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- There are 7 miles of seawall to discover and enjoy.

**OUR STUDENTS’ UNION WILL BE BASED IN THE SU LOUNGE. HEAD OVER, GRAB A CUP OF TEA AND SETTLE DOWN FOR A CHAT ABOUT WHAT YOU CAN GET INVOLVED IN AS AN ESSEX STUDENT!**

**CHECK IN**
BECOME AN ESSEX VIP
PLAN YOUR DAY, PINCH A PEN
CHAT TO ACADEMICS, EAT TREATS
DISCOVER SOUTHWEND
SEE ACCOMMODATION
LISTEN TO LOCAL MUSIC
TRY SOMETHING NEW
DRINK MORE TEA
GRAB FREE STUFF
SAMPLE YOUR COURSE
IMAGINE YOURSELF HERE
PUT YOUR FEET UP
INDULGE IN HOT CHOCOLATE
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**GENERAL TALKS**

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**SUBJECT TALKS AND TASTERS**
Our subject talks take place from 12.00 – 12.30pm and our taster sessions take place from 12.30 – 1.15pm, unless otherwise stated.

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- **Social Work**
- **Department of Psychosocial and Psychoanalytic Studies (all sessions take place in The Forum)**
- **EAST15 Acting School (all sessions take place in The Gateway Building)**

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CAMPUS AND ACCOMMODATION TOURS

Our Open Day is chock-full of things to see and do so we like to keep your day as flexible as possible. Tours of our campus and accommodation run separately every 30 minutes starting at 9:30am. Each tour is guided by a current student, giving you the perfect opportunity to get the low-down on student life.

All tours will last around 40 minutes and will depart from our Tour Departure Point in The Gateway Building.

THE FORUM

This swanky building is the hub of the University, with a library, teaching spaces and a 24-hour learning hub.

Head to The Forum for our Welcome to Essex and Student Finance talks, to find out more from our academics and student services and attend the EBS and Therapeutic Care talks and taster sessions.

SU LOUNGE

Come and enjoy a cup of tea and cake with us, listen to some live music and chat to our friendly SU.

THE GATEWAY BUILDING

Houses our academic departments and provides state-of-the-art teaching facilities.

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