

Person granted indefinite leave as a victim of domestic violence or abuse

(use this category only if the academic year you are paying fees for starts before 1 August 2023)

The requirements for this category will become a little more generous on 1 August 2023, and even more generous on 1 August 2024. So look at the category titled 'Person granted indefinite leave as a victim of domestic violence or abuse (use this category only if the academic year you are paying fees for starts on or after 1 August 2023 but before 1 August 2024)', for information about academic years that start on or after 1 August 2023. And look at the category titled 'Person granted indefinite leave as a victim of domestic violence or abuse, and children (use this category only if the academic year you are paying fees for starts on or after 1 August 2024)' for information about fees for academic years that start on or after 1 August 2024.

This category is only for students who start their course on or after 1 August 2020.

In order to qualify for 'home' fees under this category, you must meet all of the following criteria:

(a) on the *first day of the academic year you are paying fees for*, you must be a person who has been granted indefinite leave to remain in the UK under any of the following provisions of the immigration rules:

- (i) paragraph 289B (victims of domestic violence); or
- (ii) paragraph D-DVILR.1.1. of Appendix FM (victims of domestic abuse); or
- (iii) paragraph 40 of Appendix Armed Forces (victims of domestic violence: partners of members of the armed forces)

(b) you must have been *ordinarily resident* in the *UK and Islands* since you were granted such leave

(c) you must be ordinarily resident in the *UK* on the *first day of the first academic year of the course*

Becoming eligible

If you are granted indefinite leave as a victim of domestic violence or domestic abuse after the start of the course, you will be entitled to 'home' fees from the start of the next academic year, if you meet the requirements of either the category titled 'Person granted indefinite leave as a victim of domestic violence or abuse (use this category only if the academic year you are paying fees for starts on or after 1 August 2023 but before 1 August 2024)', or the category titled 'Person granted indefinite leave as a victim of domestic violence or abuse, and children (use this category only if the academic year you are paying fees for starts on or after 1 August 2024)'.