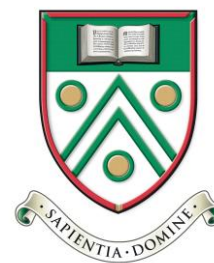


Langley Grammar School

16–19 Bursary Fund 2026–27



What has changed?

We have reviewed our 16–19 Bursary Fund arrangements for 2026–27 to ensure that financial support is targeted at the individual costs students face in participating fully in their education.

The main changes are:

1. Applications now focus more clearly on actual financial need. Students will be asked what support they need and to provide an estimated cost for items such as travel, food, educational visits, books and materials, IT/equipment and other education-related costs.
2. There is no fixed bursary award. The amount awarded will depend on the student's individual circumstances, the costs identified and the funding available.
3. Evidence will be proportionate to the support requested. We may ask for quotations, screenshots or other evidence of costs, but students will not normally be expected to provide receipts for every regular food or travel expense.
4. Applications received by 2 October 2026 will be considered together. This allows the school to assess overall demand and distribute the available funding fairly. Applications can still be made later if circumstances change or unexpected financial hardship arises.
5. Where demand exceeds the funding available, priority will be given to support most directly related to a student's attendance and participation in education. The school may therefore not always be able to meet a request in full.

Our normal eligibility criteria for the discretionary bursary remain unchanged: gross annual household income of £27,500 or less and/or the student or a sibling qualifying for Free School Meals. We can also consider exceptional financial hardship or a significant change in circumstances.

The purpose of the fund has not changed: to remove financial barriers and help eligible students participate fully in their education. Students and families should read the 16–19 Bursary Fund Policy 2026–27 and the relevant guidance before applying.