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UK Student Finance is now open https://studentfinance.campaign.gov.uk/

You need to apply before **21 May** to get your money in time for the start of your course. It can take up to 6 weeks for us to process your application, so be sure to apply as soon as you can. If your application is late, then your money might be too. You do not need to have a confirmed place at university, you can use your preferred course and university. This can then be changed easily at a later date if it changes. UK Student Finance video https://youtu.be/ROTd6ngTR U

EU tuition fee support applications are expected to open at the end of April. Information for international students can be found here

- Useful tips from Oxford Brookes on general student finance <u>here</u> and <u>here</u>.
- City's brand new university advice platform, GoingToUni.is now available GoingToUni is a one-stop-shop from City, University of London with a wealth of resources for students considering their next steps. With taster lectures from City staff, sessions on what courses entail and why students should consider them and general university application advice, students have everything in one place here, wherever they intend to go.
 - City's interactive personal statement tool. This modular course allows students to get expert advice on each part of their personal statement, giving them the best chance of success. https://goingtouni.city.ac.uk/personal-statements/
- Preparing for your higher education journey: Student finance & budgeting This live webinar is taking place on Thursday 11 March at 6pm and will begin with a short 5-10 minute presentation on student finance basics, followed by a Q&A for the remaining time, giving you the chance to ask EIGHT universities your questions, such as finding out their top budgeting tips and what scholarships or bursaries they have on offer. Register for your place to hear from University of Reading, University of Leicester, Aston University, University of Hertfordshire, University of South Wales, University of Wolverhampton, University College Birmingham, and Newman University.