







Student Loans Statistics:

Average Repayment per year via HMRC

By Government Administration that funded the loan

- The increase in the average repayment amount is caused by income growth in the years after leaving HE. In the tax years from 2005-06 up to and including 2011-12 the income threshold was pegged at £15,000. Hence, it reduced in real terms so any increase in earnings in real terms would lead to increased repayments. In tax year 2012-13 the income threshold was increased to £15,795 leading to a drop in the average repayment amount. It was increased again in 2013-14 to £16,365. For later years there will be downard pressure on the average as borrowers start to fully repay or move to Direct Debit in order to complete repayment without over-repaying. At the point they fully repay or move to Direct Debit they are more likely to be repaying at a level above the average of those left in the cohort at that point.
- Figures taken from Table 4A (iii) of the individual publications (rounded to nearest £10)

Financial Year		Average Repayment via HMRC																				
	20	2009-10		2010-11		2012-13		2013-14		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16		2016-17		2017-18		2018-19		2019-20
England	£	830	£	870	£	890	£	870	£	870	£	880	£	910	£	920	£	950	£	980	£	930
Wales	£	730	£	770	£	790	£	770	£	780	£	780	£	800	£	800	£	820	£	840	£	800
Northern Ireland	£	740	£	780	£	800	£	780	£	780	£	790	£	800	£	810	£	840	£	860	£	840
Scotland	£	640	£	670	£	700	£	680	£	680	£	680	£	670	£	650	£	650	£	660	£	660

Source: Student Loans Company