

From: Freedom of Information

Sent: 24 June 2021 13:54

To:

Subject: Freedom of Information Response (Our Ref: K/21/132)

Dear

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Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request dated 11 March 2021, reference K/21/132.

Your request read:

“Could you tell me how much money has been given by the university to students as part of hardship funds during Covid-19 (from January 1, 2020 to today's date of March 11, 2021).

Could you break this down into home students and international students.”

The University of Leeds holds this information, which is set out in the table below.

Month	Value of awards (Home)	Value of awards (International)
Jan-20	£24,954.65	£0.00
Feb-20	£27,800.24	£4,977.88
Mar-20	£38,377.81	£0.00
Apr-20	£21,202.41	£5,577.00
May-20	£8,208.75	£0.00
Jun-20	£84,182.72	£3,197.96
Jul-20	£143,217.00	£0.00
Aug-20	£14,435.52	£17,720.72
Sep-20	£9,073.19	£0.00
Oct-20	£15,050.00	£0.00
Nov-20	£12,985.39	£0.00
Dec-20	£38,776.43	£0.00
Jan-21	£8,002.49	£3,624.43
Feb-21	£28,726.31	£2,121.00
Mar-21	£7,336.87	£10,267.05

You may also be interested to note that in the past year, the University has contributed additional funding to the Emergency Hardship Fund for students, which is administered by Leeds University Union (LUU). LUU is a separate organisation, and as such for information regarding this fund you should [liaise with them directly](#). Please note that LUU is not subject to the FOI Act.

We hope this information is helpful. If you have any questions about this email, however, please do not hesitate to contact us on foi@leeds.ac.uk

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you can request an Internal Review. Requests for Internal Review should be made in writing using the following contact information:

Post: Mr D Wardle
Deputy Secretary
The University of Leeds
Leeds
LS2 9JT

Email: foi@leeds.ac.uk

Requests for Internal Review should be submitted within 40 working days of receiving the University's response to your request. Further information about how the University manages Freedom of Information requests and about our complaints procedure is also available on our website (www.leeds.ac.uk).

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the review/complaints procedure provided by the University. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

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Freedom of Information Officer

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University of Leeds