



GRADUATE LOYALTY DISCOUNT

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ADDITIONAL NOTES

A 10% fee discount for postgraduate-taught students, who are considered Fashion Retail Academy Alumni, commencing their studies from September 2025.

DEFINITION OF ALUMNI

For the purpose of the Graduate Loyalty Discount, qualifying alumni will be considered as those who have completed a full undergraduate degree with the Fashion Retail Academy. Qualifying undergraduate courses can have been completed at any time, up to and including summer 2024.

APPLICANT CRITERIA

For the purpose of the Graduate Loyalty Discount, applicants only qualify if they meet the following criteria:

- Only applicants who meet all the normal academic admissions criteria for the relevant full MA course taught on campus at the Fashion Retail Academy will be considered.
- Applicants for diplomas, short courses or online courses do not qualify.
- Applicants who already hold a postgraduate qualification (from any institution) will not be considered.
- Only new entrants to postgraduate study will be considered. Currently enrolled or intermitting postgraduate students will not be considered.
- Applicants must commence their studies in academic year 2025/26.
- Applications who defer to the academic year 2026/27 will not be considered. Instead, for the purposes of this discount, they will be considered as 2025/26 entrants and will be considered for any support that may be offered in that year.
- All student fee statuses will be considered (UK, EU and International).
- If a recipient fails to complete a full year of postgraduate study their discount eligibility is subject to review (see below).

DISCOUNT AMOUNT AND EFFECT ON FEE LIABILITY

- The discount is 10% off the full tuition fees due for a given student on a given course.
- The discount will be credited directly towards the recipient's tuition fee account after the remaining balance has been paid.
- The discount will be applied to the **final fee instalment providing students are current and all fees are up to date**, as per agreement with the Falmouth University Finance Team.

INTERRUPTION TO STUDY

- The discount may be withdrawn for those students who withdraw from their course mid- year. As such, they will be liable to pay the full rate of fees for the period attended, as per the Falmouth University Fees Policy.
- Students who intermit from their course mid-year will continue to qualify for the discount upon the resumption of their studies. If an intermitting student instead chooses to withdraw from their course, then the above point will be applied retrospectively.
- Applicants are still required to pay the full fee deposit upon application to the course, as instructed.

ALLOCATION AND PAYMENT OF THE DISCOUNT

- Students only need to apply for the course. There is no separate application process for the Graduate Loyalty Discount.
- Qualifying students will be automatically identified by the Finance Team during the enrolment period and first few weeks of study.
- All applicants who qualify will receive the discount.
- Students can confirm their eligibility by emailing student.finance@falmouth.ac.uk

FURTHER NOTES

The Graduate Loyalty Discount is **only confirmed for the 2025/26** academic year.

Further details available from the Falmouth University Student Finance Team on **01326 255310**.