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June edition

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## Exams are over

Now that the main exam period is over, things are winding down so this is our last edition for this academic year. If your student is returning next year, please take a minute to [resubscribe](#) for the next academic year.

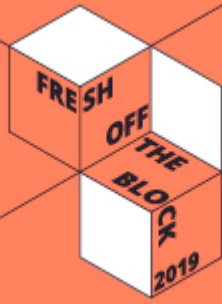
Exam stress may be over, but what happens if a student needs to resit an exam/piece of coursework?

If your student didn't submit an assessment/attend an exam due to personal circumstances, they may be able to use the [missed assessment process](#). If they submitted an assignment or attended an exam but feel like they shouldn't have, the [removal of marks](#) process could help.

If your student didn't pass an exam or get the grade they were hoping for, don't panic, failing an exam isn't the end of the world.

Our [Student Support Advisers](#) are available for one-to-one appointments, providing support and information that your students may need for resits. Have them contact the [Information Point](#) as soon as possible to make an appointment.





## Environment and Technology Degree Show

The Environment and Technology Degree Show will take place on **Thursday 6 June** from **17:00 - 21:00**. Come and see what students have been up to!

[Book your place](#)



## Creative Industries Degree Show

The Degree Show for Art, Design, Film and Journalism is running from **Friday 7-12 June**. There's a private view on the Friday and open access Saturday-Wednesday.

[Book for the private view](#)

## When are final results published?

Unconfirmed marks are given as soon as possible during the year, but may still go up or down due to the moderation process. Final confirmed results are published on myUWE after the relevant Award Board meeting.

[Check publication dates](#)

## How to help students deal with the change of routine

Finishing exams and heading home for the summer might seem like a welcome break, but some students can struggle with the change of routine. Here's a few tips to help your student settle back into home life:

- **Give them space** - understand that your student may be used to a more independent lifestyle, so remember to give them the privacy they get from living away from home.
- **Let them be an adult** - part of university life is learning how to look after yourself. You may want to take over the cooking/cleaning whilst they're home, but don't be tempted to get back into old routines.

- **Encourage them to make the most of their summer** - taking part in volunteering/internship schemes are great ways to boost experience. We've included some helpful links below.

## Is your student moving out of halls and into the community?

It can be daunting leaving the security of student accommodation, so we've come up with some useful tips to help your student settle into the community.

### **Get to know the neighbours**

Remind them that having a good relationship with their neighbours will make the next year much more enjoyable. And it won't be awkward when they have to go and collect a missed delivery!

### **Being part of the community**

Encourage them to make their area a great place to live by joining in with community events or volunteering. Even just picking up litter on a walk home goes a long way.

### **Know your rights and responsibilities**

Tenants have a number of rights and responsibilities - it's helpful to know if there are any issues with their accommodation. The Students' Union Advice Centre can help if they need support.

### **Know your bins!**

They'll have lots of different containers for their rubbish and recycling. Remind them to learn the collection schedules so they put them out at the right time - and recycle as much as they can.

### **Staying safe**

Remember the basics – remind them to look after each other, test their fire alarms and keep the doors locked. 1 in 5 burglars walk straight through an open door.

### **Keeping the noise down**

Everyone's entitled to a good night's sleep - so remind them to think of their neighbours when they come home from a night out or playing loud music. Remember, not everyone's a student!

## Summer opportunities

### **Undergraduate internship schemes**

Is your student stuck for something to do over the summer? An [internship](#) is a great way to gain experience in the workplace and helps them stand out from other students and graduates when the time comes to apply for placements and jobs.

As well as gaining valuable work experience, internships offer the chance to build skills and confidence and earn at least £300 a week!

### **Summer volunteering**

Does your student want to give back to the community this summer? [Summer volunteering](#) gives them the opportunity to explore Bristol and meet new people at the same time.

Whether they're interested in a one-off opportunity or a regular activity to learn new skills, there's something for everybody.

From DJ-ing to social media, kids' club helpers to festival stewards, there are plenty of great ways to get involved. Increase skills and broaden experience, all whilst having fun!



## **Are you joining us for graduation?**

Is your loved one eligible to graduate in July?

If so, they need to let us know if you're coming or not, and buy their guest tickets. We hope you'll join us to celebrate their achievements!

[Find out more](#)

**General information and reminders**

## How to use this information

These emails will give you a general overview of some of the key activities taking place for students at this time of year. Use the information to start a conversation and support them - but don't be pushy! Let them take the lead - part of university life is learning to make it on your own.

## If you have urgent concerns about a student's welfare

Please call **+44 (0)7788 725507** (Monday - Thursday 08:30 - 17:00, Friday 08:30 - 16:30). During weekends and evenings please call **+44 (0)7814 791212**.

## For general queries

If you or your student have any general queries about support services, events or anything else at UWE Bristol, call our Information Points on **+44 (0)117 32 85678** or email [infopoint@uwe.ac.uk](mailto:infopoint@uwe.ac.uk). A range of information is available on our students' webpage.

## Sharing a student's information

Unless a student has given their consent for us to share their personal information, we can't disclose any specific information about their circumstances. Your data is not linked to a specific student.

## Quick links

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