



ESSEX OPEN DAY



University
of Essex



WHERE CHANGE HAPPENS 1964-2024

WHAT TO EXPECT

Our Open Day is your chance to see where you might be calling home and get a feel for life at Essex. We love it, so we think you will too.

Full programme and map available at check-in!

Talk to academics

Speak to your department one-on-one in the Sport Arena.



Talks and tasters

Attend a subject talk and taster. We will also have a variety of general talks running throughout the day.

Student life

Across campus we will have a variety of fun things going on. Head to Square 5 to enjoy some live music or make your way to the Food Village and grab a mocktail.



Check-in

Check-in opens at 9am, but we also offer a quiet check-in period from 8.30am – 9am and a quiet space in the Sport Arena.

GENERAL TALKS

Ivor Crewe Lecture Hall Auditorium

TALK	TIME
Welcome to the University of Essex	10.00am – 10.30am 12.30pm – 1.00pm
Student accommodation	10.30am – 11.00am 1.00pm – 1.30pm
Applying to Essex for undergraduates	11.15am – 11.45am 2.30pm – 3.00pm
Student Finance for undergraduates	11.45am – 12.15pm 3.15pm – 3.45pm
Student life at Essex Followed by a tour of Students' Union spaces	1.45pm – 2.15pm 2.15pm – 2.45pm

Ivor Crewe Lecture Hall Seminar Room

TALK	TIME
Mature students	11.00am – 11.30am
Essex Abroad – your international adventure awaits	11.45am – 12.15pm
Skills for success, placements and development	12.15pm – 12.45pm
Student support and wellbeing	12.45pm – 1.15pm
Information for parents and guardians	1.15pm – 1.45pm
Parent and guardian lounge (drop in Q&A session)	1.45pm – 4.00pm

Sport Arena (ESA 2.8)

TALK	TIME
Performance sport and scholarships	11.00am – 12.00pm (midday) 1.00pm – 2.00pm
Sport at Essex – keep fit, make friends, learn skills	12.00pm (midday) – 1.00pm 2.00pm – 3.00pm

GENERAL TALKS

Time Out Lounge (Sport Arena) – Postgraduate talks

TALK	TIME
Breakfast mixer	9.30am – 10.30am
Research panel – how Essex postgraduates shape the world	10.30am – 11.15am
Applying to Essex for postgraduates	11.30am – 12.00pm (midday)
Funding for postgraduate studies	12.45pm – 1.15pm
Postgraduate student life	1.30pm – 2.00pm

SUBJECT TALKS

Faculty of Social Sciences

TALK	TIME	LOCATION
ESSEX BUSINESS SCHOOL		
Welcome to Essex Business School	Talk: 11.00am – 11.45am Tours: 10.00am – 3.00pm	EBS 2.2 EBS Foyer
Accounting, Finance and Banking taster session	11.50am – 12.30pm	EBS 2.34
Bloomberg taster session	12.30pm – 1.00pm	Trading Floor, IT Lab S
Business Management and Marketing taster session	11.50am – 12.30pm	EBS 2.2
Essex Business School Postgraduate and MBA drop-in hub	12.00pm (midday) – 2.00pm	Bonds Cafe (EBS Building)
DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGE AND LINGUISTICS		
English Language and Linguistics	11.00am – 12.00pm (midday)	LTB 5
Modern Languages	12.00pm (midday) – 1.00pm	LTB 5
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS		
Economics	1.00pm – 2.00pm	LTB 2

Faculty of Social Sciences

TALK	TIME	LOCATION
DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOSOCIAL AND PSYCHOANALYTIC STUDIES		
Welcome to the Department, followed by a subject taster:	11.00am – 11.30am	LTB 4
Childhood Studies	11.30am – 12.00pm (midday)	LTB 4
Psychosocial and Psychoanalytic Studies	12.00pm (midday) – 12.30pm	LTB 4
Psychodynamic Practice	12.30pm – 1.00pm	LTB 4
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY		
Welcome to the Department, followed by a subject taster:	11.00am – 11.45am	LTB 8
Criminology	12.00pm (midday) – 12.45pm	LTB 8
Sociology	1.00pm – 1.45pm	LTB 8
DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT		
Politics and International Relations	11.00am – 12.00pm (midday)	LTB 2

Faculty of Science and Health

TALK	TIME	LOCATION
SCHOOL OF LIFE SCIENCES		
Biological Sciences	Subject talk: 10.30am – 11.30am	STEM 3.1
Ecology and Environmental Biology	Demonstration: 11.30am – 12.30pm	STEM Lab 2.1
Global Sustainability	and 12.30pm – 1.30pm	
Marine Biology		
Biochemistry	Subject talk: 11.30am – 12.30pm	STEM 3.1
Biomedical Sciences	Demonstration: 12.30pm – 1.30pm	STEM Lab 2.1
Genetics	and 1.30pm – 2.30pm	
Human Biology		
DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING		
Computer Science and Electronic Engineering	Subject talk: 1.00pm – 1.30pm Department tour: 1.30pm – 2.30pm	STEM 3.1

SUBJECT TALKS

Faculty of Science and Health

TALK	TIME	LOCATION
SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS, STATISTICS AND ACTUARIAL SCIENCE		
Welcome to the Department, followed by a subject taster:	11.00am – 11.30am	LTB 9
Actuarial Science	11.30am – 12.00pm (midday)	LTB 9
Data Science	12.00pm (midday) – 12.30pm	LTB 9
Mathematics	12.30pm – 1.00pm	LTB 9
SCHOOL OF SPORT, REHABILITATION AND EXERCISE SCIENCES		
Physiotherapy	Subject talk: 10.30am – 11.00am Department tour: 11.00am – 11.30am	LTB 7
Sport and Exercise Science, Sport and Exercise Psychology, and Sports Coaching and Performance	Subject talk: 11.30am – 12.00pm (midday) Department tour: 12.00pm (midday) – 12.30pm	LTB 7
Sports Therapy	Subject talk: 12.30pm – 1.00pm Department tour: 1.00pm – 1.30pm	LTB 7
DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY		
Psychology	11.00am – 12.00pm (midday)	LTB 6
SCHOOL OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE		
Adult and Mental Health Nursing	Subject talk: 11.00am – 11.45am Department tour: 11.45am – 12.15pm	LTB 1
Occupational Therapy	Subject talk: 12.00pm (midday) – 12.45pm Department tour: 12.45pm – 1.15pm	LTB 1
Oral Health Sciences	1.00pm – 1.45pm	LTB 1
Social Work	11.00am – 11.45am	LTB 3
Speech and Language Therapy	Subject talk: 12.00pm (midday) – 12.45pm Department tour: 12.45pm – 1.15pm	LTB 3

SUBJECT TALKS

Faculty of Arts and Humanities

TALK	TIME	LOCATION
EDGE HOTEL SCHOOL		
Edge Hotel School	Subject talk: 11.00am – 12.00pm (midday) Department tour: 12.00pm (midday) – 1.00pm	Meet at subject stand in the Sport Arena
SCHOOL OF LAW		
Law and Human Rights	12.00pm (midday) – 1.00pm	LTB 6
SCHOOL OF PHILOSOPHICAL, HISTORICAL AND INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES		
History	Subject overview: 11.00am – 11.30am Taster: 11.30am – 12.00pm (midday)	TC 2.6-2.7
Art History	1.00pm – 2.00pm	TC 2.6-2.7
Philosophy	12.00pm (midday) – 1.00pm	TC 2.8-2.9
Global Studies Liberal Arts Social Change Interdisciplinary Studies	2.00pm – 3.00pm	TC 2.8-2.9
DEPARTMENT OF LITERATURE, FILM AND THEATRE STUDIES		
Creative Writing	11.00am – 12.00pm (midday)	TC 2.12-2.13
Drama	12.00pm (midday) – 1.00pm	TC 2.12-2.13
Film Studies, talk and facilities tour	1.00pm – 2.00pm	TC 2.12-2.13
Journalism, talk and facilities tour	1.00pm – 2.00pm	Meet at subject stand in the Sport Arena
Literature	2.00pm – 3.00pm	TC 2.12-2.13

Key

Location	what3words	Location	what3words
Check-in and Sport Arena	///hobby.with.making	TC – Tony Rich Teaching Centre	///sides.fines.ready
ICLH – Ivor Crewe Lecture Hall	///moons.stay.hills	EBS – Essex Business School	///slows.feels.assure
LTB – Lecture Theatre Building	///invent.pace.relay	STEM Centre	///tapes.needed.analogy
Accommodation Tour Zone	///zooms.pages.flame	Campus Tour Zone	///pills.tuck.damp



TOUR INFORMATION

Accommodation tours

We will have a variety of accommodation for you to see on the day. Tours will run throughout the day with a final departure time of 3.30pm. Head to the Accommodation Tour Zone outside the Sport Arena when you're ready and one of our students will show you around.



Check out our accommodation online.

Campus tours

Our friendly Student Ambassadors will be able to take you on a tour of campus, to experience Essex for yourself. These tours will run from the Silberrad Plaza, between 9am – 3.30pm, lasting roughly 30 minutes.

A postgraduate campus tour will depart at 2.00pm from Time Out Lounge in the Sport Arena.



Scan me for a campus map and accessible routes.

