists at:

<http://wwwstage.ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/search/list/courses/all>

5 FEES APPLICABLE FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2011/12 TO RESEARCH DEGREE CANDIDATES COMPLETING THEIR MINIMUM PERIOD OF CANDIDATURE AFTER 31ST JULY 2009 (EXCLUDES STAFF CANDIDATES)

Candidates who have completed their minimum candidature are regarded as being *pending submission* students. Those who request to extend beyond their maximum candidature are termed *extended submission* students.

- Both pending submission and extended submission students requiring significant resources (e.g. full supervision, full library or computer access, or access to laboratory and/or workspace facilities) must register as a fully registered student and pay the appropriate tuition fee. See (i) below.
- Pending submission students who no longer require full supervision and facilities support will, after minimum candidature and for one year only, pay a reduced pending submission fee. See (ii) below.
- Extended submission students who no longer require full supervision and facilities support will pay the fee listed in (iii) below.
- If a student withdraws from registration and then submits, the fee will be charged for all years that the registration was in abeyance.

It should be noted that if submission is earlier than the minimum prescribed period, the fees will still be required to be paid for the whole candidature.

Tuition fee rates

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| (i) All candidates requiring full facilities and support pay, whether within or outside of their candidature. | The normal tuition fee for the programme |
| (ii) Pending submission candidates requiring reduced support, part-time and full-time, who do not fall into category (i) above. | £0** |
| (iii) Extended submission candidates, part-time and full-time, who do not fall into category (i) above. | £2,000 |

** **Note:** Students who are not actively engaged in continued research, and who have completed their minimum candidature, will be charged a zero fee for their Pending Submission Year. The decision about whether a student is eligible for the zero fee will be made on an individual basis, by the Faculty Dean of Postgraduate Studies. Students who are deemed to be still engaged in active research will pay a further full year fee. The zero fee will take effect from registration for the 2011/12 academic year and will not be applied retrospectively.

6 WRITING UP MASTERS STUDENTS

| | full-time | part-time |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Postgraduate taught masters degrees by dissertation, after the completion of the period of full-time or part-time registration prescribed by the regulations. | £675 | £340 |

7 FEES APPLICABLE DURING THE WRITING-UP PERIOD FOR CANDIDATES REGISTERED AS WRITING UP BEFORE 1ST AUGUST 2009

| | full-time | part-time |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| 'Full-time (writing-up)' fee for candidates for postgraduate degrees by thesis and postgraduate taught masters degrees by dissertation after the completion of the period of full-time or part-time registration prescribed by the regulations. | £675 | £340 |

8 EXAMINATION FEES

Candidates for certain postgraduate degrees who are not required to register pay the following fees for examination on each occasion of submission or re-submission.

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| DDS, DEng, DLitt, DSc, LLD and MD students whose MD candidature was approved under pre-October 1994 regulations | £1,505 |
| MPhil | £325 |

9 OCCASIONAL STUDENTS

Occasional Students may study at either undergraduate or postgraduate level, but will not receive an award from this university for their studies.

Occasional student status does not apply to students registered under formal exchange agreements.

The occasional student fee for taught students will be pro rata the fee for the equivalent full-time award bearing course, based upon the credit value of the modules being studied.

The fees for an Occasional Research student and any other student not studying modules, will be £135 per month for full-time study (£70 per month for part-time study) with an additional facilities/consumables fee set by the Faculty.

All fees must be agreed in advance of the student's arrival

10 STUDY ABROAD STUDENTS NOT UNDERTAKING ENGLISH LANGUAGE TUITION

Study Abroad students (i.e. those not pursuing a programme leading to a named Award of this University but who will be assessed for the work that they complete during their time here) pay the appropriate full-time fee, less 10% for undergraduates paying International fees.

11 FEES FOR STAFF CANDIDATES FOR HIGHER DEGREES FROM 2008 ENTRY

Employees of the University who have a substantive post with the University who wish to apply to undertake a part-time postgraduate programme may be eligible to pay the reduced staff rate for their programme of study. An employee undertaking a postgraduate programme must have permission of the relevant Head of School/ Service and Dean of Postgraduate Studies in addition to fulfilling the eligibility and academic criteria of the programme.

Note: For the purpose of agreeing a staff fee, a substantive post is defined as being a contract of employment of at least 25% FTE over a full 12 months period, and covering the annual period of registration. This does not include people who were initially Students and then employed by the University, e.g. as demonstrators, General Duty Assistants, Laboratory Technicians, etc.

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- a. Research degree programmes (this fee will be applied to all employees meeting the above criteria, including Research Assistants, Research Associates and Research Fellows)

The Staff Fee per annum will equate to 50% of the appropriate home programme fee

It should be noted that if submission is earlier than the minimum prescribed period the fees will still be required to be paid for the whole candidature.

Note: The staff candidate fee for research degree programmes may also be available to those holding Honorary Senior Lecturer, Honorary Clinical Senior Lecturer, Associate Lecturer, Associate Researcher, Associate Clinical Lecturer, Associate Clinical Researcher, Associate Clinical Teacher or Knowledge Transfer Partner appointments with the University.

- b. Part-time taught programmes, where available (the availability of places for University employees will be determined by the relevant Degree Programme Director).

University employees are eligible to pay 50% of the standard home part-time fee, per annum, plus any premium fee which has been added for the programme concerned. For programmes charged on a modular basis, the fee will be 50% of the standard fee for the module, plus any premium fee added to the module.

12 FEES FOR STAFF CANDIDATES FOR HIGHER DEGREES FOR 2007 ENTRY AND EARLIER

Members of staff of the University who applied to undertake a part-time postgraduate programme in 2007 or earlier, in order to enhance their ability to carry out their current or agreed future work within the University and approved as eligible can pay the reduced staff rate for the postgraduate programme. Both full-time and part-time members of staff are eligible for the reduced rate, provided that they hold an appointment which extends to cover the prescribed period of registration for the degree.

- a. Research Associates, ie Research Assistants, Clinical Research Associates and Fellows, and all Honorary Appointments:
Normal period of study (4 years for a PhD, 2 years for masters degrees)
- | | |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Fee per annum (Year 5) | £1,735 |
| Fee per annum (Years 6+) | £1,165 |
- Shorter period of study (for those engaged full-time on their research) Fee per annum £2,310
- b. Other University employed Academic staff candidates for research degrees by thesis:
- | | |
|----------------------------|------|
| On approval of candidature | £260 |
| On submission of thesis | £635 |
- c. **Masters' degrees by taught programme (part-time) per annum (Student regulations apply. Applicants should consult their Graduate School about the availability of these programmes.) £475

***Note: Where the part-time fee for a specific taught Masters' programme is higher than the standard part-time postgraduate fee the staff fee payable will be the fee shown in (d) above plus the difference between the standard part-time postgraduate fee and the fee for the specific programme.*

13 LATE REGISTRATION FEE

For any full-time, part-time or occasional students who register after the proper time, an additional fee of £65 may be charged at the discretion of the Student Progress Service.

14 LATE PAYMENT FEE

For late payment of the initial composition fee or for late payment of each composition fee instalment, including where agreed direct debit payment arrangements which have not been met, an additional fee of £25 may be charged at the discretion of the Student Progress Service.

15 FULL TIME FEES FOR FUTURE YEARS

As a guide, part-time and sub-degree fees are usually set at a level that reflects the reduced number of credits studied in a year.

| | For students who begin their studies in 2012/13 or later | For students who began their studies between 2007/8 and 2011/12 | For students who began their studies in 2006/7 or earlier |
|--|---|--|--|
| Home Fees for 2012/2013: | | | |
| Postgraduate Taught | | | |
| Band 1&2 Masters Fee | tbc | £4,585 | £4,265 |
| Band 3 Masters Fee | tbc | £13,930 | £13,930 |
| Postgraduate Research | | | |
| Band 1&2 | £4,320 | £4,320 | £4,020 |
| Band 2a | £6,845 | £6,845 | £6,325 |
| Band 2b | £9,370 | £9,370 | £7,575 |
| Band 2c | £10,885 | £10,885 | - |
| Band 3 | £13,410 | £13,410 | £13,410 |
| Home Fees for 2013/2014 are expected to be in the order of: | | | |
| Postgraduate Taught | | | |
| Band 1&2 Masters Fee | tbc | £4,725 | £4,395 |
| Band 3 Masters Fee | tbc | £14,350 | £14,350 |
| Postgraduate Research | | | |
| Band 1&2 | £4,365 | £4,365 | £4,060 |
| Band 2a | £6,915 | £6,915 | £6,390 |
| Band 2b | £9,465 | £9,465 | £7,650 |
| Band 2c | £10,995 | £10,995 | - |
| Band 3 | £13,545 | £13,545 | £13,545 |
| Home Fees for 2014/2015 are expected to be in the order of: | | | |
| Postgraduate Taught | | | |
| Band 1&2 Masters Fee | tbc | £4,865 | £4,525 |
| Band 3 Masters Fee | tbc | £14,780 | £14,780 |
| Postgraduate Research | | | |
| Band 1&2 | £4,410 | £4,410 | £4,100 |
| Band 2a | £6,985 | £6,985 | £6,455 |
| Band 2b | £9,560 | £9,560 | £7,725 |
| Band 2c | £11,105 | £11,105 | - |
| Band 3 | £13,680 | £13,680 | £13,680 |

As a guide, postgraduate part-time and sub-degree fees are usually set at a level that reflects the reduced number of credits studied in a year.

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| | All Years of Study |
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| International Fees for 2012/2013: | |
| Undergraduate | |
| Band 1 | £11,165 |
| Band 2 | £14,320 |
| Band 3 | £26,510 |
| Postgraduate Taught | |
| Band 1 Masters Fee | £11,165 |
| Band 2 Masters Fee | £14,320 |
| Band 3 Masters Fee | £23,485 |
| Postgraduate Research | |
| Band 1 | £10,735 |
| Band 2 | £14,040 |
| Band 2a | £16,565 |
| Band 2b | £19,090 |
| Band 2c | £20,605 |
| Band 3 | £23,130 |

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| International Fees for 2013/2014: | |
| Undergraduate | |
| Band 1 | £11,500 |
| Band 2 | 14,750 |
| Band 3 | 27,305 |
| Postgraduate Taught | |
| Band 1 Masters Fee | £11,500 |
| Band 2 Masters Fee | 14,750 |
| Band 3 Masters Fee | 24,190 |
| Postgraduate Research | |
| Band 1 | £10,840 |
| Band 2 | £14,180 |
| Band 2a | £16,730 |
| Band 2b | £19,280 |
| Band 2c | £20,810 |
| Band 3 | £23,360 |

International Fees for 2014/2015 are expected to be in the order of:

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|-----------------------|---------|
| Undergraduate | |
| Band 1 | £11,845 |
| Band 2 | £15,195 |
| Band 3 | £28,125 |
| Postgraduate Taught | |
| Band 1 Masters Fee | £11,845 |
| Band 2 Masters Fee | £15,195 |
| Band 3 Masters Fee | £24,915 |
| Postgraduate Research | |
| Band 1 | £10,950 |
| Band 2 | £14,320 |
| Band 2a | £16,895 |
| Band 2b | £19,470 |
| Band 2c | £21,015 |
| Band 3 | £23,590 |

As a guide, postgraduate part-time and sub-degree fees are usually set at a level that reflects the reduced number of credits studied in a year.

16 EXPENSES FOR FIELDWORK, VACATION COURSES, ETC

Students taking programmes of study in certain subjects may expect to incur additional expenses on necessary fieldwork, vacation courses, visits and projects, etc. These expenses could occur in each year in which a subject is taken. Please contact the school concerned for details about figures. Students must also expect to incur costs each year for books and equipment.

External and Vacation Studies

Some schools may make sums of money available to undergraduate students who are eligible, or potentially eligible, for support from local authorities (or equivalent bodies) in the UK towards the Home Student Tuition Fee Contribution, to help towards the expenses of field courses and vacation study and the additional cost of residential study away from the University in term time. Students should ask the head of their school for details.

The University is unable to make any contribution towards expenses incurred in external and vacation studies to those students who are not in receipt of support from local authorities (or equivalent bodies) in the UK and such students must budget accordingly.

The following information gives more detailed examples of the type of activities which may require additional expenses in some areas:

- Students of modern foreign languages are expected, as an integral part of their programme, to spend a period in a country where the language of their choice is spoken.
- Students of Architecture, Fine Art and Town and Country Planning are similarly expected to travel in this country or abroad. A contribution towards the costs of essential study abroad may be obtained from the school concerned.
- Students of Music are expected to pursue a systematic practical study of a musical instrument or the voice.
- Students taking Archaeology/History of Art in Stages 2 and 3 of the Combined Honours, Joint Honours and Single Honours degrees, and as a subsidiary or special subject, undertake approved fieldwork in vacations in accordance with the regulations.
- Medical students, as part of their studies, will spend periods of time based at hospitals throughout the Northern Region. This may entail them living away from Newcastle. As part of their elective period at the end of the fourth year students may, if they wish, travel abroad.

Additional Costs

In addition, all students should be aware that there may be additional costs applicable to their programme for such items as books, instruments etc. This will vary between subject areas and students should contact the appropriate head of school for detail.