



## 24/25 TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### The Jeremy Vine Scholarship in English Literature

You are eligible for this Scholarship if:

1. you are commencing an eligible undergraduate degree programme in the Department of English Studies at Durham University in October 2024 (this includes if you will be commencing your Foundation Year);
2. your official fee status is a Home student;
3. your household income has been assessed by Student Finance England (SFE) (or equivalent) as below £47,200 at the start of the 2024/25 academic year;
4. you are of Black Heritage – African, Caribbean, Dual or Mixed Heritage (to include Black African, Black Caribbean or Other Black background). This will be ascertained through the assessment of data made available to the University through the application process.
5. you have been educated at a state-maintained UK school, college or other education provider for the whole of your education (or in the case of asylum seekers and refugees, the whole of your education since arrival in the UK)

Scholarship recipients can expect:

1. Termly payments of your scholarship
2. Support with any queries relating to your scholarship

As a scholarship recipient of the University, you must agree to abide by the following Terms and Conditions. Not meeting the following conditions could result in the continuation of your scholarship being reviewed.

Scholars will be required to:

1. Act as an ambassador for Durham University and the Department of English Studies by taking part in any interviews, events or publications associated with your scholarship (wherever possible) whilst adhering to University codes of conduct, practice and policy, acting in a professional and positive manner.
2. Maintain regular contact with the donor of your scholarship, typically via the Department of English Studies and/or Development and Alumni Relations Office when notified, either in writing or through participation in a call or meeting;
3. Provide short reports in the first and third term of each academic year, indicating the part that the Scholarship is playing in your experience as a student of English Literature at Durham University to be shared with the donor funding the award;
4. Understand that you may be asked for your permission for these reports to be published in full or in part in Department or University publications in print and/or online for advertising and other promotional purposes.
5. Understand that the University reserves the right to suspend or withdraw your scholarship in the event that you breach or fail to adhere to any University regulation, code of practice or policy at any time during the course of your studies.

### Scholarship Continuation

Your scholarship is available for up to four years towards the completion of an eligible undergraduate degree. Should you need to repeat a year of study you may not receive additional funding in order to complete your programme.

### Withdrawal

Scholars who withdraw from their scholarship commitments or from the University may have all future scholarship payments cancelled.

If you withdraw, at any point during the teaching term, scholarship payments which have already been made may be reclaimed on a pro rata basis. Under exceptional circumstances, this decision can be reviewed by the Department of English Studies and approval may be given for the student to retain any overpayments.

### Suspension of Studies

Scholars who suspend their scholarship commitments or academic studies may have all future scholarship payments cancelled.

If you suspend, at any point during the teaching term, scholarship payments which have already been made may be reclaimed on a pro rata basis. Under exceptional circumstances, this decision can be reviewed by the Department of English Studies and approval may be given for the student to retain any overpayments. The remaining yearly balance will be payable on resumption of academic and scholarship commitments. Mitigating circumstances for the re-instatement of the scholarship may be put forward for consideration by the Department of English Studies.

### **Data Protection Statement**

Any personal data provided by Recipients in relation to their Scholarship will be used by the University to process and administer your Scholarship award. The data will be held by the Development and Alumni Relations Office and will be managed in accordance with the provisions of the General Data Protection Regulations.

Information relating to Recipients may be retained by the University for up to 10 years. Recipients acknowledge that names, photographs, annual reports and comments relating to their Scholarship may be published by the University even after the Recipient is no longer enrolled at the University.

In accepting this Scholarship, you acknowledge and agree to the information which you provide as described above being held and processed by the University for the purposes specified herein.