### IADT Undergraduate Sanctuary Scholarship 2025

**Example Application Form** 

Please apply via the online form on <u>www.iadt.ie</u> by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Please note you will need to upload documentation to provide proof you meet the eligibility criteria.

### **Personal Information**

- Student name:
- Student email address:
- Student home address:
- Student Eircode:
- Is the address a Direct provision centre, or accommodation provided by the State?:
- Student Gender:
- Student date of birth:
- Student mobile phone number:
- Parent/guardian email and phone contact (where an applicant is aged 17 years):
- Student country of birth:
- Student nationality:
- Number of years living in Ireland (if relevant):
- Date of entry to Ireland (if relevant):

#### **Educational Information**

- Name of the school or further education college attended:
- School phone and email contact information:
- Number of years attending this school:
- School address:
- Qualification received, or about to receive:
- Your IADT course choice(s):
- Your Central Applications Office (CAO) number if you applied to IADT via the CAO:

#### **Eligibility Criteria**

#### Please note:

If you are 23 years old or more on the 1st of January 2025 you are applying as a mature student. For questions relating to income and social welfare payments below, these will be for **your** income and any payments received.

If you are under 23 years old on the 1st of January 2025, you need to submit documents relating to **your parent(s)/guardian(s)** income, and any social welfare payments they receive.

You will need to upload documents in your application as proof that you meet the eligibility criteria.

#### Useful links:

Revenue website: Welcome to revenue.ie

Department of Social Protection website: gov.ie - Department of Social Protection

# SUSI (Student Universal Support Ireland) website: About SUSI | SUSI

*Free Fees Initiative information: <u>Free Fees Initiative | Funding, Governance and Performance | Higher</u> <u>Education Authority</u>* 

International Protection Student Scheme information: <u>gov.ie - International Protection Student</u> <u>Scheme (for FE/HE Students) 2024/2025</u>

## National Framework of Qualifications: <u>National Framework of Qualifications | Quality and</u> <u>Qualifications Ireland</u>

- Please confirm if you are eligible for state supports for higher education in the Republic of Ireland , e.g., with SUSI, the Free Fees Initiative, or the International Protection Student Scheme:
- Please explain any state supports for higher education that you are eligible for:
- Please confirm you are progressing to Higher Education (College) for the first time. This means that you have not already completed a National Framework of Qualifications (NFQ) Level 8 undergraduate programme (or equivalent in another country) before:
- Please confirm you have completed within the last 2 years (or intend to complete in 2025) either: the Leaving Certificate examination or an equivalent school-leaving examination; a QQI/FETAC full award;

or be a Mature Applicant (over the age of 23 on January 1, 2025):

- Please confirm if you are a non-EU citizen who is, or has been, in the International Protection process, and has permission to reside in the State and to study:
- Please confirm if you are a member of the Irish Traveller or Roma communities:
- Did you or your Parent(s)/Guardian(s) receive any means-tested payments from the Department of Social Protection for at least 26 weeks in 2024?
- Do you/your family currently have a means-tested medical card?
- Was your household income below €46,790 in 2024?

#### Personal Statement

- $\circ$  Please write a short personal statement (no more than 500 words) about:
  - how you feel this scholarship will benefit you,
  - o your educational and financial needs,
  - o your commitment to higher education, and
  - your hopes for the future.

Please also note any recent changes in family or accommodation circumstances, changes in income, or if you are facing any additional barriers that have not been covered in the above questions.

• Letter of support

If you feel that you will not meet the eligibility criteria, you can also submit a letter of support outlining your suitability for the scholarship completed by one of the following: Guidance Counsellor/Principal/Sports Coach/Social Worker/Youth Worker/Other Professional.