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# HESES24 Courses table information

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# Summary

1. This document describes the algorithms used to determine the list of courses from the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA)'s 'Find a learning aim' service<sup>1</sup> for inclusion in the Higher Education Students Early Statistics 2024-25 survey (HESES24) Courses table, and assign them to levels and price groups. It applies to further education and sixth form colleges and academies only.
2. The file 'HESES24 Courses table learning aims.xlsx' should be used alongside this document. The learning aims in this file that are flagged as being included in HESES24 will be the same as those that are included in your provider's HESES24 workbook.
3. The LARS updates from Thursday 10 October 2024 were used to create the list of learning aims for inclusion in HESES24.
4. This document is aimed at readers with in-depth knowledge of the data. Readers are advised to have a copy of 'HESES24: Higher Education Students Early Statistics survey 2024-25' (OfS 2024.42)<sup>2</sup> to hand when using this document.

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<sup>1</sup> See <https://submit-learner-data.service.gov.uk/find-a-learning-aim/>.

<sup>2</sup> Available at [www.officeforstudents.org.uk/publications/heses24/](http://www.officeforstudents.org.uk/publications/heses24/).

## ‘HESES24 Courses table learning aims.xlsx’ file

5. This file displays all higher education<sup>3</sup> learning aims from the ESFA’s learning aims database across two worksheets:
  - a. **Included** – Learning aims that are included in the HESES24 Courses table as they are classed as recognised higher education for OfS funding purposes according to the HESES24 definition.
  - b. **Excluded** – Learning aims that are NOT included in the HESES24 Courses table as they are not classed as recognised higher education for OfS funding purposes according to the HESES24 definition.
6. Each worksheet contains the fields listed in this document, either from the ESFA’s learning aims database, or derived by the Office for Students (OfS).

### Further education initial teacher education courses

7. There has been a change to which further education (FE) initial teacher education (ITE) courses are eligible for student support funding from academic year 2024-25<sup>4</sup>. Diplomas in Education and Training (DETs) have been replaced by Diplomas in Teaching (DiTs). Though DETs are no longer eligible for student support funding for students starting in 2024-25, those courses are still eligible for student support funding for students who started before 2024-25. Therefore these courses are listed in the ‘Included’ worksheet in the ‘HESES24 Courses table learning aims.xlsx’ file, so that students who started before 2024-25 can be recorded in HESES24. Students who started in 2024-25 on such courses should not be recorded in HESES24.

### Learning aim appeals

8. If you believe that the information in the ‘HESES24 Courses table learning aims.xlsx’ file or your HESES24 workbook is incorrect, you may submit an appeal to the OfS for the information to be changed.
9. You may submit an appeal on any of the following grounds:
  - a. A learning aim has incorrectly been excluded from HESES24.
  - b. A price group has been incorrectly assigned.
  - c. A learning aim is not in the file or on the ESFA’s learning aims database.
10. If your appeal is in relation to a learning aim being excluded or an incorrect price group being assigned, then you must provide us with the following information:

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<sup>3</sup> That is, learning aims that are at Level 4 or higher according to NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 in the ESFA’s learning aims database.

<sup>4</sup> See [Recognised further education teacher training courses eligible for student support: 2024 to 2025 - GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk/government/news/recognised-further-education-teacher-training-courses-eligible-for-student-support-2024-to-2025) for a list of recognised FT ITE courses for 2024-25.

- a. The learning aim of the course that has the incorrect information.
  - b. The field(s) in the 'HESES24 Courses table learning aims.xlsx' file that are incorrect.
  - c. The correct values of any incorrect fields. You will need to justify why these should be changed.
11. If your appeal is in relation to a learning aim not being listed in either the file or in the ESFA's learning aims database, then you must provide us with the following information:
- a. The learning aim of the course (if known).
  - b. The course title.
  - c. Higher Education Classification of Subjects (HECoS) code(s) for the learning aim (if known).
  - d. The learning aim type or level of the course.
  - e. Evidence that a request has been made to the ESFA for the aim to be added to their learning aims database (where relevant).
12. You will need to send the above information to [heses@officeforstudents.org.uk](mailto:heses@officeforstudents.org.uk).
13. We will supply a temporary learning aim for the course (if required) for the purposes of completing the HESES24 Courses table. We may ask you to remove or edit temporary learning aims for your return based on any subsequent updates to the ESFA's learning aims database.

## 2024-25 LARS (Learning Aims Reference Service) fields used in the algorithms

14. Only certain fields from LARS, detailed in Table 1, are used to produce the HESES24 Courses list.

**Table 1: LARS fields used in the HESES24 Courses list algorithms**

Name	Description
LEARNAIMREF	Learning aim reference
LEARNINGAIMTITLE	Learning aim title
AWARDORGUKPRN	Awarding body UK Provider Reference Number (UKPRN)
AWARDORGCODE	Awarding organisation code
LEARNAIMREFTYPE	Learning aim type
LEARNINGDELIVERYGENRE	Genre of the learning delivery
UNITTYPE	Qualification, unit or class code
NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2	Level of the learning aim
REGULATEDCREDITVALUE	Learning aim's credit value within a regulated credit framework

Name	Description
HECOS_1	The first HECoS code of the learning aim
HECOS_2	The second HECoS code of the learning aim (if applicable)
HECOS_3	The third HECoS code of the learning aim (if applicable)
HECOS_4	The fourth HECoS code of the learning aim (if applicable)
HECOS_5	The fifth HECoS code of the learning aim (if applicable)
LDCS_CO1	The first LearnDirect class system code of the learning aim
LDCS_CO2	The second LearnDirect class system code of the learning aim (if applicable)
LDCS_CO3	The third LearnDirect class system code of the learning aim (if applicable)

## Description of OfS derived fields

15. Table 2 gives details of the OfS derived fields in the file.

**Table 2: HESES24 Courses table derived fields**

Derived field name	Description	Paragraph
OFSAWARD	Type of awarding powers	16
OFSQAIM	Broad category of the learning aim	17
OFSFUNDAIM	Recognition of learning aim for OfS funding purposes	18
HESLEVEL	Level of study	19
HESHECOSPG1	Price group of HECoS (or LDCS) code 1	20
HESHECOSPG2	Price group of HECoS (or LDCS) code 2	20
HESHECOSPG3	Price group of HECoS (or LDCS) code 3	20
HESHECOSPG4	Price group of HECoS code 4	20
HESHECOSPG5	Price group of HECoS code 5	20
HESHEALTHPROF	Nursing, midwifery or allied health profession associated with the learning aim	24
HESFDTEACH	Foundation degree teaching assistant course	25
HESSOCWORK	Course related to social work	26
HESTTCID	Course leads to teacher qualifications	27
HESPRICEGRP1	Price group 1 of the learning aim	28
HESPRICEGRP2	Price group 2 of the learning aim	29
HESPRICEGRP3	Price group 3 of the learning aim	30

## OFSAWARD

16. This field indicates the type of awarding powers held by the awarding body of a qualification.

Value	Description	Definition
DEGREE	Provider has awarding powers for all taught awards or research awards	AWARDORGUKPRN = 10000163, 10000291, 10000385, 10000571, 10000712, 10000824, 10000886, 10000936, 10000961, 10000975, 10001143, 10001282, 10001478, 10001503, 10001726, 10001883, 10002313, 10002718, 10002919, 10003212, 10003270, 10003331, 10003614, 10003645, 10003678, 10003758, 10003854, 10003861, 10003863, 10003956, 10003957, 10003958, 10004048, 10004063, 10004078, 10004113, 10004180, 10004351, 10004511, 10004599, 10004775, 10004797, 10004930, 10005127, 10005337, 10005343, 10005389, 10005451, 10005470, 10005500, 10005523, 10005545, 10005553, 10005561, 10005790, 10006022, 10006093, 10006299, 10006427, 10006566, 10006840, 10006841, 10006842, 10007114, 10007137, 10007138, 10007139, 10007140, 10007141, 10007143, 10007144, 10007145, 10007146, 10007147, 10007148, 10007149, 10007150, 10007151, 10007152, 10007154, 10007155, 10007156, 10007157, 10007158, 10007159, 10007160, 10007161, 10007162, 10007163, 10007164, 10007165, 10007166, 10007167, 10007657, 10007713, 10007759, 10007760, 10007762, 10007764, 10007766, 10007767, 10007768, 10007769, 10007771, 10007772, 10007773, 10007774, 10007775, 10007776, 10007777, 10007778, 10007779, 10007780, 10007782, 10007783, 10007784, 10007785, 10007786, 10007787, 10007788, 10007789, 10007790, 10007791, 10007792, 10007793, 10007794, 10007795, 10007796, 10007797, 10007798, 10007799, 10007800, 10007801, 10007802, 10007803, 10007804, 10007805, 10007806, 10007807, 10007811, 10007814, 10007816, 10007822, 10007823, 10007825, 10007832, 10007833, 10007835, 10007836, 10007837, 10007842, 10007843, 10007848, 10007849, 10007850, 10007851, 10007852, 10007854, 10007855, 10007856, 10007857, 10007858, 10008017, 10008071, 10008173, 10008289, 10008397, 10008574, 10008640, 10008899, 10014001, 10031982, 10035638, 10037449, 10037544, 10039956, 10040812, 10046789, 10048199, 10067355, 10067406, 10067623, 10080811, 10082828, 10083403, 10086591, 10088214, 10089591
BACH	Provider has awarding powers up to and including the level of Bachelors' degree	AWARDORGUKPRN = 10000754, 10007859, 10007938, 10024962, 10055902
FOUDEG	Provider has awarding powers up to and including the level of foundation degree	AWARDORGUKPRN = 10000415, 10001696, 10003200, 10004576, 10005977

Value	Description	Definition
HN	Bodies with HNC and HND awarding powers only	AWARDORGUKPRN = 10022490
MISSING	No awarding body assigned	AWARDORGUKPRN = 0, BLANK
OTHER	Otherwise	Otherwise

## OFSQAIM

17. This field allocates learning aims to broad categories of higher education.

Value	Description	Definition
FIRST	First degree	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 0394, 1407, 1409, 1462, 6002, 9000, 9002, 9107, E007 and LEARNAIMREF ≠ 00241018
ENHANCED	Enhanced first degree	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 6003
MASTER	Masters	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 0393, 1410, 1463, 1464, 2001, 9101, 9109, 9114
HIGHER	Higher degree	Provider specific override
PHD	PhD and MPhil	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 1411, 1412
DIPHE	DipHE	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 9112
PGCE	PGCE and other postgraduate ITT	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 6004, 9103, 9115
CERTED	CertEd	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 1465, 1466, 9111
FOUDEG	Foundation degree	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 9110
FDBC	Foundation degree bridging course	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 6001 and LEARNAIMREF ≠ 00301548
HIGHCERT	Higher certificate	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 0084
CTLLS	Certificate in teaching in the lifelong learning sector	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 1451



Value	Description	Definition
DTLLS	Diploma in teaching in the lifelong learning sector	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 1449
PTLLS	Preparing to teach in the lifelong learning sector	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 1450
CET	Certificate in Education and Training	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 1457
DET	Diploma in Education and Training	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and (LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 1458, 1459 or LEARNAIMREF = 60102548, 60104624, 60104636, 60105185, 6010580X, 60112281, 60114629, 60116225, 60123837, 60124453, 60125032, 6012717X, 60132644, 60153507, 60161991, 60179752, 60181229, 60305757)
PGCERT	Postgraduate certificate	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 0065
UNICERT	University certificate	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 9001
PGDIP	Postgraduate diploma	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 0125
HNC	HNC	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 0031 and LEARNAIMREF ≠ 00304787, 00304789
HND	HND	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, H and LEARNAIMREFTYPE = 0032, 1454 and LEARNAIMREF ≠ 00304788, 00304790
OTHL4_Q	Other Level 4 qualification	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4 and UNITTYPE = QUALIFICATION
OTHL4_CC	Other Level 4 class code	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4 and UNITTYPE = CLASS CODE
OTHL4_U	Other Level 4 unit	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4 and UNITTYPE = UNIT
OTHL5_Q	Other Level 5 qualification	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 5 and UNITTYPE = QUALIFICATION
OTHL5_CC	Other Level 5 class code	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 5 and UNITTYPE = CLASS CODE
OTHL5_U	Other Level 5 unit	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 5 and UNITTYPE = UNIT

Value	Description	Definition
OTHL6_Q	Other Level 6 qualification	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 6 and UNITTYPE = QUALIFICATION
OTHL6_CC	Other Level 6 class code	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 6 and UNITTYPE = CLASS CODE
OTHL6_U	Other Level 6 unit	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 6 and UNITTYPE = UNIT
OTHL7_Q	Other Level 7 qualification	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 7 and UNITTYPE = QUALIFICATION
OTHL7_CC	Other Level 7 class code	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 7 and UNITTYPE = CLASS CODE
OTHL7_U	Other Level 7 unit	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 7 and UNITTYPE = UNIT
OTHL8_Q	Other Level 8 qualification	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 8 and UNITTYPE = QUALIFICATION
OTHL8_CC	Other Level 8 class code	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 8 and UNITTYPE = CLASS CODE
OTHL8_U	Other Level 8 unit	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 8 and UNITTYPE = UNIT
OTHHE_Q	Other higher education qualification	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = H and UNITTYPE = QUALIFICATION
OTHHE_CC	Other higher education class code	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = H and UNITTYPE = CLASS CODE
OTHHE_U	Other higher education unit	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = H and UNITTYPE = UNIT
NA	Not applicable as aim is a programme aim	LEARNAIMREF = ZPROG001
FE	Further education aim	Otherwise

## OFFSFUNDAIM

18. This field indicates whether a learning aim meets the definition of recognised higher education for OfS funding purposes.

Value	Description	Definition
1	Recognised for funding purposes	((OFSQAIM = HNC, HND and (OFSAWARD = DEGREE, BACH, FOUDEG, HN or AWARDORGUKPRN = 10038755)) or (OFSQAIM = DET, DTLLS and (OFSAWARD = DEGREE, BACH, FOUDEG or

		REGULATEDCREDITVALUE > 119)) or (OFSQAIM ≠ FE, HNC, HND, DET, DTLLS, OTHL4_CC, OTHL5_CC, OTHL6_CC, OTHL7_CC, OTHL8_CC, OTHHE_CC and LEARNINGDELIVERYGENRE = IHE, IOP)) and LEARNAIMREF ≠ 00241018, 00301548
0	Not recognised for funding purposes	Otherwise

## HESLEVEL

19. This field allocates a level of study to the learning aim.

Value	Description	Definition
UG_45	Undergraduate (Level 4 and 5)	NOTIONALNVQLEVELV2 = 4, 5 and OFSQAIM = HND, HNC, DIPHE, FOUDEG, CERTED, CTLLS, DTLLS, PTLLS, CET, DET, HIGHCERT, UNICERT, OTHL4_Q, OTHL5_Q
UG_OTH	Undergraduate (Other)	OFSQAIM = HND, HNC, DIPHE, FOUDEG, CERTED, FIRST, FDBC, ENHANCED, CTLLS, DTLLS, PTLLS, CET, DET, HIGHCERT, UNICERT, OTHL4_CC, OTHL4_U, OTHL5_CC, OTHL5_U, OTHL6_Q, OTHL6_CC, OTHL6_U, OTHHE_Q, OTHHE_CC, OTHHE_U and not above
PGR	Postgraduate research	OFSQAIM = PHD
PGT_UGF	Postgraduate taught and eligible under the undergraduate student support regime	OFSQAIM = PGCE
PGT_ML	Postgraduate taught courses which are eligible for student finance support	OFSQAIM = MASTER
PGT_OTH	Postgraduate taught courses that do not fall under the previous two categories	OFSQAIM ≠ FE, NA and not above
BLANK	Otherwise	Otherwise

## HESHECOSP1, HESHECOSP2, HESHECOSP3, HESHECOSP4, HESHECOSP5

20. This field indicates the indicative price groups mapped to the HECoS codes for the learning aim. Price groups are mapped to the HESHECOSPX derived fields by the respective HECOS\_X values.

21. Where HECoS codes are not assigned to an aim in the LARS updates on Thursday 10 October 2024, LDCS codes have been used instead to set the indicative price groups.

22. Tables showing the complete list of HECoS codes are available on the HESA website<sup>5</sup>, and a detailed mapping of HECoS codes to price groups is available in Annex A of ‘Data collection to inform funding for 2022-23: Notification of changes’ (OfS2021.32)<sup>6</sup>. For the most part, we have used the Common Aggregation Hierarchy (CAH) standard groupings of HECoS codes to determine price groups. The assignment of HECoS codes under the CAH is available on the HESA website.

23. CAH codes contain ‘CAH’ followed by up to six digits in three pairs. The top level and two subsequent levels of the hierarchy are each represented by a pair of digits. In the table below, the mapping of CAH codes to price groups includes all sub-levels of each code, unless stated otherwise. For example, ‘CAH01’ includes all CAH codes that begin with CAH01, ‘CAH03-02’ includes all codes that begin with CAH03-02 and ‘CAH03-01-09’ includes only that code.

Value	Definition
B	OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and (HECOS_X = 100523 or HECOS_1 = BLANK) and LDCS_COX = SN.6
C2	OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and (((HECOS_X = 100246 or HECOS_1 = BLANK) and LDCS_COX = PA.1) or ((HECOS_X = 100229 or HECOS_1 = BLANK) and LDCS_COX = ZR., ZR.1) or ((HECOS_X = 101078 or HECOS_1 = BLANK) and LDCS_COX = QA.) or ((HECOS_X = 100517 or HECOS_1 = BLANK) and LDCS_COX = SE.7) ((HECOS_X = 100194 or HECOS_1 = BLANK) and LDCS_COX = ZS.31) ((HECOS_X = 101318 or HECOS_1 = BLANK) and LDCS_COX = SP.23))
D	OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and (HECOS_X = 100936 or HECOS_1 = BLANK) and LDCS_COX = SP.22, SP.5

<sup>5</sup> A full list of HECoS and CAH codes and associated subject descriptions are available at <https://www.hesa.ac.uk/support/documentation/hecos/cah>.

<sup>6</sup> See [www.officeforstudents.org.uk/publications/data-collection-to-inform-funding-for-2022-23-notification-of-changes/](http://www.officeforstudents.org.uk/publications/data-collection-to-inform-funding-for-2022-23-notification-of-changes/).

Value	Definition
B	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 ≠ BLANK and  HECOS_X corresponds to one of the  following Common Aggregation Hierarchy codes:  CAH01, CAH02-02, CAH02-05, CAH02-06-01,  CAH02-06-02, CAH02-06-03, CAH02-06-06 (only  when HECOS_X = 100241, 100243),  CAH03-01-01, CAH03-01-02, CAH03-01-03,  CAH03-01-04, CAH03-01-05, CAH03-01-06,  CAH03-01-07, CAH03-01-08, CAH03-01-10,  CAH05, CAH06-01-01, CAH06-01-02, CAH06-01-  03, CAH06-01-05, CAH06-01-07, CAH07, CAH10-  01-01, CAH10-01-02, CAH10-01-03 (only when  HECOS_X = 100152, 100170, 100193,  100201, 100202, 100205, 100206, 100209, 100211,  101397, 101398), CAH10-01-04, CAH10-01-05,  CAH10-01-06, CAH10-01-07 (only when  HECOS_X = 100120, 100148, 100153,  100154, 100156, 100157, 100180, 100551,  100565), CAH10-01-08, CAH10-01-09, CAH10-01-  10, CAH10-03-01, CAH10-03-02, CAH10-03-03,  CAH10-03-04, CAH10-03-05, CAH10-03-06 (only  when HECOS_X = 100186, 100222,  100230, 100560, 101356), CAH10-03-07, CAH15-  01-04 (only when HECOS_X = 101218),  CAH26-01-04, CAH26-01-06  and not above</p>
C1.1	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 ≠ BLANK and  HECOS_X corresponds to one of the  following Common Aggregation Hierarchy codes:  CAH11, CAH20-01-03, CAH26-01-05 (only when  HECOS_X = 100369)  and not above</p>
C1.2	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 ≠ BLANK and  HECOS_X corresponds to one of the  following Common Aggregation Hierarchy codes:  CAH10-01-03 (only when HECOS_X =  100109, 100110), CAH24-01-01, CAH24-01-03,  CAH24-01-04, CAH24-01-05, CAH25  and not above</p>

Value	Definition
C2	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 ≠ BLANK and  HECOS_X corresponds to one of the  following Common Aggregation Hierarchy codes:  CAH02-04, CAH02-06-04, CAH02-06-05, CAH02-06-06 (only when HECOS_X = 100233, 100234, 100235, 100236, 100237, 100239, 100242, 100253, 100739, 101241, 101340, 101375),  CAH02-06-07, CAH03-01-09, CAH03-02, CAH04, CAH06-01-06, CAH06-01-08, CAH09, CAH10-01-03 (only when HECOS_X = 100213),  CAH10-01-07 (only when HECOS_X = 100219, 100548, 100549, 101048), CAH10-03-06 (only when HECOS_X = 100093), CAH13, CAH15-04-03, CAH17-01-06, CAH19-04-01, CAH19-04-02, CAH19-04-03, CAH19-04-04, CAH19-04-05, CAH19-04-06, CAH19-04-07, CAH19-04-09, CAH26-01-01, CAH26-01-02, CAH26-01-03, CAH26-01-05 (only when HECOS_X = 101056)  and not above</p>
D	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 ≠ BLANK and  HECOS_X corresponds to one of the  following Common Aggregation Hierarchy codes:  CAH06-01-04, CAH15-01-01, CAH15-01-02, CAH15-01-03, CAH15-01-04 (only when HECOS_X = 100436, 100437, 100663),  CAH15-01-05, CAH15-01-06, CAH15-02, CAH15-03, CAH15-04-01, CAH15-04-02, CAH16, CAH17-01-01, CAH17-01-02, CAH17-01-03, CAH17-01-04, CAH17-01-05, CAH17-01-07, CAH17-01-08, CAH17-01-09, CAH19-01, CAH19-02, CAH19-04-08, CAH20-01-01, CAH20-01-02, CAH20-01-04, CAH20-01-05, CAH20-02, CAH22, CAH23, CAH24-01-02  and not above</p>

Value	Definition
B	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 = BLANK and  LDCS_COX = LJ, NH.2, PB, PC.1, PC.5, PE (<i>except PE.8</i>), PF.1, PF.2, PF.4, PG, QA.3, QC, QH.6,  R (<i>except RA.3, RA.5, RA.6, RB, RF.4, RF.6, RF.7, RG</i>),  S (<i>except SE, SJ.5, SM, SN.3, SN.6, SP, SQ</i>),  TK, TL, TM, VE, VF.3, VF.4, VG, WA, WB, WC, WD, WE, WG,  X (<i>except XA.13, XA.32, XN, XS</i>),  Y</p>
C1.1	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 = BLANK and  LDCS_COX = BF, C (<i>except CD, CE</i>), DC</p>
C1.2	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 = BLANK and  LDCS_COX = CD, CE,  J (<i>except JA.22, JA.23, JA.32, JA.33, JA.34, JA.5, JA.7, JA.8, JE</i>),  K (<i>except KB, KC</i>),  L (<i>except LF.3, LJ, LK.3 (but including LK.31)</i>),  SE (<i>except SE.9</i>), VF (<i>except VF.3, VF.4, VF.7</i>),  W (<i>except WA, WB, WC, WD, WE, WG, WM</i>)</p>
C2	<p>OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and  HECOS_1 = BLANK and  LDCS_COX = FC.24, FC.6 (<i>except FC.62, FC.65, FC.67</i>), FJ.4, FM.4 (<i>except FM.412</i>), FM.5, FM.7, FM.9 (<i>except FM.913</i>), FN.1, FN.3 (<i>except FN.32, FN.35</i>), FN.4, FN.5, FN.7, FN.8, FN.9,  HK, HL,  M,  N (<i>except NG, NH.2, NK, NL.1, NL.2, NN</i>),  P (<i>except PB, PC.1, PC.5, PE (but including PE.8), PF.1, PF.2, PF.4, PG, PR</i>),  Q (<i>except QA.3, QB, QC, QH, QJ</i>),  RA.3, RA.5, RB, RF.4, RF.6, RF.7, RG, SE.9, SN.3, SN.6, SQ,  T (<i>except TC.44, TC.5, TC.6, TK, TL, TM</i>),  WM, XA.13, XA.32, XN, XS,  Z (<i>except ZX.3, ZX.4, ZX.5</i>)</p>

Value	Definition
D	OFSFUNDAIM = 1 and HECOS_1 = BLANK and LDCS_COX = A, B (except BF), D (except DC), E, F (except FC.24, FC.6 (but including FC.62, FC.65, FC.67), FJ.4, FM.4 (but including FM.412), FM.5, FM.7, FM.9 (but including FM.913), FN.1, FN.3 (but including FN.32, FN.35), FN.4, FN.5, FN.7, FN.8, FN.9), G, H (except HK, HL), JA.22, JA.23, JA.32, JA.33, JA.34, JA.5, JA.7, JA.8, JE, KB, KC, LF.3, LK.3 (except LK.31), NG, NK, NL.1, NL.2, NN, PR, QB, QH (except QH.6), QJ, RA.6, SJ.5, SM, SP, TC.44, TC.5, TC.6, U, V (except VE, VF (but including VF.7), VG), ZX.3, ZX.4, ZX.5
BLANK	Otherwise

## HESHEALTHPROF

24. This field indicates whether a pre-registration nursing, midwifery and allied health profession is associated with the learning aim.

Value	Description	Definition
DENHYG	Dental hygiene	Learning aim specific algorithm
DENTHE	Dental therapy	Learning aim specific algorithm
DIETET	Dietetics	Learning aim specific algorithm
MIDWIF	Midwifery	Learning aim specific algorithm
NURSAD	Nursing – adult	Learning aim specific algorithm
NURSCH	Nursing – children	Learning aim specific algorithm
NURSLD	Nursing – learning disability	Learning aim specific algorithm
NURSMH	Nursing – mental health	Learning aim specific algorithm
NURSUN	Nursing – unclassified	Learning aim specific algorithm
OCCTHE	Occupational therapy	Learning aim specific algorithm
OPDEPT	Operating department practice	Learning aim specific algorithm
ORTHOP	Orthoptics	Learning aim specific algorithm
ORTPRO	Orthotics and prosthetics	Learning aim specific algorithm
PHYSIO	Physiotherapy	Learning aim specific algorithm
PODCHI	Podiatry and chiropody	Learning aim specific algorithm
RADDIA	Radiography (diagnostic)	Learning aim specific algorithm
RADTHE	Radiography (therapeutic)	Learning aim specific algorithm
SPELAN	Speech and language therapy	Learning aim specific algorithm



Value	Description	Definition
BLANK	Not a nursing, midwifery and allied health profession	Otherwise

## HESFDTEACH

25. This field indicates if students on the learning aim are awarded foundation degrees for teaching assistants.

Value	Description	Definition
1	Foundation degree teaching assistant	Learning aim specific algorithm
0	Otherwise	Otherwise

## HESSOCWORK

26. This field indicates if students on the learning aim should be mapped to price group C2 as the aim relates to social work as described in Annex G paragraphs 18-19 of the HESES24 guidance.

Value	Description	Definition
1	Learning aim relates to social work	Learning aim specific algorithm
0	Otherwise	Otherwise

## HESTTCID

27. This field indicates whether the student is on a course that leads to teacher qualifications.

Value	Description	Definition
1	On initial or pre-service teacher training course leading to Qualified Teacher Status or to registration as a school teacher with the General Teaching Council for Scotland	Provider specific algorithm or LEARNAIMREF = 00302980, 00303434, 00303435, 00303465, 00303530, 00303591, 00303642, 00303643, 00303714, 00303735, 00303835, 00303836, 00303837, 00303838, 00304037, 00304038, 00304105, 00304392, 00304515, 00304569, 00304934, 00304948, 00304949, 00307020, 00307021
2	On other initial teacher training course not leading to Qualified Teacher Status nor to registration as a school teacher with the General Teaching Council for Scotland	(OFSQAIM = PGCE, DET, DTLLS, CET, CTLLS, PTLLS, CERTED or provider specific algorithm) and not above
5	Inset course	Provider specific algorithm
9	Other Department for Education (DfE) funded provision not elsewhere specified	Provider specific algorithm
D	Other Pre-ITT activity funded by the DfE	Provider specific algorithm

Value	Description	Definition
Q	Early Years Initial Teacher Training	Provider specific algorithm
0	Otherwise	Otherwise

## HESPRICEGRP1

28. This field indicates the first price group for the learning aim.

Value	Definition
A	HESHEALTHPROF = DENHYG, DENTHE
B	HESHEALTHPROF = DIETET, MIDWIF, OCCTHE, OPDEPT, ORTHOP, ORTPRO, PHYSIO, PODCHI, RADDIA, RADTHE, SPELAN
C1.1	HESHEALTHPROF = NURSAD, NURSCH, NURSLD, NURSMH, NURSUN
C2	HESFDTEACH = 1 or HESOCWORK = 1 or HESTTCID = 1, 2, 5, Q
B	HESHECOSPG1 = B or HESHECOSPG2 = B or HESHECOSPG3 = B or HESHECOSPG4 = B or HESHECOSPG5 = B and not above
C1.1	HESHECOSPG1 = C1.1 or HESHECOSPG2 = C1.1 or HESHECOSPG3 = C1.1 or HESHECOSPG4 = C1.1 or HESHECOSPG5 = C1.1 and not above
C1.2	HESHECOSPG1 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG2 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG3 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG4 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG5 = C1.2 and not above
C2	HESHECOSPG1 = C2 or HESHECOSPG2 = C2 or HESHECOSPG3 = C2 or HESHECOSPG4 = C2 or HESHECOSPG5 = C2 and not above

Value	Definition
D	HESHECOSPG1 = D or HESHECOSPG2 = D or HESHECOSPG3 = D or HESHECOSPG4 = D or HESHECOSPG5 = D and not above
BLANK	Otherwise

## HESPRICEGRP2

29. This field indicates the second price group for the learning aim, where the learning aim is split across two different price groups.

Value	Definition
BLANK	HESHEALTHPROF ≠ BLANK or HESFDTEACH = 1 or HESOCWORK = 1 or HESTTCID = 1, 2, 5, Q
C1.1	(HESHECOSPG1 = C1.1 or HESHECOSPG2 = C1.1 or HESHECOSPG3 = C1.1 or HESHECOSPG4 = C1.1 or HESHECOSPG5 = C1.1) and HESPRICEGRP1 ≠ C1.1 and not above
C1.2	(HESHECOSPG1 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG2 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG3 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG4 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG5 = C1.2) and HESPRICEGRP1 ≠ C1.2 and not above
C2	(HESHECOSPG1 = C2 or HESHECOSPG2 = C2 or HESHECOSPG3 = C2 or HESHECOSPG4 = C2 or HESHECOSPG5 = C2) and HESPRICEGRP1 ≠ C2 and not above
D	(HESHECOSPG1 = D or HESHECOSPG2 = D or HESHECOSPG3 = D or HESHECOSPG4 = D or HESHECOSPG5 = D) and HESPRICEGRP1 ≠ D and not above

Value	Definition
BLANK	Otherwise

### HESPRICEGRP3

30. This field indicates the third price group for the learning aim, where the learning aim is split across three different price groups.

Value	Definition
BLANK	HESHEALTHPROF ≠ BLANK or HESFDTEACH = 1 or HESSOCWORK = 1 or HESTTCID = 1, 2, 5, Q
C1.2	(HESHECOSPG1 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG2 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG3 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG4 = C1.2 or HESHECOSPG5 = C1.2) and HESPRICEGRP1 ≠ C1.2 and HESPRICEGRP2 ≠ C1.2 and not above
C2	(HESHECOSPG1 = C2 or HESHECOSPG2 = C2 or HESHECOSPG3 = C2 or HESHECOSPG4 = C2 or HESHECOSPG5 = C2) and HESPRICEGRP1 ≠ C2 and HESPRICEGRP2 ≠ C2 and not above
D	(HESHECOSPG1 = D or HESHECOSPG2 = D or HESHECOSPG3 = D or HESHECOSPG4 = D or HESHECOSPG5 = D) and HESPRICEGRP1 ≠ D and HESPRICEGRP2 ≠ D and not above
BLANK	Otherwise

## Fields used in the HESES24 Courses table

31. Table 3 lists the columns of the Courses table, with the fields used to populate them.

**Table 3: HESES24 Courses table columns**

Column of Courses table	Definition
Row number	Automatically populated
Learning aim reference	LEARNAIMREF
Course title	LEARNINGAIMTITLE
Price group 1	HESPRICEGRP1
Price group 1 proportion	Input the proportion of the course assigned to price group 1 (automatically populated if there is only one price group)
Price group 2	HESPRICEGRP2
Price group 2 proportion	Input the proportion of the course assigned to price group 2
Price group 3	HESPRICEGRP3
Price group 3 proportion	Input the proportion of the course assigned to price group 3
Level	'UG (Level 4 and 5)' where HESLEVEL = UG_45 'UG (Other)' where HESLEVEL = UG_OTH 'PGT (UG fee)' where HESLEVEL = PGT_UGF 'PGT (Masters' loan)' where HESLEVEL = PGT_ML 'PGT (Other)' where HESLEVEL = PGT_OTH 'PGR' where HESLEVEL = PGR
Length	Automatically populated to 'Standard'. If a course is of long length, you will need to modify the value in this column
All other columns	Enter the years countable under each category



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