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Exam prep, Student Ambassador vacancies, declutter

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Exam season pointers

We want to support you as you revise and sit your exams - here's a few pointers to set you on the right track:

- Utilise your coursework feedback
- Prepare yourself with our exam workbook
- Sharpen your critical thinking and writing skills
- Make the most of study support available

And make sure you're getting enough sleep and fruit and veg, and are taking breaks from your revision!

Exam reminders (in case we've not said these enough!)

- our <u>exam webpages</u> cover what you need to know about exams (including what to bring)
- double-check the times and locations of your exams in <u>myUWE</u> in case they change at all
- take your student ID card to your exams if you don't have one, you can order one online

Seek support if you're feeling stressed

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Support if you miss an exam or are unwell

There are a number of options available to you including Personal Circumstances (previously Extenuating Circumstances).

If you're unable to attend an exam, call an <u>Information Point</u> on 0117 32 85678 - they'll advise you or book an appointment with a Student Support Adviser (you can have a phone or face-to-face appointment).

If you fall ill during an exam, Student Support Advisers are on site - they're based in the Yssel room from 08:45-12:45 and 13:15-16:15.

Assessment support options

We're all different – and we're all the same

University is a microcosm – you'll meet people just like you and you'll meet people who are very different. Either way, we all need to get along. We're all human – and we're all different.

We want the University to be a place where everyone feels at home – where everyone feels safe, valued and is able to learn, grow and develop. If you witness or experience behaviour which doesn't support this, speak up and tell someone.

Help keep your campus healthy and smokefree

We've had a number of reports of people smoking near building entrances, resulting in passive smoking for non-smokers. Please move at least 10 metres away from campus buildings if you want to smoke - thanks for your cooperation!

Smokefree campus

Feed back on PHAROS - free print credit to be won!

We're interested to know about your experience of PHAROS printing so we've created a short survey to capture your feedback. There's ten lots of £5 printing credit to be won in the prize draw.

Complete the survey by Friday 27 May

We're recruiting...

PAL Leaders

<u>PAL</u> is a student-to-student support scheme to help students with their transition to University and through their academic journey.

PAL Leaders provide students with either academic, technical or pastoral support.

Being a PAL Leader is a great way to support other students and gain valuable work experience.

You'd be trained in how to support your fellow students and be paid for your work.

Apply to be a PAL Leader

Student Ambassadors

Are you up for being the face of UWE

Bristol – representing us at events,
encouraging secondary school students to
apply to university – and getting paid for
it?

You'd get involved in recruitment, outreach and marketing events such as Open Days, Higher Education/UCAS fairs, course selection events and school visits, and feature in promotional materials. We'd expect you to offer professional customer care and have a good understanding of the university as a whole.

Apply by Friday 6 May

Reminders...

Start-up scholarships availableApply by Monday 14 May (log-in required)

News

What's on







JAMIE JORDON VP Education



DECLUTTER AND DONATE!

If you're moving out of your accommodation, we're sure there are things you won't need next year - this is where the Bristol Big Give kicks in! You can donate your unwanted goods to charity via a range of collection points across the University and city. Last year, combined with UoB and the Council, we raised £250,000 for charity!

Find your nearest collection point

UPDATE ON COURSE COSTS

I've worked with the University to ensure your concerns around course costs are being addressed – from successfully lobbying for free black and white printing to ensuring any costs linked to learning outcomes on each course are covered by the University free of charge: I feel I've secured some great wins for you this year!

More information

Quick links

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

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Dynamic content

Bristol campuses

Fitter, healthier, happier

Our Centre for Sport, based on Frenchay Campus, is offering a reduced monthly student membership fee of £16.50 during the summer months.

Membership also includes access to the Wallscourt Farm gym, unlimited exercise classes and more. There's no contract and no joining fee.

Have an Active Card already? You can renew it for £150 before your current membership expires (a saving of £65).

View the offers

Bristol campuses

How would you run Bristol?

The app ClairCity Skylines lets players decide what Bristol should look and feel like for the next 50 years... it's up to you to decide how to run the city, keep residents happy, the air clean and the traffic moving.

Although the game is a bit of fun, the technology behind it is serious! The data used to build the game - from the impact of building new roads through to the health benefits of having more parks - is real. The winning strategies players create will inform future scenarios for Bristol, looking for ways to reduce air pollution and carbon emissions while making sure residents are happy in their home town.

Download via iTunes

Download via Play Store

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Plus we're running an <u>emotional resilience workshop</u> at Bower Ashton on Wednesday 9 May (12:00-14:00) - come along to learn seven key skills of emotional resilience.

Frenchay Campus

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Gloucester

News from Gloucester

As you may have seen, the coursework submission boxes are now located in the coffee area on the ground floor and we've set up a table tennis table for you to make use of!

PGT

MyFirstMile - Henleaze/Westbury to Gloucester Road

MYFIRSTMILE is a trial service offering short-hop journeys to those living in Henleaze and Westbury Park to the rapid bus network services on the Gloucester Road. You'd pay a single low-price for your whole journey.

If you'd like to find out more and try this service before it launches fully, <u>sign up online</u>. As a trial participant, you'll be asked to tell our researchers what you think about the service: what's good, what's not and what could be better.

Global citizenship panel debate - Tuesday 8 May

Do you want to share your views on key global issues of migration and climate change with your peers?

If you were mayor of your city for a day, what international issues would you prioritise?

Join in with the Global Citizenship panel debate at City Hall (16:00-18:00).

There's 5 tickets available for UWE Bristol students and it's first come, first served.

Book your (free) ticket

Cambridge trip - Saturday 12 May

We've got a great trip lined up visiting the city of Cambridge! In the morning we'll go punting on the river Cam. In the afternoon we'll have a guided walking tour including a tour of a university college - your chance to hear the origins of the city and stories of famous people who studied at Cambridge. You'll have free time before and after the walking tour.

It's £36 for the day (including the coach fare). We'll leave BISC at 07:30, Frenchay Campus at 07:45, and return by 21:30.

Book soon if you're interested!

FBL



Share your view on the Bristol Business School

Let us know how you're using the Bristol Business School - there are 3 prizes up for grabs: £50 for 1st place, £40 for 2nd place and £30 for 3rd place. If you're one of the winners, you'll be notified via your Instagram account.

Share on Instagram by Friday 25 May

ACE, FBL, FET & HAS

Reminders...

Start-up scholarships available

Apply by Monday 14 May (log-in required)

Impact and innovation scholarshipsApply by Monday 14 May (log-in required)

Impact and innovation (ACE) https://infohub.uwe.ac.uk/students/infopages/detail/202 Impact and innovation (FBL) https://infohub.uwe.ac.uk/students/infopages/detail/205 Impact and innovation (HAS) https://infohub.uwe.ac.uk/students/infopages/detail/203

Level 1 & 2, home

Reminders...

Summer internships

Apply for one or create your own

Final years

Reminders...

Start-up scholarships available

Apply by Monday 14 May (log-in required)

RSVP to your graduation invitation

Register online

Check your details are up-to-date

Update in myUWE

Boost your prospects

Take a look at our postgraduate courses

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