

---

STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

---

**2024 No. 19**

**The Education (Student Support, etc.)  
(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2024**

**PART 2**

**CHAPTER 4**

Omission of Qualifying Course and Student References

**Amendments to the 2009 Regulations**

- 10.** In regulation 2(1) (interpretation)(1) omit the definition of “qualifying course”.
- 11.** In regulation 5(eligible students) (2)—
- (a) in paragraph (11)—
    - (i) at the end of sub-paragraph (a)(i), for “or” substitute “and”;
    - (ii) omit sub-paragraph (a)(ii) (including “and” at the end);
    - (iii) in the words after sub-paragraph (b), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (b) in paragraph (11C)—
    - (i) at the end of sub-paragraph (a)(i), for “or” substitute “and”;
    - (ii) omit sub-paragraph (a)(ii) (including “and” at the end);
    - (iii) in the words after sub-paragraph (b), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (c) in paragraph (11D) in the words after sub-paragraph (b), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (d) in paragraph (11E)—
    - (i) at the end of sub-paragraph (a)(i), for “or” substitute “and”;
    - (ii) omit sub-paragraph (a)(ii) (including “and” at the end);
    - (iii) in the words after sub-paragraph (b), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (e) in paragraph (11F)—
    - (i) at the end of sub-paragraph (a)(i), for “or” substitute “and”;
    - (ii) omit sub-paragraph (a)(ii) (including “and” at the end);

---

(1) Regulation 2 was amended by [S.R. 2010 No. 383](#), [S.R.s 2013 No.s 128 and 223](#), [S.R.s 2017 No.s 7 and 43](#), [S.R. 2019 No. 35](#), [S.R. 2021 Nos. 50 and 85](#), [S.R.s 2022 No.s 75 and 201](#) and [S.I. 2020/1209](#) as amended by [2020/139](#).

(2) Regulation 5 was amended by [S.S.I. 2007 No. 503](#), [S.R.s 2010 No. 383](#), [2013 No. 128](#), [2017 No. 7](#), [2019 No. 35](#), [2021 Nos. 50 and 85](#) and [2022 No. 75](#).

- (iii) in the words after sub-paragraph (b), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (f) in paragraph (12)—
    - (i) at the end of sub-paragraph (a)(i), for “or” substitute “and”;
    - (ii) omit sub-paragraph (a)(ii) (including “and” at the end);
    - (iii) in the words after sub-paragraph (b), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (g) in paragraph (13) for “, an eligible student or a qualifying student” substitute “or an eligible student”.
- 12.** In regulation 57(4) (qualifying conditions for the maintenance grant) **(3)** for “qualifying student” substitute “current system student”.
- 13.** In regulation 97 (provision of United Kingdom national insurance number)—
- (a) in paragraph (1), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (b) in paragraph (2), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (c) in paragraph (3), for “eligible or qualifying student”, in both places it occurs, substitute “eligible student”.
- 14.** In regulation 98 (information requirements)—
- (a) in paragraph (1), for “, eligible student or qualifying student” substitute “or eligible student”;
  - (b) in paragraph (2), for “, eligible student or qualifying student” substitute “or eligible student”;
  - (c) in paragraph (3), for “, eligible student or qualifying student” substitute “or eligible student”.
- 15.** In regulation 105(eligible distance learning students) **(4)**
- (a) in paragraph (11C) in the words after sub-paragraph (b), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”;
  - (b) in paragraph (11D) in the words after sub-paragraph (b), for “eligible or qualifying student” substitute “eligible student”.

---

**Commencement Information**

- 11** Reg. 10 in operation at 26.2.2024, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)
- 12** Reg. 11 in operation at 26.2.2024, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)
- 13** Reg. 12 in operation at 26.2.2024, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)
- 14** Reg. 13 in operation at 26.2.2024, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)
- 15** Reg. 14 in operation at 26.2.2024, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)
- 16** Reg. 15 in operation at 26.2.2024, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)

---

**(3)** paragraph (4) was inserted by [S.R. 2012 No. 398](#).

**(4)** Regulation 105 was amended by [S.S.I. 2007 No. 503](#), [S.R.s 2010 No. 383](#), [2019 No. 35](#), [2021 Nos. 50 and 85](#) and [2022 Nos. 75 and 201](#).

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Education (Student Support, etc.) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2024, CHAPTER 4.