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PART 5

GRANTS FOR LIVING AND OTHER COSTS

CHAPTER 7

SPECIAL SUPPORT GRANTS FOR CURRENT SYSTEM STUDENTS

**Amount of the special support grant**

**61.**—(1) The maximum amount of special support grant available in respect of an academic year is—

- (a) in the case of a type 1 teacher training student, £1,632;
- (b) in the case of a type 2 teacher training student, £3,265;
- (c) in the case of a current system student other than a type 1 or type 2 teacher training student, £3,265.

(2) A type 1 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 £17,910 or less, he receives £1,632;
- (b) where the household income exceeds £17,910 but does not exceed £27,120, he receives an amount equal to  $M - \left(\frac{A}{4.53}\right)$  where—

$M$  is £1,632

$A$  is £1 for every complete £4.53 by which the household income exceeds £17,910;  
and

- (c) where the household income exceeds £27,120 or he opts when applying for the grant not to provide the information needed to calculate the household income, he receives £615.

(3) A type 2 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 £17,910 or less, he receives £3,265;
- (b) where the household income exceeds £17,910 but does not exceed £27,120, he receives an amount equal to  $M - A$  where—

$M$  is £3,265

$A$  is £1 for every complete £4.53 by which the household income exceeds £17,910;  
and

- (c) where the household income exceeds £27,120 or he opts when applying for the grant not to provide the information needed to calculate the household income, he receives £1,230.

(4) A current system student other than a type 1 or type 2 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 £17,910 or less, he receives £3,265;
- (b) where the household income exceeds £17,910 but does not exceed £27,120, he receives an amount equal to  $M - A$  where—  
 $M$  is £3,265  
 $A$  is £1 for every complete £4.53 by which the household income exceeds £17,910;
- (c) where the household income exceeds £27,120 but does not exceed £38,330, he receives an amount equal to  $RM - A$  where—  
 $RM$  is £1,230  
 $A$  is £1 for every complete £9.50 by which the household income exceeds £27,120;  
and
- (d) where the household income exceeds £38,330, no special support grant is payable.