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WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2015 No. 54**

**The Education (Student Support) (Wales) Regulations 2015**

**PART 5**

**GRANTS FOR LIVING COSTS**

**Special support grant – new system eligible students who are not new cohort students**

**41.**—(1) The maximum amount of special support grant available to a new system eligible student who is not a new cohort student in respect of an academic year is—

- (a) in the case of a type 1 teacher training student, £1,500;
- (b) in the case of a type 2 teacher training student, £3,000;
- (c) in the case of a type 3 teacher training student, £1,500; and
- (d) in the case of a new system eligible student other than a type 1, type 2 or type 3 teacher training student, £3,000.

(2) A type 1 teacher training student who qualifies for special support grant in respect of an academic year receives an amount as follows in respect of that year—

- (a) where the household income is £18,370 or less, the eligible student receives £1,500;
- (b) where the household income exceeds £18,370 but does not exceed £27,852, the eligible student receives an amount equal to  $M - (A/2)$  where  $M$  is £1,500 and  $A$  is £1 for every £5.674 by which the household income exceeds £18,370; and
- (c) where the household income exceeds £27,852, or the student opts when applying for grant not to provide the information needed to calculate the household income, the eligible student receives £664.

(3) A type 2 teacher training student who qualifies for special support grant in respect of an academic year receives an amount as follows in respect of that year—

- (a) where the household income is £18,370 or less, the eligible student receives £3,000;
- (b) where the household income exceeds £18,370 but does not exceed £27,852, the eligible student receives an amount equal to  $M - A$  where  $M$  is £3,000 and  $A$  is £1 for every £5.674 by which the household income exceeds £18,370; and
- (c) where the household income exceeds £27,852, or the student opts when applying for the grant not to provide the information needed to calculate the household income the eligible student receives £1,329.

(4) A type 3 teacher training student who qualifies for special support grant in respect of an academic year receives an amount as follows in respect of that year—

- (a) where the household income is £18,370 or less, the eligible student receives £1,500;
- (b) where the household income exceeds £18,370 but does not exceed £27,852, the eligible student receives an amount equal to  $M - (A/2)$  where  $M$  is £1,500 and  $A$  is £1 for every £5.674 by which the household income exceeds £18,370;

- (c) where the household income exceeds £27,852 but does not exceed £39,329, the eligible student receives an amount equal to  $\mathbf{RM} - (\mathbf{A}/2)$ , where  $\mathbf{RM}$  is £664 and  $\mathbf{A}$  is £1 for every £8.97 by which the household income exceeds £27,852; and
  - (d) where the household income exceeds £39,329, no special support grant is payable.
- (5) A new system eligible student other than a type 1, type 2 or type 3 teacher training student who qualifies for a special support grant in respect of an academic year receives an amount as follows in respect of that year—
- (a) where the household income is £18,370 or less, the eligible student receives £3,000;
  - (b) where the household income exceeds £18,370 but does not exceed £27,852, the eligible student receives an amount equal to  $\mathbf{M} - \mathbf{A}$  where  $\mathbf{M}$  is £3,000 and  $\mathbf{A}$  is £1 for every £5.674 by which the household income exceeds £18,370;
  - (c) where the household income exceeds £27,852 but does not exceed £39,329, the eligible student receives an amount equal to  $\mathbf{RM} - \mathbf{A}$ , where  $\mathbf{RM}$  is £1,329 and  $\mathbf{A}$  is £1 for every £8.97 by which the household income exceeds £27,852;
  - (d) where the household income exceeds £39,329, no special support grant is payable.