

## **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

The Boost Awards will be awarded based on the following criteria.

ESSENTIAL CRITERIA:

HAVE A HOUSEHOLD INCOME OF LESS THAN £25,000

STUDYING ON A HEART OF WORCESTERSHIRE COLLEGE VALIDATED HIGHER EDUCATION COURSE

NORMALLY RESIDENT IN ENGLAND

IN RECEIPT OF STUDENT FINANCE ENGLAND FUNDING **PRIORITY GROUPS:** 

LOOKED AFTER/CARE LEAVER

APPLICANTS WITH DISABILITIES

RESIDENT OF LOW HE PARTICIPATION NEIGHBOURHOOD

SELF FUNDING, THOSE SPONSORED BY AN EMPLOYER, NHS SOCIAL WORK BURSARY OR THE TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY FOR SCHOOLS AREN'T ELIGIBLE FOR A BOOST AWARD.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO APPLY CONTACT THE ADVICE CENTRE

Terms and Conditions: Applications will open from 1st July and will close on Friday 11th October 2024. Payments will be made in at the end November, January and May. The level of support received will depend on the number of applications received prior to the closing date. We wouldn't normally award support from both Boost and the Hardship Fund.