

ROYAL AERO CLUB TRUST
AEROMODELLING AND DRONE FLYING BURSARY SCHEME
APPLICATION FORM FOR 2026

Notes to Applicants:

1. **Please ensure that you have read the Terms and Conditions of this bursary scheme and that your application is compliant.**
2. **Your sponsor must know you personally.**
 - c. When Sections 1& 2 have been completed, pass your complete application to the Sponsor who should return it direct to the Trust Bursary Administrator by letter post (or by email in the case of applicants over 18 years of age who do not need signed parental consent) and should not pass it back to you.

SECTION 1: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT

First Name(s):		Surname:	
Age:		Date of Birth: (attach proof of age)	
Address:			
Post Code:			
Telephone: Day		Eve:	Mobile:
Email Address:			
(the Trust Bursary Administrator will acknowledge all applications by email message)			
Name of Sponsoring Organisation:			
Date applicant joined Sponsoring Organisation:			
Membership Renewal Date:			
Aero modelling Experience (years/months):			

Qualifications Obtained (give dates):			
Models flown & equipment used:			
State why you are applying for a bursary (eg. To obtain qualifications, enter competitions or purchase equipment to compete in competitions):			
Name & address of Training Establishment/Equipment Supplier (including telephone number/email address):			
Cost of training/equipment:			
How did you hear of the Trust's Bursary Scheme?			

CANDIDATE'S PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please state why you should be awarded an Aero Modelling Bursary (not more than 500 words) (Personal Statement) **Copy must be attached**

BY SIGNING OR BY SUBMITTING THIS DOCUMENT BY EMAIL I ACCEPT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE BURSARY SCHEME

I confirm that this application is for competitions/equipment/qualifications not yet acquired.

If I am offered a bursary, I consent to the Trust using my personal data to publicise the award in accordance with the terms & conditions. I retain the right to have all personal data erased on request.

Applicant's Signature

_____Date_____

THIS APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE ONE HIGH QUALITY ORIGINAL COPY OF A RECENT PHOTOGRAPH. POOR QUALITY DIGITAL PHOTOS ON COMPUTER PAPER ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE. PHOTOGRAPHS MAY BE USED FOR PUBLICITY PURPOSES AND WILL NOT BE RETURNED. PHOTOGRAPHS MAY BE FORWARDED ELECTRONICALLY.

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SECTION 2: TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/GUARDIAN (applicants under 18yrs of age only)

Statement of parental consent and acceptance of Terms and Conditions

Signed_____Relationship_____

Date_____

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NOTE TO APPLICANTS

EVERY YEAR APPLICATIONS FAIL BECAUSE THEY ARE INCOMPLETE.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU FORWARD THE FOLLOWING WITH THE APPLICATION:

- Personal statement
- Copy of birth certificate (ie proof of age)
- Photograph of the applicant preferably engaged in aero modelling

Now submit your application together with the above documents to your sponsor.

The Bursary Administrator will acknowledge by email the receipt of applications. If the application is successful, you will receive a Bursary Offer Letter; unsuccessful applicants will be notified by email.

SECTION 3: TO BE COMPLETED BY SPONSORING ORGANISATION

Notes for Sponsoring Organisation

1. **Please read and comply with the terms & conditions**
2. **The signatory must know the applicant personally**
3. **The signatory must comment on the suitability of the applicant to receive a bursary rather than just countersigning the application. Any comments made will be confidential, will not be passed to any third party or the applicant and will only be used for the purposes of this bursary scheme.**
4. **The applicant should pass this application form to you with Sections 1& 2 completed. When you have completed Section 3, please send the whole application, by letter post (email may be used if applicants are 18 years of age or over), direct to the Trust Bursary Administrator, address below, and not back to the applicant.**

Name & Address of Sponsoring Organisation:

Email Address:

Tel No.

For how long, in what capacity and how well have you known the applicant personally?

Comments/ Recommendation of
Sponsor/Club/Association _____

Confirmation that Sponsoring Organisation is a member/associate member of the Royal Aero Club **THROUGH THE BRITISH MODEL FLYING ASSOCIATION (BMFA)**: Yes/No

BY SIGNING, OR BY SUBMITTING THIS DOCUMENT BY EMAIL, I CERTIFY THAT I COMPLY WITH AND AGREE TO BE BOUND BY THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AWARD OF A TRUST BURSARY

Signed:	Name:
Date:	Position/Appointment:

The closing date for applications is 31 Dec 2025.

Applications should be submitted in accordance with the details on the Home Page.

Please ensure that applications are complete and include:

- **Applicant's Personal Statement**
- **Copy of Birth Certificate (ie proof of age)**
- **Photograph of the applicant engaged in an air sport or in air sport attire**

Applicants less than 18 years of age require signed parental consent.