

SCHEDULE 4

Regulations 13(1)(a) and 14(1)(a)

DESIGNATED COURSES

PART 1

COURSES DESIGNATED FOR STUDENT LOANS  
AND STUDENT LOANS FOR TUITION FEES

1. A first degree course other than a course referred to in paragraph 3.

**Commencement Information**

**I1** Sch. 4 para. 1 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

2. A course for the Diploma of Higher Education.

**Commencement Information**

**I2** Sch. 4 para. 2 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

3. A course for the initial training for teachers, including such a course leading to a first degree.

**Commencement Information**

**I3** Sch. 4 para. 3 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

4. A course for the further training of teachers or youth and community workers.

**Commencement Information**

**I4** Sch. 4 para. 4 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

5. A course in preparation for a professional examination of a standard higher than that of—
  - (a) examinations at advanced level for the General Certificate of Education,
  - (b) the examination at higher level for the Scottish Certificate of Education, or
  - (c) the examination for the National Certificate or the National Diploma of the Scottish Qualifications Authority,

not being a course for entry to which a first degree (or equivalent qualification) is normally required.

**Commencement Information**

**I5** Sch. 4 para. 5 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

6. A course providing education (whether or not in preparation for an examination) the standard of which is—

- (a) higher than that of courses providing education in preparation for any of the examinations mentioned in paragraph 5(a), (b) or (c) above, but

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(b) not higher than that of a first degree course,  
and for entry to which a first degree (or equivalent qualification) is not normally required.

**Commencement Information**

**I6** Sch. 4 para. 6 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

7. A course for the Certificate of Higher Education.

**Commencement Information**

**I7** Sch. 4 para. 7 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

## PART 2

### COURSES DESIGNATED FOR STUDENT LOANS ONLY

8. A course for the Higher National Diploma or Higher National Certificate of the Scottish Qualifications Authority.

**Commencement Information**

**I8** Sch. 4 para. 8 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

9. A taught course leading to a postgraduate diploma.

**Commencement Information**

**I9** Sch. 4 para. 9 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

10. A taught course leading to a postgraduate masters degree.

**Commencement Information**

**I10** Sch. 4 para. 10 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

11. A research course leading to a postgraduate masters degree.

**Commencement Information**

**I11** Sch. 4 para. 11 in force at 1.8.2022, see [reg. 1](#)

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- Sch. 4 para. 9-11 omitted by [S.S.I. 2024/140 reg. 3\(23\)](#)

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