

Undergraduate Prospectus 2023

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# IMPATIENT FOR CHANGE?

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Want to change the world or your own life? Essex is the place for you.

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Transformative education isn't just about what you learn in the classroom. With an Essex education you can take on the challenges of the world, personal or professional, and make an impact. With Essex on your side, you can start to make a difference. We will give you the skills and support to develop your ways of thinking, your understanding of your subject and the world around you, to unlock the power of your own ideas to make your mark in the world.

# WHY ESSEX?

Home to the curious, bold and brave. We're a university where vibrant, scenic campuses are home to a truly global community. Whilst you're busy exploring new ways of thinking and pushing boundaries, you'll find that Essex has everything you need to enjoy a wealth of life-enriching opportunities.

#### The Essex Spirit

When you join Essex, you join for life. You become part of our global family and part of our amazing, creative, diverse community. A community that is engaged and kind, and where everyone is equal. Our Essex community reaches far beyond the boundaries of our campuses. We support each other; we live and learn together; we disagree agreeably; and we develop interests and embrace values that change our lives and careers forever.

#### **Culture of membership**

You become a member of our university when you join us. From current students through to our global alumni network and research/industries links, by working together we are stronger and can achieve much more, we can shape lives and the world around us – for the better. The door is always open for further study with us; we offer a saving of up to 33% off the first year of postgraduate study through our Alumni Loyalty Discount.





#### **Global community**

We provide an intimate but global setting: fusing ideas, culture and a breadth of perspectives, with internationalism at the heart of everything we do. We know whoever you are and whatever you do – to succeed and contribute – you need a global view; an understanding of different people and cultures and ways of looking at the world. We engage with research and education from every corner of the earth. Research that matters, that makes a difference to the world today and shapes a sustainable tomorrow. Our research informs our education and makes sure we are active, empathetic, and entrepreneurial and engaged global citizens.

#### **Research mindset**

At Essex you will help define the next generation of challenges, set agendas for addressing enduring and emerging questions, lead the advancement of knowledge and develop innovative applications and ideas for the benefit of people, the environment, communities and society. Our research has an impact on the world. Inspiring curiosity is profound in creating positive change. At Essex, you will partner with academics, taking part in and doing research that drives progress.



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#### Meet some of our global family.

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#### Timi Salako

#### PhD Computer Science Shaping the education system for the next generation of students

I think the current educational system uses a one size fits all approach and so in my PhD I'm trying to look for ways to customise learning for different people. I believe teaching and learning could be more fun.

There are different categories of students; there are students that learn one way and students that learn another way. I also believe that multimedia technologies like virtual reality, for instance gaming, has the potential to engage students. That's what my PhD is about: how to make teaching easier for teachers and learning easier for students, so I'm trying to research immersive multimedia technologies and how it's going to be best used. There's a stereotype that computer scientists have to be nerdy; you have to just sit down, boxed up, typing code somewhere. But I think it can be more fun, for instance I'm an artist and I'm looking for ways of embedding art into computer science, because why can't there be a blend of both?

The best way to predict the future is to invent it, in a world which changes constantly you either adapt to the change that is coming or you create that change yourself.

#### **Rasheedat Olarinoye**

#### BSc Psychology with Cognitive Neuroscience Founded a non-profit organisation to make volunteering more accessible

I'm a very impulsive person; things that I want to do, I just do them. So I set up a non-profit organisation when I was in my first year and it's still running. The organisation provides a platform for Nigerian youths to find volunteering opportunities for them to give back to their community and to develop their skills.

I won £300 through a pitch event that Essex Start-ups did, so we used that money to register the organisation as a non-profit, because that was quite expensive. Then it was a lot of word of mouth.

In the first year, we were able to reach out to about 1000 people. I noticed that it was easy to set up a new non-profit, but there were thousands of amazing non-profits that weren't getting enough volunteers, so we bridged that gap to make it possible for people to volunteer.





#### Pia Popovic

#### MA Jungian and Post-Jungian Studies Helping others through conversation and compassion

So if you asked me what's your dream job – I swear I would pick Psychotherapist. The best thing in the world is when you see a person opening up to you. You see that they trust you; they want to share something so deep and intimate with you.

They chose to share this information with you – the relationship you create is amazing. And then you see how you help that person. I saw myself doing this with friends, and I enjoyed it so much, so I asked myself why I shouldn't do it for my actual job? So that's my goal; to be a psychotherapist and to come home each day and know that someone is feeling better because of our conversation. Conversation is the key, the key for everything I believe.



#### Jesse Harrison Lowe

#### BA Modern History and Politics Uniting student voice with political understanding

I've always been interested in politics and how things have changed through time. My parents are very politically aware, and I think they had a massive impact on me growing up. I was always watching the news and asking questions. I think it's really important for young people to know about politics and current affairs. My work as Deputy Editor of the student magazine, Rebel, is a great platform for doing this. I got into writing for Rebel in my second year. I wanted to meet like-minded people who also wanted an outlet to express themselves and I'm lucky that I met loads of great people through it.

I don't think there is enough accessible information out there for the youth to understand who they can vote for and what they stand for, and I'd like to help change that. I would like to run my own charity at some point and educate young people on why voting in elections is so important.

#### Gabija Dalekaite

#### BA International Relations and MSc Conflict Resolution Taking on the challenge of world peace

The University of Essex was a very big part in shaping who I am; shaping my confidence, shaping my interests. Not just in politics in general, but in life too. I have been involved with so many activities here. I think Essex gives you the opportunity to be who you want to be, and who you are. It gives you achance to try yourself and do different things.

I think my decision to study conflict resolution comes from my interests in security, negotiations and mediations. I started doing international relations, that was my Bachelors, but I really liked security studies and security related stuff the most.

When I graduate I would really like to work with international organisations trying to make the world a bit more peaceful. I would really love to do some work with NATO, especially now NATO is very focused on Eastern Europe and Lithuania, my home country.





#### Josh Duckmanton

#### BA World Performance Using theatre to change the world

There was something that drew me to East 15. I still have to say to myself – "I'm at East 15 Acting School". Somewhere that I thought wasn't possible for me. My goal would be to write and direct theatre. We're constantly encouraged to make our own work. I have written an original piece of theatre for the Camden Fringe Festival so that's hopefully the start of a career in writing. It's about the loss of a really close friend of mine and my grandma. Theatre, theatre-making and writing has always been therapeutic for me. I went over to Calais to help with the refugees out there, so I've also written a play about that from a volunteer's perspective.

You should always use theatre to help situations, to counsel, to persuade, to provoke, to get people out there to vote, to change the world. I'm always about that.

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Our students and staff are finding innovative ways to challenge the status quo and create new knowledge. You are taught by specialists who are actively engaged in their field. This means that your learning stems directly from the latest knowledge.

Working alongside leading academics can set you up for a career in research. Being part of our research community will give you the support and resources needed to make a difference.



## IMPATIENT to know what our research ACHIEVES?



- Boosting sustainable food production
- Improving public sector accounting in emerging countries
- Ensuring reconstruction efforts in Syria comply with human rights
- Improving working conditions for women in factories in Sri Lanka
- Helping the police to combat ethnic and racial harassment
- Improving the management of mental health at work
- Using historical documents to solve today's business problems
- Preserving European native oysters

#### → essex.ac.uk/research

# WHAT'S NEXT?

We know the importance of preparing you for life after graduation, which is why we do everything we can to help you achieve your goals.

#### Placements

Many of our degrees offer the option of a placement year, giving you the opportunity to gain real-world experience relevant to your chosen career path. Your course will extend to four years, with year three taken in placement – in the UK or abroad. Courses with the option for a placement year will have a **P** symbol on our subject pages.

#### Employability skills

We ensure employability skills are embedded throughout your studies with many degrees offering the option of work based learning and employability modules.

#### Paid work on campus

We have a number of work opportunities available on campus. Share your student experience as a Student Ambassador, you'll work at events such as Applicant Days and Open Days, and build a wide range of transferrable skills sought by employers.







#### Languages for All

Level up with this award-winning programme that gives Essex students the opportunity to learn a language alongside their degree, for one year, for free. Having foreign language skills will set you apart from other graduates by giving you a competitive edge in graduate employment, expanding your options for studying, working or travelling abroad and increasing your global and cultural awareness.

#### Data science short courses

At Essex we offer our online or lab-based data science short courses for all students, at no extra cost. Adding these tools to your arsenal is a real game changer in today's competitive job market. Being able to confidently use raw, unstructured data to determine patterns, trends and correlations in ways that inform action is a key part of working life. This gives our graduates a distinct advantage in today's competitive job market.

#### CareerHub

As an Essex student, you'll have access to CareerHub, a dedicated portal where you can search for jobs and internships; book on to employability events and workshops, and book careers-related appointments with our advisers. You'll also have access to CareerHub after you graduate and become an Essex Alumnus too.

#### essex.ac.uk/ undergraduate employabilityand-careers

our CAMPUSES

The University of Essex is based at three campuses: Colchester, Southend-on-Sea and Loughton. Your course will be based at one campus location.

#### **Colchester to:**

- Central London: 45 minutes to 1 hour by train, 1 hour and 40 minutes by car.
- Stansted: 1 hour and 15 minutes by bus, 50 minutes by car.
- Southend Airport:
   1 hour and 15 minutes by train, 1 hour by car.
- Gatwick Airport: 1 hour and 50 minutes by train, 1 hour and 40 minutes by car.
- Heathrow Airport: 2 hours and 10 minutes by train, 1 hour and 55 minutes by car.

#### Southend to:

- Central London: 45 minutes to 1 hour by train, 1 hour and 20 minutes by car.
- Southend Airport: 15 minutes by bus, 10 minutes by car.
- Stansted Airport: 1 hour and 30 minutes by bus, 1 hour by car.
- Gatwick Airport: 2 hours by train, 1 hour and 10 minutes by car.
- Heathrow Airport: 2 hours by train, 1 hour and 20 minutes by car.

#### Loughton to:

- Central London:
   42 minutes by train,
   45 minutes by car.
- London City Airport: 40 minutes by train, 25 minutes by car.
- Stansted Airport: 1 hour and 28 minutes by train, 30 minutes by car.
- Gatwick Airport: 1 hour and 30 minutes by train, 1 hour and 20 minutes by car.
- Heathrow Airport: 40 minutes by train, 1 hour by car.



# COLCHESTER CANPUS

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2. North campus

> 5. East campus

3. Central campus

4. South campus

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#### 1. North west campus

- Accommodation
- Essex Business School
- Day Nursery
- Knowledge Gateway
- Innovation Centre

#### 2. North campus

- Accommodation
- Health Centre
- Tony Rich Teaching Centre
- The North Teaching Centre
- The Causeway Teaching Centre

#### 3. Central campus

- Lecture Theatre Building
- Academic departments
- Lecture and seminar rooms
- Students' Union
- Bars, cafés and restaurants
- Shops and Post Office

#### 4. South campus

- Accommodation
- STEM Centre

#### 5. East campus

- Ivor Crewe Lecture Hall
- Silberrad Student Centre
- SU Creative Studios
- Albert Sloman Library
- Lakeside Theatre and Café
- Parkland and lakes

6. South east campus

- Essex Sport Arena
- Sports Centre and Gym
- Synthetic turf pitch
- Tennis courts

7. Wivenhoe Park

- Wivenhoe House Hotel
- Edge Hotel School
- Essex Collection of Art from Latin America (ESCALA)
- Campus allotment
- Sports pitches and parkland

### OUR COLCHESTER CAMPUS

THOWL GRAB YOURS BEFORE THEY SELL OUT.

Located within Wivenhoe Park, our Colchester Campus is surrounded by beautiful landscapes and wildlife, and with Colchester town centre just down the road it really is the perfect place to study, live and relax.

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#### Things to do

The centre of campus is buzzing with life, from our weekly street market, to international cultural celebrations; it's a vibrant hub bringing together students and staff from over 130 countries. So whether you want to watch a film at our on-campus cinema, Cine 10, compete in a pub quiz, enjoy a show at the Lakeside Theatre or dance the night away with friends at Sub Zero, our on-campus nightclub, our Colchester Campus really does have it all.





With over ten outlets and street huts serving a range of food you'll never go hungry at Essex. Whether it's a full English breakfast, something quick and healthy, classic pub grub or restaurant quality dishes there's something for every taste on campus. Plus, the Thursday Street Market gives you the chance to get fresh, local produce right on your doorstep.

#### Sport

We all know the positive impact exercise has on not only our physical health, but our mental wellbeing too. This is why we have a wide range of sporting options for our students. Our gym, sports centre and Sport Arena are just the beginning. There's also an all-weather tennis court, 18-hole disc golf course, 5-a-side football pitches and a plethora of clubs and teams. So whether you're looking for a casual sports club or something more serious we've got you covered.

#### **Study spaces**

Enjoy stunning views of our Green Flag award-winning parkland while you get your head into your studies in The Albert Sloman Library. Open 24 hours a day seven days a week. There are six floors of resources and a variety of study spaces for you.

Located right next door to the Library and sharing its beautiful views over the lakes, the Silberrad Student Centre is one of the newest buildings on campus. It has interactive private and group study spaces available for you to use alone, or with classmates.

Computers, scanners and printers are available in our IT labs across campus. Screens in the centre of campus tell you where you'll find an available computer.

With reliable WiFi across campus there are no limits on where you can study, at Essex you're free to work wherever suits you best.





### OUR COLCHESTER FACILITIES

A hive of activity in the midst of tranquil parkland, with shops, restaurants, bars, a theatre and a nightclub – you'll be right at home at our Colchester Campus.





- The Silberrad Student Centre is a one stop shop for student support. In addition to its study pods and IT suites, it's also home to our Student Services Hub – your go-to place for any questions.
- Our Sports Arena has 1,665 seats and international standard facilities for staging televised sporting events. The Arena contains courts for a wide range of sports including basketball, badminton and volleyball.
- The Lakeside Theatre showcases student and professional productions. Whether you're a keen actor, interested in production or just enjoy an evening at the theatre, this is perfect for students interested in the arts.
- Essex is the world in one place, so we bring together a mix of faiths and beliefs from across the globe. Our **multi-faith space** is a place to practice or explore faith, either on campus or by connecting you to a local place of worship.

- You have access to an NHS health centre on campus, and if you require childcare during your time at Essex we have a day-time nursery.
- The STEM Centre includes a 180-seat wet lab for our School of Life Sciences and a learning space to enable collaboration between students in our Faculty of Science and Health.
- Essex Business School is the UK's first zero carbon business school building, featuring a winter garden, café, quiet study spaces and a virtual trading floor.
- We have a functioning hospital ward with robot patients which can simulate a range of medical conditions for our healthcare students.
- Essex Law Clinic offers initial legal advice to the local community. Law students have the chance to work alongside practicing lawyers and advise real clients to gain hands-on experience.
- Our interpreting training lab can be used to interpret conferences up to 20 people. You can use the lab as part of your studies, giving you the tools you need to become an expert interpreter.

#### → essex.ac.uk/ colchester-campus



### BEYOND OUR COLCHESTER CAMPUS

You'll find everything you need right at home at our Colchester Campus, but when you do want to venture into Colchester town, or further afield, there's so much to see and do.

#### Arts and history

If the Arts are your thing there's Firstsite Art Gallery, The Mercury Theatre and Colchester Arts Centre, known for its intimate music and comedy gigs. As for history, we're Britain's oldest recorded town, plus Colchester Castle and its surrounding park are perfect for soaking up the culture and history of the area.

#### Shopping

Colchester high street is home to a combination of big name brands, independent boutiques and charity shops. And when you need to break up the shopping with food and drink, town is full of chain and independent cafés and coffee shops.

#### Day trips

Just the other side of town is Colchester Zoo – it's an absolute must for all animal lovers. If the weather isn't looking quite so good there's Aqua Springs Spa, Rollerworld and Jump Street – something to suit whatever weekend mood you're in!

#### **Nights out**

Colchester is home to restaurants, pubs and bars a plenty. If you're looking for craft ales and a serious commitment to gin then Three Wise Monkeys is your place, Want somewhere more insta-worthy – check out Pavillion. Or you could dance the night away at one of the many bars with live music and DJs, or head to a concert at Castle Park.



#### **Further afield**

Our Colchester Campus is surrounded by beautiful countryside and coastline. Mersea Island, Wivenhoe and Dedham Vale are all between 10-30 minute journey by car/bus and are ideal places to enjoy a sunny Saturday. And if the bright lights of London are calling, you're just a 45-minute train ride to Liverpool Street.



# SOUTHEND CAMPUS

#### 2. The Gateway Building

5. High

Street

1. The Forum

8. Seafront

3. Southend Central Station

4. University Square Accommodation

6. Southend Victoria Station

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#### 1. The Forum

- The Learning Hub
- Student Services
- Public and academic library
- Lecture and seminar rooms

#### 2. The Gateway Building

- Academic departments
- Lecture and seminar rooms
- Students' Union lounge

#### 3. Southend Central Station

 Connections to Leigh-on-Sea, London and Lakeside Shopping Centre

#### 4. University Square Accommodation

- Supermarket
- International shops

#### 5. High Street

- Cinema
- Cafés and restaurants
- Post Office
- Chain stores and independent shops

#### 6. Southend Victoria Station

 Connections to Colchester, London and Southend Airport for flights across Europe

#### 7. Clifftown Theatre

- East 15 Acting School
- Prittlewell Square Gardens
- The Railway Hotel music venue

#### 8. Seafront

- Southend Pier
- Adventure Island amusement park
- Beach and promenade

### OUR SOUTHEND FACILITIES

Set on the Thames estuary with fantastic transport links, our Southend Campus is the perfect place for living and learning. The Campus is based in the heart of the city, surrounded by more than 300 places to eat, a vibrant nightlife, independent boutiques, museums, an international airport, and a seven-mile beach front!



- The Forum offers a 24 hour learning hub with modern study spaces and access to over 150,000 books, ideal for an all-nighter spent essay writing (not that we'd recommend it of course).
- The SU Lounge is great for catching up on reading, settling down with your laptop or just relaxing with a good book.
- Make the most of being in the city centre and find yourself a cosy corner in your favourite café to crack on with some work with a cappuccino.
- Our Faith Centre in The Gateway Building is the perfect space to practice and explore your faith.
- Set in a converted Gothic church, Clifftown Theatre is home to our East 15 students and it's where they showcase their work. Whether you're a keen actor, interested in production, or just enjoy an evening at the theatre, this is the place for you.

- Our Dental Skills lab is equipped with phantom heads for our Oral Health Science students to practise using equipment such as ultrasonic scalers.
- Nursing students have access to a mock ward for practising clinical skills before placements. There is also a multi-skills lab set out like a living room and bedroom to replicate community-nursing settings, such as a care home.
- As a city-centre campus, studying in Southend gives you all the conveniences of urban living as well as university specific facilities, so you can really make the most of your time with us.

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### BEYOND OUR SOUTHEND CAMPUS

Southend seafront is an easy escape for when your studies are getting stressful. Aside from the pier and beach to enjoy, there's also Adventure Island if you fancy a rollercoaster ride, or the aquarium for checking out some marine life.



Get some fresh air and explore one of Southend's many parks and nature reserves such as Prittlewell Square Gardens, next to Clifftown Theatre. It's a great alternative to the beach for enjoying the beautiful Essex sunshine. If history is your thing, why not visit one of Southend's four museums and discover its history? Nearby Hadleigh Castle dates back to the thirteenth century. Though much of it has been destroyed over the centuries, the ruins provide a fascinating place to explore. Miles of seafront, ample green space and a rich heritage – and that's all before you step foot on campus! With two train stations to choose from, both with links to London, the capital is just 50 minutes away. Whether it's a trip to the West End, a proper night out, or a shop 'til you drop Saturday, it's all just a train ride away. Plus, did someone say city break? Southend has its own airport with direct flights to Copenhagen, Ibiza, Dubrovnik and Prague to name a few.

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# LOUGHTON CAMPUS

Our Loughton Campus sits on the edge of East London. Just a tube ride away from the West End, but situated in the grounds of a picturesque Georgian house, our East 15 students enjoy the best of both worlds.

#### **Facilities**

Dedicated to our East 15 Acting School, the heart of our Loughton Campus is Hatfields, a beautiful Georgian house. Set in five acres of green land, the site boasts 28 rehearsal spaces, a dance studio, radio recording room, a large café and common room space, Mac editing suite, library, screening rooms and the school's own, fully equipped theatre.

Roding House is a £1.3 million facility containing the School's Joan Littlewood Studio Theatre, 10 rehearsal rooms, a green room, sound recording studio, video editing suite and a costume department.

#### Accommodation

Our Loughton students live off campus in the nearby town, giving you the flexibility to choose between a shared house, living with a landlord or letting a whole house. And don't worry about figuring it all out, our Student Services Team will be on hand to help you find the perfect home.





#### **Beyond campus**

It's not all work and no play in Loughton. The campus is just a five minute walk from the nearest London Underground station, Debden. Take a thirty minute ride into Central London for West End theatres, shopping, and all other mainline stations for any last minute weekend trips. The campus is situated on the edge of Epping Forest, a 6,000 acre ancient woodland, ideal for a study break in the fresh air.

The centre of Loughton is a short stroll away from campus. Treat yourself to some shopping in the independent boutiques, or ditch the pot noodle and head out to one of the many restaurants and pubs. Dedicated to our East 15 Acting School, our Loughton Campus sits on the edge of East London. Just a tube ride away from the bright lights of the West End, but situated in the grounds of a picturesque Georgian house, our East 15 students enjoy the best of both worlds.

Home to our Stage and Production Management Department, Unit Four is a £1.5 million facility containing a large workshop, paint shop, prop department and teaching spaces. Based on the Hatfield site, the Corbett Theatre is a unique performance and learning space. The theatre is a converted barn, transformed into seating for 130 people, equipped with dressing rooms and full technical facilities. East 15 host many public performances throughout the year here, alongside lectures, rehearsals and technical classes.

#### → essex.ac.uk/ loughton-campus

# INPATIENT TO FIND YOUR NEW HONE?

With guaranteed on-campus accommodation\* for all first-year students and a variety of room designs to suit different budgets and needs, we've got the perfect place for you to call home.

\*You are guaranteed on-campus accommodation for your first year of study so long as you submit your accommodation application before the deadline.

International students (paying overseas fees) are entitled to guaranteed accomodation.

### THE TOWERS



If you love rolling out of bed and into a lecture.

#### **North Towers**

- Cost per week: £107.52
- Location: Colchester Campus
- Shared bathroom facilities
- 2 minute walk to central campus
- 5 14 rooms per flat

#### **Click here**



#### **South Towers**

- Cost per week: £110.18
- Location: Colchester Campus
- Shared bathroom facilities
- 2 minute walk to central campus
- 5 16 rooms per flat
- Newly refurbished (enhanced)

#### **Click here**



# **THE HOUSES**



### If you love a quieter lifestyle and green spaces.

### Cost per week: £148.68 - £161.49

- Location: Colchester Campus
- En suite facilities
- 5 minute walk to central campus
- 4 6 students per flat
- Adapted, twin, newly refurbished (enhanced) and premium (bigger bed) rooms available



# **WOLFSON COURT**





# If you love a small community atmosphere and a short walk to lectures.



### Cost per week: £113.05

- Location: Colchester Campus
- Shared bathroom facilities
- 5 minute walk to central campus
  - 7 rooms per flat
- Hand basin in your room

# **SOUTH COURTS**



### If you love a quick walk to lectures and having the gym and sports facilities nearby.

#### Cost per week: £163.80 - £169.47

- Location: Colchester Campus
- En suite facilities
- 5 minute walk to central campus
- 4 14 rooms per flat
- Adapted, twin, newly refurbished (enhanced) and premium (bigger bed) rooms available



# THE MEADOWS



### If you love a relaxed vibe and short stroll to campus.



### Cost per week: £160.86 - £201.74

- Location: Colchester Campus
- Shared and en suite bathroom facilities depending on flat
- 10 minute walk to central campus
- 5 12 rooms per flat
- Premium rooms (bigger bed) and self-contained apartments available





# If you love ultimate student luxury of starfishing in a 4ft bed.

#### Cost per week: £173.39 - £203.28

- Location: Colchester Campus
- En suite facilities
- 10 minute walk to central campus
- 4 12 rooms per flat
- Studios and adapted rooms available
- Premium rooms (bigger bed) and premium plus rooms (bigger bed and more space) available



# THE QUAYS



# If you love a picturesque walk to campus and amazing links to the town centre and beyond.



### Cost per week: £153.79 - £219.73

- Location: Colchester Campus
- En suite facilities
- 15 minute walk to central campus
- 4 8 rooms per flat
- Premium rooms (bigger bed), double rooms and self-contained apartments available

# **UNIVERSITY SQUARE**



# If you love living close to campus facilities and the town centre.

### Cost per week: 152.67 - £188.30

- Location: Southend Campus
- En suite facilities
- 5 minutes from main university buildings and the city centre
- 11 rooms per flat
- Studio rooms and adapted studios available



# THE PASTURES





# Coming soon for Autumn 2023

For Autumn 2023 we are launching The Pastures. Over 1,200 brand new rooms for you to call home.

### **Options for these include:**

- 285 standard rooms (single rooms sharing a bathroom – two per bathroom)
- 919 ensuite rooms
- 58 studios

# THE DETAILS

## All first year students are guaranteed accommodation.

Just make sure you've had your place confirmed, accepted your academic offer, any conditions have been met, your application is received by the deadline and you've accepted your accommodation offer.

If you're an international student (paying overseas fees) then you're entitled to to guaranteed accommodation for the duration of your course.



### Living on campus

Your rent includes: Wi-Fi, heating, hot water, contents insurance, electricity and the cleaning of communal areas (such as kitchens). On our Colchester Campus, an Essex Sport Silver membership package is also included.

Rooms are normally let for the full academic year from late September to the end of June, which means that even if you're away from the University during the winter and spring vacations, you don't have to remove your things from your room.

We also offer:

- Single gender flats
- Adapted rooms
- Self-contained accommodation for single or double occupancy
- Shared twin en suite rooms and studios

We cannot guarantee accommodation for first year students who are accompanied by a partner, but we'll do our very best to help. Just make sure you get in touch as early as you can if you think you need to talk to us about any of this. **askthehub@essex.ac.uk** 

### Settling in

You'll have a Residents' Assistant based in your university accommodation who'll meet you soon after you arrive. Their job is to make sure that you have opportunities to get involved in university life and social activities, and provide support outside of office hours.

### Living nearby

The Students' Union offers a house-finding service, SU Homes, from our Colchester Campus. They provide support for everyone moving off campus including helping you to find your ideal property, and completing property and landlord checks to ensure your safety.

Where price variations are shown, the price varies depending on how many rooms are in the flat. The costs shown are the 2022-23 costs per week, it's likely that our rental charges for 2023-24 will increase from these amounts.

# → essex.ac.uk/ accommodation

# INPATIENT TO EXPLORE ESSEX?

Essex offers a thriving community, with a huge range of activities, support and learning spaces all on your doorstep. This ensures that your time with us is a rich and colourful life chapter. From championing mental health through to winning on the playing field, take a look at the sports, services and societies available to every student.



# STUDENTS' UNION





The Students Union is run for students, by students. All Essex students are members, so you can always be heard and have your say.

### On campus

At the Colchester Campus our SU shops, cafés, bars, a nightclub, restaurants. If you're based in Southend you can grab a coffee, play Xbox or PlayStation and chill out between lectures at the SU Lounge.

### **Get involved**

At Essex, we want you to challenge everything and push yourself, but why stop in the classroom? Our SU offers membership to over 100 societies, catering to every taste. Plus if we really don't have a group for you, we'll help you set up your own.

### Southend campus

For those looking at Southend, the new SU Lounge, is fully run and owned by students and is the ideal place to catch up with friends. This is your home-from-home, for studying, grabbing a cappuccino, a bite to eat, or just hanging out between classes.

### Loughton Campus

Loughton boasts everything from coffee events in the Student's Union Corbett Theatre Café through to membership to 'Just Play' our informal sports clubs.

### And that's not all...

We make sure you are never bored with activities day and night to keep you occupied. Our cinema shows the latest films, we have quizzes in the bar and open forums for heated debates.

### → essexstudent.com



# SPORT AT ESSEX



We are committed to offering sport for everyone. Whatever your level or interest, we'll help you play to your strengths.

### **Colchester facilities**

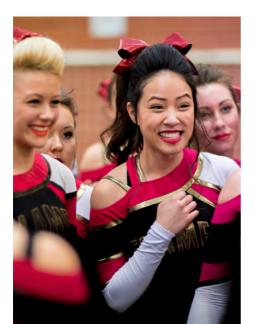
Covering 50 acres, our outdoor sports area includes an 18-hole disc golf course and all-weather tennis courts, plus there's plenty of space to have a kick about with friends or enjoy a run around the lakes. In 2018 we opened our Sport Arena, built to international sporting standards. It boasts seating for 1,655 spectators and includes 20 courts for basketball, netball, volleyball, badminton and futsal.

### **Southend facilities**

As a student at our Southend Campus you're bang in the centre of Southend with access to a vast range of activities. Kitesurfing and swimming are a stone's throw away if you can brave the cold! Plus, our exclusive arrangement with Simply Gym in Southend offers you 24/7 access to the gym equipment and fitness classes so you can keep fit around your studies at a time to suit you.

#### Gym and fitness classes

Our on-campus gym in Colchester is our most popular sporting facility, with 160 workout stations and more than 100 fitness classes per week – that's enough to keep you busy whether you're a gym newbie or a seasoned workout pro!





### Impatient to try something new?

If you want to try a new sport but don't fancy joining a team, no worries! Active Campus sessions are open to all and free for Essex Sport members. They're a great way to dip your toe in the workout water without committing to regular training. Plus, our 'Learn To' courses are ideal if you want to try a new activity.

### Sports teams

Looking for something more? Our Students' Union is home to the Essex Blades – over 40 sports clubs who compete locally and nationally. Be warned, you're highly likely to develop a strong allegiance to the Blades, especially around Derby Day!

### Top of your game

If sport is more than a hobby to you, welcome home. At Essex we can support your personal development, offering coaching opportunities in an official or volunteer capacity. We also offer work placements within Essex Sport, plus our strong partnerships with sports organisations and national governing bodies mean we can help build your CV with practical sporting experiences. If you're looking to combine education with the pursuit of a sporting career after graduation, sports bursaries worth up to \$3,000 a year are available.



# IMPATIENT FOR ADVENTURE?

Your chances to explore new places, cultures and languages are finally opening up. We offer opportunities to study or work abroad and/or learn a new language alongside your studies at no extra cost.

Want to travel the world as part of your degree? Most of our courses have study abroad options, where you can complete an additional year, or term, of your course at a partner university. We offer year abroad placement opportunities too! Courses with the option for a study abroad year have a **Y** symbol on our course listings.

Want to stay closer to home – how about learning a language whilst at Essex? Our Languages for All programme gives you the chance to learn a language alongside your studies, for a year, with no additional fee – so why not?

### → essex.ac.uk/ undergraduate/ study-abroad

# SUPPORT SERVICES

Our Student Services Hub is a one-stop-shop for practical advice and confidential guidance on everything from accommodation to how to cope with homesickness.

#### **Student services**

From being able to chat to someone in confidence to gaining practical advice, our Student Services Hub is your go to place for help with health, wellbeing, finance and more.

### Access and disability

If you have a disability, medical condition or specific learning difficulty, a specialist adviser will be on hand to talk you through alternative exam arrangements, lecture recordings, assistive software, access and more. You'll also have a specific contact within your department and an SU Disabled Students' Officer to represent you.

### Mental and emotional health

Our Student Wellbeing and Inclusivity Service is here to help – you can access our drop-in service without making an appointment. We also offer counselling with a partner organisation that you can access via telephone or Zoom. We run workshops and seminars on topics such as managing study-related stress and anxiety, and can refer students to specialist services when needed.

### **Mature students**

Many of our students are mature students, so we have a real understanding of the challenges that come when combining studies with other responsibilities. Meeting other mature students is a great support, so at Essex we organise welcome events, specifically for mature students.

### **Commuting students**

We have many students living in the local area and beyond who make the daily trip to campus. It's important to know that everything on campus is for you too, and that you can join in university life to the full. Lockers, showers and study rooms are all available on campus. When studying at home you will have access to a wide range of study materials via your online student portal, including teaching materials created by your Essex tutors.

For a full breakdown of support services, including information for care leaver students, estranged students, student carers and students with children, visit our website.

## essex.ac.uk/life/student-services

# **INPATIENT** FOR **KNOWLEDGE?**

From biochemistry to philosophy, and robotic engineering to drama, we've got the courses for you to flourish.

essex.ac.uk/undergraduate/our-courses



### Key

| Location                                  | Кеу |
|---|-----|
| Colchester                                | С   |
| Southend                                  | S   |
| Loughton                                  | L   |
| Other                                     | Кеу |
| Optional foundation route available       | F   |
| Year abroad option                        | Υ   |
| Placement year option                     | Ρ   |
| Online course                             | 0   |
| 2 year foundation degree                  | 2   |
| 2 year accelerated course                 | 2C  |
| 4 year degree with compulsory year abroad | 4   |
| 4 year degree, compulsory placement year  | 4P  |
| Subject to final approval                 | Α   |

# Accounting

| Courses                          | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| BSc Accounting                   | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| BSc Accounting and Finance       | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BSc Accounting and Management    | СҒҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied –   |
| BSc Accounting with Economics    | СГҮР | advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|                                  |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4, if not taken at Higher Level |
| Integrated Master in Accounting: | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| Accounting and Finance           |      | A-levels: AAB   |
|                                  |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|                                  |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4, if not taken at Higher Level |

# Acting, producing and stage management

| Courses   | Кеу | Entry requirements   |
|---|-----|--|
| BA Acting   | L   | A-levels: CDD, or the equivalent in UCAS tariff  |
| BA Acting (International)                         | L   | points, to include 2 full A-levels   |
| BA Acting and Community Theatre                   | S   | BTEC: MMP  |
| BA Acting and Contemporary Theatre                | L   | <ul> <li>IB: 25 points or three Higher Level certificates</li> <li>with 433</li> </ul>             |
| BA Acting and Physical Theatre                    | S   | - with +00   |
| BA Acting and Stage Combat                        | S   | -  |
| BA Stage and Production Management                | L   | -  |
| BA World Performance                              | S   | A-levels: BBC, or the equivalent in UCAS tariff<br>points, to include 2 full A-levels<br>BTEC: DDM |
|   |     | IB: 29 points or three Higher Level certificates with 554  |
| BA Creative Producing<br>(Theatre and Short Film) | S   | A-levels: BCC, or the equivalent in UCAS tariff<br>points, to include 2 full A-levels<br>BTEC: DDM |
|   |     | IB: 28 points or three Higher Level certificates with 544  |
| Cert HE Theatre Arts                              | SL  | A-level: E, or equivalent qualification of the equivalent in UCAS tariff points                    |
|   |     | BTEC: National Extended Certificate grade P  |
|   |     | IB: A Higher Level certificate grade 3   |

### **Actuarial science**

| Courses   | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|---|------|---|
| BSc Actuarial Science   | СҒҮР | A-levels: ABB, including Mathematics or Further<br>Mathematics  |
|   |      | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics                  |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5 |
| Integrated Master in Science:<br>Actuarial Science and Data Science | С    | A-levels: AAB, including Mathematics or Further<br>Mathematics  |
|   |      | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics                  |
|   |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5 |

## American studies (US)

| Courses                                       | Key  | Entry requirements   |
|---|------|--|
| BA American Studies (United States)           | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB  |
| BA American Studies (United States) with Film | СҒҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided |
| BA Criminology and American Studies           | СГҮР | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655                            |

## Art history

| Courses   | Кеу   | Entry requirements  |
|---|-------|---|
| BA Art History                                      | СҒҮР  | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Art History and History                          | СГҮР  | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BA Art History with Modern Languages                | СГҮР  | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA Film Studies and Art History                     | СГҮР  | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655   |
| BA Literature and Art History                       | СГҮР  |   |
| BA Philosophy and Art History                       | СГҮР  |   |
| BA Curating   | СГҮР  |   |
| BA Art History, Visual Culture and<br>Media Studies | СҒҮР  |   |
| BA Curating with Politics                           | СҒҮР  |   |
| BA Curating with History                            | СГҮР  |   |
| BA Art History, Heritage and Museum Studies         | СҒҮР  |   |
| BA Curating, Heritage and Human Rights              | СГҮР  |   |
| BA Art History and Modern Languages                 | C F 4 | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Art History with Language Studies                | CF    | If Portuguese is taken as the major language, an<br>A-level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or |
| BA Art History and Language Studies                 | CF    | Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,<br>Romanian or Spanish is required<br>BTEC: DDD  |
|   |       | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655  |
| Integrated Master in Art History                    | СҮР   | A-levels: AAB   |
|   |       | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided                      |
|   |       | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665   |

## **Biochemistry**

| Courses   | Кеу  | Entry requirements   |
|---|------|--|
| BSc Biochemistry  | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
|   |      | A-levels: BBB, including Chemistry or Biology and a second science or Mathematics  |
|   |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|   |      | IB: 30 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>555. Either must include Higher Level Chemistry<br>or Biology and a second science or Mathematics<br>grade 5, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4<br>if not taken at Higher Level |
| Integrated Master in Science:<br>Biochemistry and Biotechnology | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
|   |      | A-levels: ABB, including Chemistry or Biology and a second science or Mathematics  |
|   |      | BTEC: D*D*D, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>655. Either must include Higher Level Chemistry<br>or Biology and a second science or Mathematics<br>grade 5, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4<br>if not taken at Higher Level |

### **Biological sciences**

| Courses                               | Key  | Entry requirements   |
|---------------------------------------|------|--|
| BSc Biological Sciences               | СГҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
| BSc Ecology and Environmental Biology | СГҮР | A-levels: BBB, including Biology   |
| BSc Global Sustainability             | СГҮР | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied -   |
| BSc Human Biology                     | СҒҮР | advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|                                       |      | IB: 30 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 555. Either must include Higher Level Biology |
|                                       |      | grade 5, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4   |

### **Biomedical science**

| Courses   | Кеу  | Entry requirements   |
|---|------|--|
| BSc Biomedical Science                              | CFP  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
| BSc Applied Biomedical Science<br>(NHS placement)   | CP4P | A-levels: BBB, including Chemistry or Biology and a second science or Mathematics  |
|   |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|   |      | IB: 30 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>555. Either must include Higher Level Chemistry<br>or Biology and a second science or Mathematics<br>grade 5, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4<br>if not taken at Higher Level |
| Integrated Master in Science:<br>Biomedical Science | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
|   |      | A-levels: ABB, including Chemistry or Biology and a second science or Mathematics  |
|   |      | BTEC: D*D*D, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>655. Either must include Higher Level Chemistry<br>or Biology and a second science or Mathematics<br>grade 5, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4<br>if not taken at Higher Level |

## **Business and management**

| Courses  | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|--|------|---|
| BBA Business Administration                                | SFYP | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| BSc Business Management                                    | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BSc Management and Marketing                               | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BSc International Business and Finance                     | SFYP | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BSc International Business and<br>Entrepreneurship         | SFYP | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |
| BSc Business Administration and<br>Supply Chain Management | SFYP | manomator grado i   |
| BA Business Management and Modern                          | C 4  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| Languages  |      | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Business Management with a<br>Modern Language           | C 4  | If Portuguese is taken as the major language, an<br>A-level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or                 |
| BA Business Management and<br>Language Studies             | С    | Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,<br>Romanian or Spanish is required                               |
|  |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided                                       |
|  |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |
| Integrated Master in Management:                           | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| Marketing and Management                                   |      | A-levels: AAB   |
|  |      | BTEC: D*DD - depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided                                     |
|  |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |

## **Childhood studies**

| Courses              | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|----------------------|------|---|
| BA Childhood Studies | СГҮР | A-levels: BBC   |
|                      |      | BTEC: DDM, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided |
|                      |      | IB: 29 points or three Higher Level certificates with 554                         |

# **Computer science**

| Courses                           | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|-----------------------------------|------|---|
| BSc Computer Games                | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| BEng Computer Networks            | CFYP | A-levels: ABB   |
| BSc Computer Science              | CFYP | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied –   |
| BEng Computer Systems Engineering | CFYP | advice on acceptability can be provided   |
| BEng Computers with Electronics   | СҒҮР | - IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level                      |
| BSc Artificial Intelligence       | СГҮР | Mathematics grade 4   |
| Integrated Master in Science:     | СР   | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| Computer Science                  |      | A-levels: AAB   |
|                                   |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided                                   |
|                                   |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |

## **Creative writing**

| Courses                          | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| BA Creative Writing              | CFYP | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject  |
|                                  |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|                                  |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5 |
| Integrated Master in Literature: | С    | A-levels: AAB, including one essay-based subject  |
| Creative Writing                 |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|                                  |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5 |

# Criminology

| Courses                                | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|--|------|---|
| BA Criminology                         | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Criminology with Social Psychology  | СҮР  | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice                                      |
| BA Criminology with Counselling Skills | СҮР  | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA Criminology with Criminal Law       | СҮР  | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655                             |
| BA Sociology and Criminology           | СГҮР |   |
| Integrated Master in Sociology:        | СҮР  | A-levels: AAB   |
| Criminology                            |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided |
|  |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665                             |

## Data analytics

| Courses   | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|---|------|---|
| BSc Data Science and Analytics                                      | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB, including Mathematics  |
| BSc Statistics  | СГҮР | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of<br>Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics               |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5 |
| Integrated Master in Science:<br>Mathematics and Data Science       | С    | A-levels: AAB including Mathematics or Further<br>Mathematics   |
| Integrated Master in Science:<br>Actuarial Science and Data Science | С    | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5 |

### Drama

| Courses                          | Кеу          | Entry requirements  |
|----------------------------------|--------------|---|
| BA Drama                         | СГҮР         | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject  |
| BA Drama and Literature          | СГҮР         | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BA Film and Drama                | СГҮР         | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA Drama and Creative Writing    | C F Y<br>P A | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5 |
| Integrated Master in Literature: | С            | A-levels: AAB, including one essay-based subject  |
| Drama and Scriptwriting          |              | BTEC D*DD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided  |
|                                  |              | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5 |

### **Economics**

| Courses  | Key   | Entry requirements   |
|--|-------|--|
| BA Economics   | СГҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics B/5  |
| BSc Economics  | СГҮР  | A-levels: BBB  |
| BA Financial Economics                                     | СГҮР  | BTEC: DDM, depending on subject studied –  |
| BSc Financial Economics                                    | СГҮР  | advice on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA International Economics                                 | СГҮР  | IB: 30 points or three Higher level certificates<br>with 555. Either must include Standard Level   |
| BSc International Economics                                | СГҮР  | Mathematics grade 5  |
| BA Management Economics                                    | СГҮР  |  |
| BSc Management Economics                                   | СГҮР  |  |
| BSc Economics with Data Science                            | СГҮР  | -  |
| BA Economics with Psychology                               | СҮР   |  |
| BSc Economics with Psychology                              | СГҮР  |  |
| BA Economics with Language Studies                         | CF    |  |
| BSc Economics with Mathematics                             | СҒҮР  | A-levels: BBB, including Mathematics or<br>Further Mathematics   |
|  |       | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics   |
|  |       | IB: 30 points or three Higher level certificates with 555. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5  |
| BA History and Economics                                   | СҒҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
| BA Financial Economics and Accounting                      | СГҮР  | A-levels: BBB  |
| BA Business Economics                                      | СҒҮР  | BTEC: DDM, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|  |       | IB: 30 points or three Higher level certificates<br>with 555. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4  |
| BA Economics with a Modern Language                        | C 4   | GCSE: Mathematics B/5  |
|  |       | A-levels: BBB<br>If Portuguese is taken as the major language, A<br>Level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or<br>Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,<br>Romanian or Spanish is required<br>BTEC: DDM, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided |
|  |       | IB: 30 points or three Higher level certificates<br>with 555. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 5  |
| Integrated Master in Economics:                            | СҮР   | GCSE: Mathematics B/5  |
| Economics  | 0 1 5 | A-levels: ABB  |
| Integrated Master in Economics:<br>Financial Economics     | СҮР   | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided   |
| Integrated Master in Economics:<br>International Economics | СҮР   | IB: 32 points or three Higher level certificates with 655. Either must include Standard Level  |
| Integrated Master in Economics:<br>Management Economics    | СҮР   | Mathematics grade 5  |

# Engineering

| Courses                           | Кеу  | Entry requirements   |
|-----------------------------------|------|--|
| BEng Electronic Engineering       | СҒҮР | GCSE: Science C/4  |
| BEng Communications Engineering   | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB, including Mathematics or Further  |
| BEng Robotic Engineering          | СГҮР | Mathematics  |
| BEng Mechatronic Systems          | СГҮР | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics   |
|                                   |      | BTEC: DDD, including Distinction in Further<br>Mathematics for Technicians or Calculus to Solve<br>Engineering Problems                              |
|                                   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher level certificates with 655. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5, plus Standard Level Science grade 4 |
| BEng Neural Engineering with      | СГҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
| Psychology                        |      | A-levels: ABB, including Mathematics or Further<br>Mathematics   |
|                                   |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|                                   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4                              |
| Integrated Master in Engineering: | СР   | GCSE: Science C/4  |
| Electronic Engineering            |      | A-levels: AAB, including Mathematics or Further  |
| Integrated Master in Engineering: | С    | Mathematics  |
| Communications Engineering        |      | BTEC: D*DD, including Distinction in Further<br>Mathematics for Technicians or Calculus to Solve<br>Engineering Problems                             |
|                                   |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher level certificates with 665. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5, plus Standard Level Science grade 4 |

# English language and linguistics

| Courses   | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|---|------|---|
| BA Teaching English as a Foreign                | СҒҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| Language (TEFL)                                 |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BA English Language and Linguistics             | СГҮР | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA English Language and Literature              | СГҮР | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655   |
| BA Linguistics                                  | СГҮР |   |
| BA English Language with Media<br>Communication | СҒҮР |   |
| BA Linguistics with Data Science                | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
|   |      | A-levels: ABB   |
|   |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4   |
| BA Language Studies and Linguistics             | CF   | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Modern Languages and Linguistics             | CF4  | If Portuguese is taken as the major language, A<br>Level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or<br>Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,<br>Romanian or Spanish is required |
|   |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655   |
| BA Journalism and English Language              | СҮР  | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject  |
|   |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5   |
| Integrated Master in Linguistics:               | СҮР  | A-levels: AAB   |
| English Language and Linguistics                |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|   |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665   |

## Entrepreneurship

| Courses                        | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|--------------------------------|------|---|
| BSc International Business and | SFYP | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| Entrepreneurship               |      | A-levels: ABB   |
|                                |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided                                    |
|                                |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |

### Environment

| Courses                               | Key  | Entry requirements   |
|---------------------------------------|------|--|
| BSc Global Sustainability             | СГҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
| BSc Ecology and Environmental Biology | СГҮР | A-levels: BBB, including Biology   |
|                                       |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|                                       |      | IB: 30 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 555. Either must include Higher Level Biology<br>grade 5, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4 |

### **European studies**

| Courses                                     | Кеу  | Entry requirements   |
|---|------|--|
| BA European Studies                         | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB  |
| BA European Studies with French             | CFY4 | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice   |
| BA European Studies with German             | CFY4 | on acceptability can be provided   |
| BA European Studies with Italian            | CFY4 | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655  |
| BA European Studies with Spanish            | CFY4 |  |
| BA European Studies and Modern              | CFY4 | A-levels: ABB  |
| Languages                                   |      | If Portuguese is taken as the major language, A  |
| BA European Studies and<br>Language Studies | CF   | Level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or<br>Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,<br>Romanian or Spanish is required |
|   |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655  |

## **Film studies**

| Courses                        | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|--------------------------------|------|---|
| BA Film Studies                | СҒҮР | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject  |
| BA Film and Creative Writing   | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BA Film Studies and Literature | СҒҮР | on acceptability can be provided<br>IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5 |

## Finance and banking

| Courses                                | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|--|------|---|
| BSc Banking and Finance                | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| BSc Finance                            | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BSc Finance and Management             | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BSc Accounting and Finance             | СГҮР | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BSc International Business and Finance | SFYP | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |
| Integrated Master in Accounting:       | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| Accounting and Finance                 |      | A-levels: AAB   |
|  |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided                                   |
|  |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |

## Genetics

| Courses      | Key  | Entry requirements   |
|--------------|------|--|
| BSc Genetics | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
|              |      | A-levels: BBB, including Biology   |
|              |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|              |      | IB: 30 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 555. Either must include Higher Level Biology<br>grade 4, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4 |

### **Global studies**

| Courses                                       | Кеу          | Entry requirements   |
|---|--------------|--|
| BA Global Studies                             | СГҮР         | A-levels: ABB  |
| BA Global Studies with Politics               | СГҮР         | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
| BA Global Studies with Human Rights           | СГҮР         |  |
| BA Social Change                              | СГҮР         | <ul> <li>IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates</li> <li>with 655</li> </ul>   |
| BA Global Studies with Business<br>Management | СГҮР         | - with 000   |
| BA Global Studies with Latin American Studies | СГҮР         |  |
| BA Global Studies and Latin American Studies  | СГҮР         |  |
| BA Global Studies with Sustainability         | C F Y<br>P A |  |
| BA Global Studies and Modern                  | C 4 A        | A-levels: ABB  |
| Languages                                     |              | If Portuguese is taken as the major language,  |
| BA Global Studies and Language<br>Studies     | CF           | A Level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish<br>or Portuguese or first language level fluency in<br>Italian, Romanian or Spanish is required |
|   |              | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|   |              | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655  |

## History

| Courses                                       | Кеу  | Entry requirements   |
|---|------|--|
| BA History                                    | СГҮР | A-levels: BBB  |
| BA History and Criminology                    | СГҮР | BTEC: DDM, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided |
| BA History and Literature                     | CFYP |  |
| BA HIstory and Sociology                      | CFYP | IB: 30 points or three Higher Level certificates                                     |
| BA History with Film Studies                  | СГҮР |  |
| BA History with Human Rights                  | CFYP |  |
| BA Modern History                             | СГҮР |  |
| BA Modern History and International Relations | CFYP |  |
| BA Modern History and Politics                | CFYP | -  |
| BA History and Heritage                       | CFYP | -  |
| BA History and Law                            | CFYP | -  |
| BA History and Drama                          | CFYP |  |
| Integrated Master in History: History         | СҮР  | A-levels: ABB  |
|   |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655                            |

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# Hospitality and events management

| Courses                               | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|---------------------------------------|------|---|
| BA Hotel Management                   | 2C C | GCSE: English Language C/4  |
| BA Events Management with Hospitality | 2C C | UCAS tariff: 96 points to include two full A-levels   |
| BA Hospitality Management             | СҮ   | or equivalent   |
| BA Events Management                  | СҮ   | - A-levels: CCC<br>BTEC: MMM  |
|                                       |      | IB: 26 points or three Higher Level certificates with 444. Either must include Standard Level English grade 4 |
| FdA Hospitality Management            | 2 C  | GCSE: English Language C/4  |
| FdA Events Management                 | 2 C  | UCAS tariff: 64 points to include one full A-level<br>or equivalent   |
|                                       |      | A-levels: CC  |
|                                       |      | BTEC: MPP   |
|                                       |      | IB: 24 points or three Higher Level certificates with 333. Either must include Standard Level English grade 4 |

## Human rights

| Courses                                     | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|---|------|---|
| BA Curating, Heritage and Human Rights      | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Philosophy with Human Rights             | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BA Politics with Human Rights               | СГҮР | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA Sociology with Human Rights              | СҮР  | <ul> <li>IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates wit</li> <li>655</li> </ul>   |
| BA Global Studies with Human Rights         | СГҮР |   |
| BA History with Human Rights                | СҒҮР |   |
| BA Social Anthropology with<br>Human Rights | СҮР  | -   |
| BA Journalism with Human Rights             | СҮР  | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject  |
| LLB Law with Human Rights                   | СҒҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided  |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5 |

# Journalism

| Courses                            | Кеу          | Entry requirements   |
|------------------------------------|--------------|--|
| BA Multimedia Journalism           | СҮР          | GCSE: Mathematics and English C/4  |
|                                    |              | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject   |
|                                    |              | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided   |
|                                    |              | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5, plus Standard Level<br>Mathematics and English grade 4              |
|                                    |              | If English is not your first language you will require<br>IELTS 7.0 overall with a minimum of 5.5 in each<br>component   |
| BA Journalism and Criminology      | СҮР          | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject   |
| BA Journalism and Sociology        | СҮР          | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice   |
| BA Journalism and English Language | СҮР          | on acceptability can be provided   |
| BA Journalism and Literature       | СҮР          | <ul> <li>IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates</li> <li>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br/>essay-based subject grade 5</li> </ul>   |
| BA Journalism with Human Rights    | СҮР          |  |
| BA Journalism and Politics         | СҮР          |  |
| BA Journalism and Film             | C F Y<br>P A |  |
| BA Journalism and Modern Languages | C 4          | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject   |
|                                    |              | If Portuguese is taken as the major language, an<br>A-level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or<br>Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,<br>Romanian or Spanish is required |
|                                    |              | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|                                    |              | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5  |

### Law

| Courses                              | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|--------------------------------------|------|---|
| LLB Law                              | СҒҮР | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject  |
| LLB Law with Human Rights            | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| LLB Law with Philosophy              | СҒҮР | on acceptability can be provided  |
| LLB Law with Politics                | СҒҮР | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level  |
| LLB Law with Business                | СҒҮР | essay-based subject grade 5   |
| LLB Law with Criminology             | CFYP |   |
| LLB Law with Literature              | CFYP | -   |
| LLB Law with History                 | CFYP | -   |
| LLB Law with Finance                 | CFYP | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
|                                      |      | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject  |
|                                      |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|                                      |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5, plus Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |
| LLB English and French Law (Licence) | С    | A-levels: ABB, including A in French  |
|                                      |      | French Baccalaureat: 14 overall including 12 in<br>English and 12 in French   |
|                                      |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Higher Level French<br>grade 6  |
| Integrated Master in Law: Law        | СҮР  | A-levels: AAB including one essay-based subject   |
|                                      |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|                                      |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5   |
| LLB Law (Senior Status)              | C    | A Lower Second class undergraduates degree (this<br>is a two-year conversion course for graduates in<br>other disciplines)  |

# Liberal arts

| Courses          | Key  | Entry requirements   |
|------------------|------|--|
| BA Liberal Arts  | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB  |
| BA Social Change | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided<br>IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>655 |

# Literature

| Courses   | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|---|------|---|
| BA English and United States  | СҒҮР | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject  |
| Literature  |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BA English Literature   | СГҮР | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA Literature and Sociology   | СГҮР | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates  |
| BA Literature and Creative Writing                                  | СГҮР | with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5   |
| BA English and Comparative Literature                               | СГҮР |   |
| Integrated Master in Literature: Literature                         | С    | A-levels: AAB, including one essay-based subject  |
| Integrated Master in Literature:<br>Literature and Creating Writing | С    | BTEC D*DD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|   |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5 |

# Marine biology

| Courses                       | Кеу  | Entry requirements   |
|-------------------------------|------|--|
| BSc Marine Biology            | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
|                               |      | A-levels: BBB, including Biology   |
|                               |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|                               |      | IB: 30 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 555. Either must include Higher Level Biology<br>grade 5, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4 |
| Integrated Master in Science: | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
| Tropical Marine Biology       |      | A-levels: ABB, including Biology   |
|                               |      | BTEC: D*D*D, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|                               |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Higher Level Biology<br>grade 5, plus Standard Level Mathematics grade 4 |

# Marketing

| Courses                          | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| BSc Marketing                    | SFYP | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| BSc Management and Marketing     | CFYP | A-levels: ABB   |
|                                  |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided                                       |
|                                  |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |
| Integrated Master in Management: | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| Marketing and Management         |      | A-levels: AAB   |
|                                  |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided                                   |
|                                  |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |

# **Mathematics**

| Courses   | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|---|------|---|
| BSc Mathematics   | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB, including Mathematics  |
| BSc Economics and Mathematics                                 | CFYP | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of  |
| BSc Finance and Mathematics                                   | СГҮР | Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics   |
| BSc Mathematics with Computing                                | СҒҮР | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>655. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics<br>grade 5       |
| BSc Mathematics with Physics                                  | CFYP | A-levels: ABB, including Mathematics and Physics  |
|   |      | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics                              |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics and Physics grade 5 |
| Integrated Master in Science:<br>Mathematics and Data Science | С    | A-levels: AAB including Mathematics or Further Mathematics  |
| Integrated Master in Mathematics:<br>Mathematics              | С    | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>665. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics<br>grade 5       |

# Modern languages

| Courses   | Ke | 21/ | , | Entry requirements   |
|---|----|-----|---|--|
|   | C  | -   |   | A-levels: ABB  |
| BA Modern Languages   | C  | -   |   | <br>If Portuguese is taken as the major language, A  |
| BA Modern Languages and English<br>Language                         |    |     |   | <br>Level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or<br>Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,  |
| BA Modern Languages and Linguistics                                 | С  |     |   | <br>Romanian or Spanish is required  |
| BA Modern Languages and Teaching<br>English as a Foreign Language   | С  | F   | 4 | <br>BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
| BA Modern Languages with Latin<br>American Studies                  | С  | F   | 4 | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655  |
| BA French Studies and Modern Languages                              | С  | F   | 4 |  |
| BA German Studies and Modern Languages                              | С  | F   | 4 |  |
| BA International Relations and Modern<br>Languages                  | С  | F   | 4 |  |
| BA Italian Studies and Modern Languages                             | С  | F   | 4 |  |
| BA Language Studies   | С  | F   |   |  |
| BA Spanish Studies and Modern Languages                             | С  | F   | 4 |  |
| BA Spanish, Portugese and Brazillian<br>Studies                     | С  | F   | 4 |  |
| BA Language Studies with Latin<br>American Studies                  | С  | F   |   |  |
| BA International Relations and<br>Language Studies                  | С  | F   |   |  |
| BA Language Studies and Teaching<br>English as a Foreign Language   | С  | F   |   |  |
| BA Journalism and Modern Languages                                  | С  | 4   |   | A-levels: ABB, including one essay-based subject   |
|   |    |     |   | If Portuguese is taken as the major language, an<br>A-level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or<br>Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,<br>Romanian or Spanish is required |
|   |    |     |   | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|   |    |     |   | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include a Higher Level<br>essay-based subject grade 5  |
| Integrated Master in Language<br>Modern Languages: Modern Languages | С  | Y   |   | A-levels: AAB including B in the language that you would like to major in  |
| (Translation)   |    |     |   | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include Higher Level study<br>of the language you would like to major in   |
| Integrated Master in Modern   | С  | Y   |   | A-levels: AAB  |
| Languages: European Languages<br>and Translation                    |    |     |   | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided  |
|   |    |     |   | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665  |

# Nursing: adult or mental health

| Courses                     | Кеу | Entry requirements  |
|-----------------------------|-----|---|
| BSc Nursing (Adult)         | CSY | GCSE: Mathematics and English Language C/4  |
| BSc Nursing (Mental Health) | CSY | A-levels: BBC   |
|                             |     | BTEC: DDD   |
|                             |     | Access to HE Diploma: 45 level 3 credits at merit   |
|                             |     | You must also have a satisfactory Occupational<br>Health Check and enhanced Disclosure and<br>Barring Service Check (DBS) – both of these are<br>organised by the University. |
|                             |     | If English is not your first language you will require<br>IELTS 7.0 overall with 6.5 in writing and 7.0 in all<br>other components.   |
|                             |     | As part of the selection process, you will be<br>required to demonstrate a good knowledge and<br>clear understanding of the NHS Constitution and<br>its core values.          |
|                             |     | Degree apprenticeships are available in this<br>subject area. Visit <u>essex.ac.uk/apprenticeships/</u><br>health-and-social-care-apprenticeships for more<br>information     |

# Occupational therapy

| Courses                  | Кеу | Entry requirements   |
|--------------------------|-----|--|
| BSc Occupational Therapy | С   | GCSE: 5 GCSEs at C/4 or above, to include Maths,<br>English and Science  |
|                          |     | A-levels: ABB  |
|                          |     | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|                          |     | Access to HE Diploma depending on subject studied<br>– advice on acceptability can be provided: 6 level 3<br>credits at distinction and the remainder at merit                   |
|                          |     | You must also have a satisfactory Occupational<br>Health Check and enhanced Disclosure and<br>Barring Service Check (DBS) - both of these are<br>organised by the University.    |
|                          |     | If English is not your first language you will require<br>IELTS 70 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in each<br>component.   |
|                          |     | Degree apprenticeships are available in this<br>subject area. Visit <u>essex.ac.uk/apprenticeships/</u><br><u>health-and-social-care-apprenticeships</u> for more<br>information |

# Oral health science

| Courses                             | Кеу        | Entry requirements   |
|-------------------------------------|------------|--|
| Courses<br>FdSc Oral Health Science | Key<br>C S | <ul> <li>Entry requirements</li> <li>GCSE: Mathematics and English C/4</li> <li>GCSE Science C/4 is also required if you are applying with a National Dental Nurse Certificate or Diploma in Dental Nursing</li> <li>Plus one of the following: <ul> <li>A-levels: CC to include a core science (Biology, Chemistry, Applied Science or Physics)</li> <li>BTEC: MPP in a science-related subject</li> <li>Access to Higher Education Diploma in a science-related subject - 45 Level 3 credits at Pass or above</li> <li>National Dental Nurse Certificate or Diploma in Dental Nursing, along with: <ul> <li>a minimum of two years' experience from either pre- or post-qualification employment (please list employment details carefully on</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul> |
|                                     |            | <ul> <li>your UCAS application); and</li> <li>GCSE Science C/4 – can be single Science,<br/>Biology, Chemistry or Physics</li> <li>You must also have a satisfactory Occupational<br/>Health Check and enhanced Disclosure and<br/>Barring Service Check (DBS) – both of these are<br/>organised by the University.</li> </ul>   |
| BSc Oral Health Science             | CS         | This course is only open to existing registered dental hygienists. Visit our website for more information essex.ac.uk/courses/ug00320/2/bsc-oral-health-science  |

# Philosophy

| Courses                                | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|--|------|---|
| BA Philosophy                          | СҒҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Philosophy and History              | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice                                      |
| BA Philosophy and Law                  | СГҮР | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA Philosophy and Literature           | СГҮР | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655                             |
| BA Philosophy and Politics             | СГҮР |   |
| BA Philosophy and Sociology            | СГҮР |   |
| BA Philosophy with Human Rights        | СГҮР |   |
| BA Philosophy, Religion and Ethics     | СГҮР |   |
| BA Philosophy with Business Management | СГҮР |   |
| BA Philosophy and Art History          | СГҮР |   |
| Integrated Master in Philosophy:       | СҮР  | A-levels: AAB   |
| Philosophy                             |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided |
|  |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665                             |

# Physiotherapy

| Courses           | Кеу | Entry requirements   |
|-------------------|-----|--|
| BSc Physiotherapy | С   | GCSE: 6 GCSEs at C/4 or above, to include<br>Mathematics, English Language and Science   |
|                   |     | A-levels: ABB, including a life science (Biology,<br>Chemistry, Human Biology, Physics, P.E, Psychology,<br>Sociology or Sport Science)  |
|                   |     | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice<br>on acceptability can be provided   |
|                   |     | Access to HE Diploma: 24 level 3 credits at distinction<br>and 21 at merit with at least 12 distinction credits in<br>relevant Biological Science units  |
|                   |     | You must also have a satisfactory Occupational<br>Health Check and enhanced Disclosure and<br>Barring Service Check (DBS) – both of these are<br>organised by the University.                                |
|                   |     | As part of the selection process, you will be<br>required to demonstrate a good knowledge and<br>clear understanding of the NHS Constitution and<br>its core values.   |
|                   |     | If English is not your first language you will require IELTS<br>7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in each component.   |
|                   |     | Degree apprenticeships are available in this<br>subject area. Visit <u>essex.ac.uk/apprenticeships/</u><br><u>sport-rehabilitation-and-exercise-sciences-</u><br><u>apprenticeships</u> for more information |

## **Politics and international relations**

| Courses                                  | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|--|------|---|
| BA Politics                              | СҒҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Politics with Human Rights            | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice  |
| BA International Development             | СГҮР | on acceptability can be provided  |
| BA International Relations               | CFYP | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655   |
| BA Politics and International Relations  | СҮР  |   |
| BSc Politics and International Relations | СҮР  | -   |
| BA Politics with Business                | СҮР  |   |
| BSc Politics with Business               | СҮР  |   |
| BA Global Politics                       | СҮР  | -   |
| BA Politics with Criminology             | СҮРА |   |
| BA International Relations and           | CF4  | A-levels: ABB   |
| Modern Languages                         |      | If Portuguese is taken as the major language,<br>A Level pass (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or<br>Portuguese or first language level fluency in Italian,<br>Romanian or Spanish is required |
|  |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|  |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655   |

| Courses                                 | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|---|------|---|
| BSc Politics with Data Science          | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| BSc Economics and Politics              | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Philosophy, Politics and Economics   | СҒҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided.                                      |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |
| Integrated Master in Politics:          | СҮР  | A-levels: AAB   |
| International Relations                 |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –  |
| Integrated Master in Politics: Politics | СҮР  | advice on acceptability can be provided   |
| and International Relations             |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665   |

# Psychology

| Courses  | Кеу  | Entry requirements  |
|--|------|---|
| BA Psychology  | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| BSc Psychology   | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BSc Psychology with Cognitive<br>Neuroscience              | СҒҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided                                       |
| BSc Psychology with Economics                              | СГҮР | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |
| BSc Cognitive Science                                      | СҮР  | A-levels: ABB, including Mathematics  |
|  |      | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics                          |
|  |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5         |
| Integrated Master in Science: Psychology                   | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
| with Advanced Research Methods                             |      | A-levels: AAB   |
| Integrated Master in Science:<br>Psychology with Cognitive | СҮР  | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided                                      |
| Neuroscience   |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 665. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |

# Psychosocial and psychoanalytic studies

| Courses  | Кеу  | Entry requirements   |
|--|------|--|
| BA Psychodynamic Practice                                      | CFY  | A-levels: BBC  |
| BA Psychosocial and Psychoanalytic Studies                     | СҒҮР | BTEC: DDM, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|  |      | IB: 29 points or three Higher Level certificates with 554  |
| FdA Therapeutic Communication and<br>Therapeutic Organisations | С    | Applicants must demonstrate capacity to study for<br>Foundation Degree as evidenced by NVO, A-level                          |
| FdA Therapeutic Communication and<br>Therapeutic Organisations | 0    | and access courses or other evidence, perhaps<br>including evidence of relevant experience and<br>ability from the workplace |
| BA Therapeutic Communication and<br>Therapeutic Organisations  | С    | Foundation Degree in Therapeutic Communication and Therapeutic Organisations   |

# **Robotics**

| Courses                     | Кеу  | Entry requirements   |
|-----------------------------|------|--|
| BEng Robotic Engineering    | CFYP | GCSE: Science C/4  |
| BEng Mechatronic Systems    | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB, including Mathematics or Further<br>Mathematics   |
|                             |      | Please note we are unable to accept A-level Use of Mathematics in place of A-level Mathematics   |
|                             |      | BTEC: DDD, including Distinction in Further<br>Mathematics for Technicians or Calculus to Solve<br>Engineering Problems                              |
|                             |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655. Either must include Higher Level Mathematics grade 5, plus Standard Level Science grade 4 |
| BSc Artificial Intelligence | CFYP | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
|                             |      | A-levels: ABB  |
|                             |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|                             |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4                              |

# Sociology

| Courses                                       | Key  | Entry requirements  |
|---|------|---|
| BA Sociology                                  | СГҮР | A-levels: ABB   |
| BA Sociology and Criminology                  | СГҮР | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied –   |
| BA Sociology and Politics                     | СҮР  | advice on acceptability can be provided   |
| BA Sociology with Human Rights                | СҮР  | B: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates   |
| BA Media and Digital Culture                  | СГҮР |   |
| BA Sociology with Social Psychology           | СҮР  |   |
| BA Social Anthropology                        | СҮР  |   |
| BSc Sociology (Applied Quantitative Research) | СҮР  |   |
| BA Social Anthropology with Human<br>Rights   | СҮР  |   |
| BA Social Sciences                            | CFYP | -   |
| BSc Sociology with Data Science               | CFYP | GCSE: Mathematics C/4   |
|   |      | A-levels: ABB   |
|   |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided                                       |
|   |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics grade 4 |
| Integrated Master in Sociology:               | СҮР  | A-levels: AAB   |
| Sociology                                     |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied –<br>advice on acceptability can be provided                                   |
|   |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with 665   |

# Social work

| Courses        | Кеу | Entry requirements  |
|----------------|-----|---|
| BA Social Work | CS  | GCSE: Mathematics and English C/4   |
|                |     | A-levels: BBB   |
|                |     | BTEC: DDM   |
|                |     | Access to HE Diploma: 45 Level 3 credits at merit   |
|                |     | Some paid or voluntary experience in health or social care in a relevant social care or childcare/ education setting is also required.  |
|                |     | You must also have a satisfactory Occupational<br>Health Check and enhanced Disclosure and<br>Barring Service Check (DBS) – both of these are<br>organised by the University. |
|                |     | If English is not your first language you will require<br>IELTS 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in each<br>component.   |

# → essex.ac.uk/subjects 83

# Speech and language therapy

| Courses                         | Кеу | Entry requirements   |
|---------------------------------|-----|--|
| BSc Speech and Language Therapy | СҮР | GCSE: Mathematics, Science and English C/4   |
|                                 |     | A-levels: ABB  |
|                                 |     | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|                                 |     | Access to Higher Education Diploma in a relevant<br>pathway, eg Health Professions - 6 level 3 credits<br>at distinction and the remainder at merit                              |
|                                 |     | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates<br>with 655. Either must include Standard Level<br>Mathematics and Science grade 4  |
|                                 |     | You must also have a satisfactory Occupational<br>Health Check and enhanced Disclosure and<br>Barring Service Check (DBS) - both of these are<br>organised by the University.    |
|                                 |     | If English is not your first language you will require<br>IELTS 8.0 overall with a minimum of 7.5 in each<br>component.  |
|                                 |     | Degree apprenticeships are available in this<br>subject area. Visit <u>essex.ac.uk/apprenticeships/</u><br><u>health-and-social-care-apprenticeships</u> for more<br>information |

# Sport and exercise

| Courses  | Key  | Entry requirements   |
|--|------|--|
| BSc Sports and Exercise Science                              | СҒҮР | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
| BSc Sports Performance and Coaching                          | СҒҮР | A-levels: ABB, including B in one science subject or<br>Mathematics (PE and Psychology count as science<br>A-levels)   |
|  |      | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided  |
|  |      | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>655. Either must include Higher Level Science<br>or Mathematics grade 5, plus (if not taking HL<br>Mathematics) Standard Level Mathematics grade 4. |
| Integrated Master in Science: Sports<br>and Exercise Science | СҮР  | GCSE: Mathematics C/4  |
|  |      | A-levels: AAB, including one science subject or<br>Mathematics (PE and Psychology count as science<br>A-levels)  |
|  |      | BTEC: D*DD, depending on subject studied – advice on acceptability can be provided   |
|  |      | IB: 33 points or three Higher Level certificates with<br>665. Either must include Higher Level Science<br>or Mathematics grade 5, plus (if not taking HL<br>Mathematics) Standard Level Mathematics grade 4. |

# Sports therapy

| Courses            | Key | Entry requirements   |
|--------------------|-----|--|
| BSc Sports Therapy | СҮР | GCSE: Mathematics and Science C/4  |
|                    |     | A-levels: ABB, including one science subject or<br>Mathematics (PE and Psychology count as science<br>A-levels)  |
|                    |     | BTEC: DDD, depending on subject studied - advice on acceptability can be provided.   |
|                    |     | IB: 32 points or three Higher Level certificates with 655, including Higher Level Science or Mathematics grade 5, and Standard Level Mathematics and Science grade 4, if not taken at Higher Level |

# **FOUNDATION YEARS**

For UK and EU applicants we offer degrees with a foundation year, so whatever your educational background you have a future with us.

 → essex.ac.uk/departments/ essex-pathways

Don't have the standard qualifications required to enter the first year of our undergraduate courses? No need to worry. Our degrees with a foundation year will help improve your academic skills and subject knowledge. Once you successfully complete the foundation year, you'll be fully prepared for undergraduate study and guaranteed a place on the first year of your degree. Typically, courses with a foundation year require 72 UCAS points from at least 2 A-levels, with some courses having additional requirements. If this doesn't quite fit your situation we'd still like to hear from you. We consider every application for a degree with a foundation year on its merits so please do get in touch. You can see which of our degrees are available with a foundation year on the subjects list, just look out for a **F** symbol.



## → essex.ac.uk/visit-us



Impatient to find out what we're all about? The best way to do it is to come and visit!

#### **Open Days**

Open Days are your chance to find the place you will forever call your second home – they're a pretty big deal. You probably think an Essex Open Day is the same as all the rest, and of course we'll show you all the important stuff, but we don't stop there. Book your place at **essex.ac.uk/visit-us** 

#### **Campus tours**

Can't make it to one of our Open Days but still want to look around? Don't worry our students run campus tours every Wednesday and Friday, you can book a place on our website.

#### 2022 Open Days

#### **Colchester Open Days**

- Saturday 18 June 2022
- Saturday 17 September 2022
- Saturday 22 October 2022

#### Southend Open Day

Saturday 15 October 2022

#### 2023 Open Days

#### **Colchester Open Days**

- Saturday 17 June 2023
- Saturday 16 September 2023
- Saturday 28 October 2023

#### **Southend Open Day**

See our website for more information.

# INPATIENT TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP?

You've made it this far. Now here's an opportunity for you to reach out to us. If you have any questions, or would like to get in touch, we'd love to hear from you. If you're one for details, keep reading to find out more about how we work and delve into the 'important stuff'. From visas, to fees, funding and 'what if', you can rest assured that we've thought of it all. We've got your back.

essex.ac.uk/about/contact



# FEES AND FUNDING

Your tuition fees are used to provide you with a transformational education. They help us to create the stimulating and cutting-edge environment that supports the world-class research and education we offer at Essex.

#### **Tuition fees**

#### **UK Students**

- Our fees for the academic year 2023-2024 for UK and Channel Islands students will be \$9,250.
- Fees will increase for each academic year of study. For full-time undergraduate students with a home fee status any fee increases during your programme of study will be limited to the annual increase in the RPI-X index.

#### International and EU students

- Our full time international and EU fees for the academic year 2023-2024 are £18,585 -£27,500. For a full list of all international tuition fees please check our website.
- You may be able to get a Tuition Fee Loan and help with living costs if you're from an EU country, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway or Switzerland. Use the student finance calculator to see what finance you can get. gov.uk/student-finance gov.uk/student-finance-calculator
- For students commencing their studies in the 2023-24 academic year, your fees will increase for each year of study. This annual increase will be either 5% or the annual increase in the RPI-X index, whichever is higher. If you would like advice on whether you'd be considered as an international student in relation to your tuition fees please contact our Undergraduate Admissions office.

#### admit@essex.ac.uk

- The UK Council for International Student Affairs (UKCISA) can also give you free, independent advice and information on fee statuses.
   ukcisa.org.uk
- If you require a student visa to study in the UK, as part of the visa application process you may be asked to produce evidence of your ability to pay tuition fees and to cover living expenses during your course. Find out more about the current Home Office requirements on our website. essex.ac.uk/immigration

#### Access to loans for UK students

- The UK Government provides UK students with a tuition fee loan (subject to eligibility criteria), meaning you will not have to pay your tuition fees upfront or during your course.
- UK students can also take out a maintenance loan to help cover living expenses for your time at university.
   gov.uk/student-finance-calculator
- Loan repayments only begin when you earn over a certain amount, and will stop if your income drops below that figure.
- Some students are eligible for scholarships and bursaries. This includes support for care leavers, those from lower income households, and students with refugee status. Find out more about funding opportunities on our website.
   essex.ac.uk/scholarships
- If you've previously studied at a higher education institution this may affect the amount of financial support available to you. Please contact our Student Funding team with any queries about this or anything else funding related. funding@essex.ac.uk
- If you're interested in earning some extra money during your studies there are plenty of part-time work opportunities at Essex.

#### **Healthcare grants**

From September 2023: students studying the nursing and allied health subjects will receive a non-repayable and non-means tested (universal) grant of at least £5,000 a year, in addition to existing mainstream student support. Funding will be offered to continuing students as well as new course.

### essex.ac.uk/undergraduate/fees-and-funding

# HOW TO APPLY

Here comes the important part. For further information on any of the topics listed, visit our website. If you have any other questions, please get in touch with our Undergraduate Admissions Office.

#### The application process

#### How do I apply?

Applications for the majority of our courses can be made via either **UCAS.com** or our Direct Admissions form on our website. If you are applying to other institutions or already have a UCAS application, you will not be able to use our Direct Admissions form. The exception to this is applications to BA/FdA Therapeutic Communication and Therapeutic Organisations, which must be made via our Direct Admissions form. The majority of our courses at East 15 Acting School require an application to be submitted directly to the school as well as a UCAS or Direct Admissions form.

#### When should I apply?

If you are applying for October 2023 entry, you can do so from September 2022 onwards. The majority of our courses will remain open until 30 June 2023. A small number of our courses may close on or after 25 January 2023.

#### What are the next steps?

When we receive your application, it will be considered by our Admissions team. We will take into account your whole application – including your qualifications, personal statement and reference.

If you applied through UCAS, your UCAS Hub will officially inform you when a decision has been made on your application. Once you've received a decision from all your choices, UCAS will ask you to accept one offer as your firm choice and one offer as your insurance choice via UCAS Hub.

If you applied via our Direct Admissions form you will receive all the information you need from us via email. If we make you an offer via email you will need to follow the instructions provided in your offer letter to accept your offer via your myEssex applicant portal.

#### **Applicant Days**

If you receive an offer from us, you will be invited to attend an Applicant Day. This will offer you the chance to find out more about the University and your course. Some of our courses require a compulsory interview before an offer can be made. If you have applied to one of our degrees which requires an interview, and you are successful in being invited for interview, we will be in touch via email. **essex.ac.uk/visit-us/applicant-days** 



#### **Confirming your place**

If your offer is conditional and you go on to meet the conditions specified within the communicated deadlines, we'll confirm your place if you have accepted us as your firm or insurance choice. If your results don't quite meet the conditions, we may still confirm your place, or you may be offered an alternative course.

# → essex.ac.uk/ undergraduate/ applying-to-essex



#### **Entry requirements**

#### **UK students**

Typical entry requirements are described on the course pages of this prospectus. Entry requirements for courses which include a foundation year are lower than those listed on the subject pages, please see page 86 and our website. The wide range of qualifications that we consider include the following:

- A-levels
- BTEC qualifications
- CTEC qualifications
- International Baccalaureate Diploma and Certificates
- QAA-approved Access to HE Diplomas
- Open University courses
- Professional qualifications
- T-levels

If you have not already completed your qualifications, our typical offer will require you to achieve specific grades in three A-levels (or equivalent). We are also happy to consider your application if you are taking a mixture of A-levels and BTECs, or qualifications other than A-levels. If your results fall short of the offer level by a small margin, your results in other qualifications such as the Extended Project, a Core Maths qualification or an additional AS-level may be taken into account. We want you to stand the best chance of benefiting from an Essex Education. We will also consider your application if you are retaking one or more exams.

#### International Baccalaureate

Regarding the International Baccalaureate Diploma, we will accept either Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches or Mathematics: Applications and Interpretation, in the same way as outlined on the subject pages for Mathematics and Mathematics.

#### **Requirements for all applicants**

Our general entrance requirements are a minimum of two full A-levels. Some courses also have additional A-level or GCSE subject requirements which you'll find on the relevant course pages.

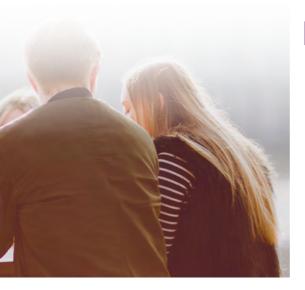
#### EU and international students

If you're from outside the UK, we can make offers based on EU and international qualifications that are considered equivalent to our standard A-level offer. essex.ac.uk/international/applying-to-essex

#### English language requirements

You are required to have GCSE English at grade C/4 or above (or equivalent). You can demonstrate your level of English language by achieving a specified score in IELTS or another equivalent test that we accept. You don't need to achieve this level before making your application, but it will be one of the conditions of your offer. For current details of our English language requirements, including UK Visas and Immigration minimum component scores, please see the following information.

### 94 → essex.ac.uk/undergraduate/applying-to-essex



For applicants who require a student visa (excluding nationals of majority English speaking countries). essex.ac.uk/see/english-student-visa-required

For applicants who do not require a student visa and nationals of majority English-speaking countries essex.ac.uk/see/ english-student-visa-not-required

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#### Pre-sessional and English language courses

We offer pre-sessional English language courses at the University of Essex International College (in partnership with Kaplan International Pathways) which can be taken before your degree if you are an EU or international student and do not meet our English language entry requirements. Upon successful completion of the pre-sessional you won't need to retake an additional English language qualification, and if you've met all other offer conditions you will be able to proceed on to your degree.

#### essex.ac.uk/international/pre-sessional

#### Languages

First-language speakers of a modern language will not be able to study that language as part of a modern language degree. To study Portuguese as a major language, applicants must have either an A-level (or equivalent) in Italian, Spanish or Portuguese, or have a first-language fluency in Italian, Romanian or Spanish.

#### Other useful information

#### Immigration and applying for a visa

If you require a visa to study in the UK, you'll need to apply under the student route of the UK Government's Points Based Immigration System (PBIS). EU students will need to apply for entry clearance under the UK's Student Immigration Rules, unless you already have settlement. For up-to-date information check our website.

#### **Pathways courses**

Many courses are available to UK and EU applicants with a foundation year, <u>see page 86</u>. For information on pathway courses for international applicants at the University of Essex International College, please <u>see page 97</u>.

#### Deferred entry

The majority of our courses enable you to take a gap year. You can apply in the normal way but you should indicate your year of entry on your UCAS application or Direct Admissions form. Applications for deferred entry will be considered on the same basis as those of entry in the year which you apply.

#### DBS and occupational health checks

Some courses require you to undergo a Disclosure and Barring Service check (DBS), when working with children and/or vulnerable adults, and an occupational health check. If this is a requirement of a course, it will be stated on our website course pages.

#### **Disability and health**

When you apply you can declare whether you have a disability or health issues so we can provide support. Declaring a disability or health issue will not form part of our decision making and we are dedicated to offering equal opportunities to all. We have a team of disability and wellbeing advisors, dyslexia tutors, and other specialist staff.

#### Admissions Policy

For information about our Undergraduate Admissions Policy, visit our website, where you'll always find the most up-to-date details. (All information on these pages correct as of March 2022).

essex.ac.uk/-/media/documents/admissions/ undergraduate-admissions-policy.pdf

# **CONTACT US**

We know you'll probably still have questions for us and there's loads of ways to get in touch.

→ essex.ac.uk/ about/contact

#### Live chat

If you want to ask a quick question live chat is the place. Our team are available to speak to from 9:00 to 21:00 (GMT/BST). essex.ac.uk/about/contact

#### Email

If you have questions about your course, accommodation, finance, welfare, the application process or anything else get in touch with our Enquiry Management Team. admit@essex.ac.uk

#### Chat with our students

There are some questions only our students can answer, so if you want to talk to a current Essex student to find out more about life and studies with us, this is your chance. essex.ac.uk/life/chat

#### **Blogs and podcasts**

We have a wide range of blogs and podcasts for you to engage with and enjoy at a time to suit you. Visit our website to check out our blogs and search for University of Essex podcasts on your preferred platform.

essex.ac.uk/blog

#### Social media

Don't forget to follow us on all the main social media channels to keep up-to-date with all the latest news at Essex. Feel free to private message us on social media channels too and we'll get back to you.



# **OUR PARTNERS**

We are committed to making an Essex education available through a range of provisions, working closely with partner institutions to develop and maintain high-quality and accessible learning opportunities.



#### **University of Essex Online**

University of Essex Online degree courses give you the opportunity to study for your degree via distance learning, allowing you to gain a qualification from a respected university whilst fitting your studies around work and personal commitments. We have regular intakes throughout the year, and our entry requirements recognise work experience as well as previous academic achievements. Contact us or visit our website for more information.

#### +44 (0)800 0527 526 enquiries@online.essex.ac.uk online.essex.ac.uk





#### University of Essex International College

The University of Essex International College, based at the University's Colchester Campus, is operated by Kaplan International Pathways, a partner institution of the University of Essex.

The College provides pathway courses and pre-sessional English language courses that prepare international students for progression to a university degree course. These courses are delivered and awarded by Kaplan. Successful completion of a Foundation Certificate (available to international students in the subject areas of Humanities, Social Sciences and Science and Health) would enable progression to the first year of a relevant degree.

An International Year One course (available to international and EU students, offered in Business, Computer Science, Economics, Law, Life Sciences, International Relations, Politics and Psychology) would enable progression to the second year of a relevant degree at the university. Students who successfully complete their course at the University will graduate with a degree from the University of Essex.

kaplanpathways.com/colleges/ university-essex-international-college/



International College

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

#### About this prospectus

#### When we might make changes to advertised courses and other information

This prospectus tries to answer your questions about life and academic provision on offer at the University of Essex. It was prepared early in 2022 and refers to courses which will be available in October 2023. The University makes every effort to ensure the prospectus is accurate at the time it is printed. In exceptional circumstances, it can be necessary to make changes, for example to courses, facilities or fees due to legitimate staffing, financial, regulatory or academic reasons. Examples of such reasons might include a change of law or regulatory requirements, industrial action, lack of demand, departure of key personnel, change in government policy, or withdrawal or reduction of funding. Changes to courses may for example consist of variations to the content and method of delivery of programmes, courses and other services, to discontinue programmes, courses and other services and to merge or combine programmes or courses. If a course change or closure is proposed in such circumstances the University will take all reasonable steps to minimise disruption to students. This will include informing students of the changes in advance and giving them appropriate opportunity to comment on the proposals.

A course would only be closed in exceptional circumstances. If it is ever necessary to close a course the University's preferred approach would be to continue to teach current students on that course until they have completed their studies. If exceptionally that is not possible, the University will explore other options with the affected students for example by considering whether those students can be offered places on alternative courses, or whether their studies can be completed at another institution. The University/we would inform and engage with you if your course was to be discontinued, and would provide you with options, where appropriate, in line with our Compensation and Refund Policy.

#### No liability for matters outside our control

The University cannot be held responsible for failure/delay in performing obligations caused by things outside our control. This includes but is not limited to: strikes, other industrial action, staff illness, severe weather, fire, civil commotion, riot, invasion, terrorist attack or threat of terrorist attack, war (whether declared or not), natural disaster, restrictions imposed by government or public authorities, epidemic or pandemic disease, or failure of public utilities or transport systems. In the above context "the University" also includes the University's officers, employees and agents, and those provisions may be relied on by those officers, employees and agents.

#### Admissions policy

Applicants are considered in line with the University's Undergraduate Admissions Policy and the regulations relating to admissions (listed under Academic Regulations), which can be found online at: essex.ac.uk/-/media/documents/

admissions/graduate-admissions-policy.pdf essex.ac.uk/admissions-regs

#### The student contract

If your application to the University of Essex is successful, by accepting the offer you will be entering into a legal contract with us, subject to fulfilling any conditions included in your offer. Your rights and obligations to us and our rights and obligations to you will be detailed in the information that we provide once the offer has been made. Applicants and registered students must comply with university regulations, policies and procedures as part of their contract.

#### **University regulations**

The University regulations are available at: essex.ac.uk/about/governance/ regulations

The procedures, rules and regulations of the University, governing how it operates, are set out in the Charter, Statutes and Ordinances and in the University policies, available at:

essex.ac.uk/about/governance/ charter-statutes-and-ordinances essex.ac.uk/about/governance/policies

#### **Complaints procedure**

The University is committed to equality of opportunity for all applicants, and the University's admissions policies, procedures and processes are designed to ensure that all applicants are considered fairly, consistently and in accordance with professional standards. The Undergraduate Admissions office strives to provide a high quality experience for all applicants throughout the admissions cycle. In the event that an applicant is dissatisfied with any aspect of the University's admissions process, procedure or policy and wants to submit a formal complaint, they can do so via the Complaints Policy for Applicants. This policy can be found in full via the link in our Undergraduate Admissions Policy at:

#### essex.ac.uk/admissions-policy

#### Policy Statement on Equality and Diversity

The University of Essex fosters good relations between people who share a relevant protected characteristic and those who do not, celebrates diversity, challenges inequality and is committed to nurturing an inclusive and diverse community that is open to all who have the potential to benefit from membership of it, and which ensures equality of opportunity for all its members. We expect all our campus communities, employees, workers, contractors, students, invitees and visitors to be treated, and to treat others, with dignity and respect. We have a zero-tolerance approach to discrimination, harassment and bullying. Zero tolerance means that (i) we will take action and (ii) the action will be proportionate to the circumstances of the case. We are committed to meeting our obligations under the Equality Act 2010, which requires the University show no discrimination as required by law on account of age, disability, gender reassignment\*, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex, and sexual orientation. The University will always act lawfully and this may include taking action to support people with particular protected characteristics, including disability and sex. In addition to its obligations under the EA, the University shall adopt policies, practices, and procedures that define expected standards of behaviour and specify any additional characteristics, beyond those required by law, to which protection is provided, for example, in relation to political belief, social background and refugee status. \*The University's policies, practices and procedures specifically extend to all gender identities including trans, non-binary and gender non-conforming people.

# Tuition fee increases during your studies

Fees for UK and Channel Islands students commencing their studies in 2022 were set at \$9,250. In previous years, the tuition fee has increased for each academic year of study. Increases were limited to the annual increase in the RPI-X index. Fees for full-time undergraduate students with a Home fee status remain subject to UK Government approval. For full-time undergraduate students with an international fee status, this annual increase will be 5% or the annual increase in the RPI-X index, whichever is the higher. essex.ac.uk/undergraduate/fees-and-funding

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