Dear

Freedom of Information Response (Our Ref: K/21/199)

Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request dated 20 April 2021, reference K/21/199. Please accept our sincere apologies for the delay in providing a response to your request.

Your request read:

“I am writing to request for some information in regards to the UK undergraduate means-tested scholarship (£3000 a year).

I was wondering for the past 3 entry cycles (2020, 2019, 2018), how many applications did you receive and how many scholarships were given out for each of those years?

Also, for each of the 3 entry cycles, how many of those offered the scholarship had AAB or above in their A levels?

Finally, for each of the 3 entry cycles, how many of those offered the scholarship were medicine/dentistry students?”

The University of Leeds holds this information. Please find the information we hold set out in the table below.

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<th>2018</th>
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<tr>
<td>Scholarship applications received</td>
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<td>Scholarships awarded</td>
<td>126</td>
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<td>Number of scholarships awarded to</td>
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<td>Medicine/Dentistry students</td>
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<td>Scholarship awardees with AAB or</td>
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*Please note that we have used a strict interpretation of “AAB or above” and as such grades such as A*BB/A*A*D etc, as well as any equivalent IB/Higher/BTEC/access to Dip HE/ combinations thereof have been disregarded.

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:
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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