

Government Contributions for Learners aged 19 years and older

2012/13	Unemployed on active benefits or wider offer to unemployed	19-23 year old	Classroom based		Workplace learning Small and Medium Enterprises (SME) Less than 250 employees		Workplace learning Large employer [‡] 250 employees or more	
			24+, without a first Level 2	24+ qualified to Level 2 or above	24+, without a first Level 2	24+ qualified to Level 2 or above	24+, without a first Level 2	24+ qualified to Level 2 or above
Stand alone units Excluding Basic Skills	Fully funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded
Basic Skills English and maths (see Annex 2 para 19)	Fully funded	Fully funded	Fully funded	Fully funded	Fully funded	Fully funded	Fully funded	Fully funded
ESOL (see Annex 2 para 20)	Fully funded	Co-funded (classroom)	Co-funded	Co-funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded
		Not funded (workplace)						
Progression Funding (Entry & Level 1 vocational and PSD aims)	Fully funded	Fully funded* (classroom)	Co-funded	Co-funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded
		Fully funded* (vocational Level 1 only, workplace)						
Full Level 2	Fully funded	Fully funded (for those without a Level 2)	Co-funded	Co-funded	Co-funded	Co-funded	Not funded	Not funded
		Co-funded (with Level 2 or above, classroom)						
		Co-funded (with Level 2 or above, workplace SME only, otherwise not funded in workplace)						
Other Level 2**	Fully funded	Co-funded (classroom)	Co-funded	Co-funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded
		Not funded (workplace)						

* Fully funded if the Learner has not attained Level 2 and needs the additional step up from basic skills in order to progress to a full Level 2, otherwise co-funded

[‡] Large employer in the context of eligibility (reduction in funding still applies to employer with 1,000 employees or more)

** Where a Learner is undertaking a learning aim which is not a full Level 2

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			25+, without a first Level 2	25+ qualified to Level 2 or above	25+, without a first Level 2	25+ qualified to Level 2 or above	25+, without a first Level 2	25+ qualified to Level 2 or above
Full Level 3	Fully funded	Fully funded (for those without a Level 3)	Co-funded	Co-funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded
		Co-funded (with Level 3 or above, classroom)						
		Not funded (with Level 3 or above, workplace)						
Other Level 3 ^{**}	Fully funded	Co-funded (classroom)	Co-funded	Co-funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded
		Not funded (workplace)						
Level 4 or above ⁴¹	Fully funded	Fully funded (for those without a Level 3) [*]	Co-funded	Co-funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded	Not funded
		Co-funded (with Level 3 or above, classroom)						
		Not funded (with Level 3 or above, workplace)						
Apprenticeships (all Levels)	Not funded	Co-funded (workplace)	Not funded	Not funded	Co-funded	Co-funded	Co-funded	Co-funded

^{*} Large employer in the context of eligibility (reduction in funding still applies to employer with 1,000 employees or more).

^{*} Learning aims at Diploma level

^{**} Where a Learner is undertaking a learning aim which is not a full Level 3

⁴¹ Non-prescribed HE only