Please note: This is a copy of the newsletter sent to students. The formatting is a little different to the email version, due to the content being converted into a PDF. Dynamic content (content specific to Faculty/campus/level etc.) features at the end of this document but for students it's integrated into the body of the newsletter.

Resit timetables, new SU Presidents, Blackboard upgrade

View in browser



Hi!

We're so glad the rain has cleared and the sun has come out to play. We hope you're all having a great summer whether you're chilling, studying, volunteering or working.

As for us, we're here all summer so if you have any questions at all, contact an <u>Information</u> <u>Point</u>. No question is too big or too small - and they've heard it all before!

Resit information

Next week sees the start of resit exams and the resit coursework submission deadline.

Resit timetables

Resit exams are scheduled from 15 - 26 July. We hope by now you've seen and checked your resit timetable in <u>myUWE</u> if

Resit coursework

The resit coursework deadline is 14:00 on Tuesday 16 July. Please remember that you have resits.

If something doesn't look right with your timetable, get in touch with an <u>Information</u> <u>Point</u>.

there's no five working day extension.

If you think you're not going to hit that deadline due to unexpected personal circumstances, <u>read our guidance</u> and get in touch with an <u>Information Point</u>.

Assessment offences

It's an assessment offence for you to attempt to achieve a higher grade or mark through unfair means (e.g. cheating, plagiarism etc.). <u>Find out more</u> and where to go for advice.

Do you need to take time out?

If you wish to temporarily suspend your studies, book an appointment with a Student Support Adviser via an <u>Information Point</u> - they'll talk you through your options and what happens next.

Internet Explorer no longer supported by Blackboard

Following the recent upgrade, Blackboard no longer supports Internet Explorer and therefore some functions will not work when using this web browser. This is particularly important when making online coursework submissions.

Please ensure that you're using or you download an up-to-date modern web browser such Chrome, Firefox, Safari or Microsoft Edge.

If you have any problems with installation, <u>contact IT Services</u>.

Download an up-to-date browser

Do you have a question about money?

If so, check out our <u>fees and funding webpages</u> full of advice about how to manage your money and information about fees, funding and scholarships.

If you have a question about money, contact the Money Advice team via the <u>online enquiry</u> <u>form</u> - it includes a series of questions about your circumstances to help the advisers best

identify what information and advice you need. Once they've received the form, they'll either email or phone you or offer a face-to-face appointment.

#LetsTalkNow podcasts

Tune into our most recent podcast as part of our <u>#LetsTalkNow series</u>.

We're encouraging everyone to start a conversation about mental health as invited guests from across the University share their positive stories and explore ideas to develop positive wellbeing and raise awareness of mental health issues. Tune in via <u>iTunes</u>, <u>Spotify</u> or <u>SoundCloud</u>.







WELCOME TO YOUR NEW PRESIDENTS

Last month we said goodbye to our 2018/2019 Presidents and welcomed the new team for this academic year.

Your Presidents are here for you and will spend the next year representing the UWE Bristol student community to all levels of the University.

They'll work to create positive change on your behalf and we can't wait to see what they have in store for the upcoming year.

WELCOME IS COMING!

One month, 160+ events, 15,000 students. Welcome 2019 is on its way and we've been working on an exciting range of activities and events. From club nights to roller discos, there's something for everyone! So tell your friends, get your Welcome wristbands and get ready to kick off the new academic year in style... even as a returning student!

What's in store

THE ADVICE CENTRE IS OPEN

It may officially be the holidays but the Advice Centre is still open Monday-Friday from 10:00-16:00. We provide friendly, non-judgemental and confidential advice. From housing and academic issues to financial and personal problems, we're here for you! This is a free service, and all advice is impartial and independent from UWE Bristol.

Find out more

We'll be taking a little break

The next newsletter will be out on Monday 5 August. If you have any questions before then, hit reply. Have a good one!

Quick links	Get in touch
<u>myUWE</u>	Email: infopoint@uwe.ac.uk
Academic advice	Tel: +44 (0)117 32 85678
Study support	More contact options
<u>Term dates</u>	
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As a student, you will receive emails from the Student Communications Team. We promise not to overwhelm you and we'll only <u>send</u> you things that are relevant. You'll get a regular newsletter and some targeted communications. If you unsubscribe you'll miss important emails. <u>Contact us</u> if you have any questions.

Dynamic content

Frenchay and Glenside campus



Campus landscapes are changing

Our Grounds team are currently experimenting with 'meadowscaping' on Frenchay and Glenside campuses – leaving areas of grass to develop into wildflower grass meadows like in the photo above. So far we've seen lots of new flowers and bees appear!

City campus

Jobs at the Centre for Fine Print Research

Want to work for UWE? The CFPR has been granted an award of £7.7m which means new jobshave been created! Take a look to see if there's anything that piques your interest.

Jobs at the CFPR

Loanable laptops at Bower Ashton temporarily unavailable

Apple has determined that, in a limited number of older generation 15-inch MacBook Pro units, the battery may overheat and pose a fire safety risk. Apple have offered to replace affected batteries and so IT Services are working with them to have the batteries replaced in affected laptops.

Until they've been replaced the laptop lockers will be out of action. We're sorry for any inconvenience.

Gloucester campus

Want to teach life-saving CPR to children in Gloucester?

Great Western Heart Starters are an award-winning, charity-funded organisation, providing CPR teaching to secondary school children in the Bristol and South Gloucestershire area.

They're looking for local volunteers with a background in healthcare and an interest in teaching lifesaving skills to children to volunteer with them.

Interested in getting involved? They'll be holding a Volunteer Recruitment Event on Wednesday 17 July from 19.00 at Alexandra Warehouse, UWE.

Sign up

International students

CAS requests are being processed

The Immigration Team are currently processing CAS requests - so keep checking your student email account for updates!

If you need more time to complete your course and haven't yet come to the <u>visa hub drop-in</u>, please come along to speak to an adviser for further advice.

Undergraduate students

Working hours during the summer holidays

The student vacation officially runs from Saturday 29 June until Monday 16 September.

If you're an **undergraduate**, you can work full-time during this period unless your BRP states that work is prohibited. If this is listed on your BRP, <u>come and talk to us</u> as it could be an error.

If you're a **postgraduate** student, the 20 hour per week limit on work continues to apply until you have submitted your final piece of work (typically your dissertation).