

Application for additional grant due to reduced functional ability for 2023–2024

Not applicable to applicants with statutory rights to upper secondary education



English

Who is entitled to receive an additional grant due to reduced functional ability?

Additional grants amount up to NOK 4,280 per month. You can receive the grant if you are capable of studying, but due to reduced functional ability, use so much time and energy on your studies, that you cannot also engage in salaried employment. Salaried employment means all employment where the salary is taxable. This also applies if the salary is less than the limit for an exemption card. **Exception:** If you hold honorary positions while studying you are entitled to the additional grant regardless of whether you receive taxable fees or salaries from the position.

Confirmation from a doctor or specialist or other professional

A doctor, specialist or other professional with particular knowledge of the reduced functional ability must assess how the applicant's functional ability affects the study situation in the academic year 2023–2024 and confirm the information in item 2 of the application. The doctor or the other professional must provide a separate assessment of how the reduced functional ability will affect the ability to study during the relevant academic year.

Apply for loan and grant before you apply for additional grants

In order to get an additional grant, you must first have submitted [an application for a loan and grant](#) at [lanekassen.no](#) for the same period for which you are applying for an additional grant. You will find [the application deadlines for loans and grants](#) at [lanekassen.no/deadlines](#).

Additional loan and grant for the summer and grant due to delay

You may also apply for loans and grants for the summer or grant for delay beyond one academic year / 60 credits. [Read more about support for the summer and grant for delay, and about how to apply](#), at [lanekassen.no/reduced-functional-ability](#).

1 Personal details

Lånkassen customer number	Norwegian national identity number (11 digits)
Surname	First name and middle name

2 Confirmation from doctor, specialist or other professional with special knowledge of the reduced functional ability

Note: Anyone that can be regarded as disqualified in the same manner as those groups referred to in section 6 of the Public Administration Act, cannot confirm the application details.

Ensure that personal details in item 1 is completed before ticking item 2.

The applicant may not perform salaried work (except for honorary positions) of any kind as long as he/she is receiving this grant. This applies to all days of the week and holidays from 16.08.2023 up to and including 15.01.2024 for the autumn, and from 16.01.2024 up to and including 15.06.2024 for the spring.

Does the applicant have to use considerably more time and energy than normal on his/her education due to reduced functional ability, and therefore cannot engage in salaried employment while also studying, without this affecting his/her normal educational progress?

Yes No

By answering **Yes**, you are confirming that the reduced functional ability requires the applicant to use substantially more time and energy on his/her studies to maintain normal educational progress. You are also confirming that the consequences of the applicant having to use extra time on his/her studies is that the applicant does not have the capacity to engage in any form of salaried employment while studying for the period for which the confirmation applies. Both conditions must be fulfilled to answer **Yes** to the question. If only one of the conditions is fulfilled, you must answer **No** to the question.

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Is the applicant capable of studying during the period for which the confirmation applies? By answering Yes , you are confirming that the applicant is capable of studying for the entire application period. The additional grant is not available for an applicant who is completely unable to study on the application date for the additional grant. Applicants who are unable to study for shorter periods due to a worsening of the reduced functional ability, or who are unable to study for other medical reasons, may be entitled to an illness grant. Read more about illness grant at lanekassen.no/illness .		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
For which period does the confirmation apply? Here you confirm that your confirmation applies to the entire period you have indicated. Remember that the applicant must submit an application with a new confirmation from a doctor/other specialist for each academic year, as the situation during the year in question determines whether the applicant is entitled to the additional grant or not.		<input type="checkbox"/> Autumn 2023 (16.08.2023–15.01.2024) <input type="checkbox"/> Spring 2024 (16.01.2024–15.06.2024)
Date	Doctor's/other specialist's name in capital letters (If not a doctor, please state professional title)	Doctor's/other specialist's stamp and signature

3 Applicant's signature

By signing below, I confirm the following:

- I confirm that due to reduced functional ability I am unable to perform any kind of taxable salaried employment while I am studying and for the entire period for which I am applying for an additional grant, including weekdays, weekends and holidays. Exceptions from the condition apply if I have an honorary position, and not an ordinary employment.
- I confirm that I am capable of studying and am actively engaged in studies for the entire period for which I am applying for an additional grant.
- I am familiar with the terms of additional grants for applicants with reduced functional ability, as provided in sections 73 and section 83 of [the Educational Support Regulations \(Norwegian only\)](#) at lanekassen.no/regulations.
- I confirm that the information I have submitted is correct and as complete as possible. Should any changes occur after submitting the application, for example an improvement of my capacity to take on salaried employment while I am studying, I am obliged to communicate them immediately to Lånekassen. See chapter 13 of the Educational Support Regulations.
- I am aware that Lånekassen may verify the information submitted with other public institutions, offices and registers. See [the regulations on Lånekassen handling of personal information \(in Norwegian only at lovdata.no\)](#) and [the Educational Support Regulations \(in Norwegian only at lanekassen.no\)](#).
- I am aware that additional grants for applicants with reduced functional abilities are subject to means testing regarding income, social security benefits and assets, and the assets of any spouse or cohabiting partner with whom I have joint children. The additional grant can be converted into a loan if the income and/or assets exceed the predetermined limits, cf. section 12 of the Educational Support Regulations. The personal and capital income and assets on the tax returns for the calendar years I received support have been used for the application.
- I am aware that incorrect or incomplete information can mean that a grant will be converted to a loan, that I will have to repay support to which I am not entitled and that a loan can be subject to interest or terminated. I am aware that I can also lose the right to educational support, payment relief and cancellation of debt in the future, and that serious transgressions can be reported to the police, cf. chapters 13 of the Educational Support Regulations.

Date	Applicant's signature
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The application must be received by Lånekassen before the end of the period for which you have applied for support.
Please upload the application at Dine sider or send it to **Lånekassen, postboks 450 Alnabru, 0614 Oslo**.

Handling personal information: Lånekassen processes personal data in compliance with the privacy rules.
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