

Remain in NUS **VOTE YES**



From 17 to 19 March be a voter by visiting
www.ausa.org.uk/representation/nus/nusreferendum/

**Should AUSA continue to be affiliated to
the National Union of Students?**



**NUS Scotland represents over 500,000 students in Scotland.
We are the voice of students on the issues that matter to them.**

-  **BETTER MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
ON YOUR CAMPUS**
-  **PROTECT STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES
& INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS' RIGHTS**
-  **A BETTER DEAL FOR STUDENT RENTERS**

...and much more.

"VOTE YES in this referendum to remain in your national union. You can then continue to benefit from campaigns that NUS wins on the issues that matter most to you as students: protecting the rights of EU and international students, fighting for better mental health services, affordable student housing, and much more."

Maggie Chapman, Rector of the University of Aberdeen



Find out more about what NUS Scotland
does for you: [www.nusconnect.org.uk/
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What has NUS Scotland won for you?

- ✓ **NUS Scotland won an extra £21 million for student cost-of-living support**, delivering better bursary support, and a bursary of £8,100 for care-experienced students.
- ✓ From this academic year, the **University of Aberdeen has benefited from new funding** – as part of a £20 million Scottish Government investment – to improve counselling provision, thanks to NUS Scotland campaigning.
- ✓ **NUS Scotland supported your students' association to scrap graduation fees at Aberdeen, saving students £45 each.**
- ✓ **Thanks to NUS Scotland, from 2021 students will pay back their student loan once earning £25,000 and above** – up from £18,935 now.
- ✓ NUS Scotland supported the Royal College of Nursing to lobby the government to **increase the Scottish nursing and midwifery bursary to £10,000 from 2020/21.**
- ✓ **Campaigning to protect opportunities for students in Scotland and across the EU post Brexit**, including access to Erasmus+ and protecting vital funding.
- ✓ NUS Scotland **successfully campaigned for tuition fees to be scrapped.**

Why vote for Yes?

- ✓ **We ensure University of Aberdeen students are represented at Holyrood and Westminster.** Thanks to NUS Scotland, your President has the chance to put your concerns direct to the Scottish Government at the annual Presidents' Roundtable.
- ✓ **We provide networking events, training courses and opportunities for students** to learn, share and connect across Scotland.
- ✓ **As part of NUS Scotland, University of Aberdeen students are part of the wider student movement!** NUS Scotland members work in solidarity with students from across the UK, as part of NUS UK, and across Europe, as part of the European Students' Union.
- ✓ **We campaign on Liberation issues, alongside students who face oppression:** campaigning for a fair system of gender recognition for trans people, tackling the Black Attainment gap, successfully lobbying for free sanitary products and investment to combat gender-based violence, and more.

**NUS
MEMBERSHIP
JUST £1.62
PER STUDENT
PER YEAR
(2020/21)**

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