College Fee Support Policy and Guidance 2023/24

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1. Purpose

1.1 WM College is committed to supporting learners facing financial difficulty in their journey to achieve their learning aim in an Adult Education funded course. WM College is funded by the Greater London Authority (GLA) and the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) and has chosen to allocate some funding to a College

5. Levels of Financial Support

Once an application has been received, it will be assessed, based on the individual circumstances of the applicant. Where we can provide financial assistance for the payment of fees it will be calculated as follows:

- 5.1 Funding from the College Fee Support fund is only available for courses funded by the GLA or ESFA under the Adult Education Budget funding stream.
- 5.2 Formula-funded courses
- 5.2.1 Learnerscorf 6461/197/1542/bled firsts, who do not quality for any other fee remission and are assessed to pay a fee, can apply to the CFS for help with those course fees. If eligible, they can have up to 50% of their course fees met by the fund up to a maximum of £1,000 or for six courses, whichever is reached first
- 6 Eligible Learners
- 6.1 Learners who, at the time of enrolment, are on a low household income and/or in receipt of a means tested benefit, which totals less than £26,000 may be eligible for CFS. Learners must be enrolling on a WM College course that is funded under the Adult Education Budget stream. The fund will be distributed

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