

**HIGHER EDUCATION GRANTS SCHEME, 2010**

Reckonable Income Limits for the ordinary rates of grant\*  
for the period 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009 (the tax year 2009)

<b>No. of Dependent Children</b>	<b>Full Maintenance (100%) and Full Fees</b>	<b>Part Maintenance (75%) and Full Fees</b>	<b>Part Maintenance (50%) and Full Fees</b>	<b>Part Maintenance (25%) and Full Fees</b>	<b>Part Tuition Fees (50%) only**</b>
<b>Less than 4</b>	€1,110	€2,235	€4,720	€7,205	€1,380
<b>4-7</b>	€5,165	€6,415	€9,145	€1,880	€6,460
<b>8 or more</b>	€9,045	€0,400	€3,360	€6,320	€1,295

*\*\*Full Student Service Charge is paid where income is at or below this level.*

\*In the 2010/11 academic year, where 2 or more children (or the candidate's parent or legal guardian) are pursuing a course of study listed below, the reckonable income limits for Full Maintenance (100%) and Full Fees and the Part Tuition Fee (50%) only categories may be increased by €4,980 where there are 2 such children, €9,960 where there are 3 such children and so on, by increments of €4,980.

For the Part Maintenance and Full Fees at 75%, 50% and 25%, the reckonable income limits may be increased by €4,815 where there are 2 such children, €9,630 where there are 3 such children and so on, by increments of €4,815.

- (i) attending full-time third level education
- (ii) attending a recognised PLC course, student nurse training or student Garda training
- (iii) participating in a Fáilte Ireland (formerly CERT) course of at least one years duration
- (iv) attending a full time Teagasc course in an agricultural college
- (v) attending a recognised full-time further education course, of at least one year's duration, in Northern Ireland