

POSTGRADUATE PROGRESSION AWARD – ADDITIONAL NOTES

AN AWARD IN THE FORM OF A FEE DISCOUNT FOR ON-CAMPUS POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS, WHO ARE CONSIDERED FALMOUTH ALUMNI, COMMENCING THEIR COURSE IN 2019.

Qualifying Alumni

- Students who completed an undergraduate degree with either Falmouth University or Dartington College of Arts will qualify as alumni for the purposes of this award.
- Additionally, students who completed an undergraduate degree validated by Falmouth University through one of the following partner organisations, will also qualify: Academy of Contemporary Music (ACM), Cornwall College, Fashion Retail Academy (FRA), Detroit Institute of Music Education (DIME).
- Students who studied with the above institutions for any other qualification, will not be considered. This includes students who (only) completed the Foundation Diploma or a masters qualification.
- Qualifying undergraduate courses can have been completed at any time in the past, and includes 2019 graduates.

Applicant criteria

- Only applicants to masters' courses (MA/MSc) taught on campus at Falmouth University will be considered. This includes part-time on campus courses such as MA Illustration.
- Only applicants for full masters courses will be considered. Applicants for a PG Certificate, PG Diploma, short courses, the PGCHE, Launchpad or PhD/Research will not be considered.
- Applicants who already hold a postgraduate qualification (from any institution) will not be considered.
- All student fee statuses will be considered (UK, EU and International).
- Only new entrants to postgraduate study will be considered. Currently enrolled/intermitting postgraduate students will not be considered. Alumni who have part completed a masters course at Falmouth University and are now withdrawn, will only be considered if no form of discount was applied to their previous course fees.
- Applicants holding a deferred place from a previous academic year will not be considered.

Award amount and effect on fee liability

- The award will constitute a 15% reduction in course tuition fees, for those that complete the full academic year.
- Recipients will have the option to pay the remaining fees across equal instalments, as per individual agreement with the Falmouth University Income Team.
- Students who withdraw or intermit mid-year will be liable to pay the full rate of fees for the period attended, with no discount being applied.

- Students on part-time (2 year) courses, such as MA Illustration, will have the 15% discount applied in each year, as per the above points. If such a student withdraws part way through year 2 of the course, then the discount will be applied to year 1 but not year 2.
- Applicants are still required to pay the full fee deposit upon application to the course, as instructed.
- All applicants who qualify will receive the award.

Application and allocation

- Students only need apply for the course; not the Progression Award
- Qualifying applicants will be automatically identified by the Income Team during the enrolment period and first few weeks of study.

**The Postgraduate Progression Award is only confirmed for the 2019/20 academic year.
Details are yet to be confirmed for 2020 entrants to postgraduate study.**

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