

# Practice Learning Support Grant (PLSG) guidance for students

We need your bank account details to make your grant payment. Please follow this guidance to add, update, or delete them.

Please note: we will hold your details securely on our system.

## If you are already registered

- Step 1** - Sign in to your [MySSSC account](#)
- Step 2** - Select tile 'Change my information'
- Step 3** - Select tile 'Update my bank details'
- Step 4** - Provide information and click 'save'

**Bank details**

Home / My personal details / Update My Information / Student bank details

You are eligible for a practice learning support grant.  
Scottish Government is funding new arrangements to support social work students on placement.  
From this academic year all eligible undergraduate and postgraduate students will receive a grant of £750 to support them while on each assessed placement.  
The Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC) will pay the grant directly to eligible students. The grant is to support with costs incurred while undertaking the practice learning placements that are a mandatory component of qualifying courses.  
[Further information](#)

Name of bank (eg. Bank of Scotland) \*

Sort code \*

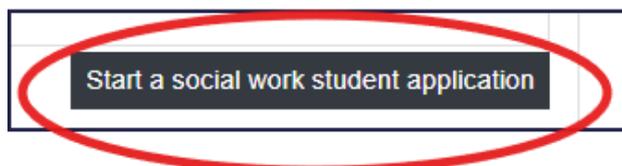
Account number \*

Your name (to exactly match the name on your bank account) \*

Save Cancel

## If you are applying for registration

- Step 1** - Sign in to your [MySSSC account](#)
- Step 2** - Select tile 'Applying for registration'
- Step 3** - Select 'Start a social work student application' and complete all sections



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**Step 4** - In 'Grant Entitlement' section, check/uncheck criteria boxes

**Useful information** - How you answer these questions will determine if you are eligible for the grant. Your university will confirm your answers to these questions when endorsing your application. If you are eligible, this will display a green banner and if you are not eligible, this will display a red banner.

I am an ordinary resident in Scotland  
 I am a sponsored student

You are eligible for a practice learning support grant - please see the Scottish Government is funding new arrangements to support social work placements. From this academic year all eligible undergraduate and postgraduate students. The Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC) will pay the grant for social work placements that are a mandatory component of qualifying courses.

[Further information](#)

**Step 5** - Enter bank account details

**Step 6** - Select 'Save & Next'

A screenshot of a web form for entering bank account details. The form is enclosed in a red rectangular border. It contains four input fields, each with a label and an asterisk indicating it is required:

- Name of bank (eg. Bank of Scotland) \***: Input field containing "Bank of Scotland".
- Sort code \***: Input field containing "45-87-41".
- Account number \***: Input field containing "00125841".
- Your name (to exactly match the name on your bank account) \***: Input field containing "Will Smith".

At the bottom left of the form, there is a dark grey button with the text "Save & Next >" in white, which is circled in red.

**Step 7** - On the endorsement section, select a countersignatory from the drop-down list

**Step 8** - Select 'Send to my countersignatory'

A screenshot of a web interface showing the "Endorsement" section. On the left is a vertical navigation menu with various sections, each with a checkmark icon. The "Endorsement" section at the bottom is highlighted with a red circle and a white 'x' icon.

The main content area is titled "Endorsement" and contains the following text:

Choose a countersignatory from the list below then click 'Send to my countersignatory'.

Below this text is a dropdown menu showing "University of Dundee" and a list of options. The option "Anthony Hopkins - Lead Countersignatory (University)" is selected and circled in red.

At the bottom of the main content area, there is a dark grey button with the text "Send to my countersignatory" in white, which is also circled in red.

**Useful information** - Your application will be sent electronically to your chosen university countersignatory to endorse.

If you need to change your bank details, you can contact our Registration Department to 'reset' your application to make changes.

Alternatively, you could wait until you are registered then update your bank details.