NTU-ADMINISTERED BURSARY & STUDY LOAN for AY2011-12 Freshmen
(Application period: 1 February – 10 April 2011)

The schemes are meant for NTU undergraduates who require assistance to finance their tuition fees and / or living expenses.

**BURSARY**

Who is eligible for this bursary?
- Full-Time Programme: Only Singaporean students pursuing their first undergraduate degree from AY2011-12 are eligible to apply during this period.
- Students receiving the bursary must not concurrently hold other bursaries or scholarships.
- NIE trainee teachers whose tuition fees are paid by MOE and are drawing salary/stipend from MOE are not eligible to apply.
- The gross Per Capita Income of the household (PCI) must be less than or equal to $1,700 per month.
- A bursary (NTU or MOE bursary) may be awarded depending on your financial situation and criteria set down by the University / MOE.

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\text{PCI} = \frac{\text{Gross income of family members in household}}{\text{Total number of family members in household}}
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Quantum of bursary
- S$800 and above per award.
- Bursary is tenable for one academic year.
- No repayment is required.

**STUDY LOAN**

Who is eligible for the loan?
- Full-Time Programme: Only Singaporean students pursuing their first undergraduate degree from AY2011-12 are eligible to apply during this period.
- Must be held concurrently with one or combination of the following 3 schemes*: Tuition Fee Loan (TFL) / CPF Education Scheme / Mendaki Tertiary Tuition Fee Subsidy. These scheme(s) must cover at least 80% or 90% of the subsidised tuition fees payable by Singaporeans for a similar programme of study.
  * Application for any of the 3 schemes is via a separate process and form.
- You may apply for the Study Loan if you have already applied or intend to apply for any one or more of the above schemes.
- The NTU Study Loan is not a guaranteed loan and will only be extended to those who meet the eligibility criteria. For Singaporean students, the gross Per Capita Income of the household (PCI) must be less than or equal to S$2,400 per month.

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Note: Students will only be covered under the scheme for the first 3 years of the Biomedical Sciences & Chinese Medicine programme

1 February 2011
The Study Loan is a 2-in-1 loan which finances part of the tuition fees and living costs.

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<th>Per Capita Monthly Household Income</th>
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Guarantor requirements

1. Guarantor must be aged 21 - 60 years and not an un-discharged bankrupt.
2. A loan applicant who is a:
   • Singaporean student to provide a Singaporean guarantor.
3. A person must not stand in as a guarantor for more than two loans.

Interest

• Interest free during studies.
• For Singaporeans, loan is interest-free up to 5 years after graduation if PCI < S$500. Otherwise, the loan will be interest bearing after graduation.
• Interest rate will be based on the average prime lending rate of the three local banks (DBS, OCBC and UOB).

Repayment

Commences 6 months after graduation or upon securing employment, whichever is earlier.
Repayment period:
• Up to 5 years (if loan is interest waived) or
• Up to 20 years (if loan is interest bearing).