



SIR THOMAS WHITE'S NORTHAMPTON CHARITY
(Registered charity no. 201486)
supporting young people since 1542



GRANT APPLICATION FORM

The Charity is for promoting the education or vocational training of young persons who have been residents of Northampton for a minimum of 5 years, are over the age of 16 years and under the age of 25 years, and who are in need of financial assistance.

As the Trustees make grants direct to Moulton College and Northampton College, the Trustees will not make grants to students from these Colleges.

All Grants (of up to a maximum of £1,000) are made at the discretion of the Trustees of the Charity. In considering any applications for grants the Trustees shall have regard to the historic objects of the Charity which are set out below:

In promoting the education (including social and physical training) of young people, over the age of sixteen years and under the age of twenty five years, who are in need of financial assistance, **are resident in Northampton** (and have been **for at least five years**), and who are attending full time or part time courses of education or vocational training

e.g. by way of illustration, Grants have been awarded to help pay for tools, instruments, books, art materials or specialised equipment, and for the costs to applicants of training for a trade.

The Trustees have complete rights to select a candidate for a Grant.

The Trustees will check to see that the student does attend the courses.

The Trustees shall also take into account the funds available to the Trustees for Grants.

The Trustees have agreed that, subject to funds being available, students at university may apply for a grant each academic year they attend, subject also to receipt of proof of attendance.

For full details of the Scheme, please contact the Clerk.

The Trustees meet four times a year to consider applications, and your application form must be completed and returned to the Clerk's Offices at least two weeks before a meeting, for this to be circulated to the Trustees. Any not received in time to be circulated to the Trustees, will be held over until the next meeting.

Please note that we do not acknowledge receipt of completed application forms.

Grants meetings will be held in March, April, September and October. Please note that we do not notify applicants if a date for a grants meeting is changed. Please therefore ensure that you send your application form in in good time in case a meeting is brought forward.

Please note that the Trustees' decision is final, and they will not enter into correspondence on decisions made.

1. Surname (in block letters) Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms (delete as appropriate)
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2. Forename(s).....
3. Home Address.....
.....**POSTCODE**.....
4. Telephone/Mobile No.....
5. Email address.....
6. Age and date of birth.....
7. How long have you lived at the above address? - if less than five years, how long have your lived here, what was your previous address and how long did you live there?
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8. How long have you lived in Northampton?
9. Do you live with your parents/guardian or partner?
10. Give the names and addresses of schools you have attended – with dates
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11. Give details of any GCSE/AS/A2 or Vocational Qualifications achieved (inc .grades)
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12. Give details of the course you are studying – in particular for what qualification and career; at which school/college; start date and length of the course

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13. For what purpose do you need financial help? Give a breakdown of costs, fees, living expenses, travel, books, equipment etc (continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

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14. Have you had a Thomas White grant in the past? – if yes, when and how much were you awarded? What other grants have you applied for, obtained or been promised and from whom? (include details of parental contributions as assessed by LEA)

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15. What is the amount of the grant you require?

16. If successful in your application, state what you will use the grant for

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17. How much can you provide yourself?

18. How much additional help can your parents/guardian give you?

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19. State the occupation of:

Your father:

Your mother:

20 Give names and ages of brothers and sisters living at home and not in employment

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21. Approximate total gross income of the household (tick as appropriate)

Under £300.00 per week

Over £300.00 per week but under £500.00 per week

Over £500.00 per week

22. If you do not live at home, state your gross weekly income (ie from grants, employment, parents, partner, etc)

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23. If you have left school, give details of any further education and/or employment

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24. What are your strongest interests or favourite activities (e.g. sport, music, drama, youth groups) mentioning any distinctions or qualifications achieved

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25. Please give any other relevant information that would help the trustees assess your application, including your other interests

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26. Give the names and addresses of two suitable people who know you and can confirm your eligibility and who are connected with your course (e.g. employers, tutors, head teachers).

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(YOU must obtain a reference on school/college/university headed notepaper from one of your referees which should accompany this application confirming the details given at question 12).

Signature of Parent or Guardian
(if applicant is under 18)

Signature of applicant

Date

THE TRUSTEES RESERVE THE RIGHT TO INTERVIEW YOU REGARDING YOUR APPLICATION

www.stwcharitynorthampton.org.uk

Please send your completed application to:

Mrs A Moon
Clerk to the Grants Sub-Committee
Sir Thomas White's Northampton Charity
Elgin House
Billing Road, Northampton NN1 5AU

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