

UNIVERSITY SUPPORT FOR CARE EXPERIENCED STUDENTS

Here you can see the support available, pre and post entry, for care experienced students in each of our partnered university institutions. This information applies to the 2023/24 academic years, and will be updated should any details change.

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION	GENERAL CONTACT	STAFF MEMBER	EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER	FINANCIAL SUPPORT	ADMISSIONS	ACCOMODATION	GENERAL SUPPORT	OTHER	NNECL QUALITY MARK
EDGE HILL UNIVERSITY	wideningaccessand-participation@edgehill.ac.uk	Anna Wooley	wideningaccessandparticipation@edgehill.ac.uk	01695 657352	£1,000 Bursary per year available for eligible students. Eligibility here.	Contact team	365 day accommodation available for three years of the degree course.	Dedicated support from the Student Support team pre and post entry, Wellbeing team support. Support available for liaising with Local Authority staff, including Personal Education Plans.	Careers Service support and Money Advice team support to help you financially. EHU student buddy system available for Open Days and Offer Holder Days, bespoke visits to meet relevant support teams prior to starting. Additional support available around results.	Yes
LIVERPOOL HOPE UNIVERSITY	Online form here	Andee Moorcroft	moorcra@hope.ac.uk	0151 291 3827	Eligible to apply for the Access to Hope Scholarship worth £3,000 per year over the normal period of study. Eligibility here.	Contact team	Support in securing 365 day accommodation during studies.	Dedicated support from Student Development & Wellbeing team. Can also act as a link between the University, your Local Authority and other services.	Financial support from the Student Development & Wellbeing team.	
LIVERPOOL INSTITUTE FOR PERFORMING ARTS (LIPA)	student.support@lipa.ac.uk		student.support@lipa.ac.uk	0151 330 3013	Audition fee waivers & travel grants for pre-entry students. Eligible for a £1,000 per year bursary. Eligibility here.	Contextual consideration at admissions stage. For more info contact admissions@lipa.ac.uk		Bespoke support provided throughout your studies by the Student Wellbeing and Disability team.	Pre-audition and interview preparation support from current LIPA students or graduates.	
LIVERPOOL JOHN MOORES UNIVERSITY	outreach@ljmu.ac.uk	Philip Bakstad	p.bakstad@ljmu.ac.uk	0151 231 3149	The John Lennon Imagine Award, a yearly bursary of a minimum of £1,000. Eligibility here.	Contextual admissions	365 day accommodation available in Liverpool John Moores University partner accommodation.	Bespoke package of support pre and post entry from the dedicated staff member for care experienced students, Phil Bakstad. Can also act as a link between the University, your Local Authority and other services.	Support when applying for student funding, a package of bespoke support including a mentor should you wish. Referral support to other LJMU services.	Yes
UNIVERSITY OF CHESTER	outreach@chester.ac.uk	Rebecca Hughes & Helen Cooper	r.hughes@chester.ac.uk & Helen.cooper@chester.ac.uk		Bursary of £1,500 including a £1,000 fee waiver. Eligibility here.	Contextual admissions	365 day accommodation available, and a 50% discount on University owned accommodation throughout your studies.	Dedicated support from a member of staff, can also act as a link between the University, your Local Authority and other services.	Access to support from the Careers & Employability team alongside support to apply for the Chester Employability fund.	
UNIVERSITY OF LIVERPOOL	disruptededucation@liverpool.ac.uk	Ben Toleman	btoleman@liverpool.ac.uk	077 4123 7106	£3,000 Bursary per year available for eligible students not on an NHS funded programme. Eligibility here.	Contextual admissions - 2 grade reduced offer. Not applicable to clinical programmes.	365 day accommodation available, with a discount of up to £1,000.	Support from the Student Welfare, Advice and Guidance team throughout your studies. Can also act as a link between the University, your Local Authority and other services.	Support with transport to participate in Open Days and Applicant Discovery Days on campus, as well as the opportunity to apply to work as a Student Advocate with the Widening Participation and Outreach team.	Yes