

We're excited to bring you this newsletter every 1-2 months, sharing the latest updates on support and opportunities tailored for our Care Experienced Community at Queen's.

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A big thank you and farewell to Jacqui Maxwell who was covering Sinead's maternity leave during 2024/25. She will be missed!

New and Returning Student Forms



Welcome to our new students, we hope you are excited to start your journey at Queen's, and a big welcome back to our returning students! We would like to invite you all to a 1-to-1 support meeting to discuss the Care Experienced Bursary and other supports we can give you. Returning students, you are also welcome to a support meeting and we need your returning information for your future bursary payments.

- New Students - your form is [here](#)
- Returning Students - please complete [this form](#)



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IN OTHER NEWS...

COACHING PROGRAMME

The Careers Employability and Skills Service offer a Coaching for Success programme. You have the opportunity to work with a qualified coach to enable you to find your purpose and reach your potential. This is for students from a Widening Participation or Care Experienced background. There is an information session on Wednesday 22 October 2025. You can express interest/ask to find out more [here](#), or if you are ready then you can go ahead and sign up [here](#).

SUQCESS

SUQCESS (Supporting Queen's Care Experienced Students) is generously funded by a private donor to provide valuable support for care experienced students.

This assistance can include vouchers for books, help with groceries, support in accessing placements, and more.

Applications are open year-round and can be found [here](#)

MEDICAL BURSARY

Patient.info is offering an educational bursary for UK medical students to support the cost of resources that contribute to your training. Applications are open now and close 30 September. Full details are [here](#)

Need to talk?

Student Well-being host drop-in sessions, Mon-Fri from 11am - 3pm on the first floor of One Elmwood. Click [here](#) for more info

Upcoming Events

Click [here](#) for a full list of events. The month of September will see freshers events, pizza & paint, quizzes, ice cream sundaes and more!

Care Experienced Social -

7 October 2025

Location TBC

2pm - 4pm

Free food and good craic!



Want a free exercise class and advice?

Wellbeing service offer [Active Fusion](#) which is a free exercise class followed by a short session on wellbeing. There are still some weeks left of the current block, so it's worth checking out!



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