

Average repayment via HMRC Financial year 21-22 10-11 09-10 11-12 13-14 13-14 14-15 15-16 16-17 18-19 19-20 20-21 (Provisional) England £ 830 870 890 870 £ 870 880 910 920 950 980 920 950 1.020 730 790 780 780 800 800 820 840 790 810 840 Wales 770 770 £ Northern Ireland 740 780 800 780 780 790 800 810 840 860 830 890 960 680 640 670 700 680 680 670 650 650 660 660 690 580 Scotland

Student Loans Statistics:

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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 2021-22 is marked as provisional as the 2021-22 Self-Assessment earnings information is received from HMRC after the 30 April effective date. The final figure is shown in the following years' publication.

Source: Student Loans Company