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## Income from a trust

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Generally, a payment that a student derives from a trust will be personal income for Student Allowance purposes.

**Example** a student who is the beneficiary of a family trust, receives a payment of \$2,600 for a certain period from the trust for study, training or any other general purpose. This income should be charged against the student's Student Allowance over the period to which it relates.

**Note** payments received from a trust that are intended as payment of tuition fees for a Student Allowance approved course are not personal income for Student Allowance purposes.

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