



The Formentera Council's office of education will give eight grants to students of higher education programmes in 2015-2016. Education councillor Susana Labrador announced the Council's plan to distribute **10,000 euros** in 1,250-euro grants to students of higher learning programmes (universities, fine arts, technical studies, plastic arts, design and sports studies) provided applicants are also residents of Formentera.

To be valid, an applicant's course of study must be officially recognised in all of Spain. Grants will be given to students in classroom-based (not online or distance-learning) programmes. Studies must also take place at state schools, unless a candidate's course of study is only offered in a private school.

As the councillor pointed out, 2015-2016 grant-giving by the CiF is up compared to last year, "when only seven were awarded". She also reminded potential applicants that the terms of application and information about all required documentation (which must be submitted at the Citizens Information Office [OAC]) is available online: [http://www.consellinsulardeformentera.cat/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=category&id=351&Itemid=437&lang=ca](http://www.consellinsulardeformentera.cat/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&id=351&Itemid=437&lang=ca).

The deadline for applications is

**25 April**