

Funding towards Travel & Accommodation & Meals

At present, learners on courses for progression do not qualify for travel/accommodation/meal payments. **These payments relate only to learners on courses for employment.**

Learners may receive Travel or Accommodation Allowance – but not both. Your payment will be calculated and processed at course registration.

Travel Allowance

A travel allowance is a contribution towards the learner's cost of travel based on the distance from the learner's primary place of residence to the campus location.

To qualify, learners must live more than 3 miles/5km away from the campus location they are attending.

Travel Allowances are not payable to participants on Night Training courses.

Travel Allowance Rates

MILES / KILOMETRES	RATE* PER WEEK
3 – 5 miles / 5 – 8 kilometres	€4.60
5 – 10 miles / 8 – 16 kilometres	€11.90
10 – 20 miles / 16 – 32 kilometres	€17.60
20 – 30 miles / 32 – 48 kilometres	€21.60
30 – 40 miles / 48 – 64 kilometres	€27.70
40 – 50 miles / 64 – 80 kilometres	€32.60

* **These rates are the maximum payable for the single journey distance from the course participant's residence to the location of the training course.**

Accommodation & Meal Allowance

An accommodation allowance may be paid to learners who need to relocate in order to attend a course for employment.

To qualify, learners must live more than 20 miles/32km away from the campus location they are attending.

Accommodation & Meal Allowance Rates

ACCOMMODATION ALLOWANCE	€/DAY	€/WEEK
Maximum Rate Payable	€13.98	€69.90
Meal allowances	€0.80	€4.00