Stipends Office

www.um.edu.mt/stipends

Room 117,
Administration Building
Stipend

• Eligibility
  – Students who satisfy all the University’s entry requirements will be eligible for the stipend once they receive their letter of acceptance
  – Students who are over 23 years of age and do not satisfy all the entry requirements will need to contact the Stipends Office once they are in receipt of a communication from the University.
Applying for the Stipend

• Applying for a stipend will be part of the online enrolment once you have been accepted as a current student

• Total of 10 stipends; every 4 weeks
  – 2 stipends in December (beginning and end of month); 1 stipend every 4 weeks from January up to August
Bank Accounts

- No VISA accounts will be accepted
- Instead of the usual bank account, students are to provide their IBAN Accounts
- IBAN consists of 31 alphanumeric characters
- Verification of IBAN account can be done either via internet banking or by inquiring at one’s bank of choice
Stipend Amounts

• The courses are mainly divided into to 3: Diplomas, General and Prescribed.
  – Prescribed courses are predominately but not exclusively science based. These courses are: **PGCE (SCIENCES), B SC HONS SCIENCE AND IT SUBJECTS, B SC HONS BUSINESS AND COMPUTING, B ENGINEERING, B EDUC (SCIENCES), B SC ICT, B SC MENTAL HEALTH, B SC NURSING, B SC MIDWIFERY**

• Prescribed Courses receive €146.75 (Lm63)

• Diploma & General Courses receive €83.86 (Lm36)
Smart Cards

• Smart Cards are topped up on a yearly basis

• First year to final year:
  – Diploma & General Courses: €465.87 yearly
  – Prescribed Courses: €698.81 yearly

• First year students following courses leading to a degree will also receive a one time grant (excluding Diplomas)
  – General Courses: €465.85
  – Prescribed Courses: 698.81
Supplementary Grant

• This is a special grant for students who are facing financial difficulties

• Students who satisfy all the University’s entry requirements, and are eligible for the stipend, may apply for this grant.

• To apply on a yearly academic basis
Supplementary Form

• The application will be available for download from our website

• To be submitted at the Stipends Office

• Deadline: January 2014

• Evaluated by the Maintenance Grant Board
Resignations and Refunds

• Students who resign, fail, or abandon a course are to pay back part of the maintenance grant, since they are no longer entitled to it.

• Resign or Fail course: to refund a sum of money from smart card

• Abandonment: refund part of smart card + stipend
Opening Hours

• Summer:
  Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays
  8.30am – 12.30pm

• Winter:
  Mondays and Fridays
  8.30am – 12.00pm

  Wednesdays
  14.30 – 16.00pm
Contacts

• Website: www.um.edu.mt/stipends

• Email: stipends@um.edu.mt