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Registration, student cards, timetables and more

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Your 360° experience starts now

You're about to start on an incredible journey - and we're so excited for you!

To help you get off to a great start, we'll send you a few editions of *yourUWE Bristol*, our student newsletter. Look out for one about your campus, one about academic support and one about your health and wellbeing. This one covers the important things you need to do as a new student.

You'll find more information on our new students' webpages. If you can't find the answer there, our <u>Information Point team</u> can help - just give them a call on **0117 32 85678**.

Check our new students' webpages

Things to do now

Upload a photo for your student card

Don't forget to upload your best selfie under the My Details tab on <u>myUWE</u> so that you can collect your student card when you get here.

Check your joining instructions

Your <u>joining instructions</u> tell you about the mandatory sessions you need to attend, like your course induction and registration session. Check them now so you know when to turn up.

Let us know if you have a disability or long-term health condition

If you didn't disclose a disability, specific learning difficulty or long-term medical condition (including mental health conditions) when you applied, contact our <u>Disability Service</u> now. We'll get support in place for you right from the start of your studies.

Check you've had your vaccinations

The <u>MenACWY vaccination</u> protects you against four different causes of meningitis and septicaemia. The <u>MMR vaccine</u> protects you against measles, mumps and rubella. These illnesses can be very serious, so please check with your GP that you've had these vaccinations and arrange to have them before you leave home if you haven't.

Things to do when you get here

Attend your registration event

You'll need to confirm your attendance in person and collect your student ID card at a registration event. Remember to bring photo ID (e.g. your passport, driving license or national identity card) with you.

For most students this will be at the Welcome Event at the Exhibition and Conference Centre (Frenchay Campus) on **Friday 14 September** or **Saturday 15 September**, but please check your <u>joining instructions</u> as it can vary from course to course.

Find out more about registering in person

Check your term dates

Check the standard term dates for the 2018/19 academic year. They'll tell you when teaching starts and ends and when the assessment periods are - so don't book a holiday!

Some courses have different dates - so double-check your programme handbook when you get

Teaching timetables

Once you're fully registered you should be able to see your teaching timetable under the Courses tab on <u>myUWE</u> from **Wednesday 5 September**.

If you have any questions, follow our <u>self-help quide</u> (log-in required) or ask an <u>Information</u> Point.

Stay in the know

Now you're a student **we'll only email your university email account**.

It's where we send messages about your course and your fortnightly student newsletter, yourUWE Bristol.

You can check your emails through myUWE or set them up on your phone.



News What's on

WELCOME TO UWE BRISTOL!

GIANG NGUYEN

President

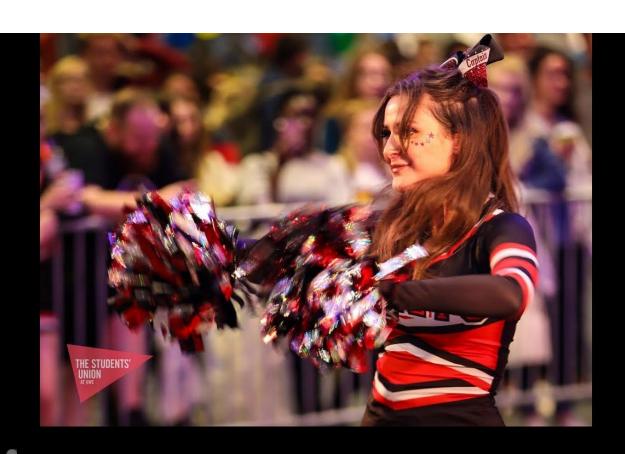


I'm Giang, President of The Students' Union. Congratulations on getting a place at UWE Bristol - coming to university is a fantastic experience, full of amazing opportunities.

Here at The Students' Union, we want to make sure you get the best out of your student experience and help you to feel right at home.

During your first few weeks with us, we'll have a range of Welcome events to help you settle in and get to know each other, as well as providing you with a little flavour of what you can expect from life at UWE Bristol.

See all welcome events



GET INVOLVED

We're here for you throughout your time here, providing a range of services and support. There are lots of ways to get involved with The Students' Union, from societies to sports clubs and much more.

Don't miss our <u>Freshers' Fair</u> on **Friday 21 September**, as it's a great opportunity to find out about everything that we have to offer. Watch the video of last year's Fair (above) to get a taste of what's to come - we'll see you there!

Quick links

- » myUWE
- » Academic advice
- » Study support
- » Term dates

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We promise not to overwhelm you and we'll only send you things that are relevant.
You'll get a regular newsletter and some targeted communications.
If you unsubscribe you'll miss important emails from the university. Contact us if you have any questions.

Dynamic content

EE/EN students

Complete your online registration

If you haven't already, head to <u>myUWE</u> to complete your online registration (look for the Registration tab). We'll ask you to confirm your personal details, including a term-time address and an emergency contact, and make arrangements to pay your fees.

Glenside/Gloucester

Check your timetable

Once you've completed your online registration, you should be able to see your teaching timetable under the Courses tab on myuwe.

If you have any questions, follow our <u>self-help guide</u> (log-in required) or ask an <u>Information</u> <u>Point</u>.

EDU

Teaching timetables

Once you're fully registered you should be able to see your teaching timetable under the Courses tab on myUWE from **Wednesday 5 September**. However, if you're studying a PGCE course your timetable is available now.

If you have any questions, follow our <u>self-help guide</u> (log-in required) or ask an <u>Information</u> Point.

LAW

Teaching timetables

Once you're fully registered you should be able to see your teaching timetable under the Courses tab on myUWE from **Wednesday 5 September**. The dates vary for some Bristol Institute of Legal Practice courses, so check the timetable publication dates online.

If you have any questions, follow our <u>self-help guide</u> (log-in required) or ask an <u>Information</u> Point.

Glenside/Gloucester/EDU

Complete your DBS and Occupational Health checks

If you're required to complete a DBS application form and/or Occupational Health questionnaire as part of your offer to study, please do this as soon as you can. If you've completed your online DBS but haven't received your certificate yet don't worry - some can take longer to process.

International students

International students - bring in your documents

If you require a visa to study in the UK, we'll need to check your passport, visa, Biometric Residence Permit (if you already have one) and qualifications when you arrive at UWE Bristol.

If you're on campus between **Monday 10 September - Thursday 13 September**, bring your documents to Frenchay Library at any point between 10:00 - 16:00.

If you can't make those dates, bring your documents to the Welcome Event at the Exhibition and Conference Centre on **Friday 14 September** or **Saturday 15 September** between 10:00 - 16:00. This event gets very busy, so if you can bring them in to the Library beforehand we recommend it.

Check what you need to bring

International/EU/Erasmus

Attend International Student Orientation

International Student Orientation is your chance to learn about life at UWE Bristol, the support available and how to make the most of your experience.

Talks and workshops take place on **Friday 14 September** and **Saturday 15 September**, and you can choose which ones you want to go to.

Book your place on Orientation activities

Gloucester/City Campus PGT

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