

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY COUNCIL - EDUCATION SUPPORT SERVICES

JOHN WALLACE TRUST SCHEME 1981

The Education Committee of Dumfries and Galloway Council has delegated the conduct of the Trust business to the Director of Education Services, to whom all enquiries should be made.

Area of Benefit

The area of benefit to the Trust means the Electoral Wards of Kirkland, Kello, Crichton, Douglas, Cairn, Morton and that part of Dalswinton Ward lying outwith the Parish of Dumfries, all in the local Government area of Nithsdale District as established by the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 or any subsequent amendments.

Application of Income

- *Ferguson Prizes*

Money will be made available annually to the Rector of Wallace Hall Academy to provide prizes to pupils following courses in Agriculture or allied sciences.
- *Agricultural Bursaries*

These bursaries may be awarded to any person ordinarily resident in the area of benefit who are about to enter or attend Barony College Parkgate, or such other institution specialising in the teaching of Agriculture and allied sciences and will be of an amount agreed by the Trust and for as many years as the Trust thinks fit. Merit and promise of applicants will be considered.
- *Bursaries for Higher and Further Education*

Bursaries may be awarded to persons ordinarily resident in the area of benefit **who are about to enter or are in attendance at a University or Institute of Further or Higher Education**, or who are about to register or have registered for Open University courses. The amount will be as agreed by the Trust and will be for as many years as the Trust sees fit.
- *Travel Grants*

Grants may be made to persons ordinarily resident in the area of benefit to enable them to travel either in Great Britain or abroad for any purpose of an educational nature. The applicant will be required to submit, for approval, a statement of the purposes for which the journey is to be undertaken, the places to be visited, the probable length of absence from home and the likely costs of the trip.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR APPLICATIONS

Applications for Bursaries

Applications should be submitted on the appropriate Application Form obtainable from the Joanne Dalgleish, Administrator, Education Support Services or from the School Rector. Completed applications should be submitted to the Director of Education by 31 December. A certificate of attendance will be required from all Bursars before awards are renewed each year.

Open University

Applications should be submitted on the Application Form as above. A certificate of attendance will be required before awards are renewed each year.

Travel Grants

School applications should be made on the appropriate Application Form. Individual applications should be made by letter and include all details required in sub-paragraph 4 above.

Any general enquiries regarding the Trust should be addressed or emailed to:

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