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ONE WEEK TO GO! HSBC OFFERS TEN STUDENTS CHANCE TO WIN £10,000 BURSARY

Students have one week left to submit an entry for this year's HSBC Student Bursary competition and have the chance to win £10,000.

Now in its fifth year, the HSBC Student Bursary competition offers ten students the chance to each win the bursary. The competition is hosted on Facebook and is open to all UK students* starting their first year of university this autumn who hold or open an HSBC Student Bank Account before 27th September.

More than 57,000 people have 'liked' the HSBC Students [competition page](#) on the site so far.

Entrants have to create and upload a 90 second video to YouTube, and submit a short application form that answers the question, "How would £10,000 help you make your mark on the world?" **The competition entry deadline is 11:59am on 13th September.**

Natalie Barr, an HSBC student bursary winner from 2011, told us why she's passionate about primary school teaching and used the bursary money to fund her third year placement in Uganda.

You can see Natalie's and all the winning videos from last year here: www.youtube.com/HSBCUKPress

Matt Richards, HSBC Head of Student Banking, said: 'I have been hugely impressed by the standard of entries we have already seen in this year's bursary competition. It's very inspiring to hear from young people who are determined to pursue their dreams. I'm looking forward to watching more stories over the next week.'

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Notes to Editors

- * Competition not open to residents of the Channel Islands, Isle of Man or Northern Ireland.

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Information on the HSBC student bursary competition: Terms and conditions apply. To enter and for full details of the competition rules, visit www.facebook.com/hsbcstudents

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