## University Pathway Programmes 2024 Cambridge

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Cambridge University is 813 years old

Cambridge University is home to over 23,000 students from more than 💖 140 countries, who are part of 命 31 colleges and 100 academic departments



Over 8 million visitors to the city annually

Cambridge is home to over 49,000 students?



### Where will you progress?

### **Our partner universities:**

- Anglia Ruskin University
- University of Bedfordshire
- University College Birmingham
- Bournemouth University
- Coventry University (London)
- University of Greenwich
- University of Hertfordshire
- University of Kent
- Lancaster University
- University of Leeds
- University of Leicester
- Liverpool Hope University
- Middlesex University
- University of Northampton
- Northumbria University, Newcastle

- Oxford Brookes University
- University of Reading
- University of Roehampton
- Southampton Solent University
- University of Sunderland
- University of Westminster, London
- University of Winchester
- City University London
- Coventry University
- University of Essex
- Queen Mary University of London
- Royal Holloway University of London
- University of East Anglia UEA
- University of Sussex
- University of York





Reading

University of









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OXFORD

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\* Successful completion of the Foundation involves a minimum pass grade of 40% a score of 5.5 or above in each component of the IELTS test and an attendance record of at least 90%.







Nearly 20% of the population are **students** 



We guarantee progression for all successful Bell students to universities across the UK\*











Lancaster 🚟 University













Northumbria University NEWCASTLE









Distance to	Bell Cambridge
Heathrow	134km
Stansted	42km
Gatwick	146km
Luton	61km
Ebbsfleet	103km



## University Pathways courses

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# What degree course can I progress to?

By studying a University Foundation Programme with Bell, you are providing yourself with an excellent opportunity to study a sought-after degree programme at a respected university in the UK and worldwide. There are a whole range of university programmes that a Foundation Programme with us can lead to. The world is your oyster.

### Offers made to our Class of 2022-23

- European School of Economics Business Administration : Management
- Oxford Brookes University Business and Management
- University of Sussex - Business and Management Studies
- University of Exeter Business and Management with Industrial Experience
- Coventry University Business and Marketing
- Manchester Metropolitan University - Business and Marketing
- City, University of London Business Management
- University of East Anglia UEA Business Management
- University of Essex Business Management
- Bristol, University of the West of England Business Management and Marketing
- University of Bedfordshire Business Management with **Digital Marketing**
- University of Brighton Business Management with Marketing
- Anglia Ruskin University - Business with Marketing
- Anglia Ruskin University Business with Marketing
- Royal Holloway, University of London Economics, Politics and International Relations
- University of Exeter - Engineering and Entrepreneurship
- Loughborough University - Engineering Management
- University of Greenwich Engineering Management
- University of Greenwich Engineering Management
- City, University of London Engineering with Business
- City, University of London Engineering with Business (with placement)
- University of East London - General Engineering
- University of Greenwich - International Business
- University of Westminster, London International Business
- City, University of London International Business (with term abroad and placement year)
- Anglia Ruskin University International Business Management
- Queen Mary University of London International Business with a Year Abroad

- Queen Mary University of London International Business with a Year Abroad
- City, University of London International Politics
- Manchester Metropolitan University - International Relations
- Queen Mary University of London International Relations
- SOAS University of London International Relations
- University of Birmingham International Relations
- University of Sussex International Relations
- University of Glasgow International Relations (SocSci)
- Royal Holloway, University of London - Law
- University of Greenwich Law
- University of Essex Law with Human Rights
- ESCP Business School Management
- Anglia Ruskin University Marketing
- University of East Anglia UEA - Marketing and Management
- Anglia Ruskin University Politics and International Relations
- Bristol, University of the West of England Politics and International Relations
- Queen Mary University of London Politics and International Relations
- Royal Holloway, University of London Politics and International Relations
- University of Essex Politics and International Relations
- University of Nottingham Product Design and Manufacture



57% of offers on Business

degrees came from Top

30 Universities\*

67% of offers on International

Relations degrees came from

Top 30 Universities\*

In 2023:

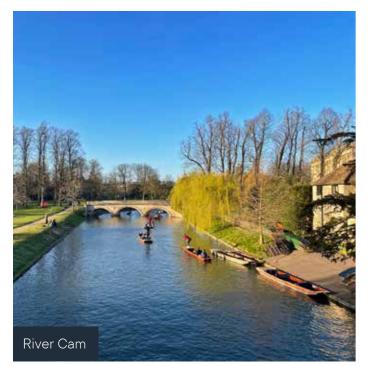


100% of offers on Politics degrees came from Top 30 Universities\*



67% of offers on Marketing degrees came from Top 30 Universities\*

# Living in Cambridge

















## Study at Bell Cambridge

#### A historic school set in beautiful grounds.

Our Cambridge school offers a picturesque campus environment surrounded by large gardens with impressive study, social and leisure facilities.

Located within easy reach of the beautiful city centre, bursting with culture and history, there is always plenty to do, including punting along the river, watching live music or exploring one of the many famous university colleges.

On-site residential accommodation is available at our Bell Cambridge campus, as well as other great options nearby.

Business	
Science & engineering	
Humanities	
Master's preparation	

### Bell Cambridge Nationality Mix 2023



Top 10 Nationalities: Saudi Arabia Turkey Thailand Japan China Ukraine Belgium Argentina Italy France

\*figures based on student weeks from January to August 2023

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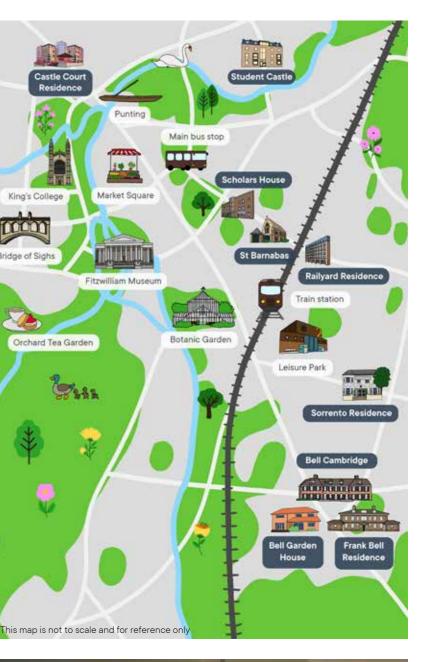




#### **School facilities**

- Large learning centre
- Two computer rooms
- On-site sports and games facilities
- لَمْ Disabled access/facilities
- ର୍କ୍ତି Prayer room
- Uning room and outside eating area
- Figher Education Advisory
- Air-conditioned classrooms with interactive whiteboards
- On-site residential accommodation available







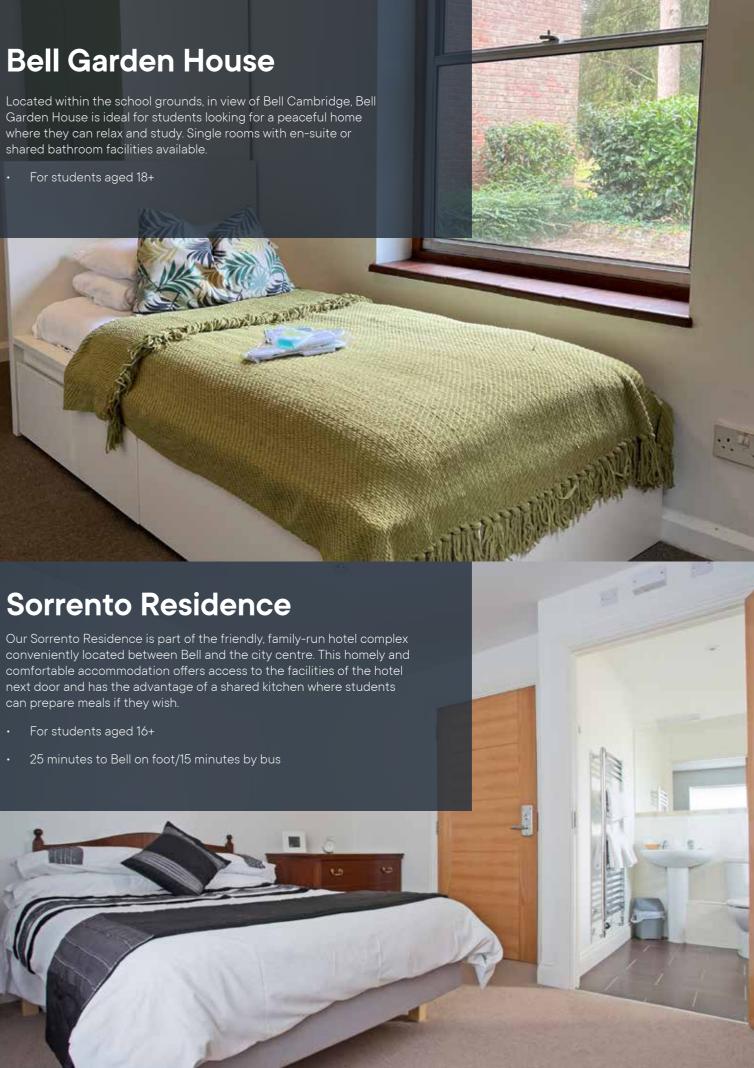
### Accommodation

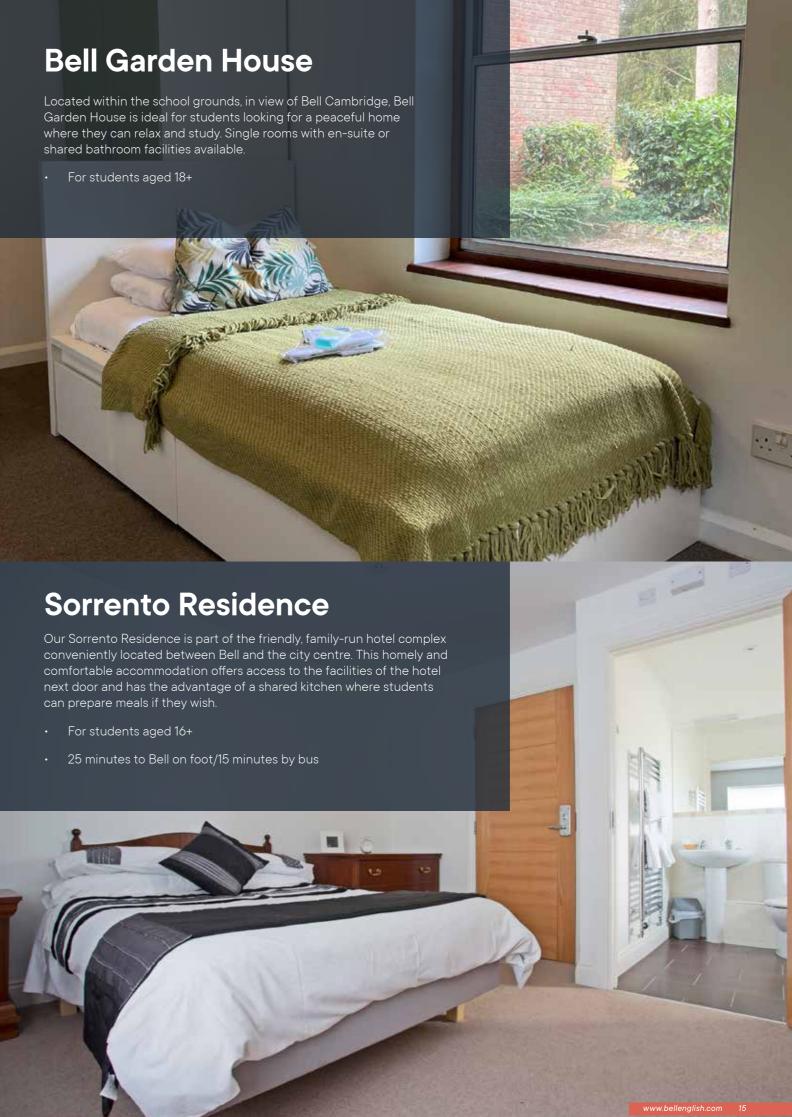
During your stay with us we want you to be comfortable and feel at home. Here are some of the residential note they are all subject to availability.

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### Frank Bell Residence

Our popular on-campus residence has premium or standard bedrooms, a large communal kitchen and living area opening up into the garden.

• For students aged 18+

## Put your learning into practice



Learning at Bell does not stop outside the classroom. Our exclusive Language in Action programme gives you the opportunity to meet new people, try new activities, explore new places and visit famous landmarks - at no additional cost.

### What's included in the Language in Action programme?























# What are you interested in?

Whatever your ambition, we will work together to ensure you have a solid foundation - of subject knowledge, language confidence and academic skills - that will maximise your potential for success at university.



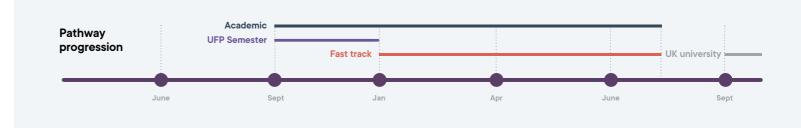
### Let us help you!

You may prefer to discuss your needs with one of our education advisors, so that we can consider the specific needs and goals of a student in order to make a recommendation.

Contact us online and we can arrange a private appointment.

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# **Choose your** ideal pathway





#### **Business or economics**

Prepare for an undergraduate degree in business, management or economics by developing your knowledge of fundamental theories and practice that have shaped the business world.

**Business Foundation** 



#### Science, technology or engineering

Gain the subject knowledge, practical laboratory skills and understanding of scientific principles and terminology to start your degree with full confidence, know-how and direction.

**Science & engineering Foundation** 



### Culture, society or humanities

Human culture offers rich possibilities for study - like media, sociology, politics, criminology, psychology, international relations. Gain critical skills for success at university in your chosen field.



### Be a specialist or expert in my field

Expertise matters and studying at postgraduate level allows you to do the extraordinary - become a specialist. Develop your advanced academic skills and language fluency to help you succeed.

Master's preparation programme

### **University Foundation** Academic

Gain a comprehensive introduction to academic study in English, preparing you for every aspect of university life and giving you plenty of time to explore university options.

#### **Course components** Weekly hours



### **University Foundation** Fast-track

Our business fast-track programme is suitable for students with a higher level of English and studies in a country with an academic year that ends after September.

#### **Course components** Weekly hours

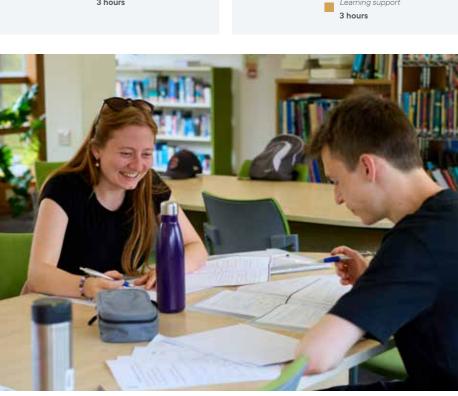


### **UFP Semester**

Our one semester-only UFP option gives students a taste of life studying at a UK institution, gaining vital skills and knowledge to continue their studies back home.

#### **Course components** Weekly hours





**Humanities Foundation** 

You have the flexibility to start your university pathway at various stages during the academic year. Find the right fit for you.

Subject Modules 1, 2, 3 13.5 hours Learning support Academic skills module Learning support

### Master's preparation 1-3 terms

This programme is suitable for students with a higher level of English and is ideal for those aspiring to study a postgraduate research degree at university.

#### **Course components** Weekly hours





### University Foundation **Business**

#### Your programme

Chances are, you are a highly-active, ambitious individual that sees opportunities everywhere. Let us support you to develop these qualities in preparation for your future studies and career in business.

#### Subject modules

Strengthen your business knowledge and specialist language skills in key disciplines, like business management, finance, marketing and economics.

#### Academic skills

Get ahead at university by developing a strong foundation of transferrable academic skills before you start your degree, including:

- ► Notetaking, paraphrasing and listening
- Effective reading, data analysis and interpretation
- ▶ Developing evidence-based arguments and expressing opinion

- Research, smart search skills and referencing
- Essay and report writing Learning support Gain insights from our university speaker

programme, on-campus university fairs and regular 1-to-1 university advice and application support with our in-house expert.

On this programme, you will:

Improve your knowledge and understanding in business to NQF Level 3 (UK National Qualifications Framework)

#### Course summary

- Location Bell Cambridge
  - Min. age 17 years old

- Class size (average/max) 12
- Min. language level - Academic -Intermediate B1 Fast-track - Upper Intermediate B

- Fast-track 8 January 2024
- Weekly hours Academic 21 hours per week Fast-track - 25.5 hours per week

#### Subject modules:

- Business Studies
- ► Economics
- Mathematics

## University Foundation Science & engineering

#### Your programme

Begin your journey into Science and Engineering with our dedicated University Foundation Programme. On this course you will learn the fundamentals which will prepare you for your in-depth degree course.

#### Subject modules

Strengthen your knowledge and specialist language skills in key disciplines like physics, chemistry, biology, maths and mechanics.

#### Academic skills

Get ahead at university by developing a strong foundation of transferrable academic skills before you start your degree, including:

- Notetaking, paraphrasing and listening
- Effective reading, data analysis and interpretation
- Developing evidence-based arguments and expressing opinion
- Research, smart search skills and referencing
- Essay and report writing

#### Learning support

Gain insights from our university speaker programme, on-campus university fairs and regular 1-to-1 university advice and application support with our in-house expert.

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#### **Course summary**

- Location Bell Cambridge
- Min. age 17 years old
- Class size (average/max) 12
- Min. language level Intermediate B1
- Weekly hours Academic 21 hours per ► week

#### Subject modules:

- Physics or Biology
- Chemistry
- Mathematics



## University Foundation **Humanities**

#### Your programme

Studying humanities involves a wide range of subjects related to human behaviour and culture. Popular degrees include sociology, politics, criminology, psychology, international relations, or journalism.

#### Subject modules

Build your programme around your goals and interests, and strengthen your knowledge and specialist language skills in disciplines, like sociology, politics, media or economics.

#### Academic skills

Get ahead at university by developing a strong foundation of transferrable academic skills before you start your degree, including:

- ▶ Notetaking, paraphrasing and listening
- Effective reading, data analysis and interpretation
- Developing evidence-based arguments and expressing opinion

- Research, smart search skills and referencing
- Essay and report writing
- Learning support Gain insights from our university speaker programme, on-campus university fairs and regular 1-to-1 university advice and application support with our in-house expert.

#### **Course summary**

- Location Bell Cambridge
- Min. age - 17 years old
- Class size (average/max) 12
- Min. language level Intermediate B1
- Weekly hours Academic 21 hours per week

#### Subject modules:

- Economics or Sociology
- ▶ Politics or Economics
- Media Studies or Law

# Master's preparation

#### Your programme

This graduate preparation programme (also known as a Pre-Master's pathway) will help you master the skills you need to succeed when pursuing postgraduate-level study at a primarily English-speaking university.

Academic language development

- Academic writing You will learn key writing techniques to effectively tackle exam questions or coursework essays - as well as develop proper referencing skills.
- ► Academic reading Develop your abilities to skim or scan academic texts while understanding key points made and evaluating how this influences your argument.

Academic listening Understand effective use of emphasis, pause and intonation from a speaker. Summarise meaning and evaluate opinions based on your listening.

#### Study skills Research continues to show that some students entering postgraduate university lack confidence in key academic skills. Learn

- ► Critically analyse literature and identify research gaps for further investigation
- qualitative and quantitative data collection
- Effective reading, data analysis and interpretation
- Developing evidence-based arguments and expressing opinion

effective techniques and strategies, like:

Understanding different approaches to

#### Course summary

- Location Bell Cambridge
- Min. age 20 years old
- Class size (average/max) 12
- Min. language level - Upper Intermediate B2
- 15 April 2024
- Weekly hours - 21 hours per week
- Entry requirements Successful completion of a university degree

So, for me it was such a good experience because everyone taught how to make new friends of other nationalities and how to work independently.

Philippine, Belgium Business student

our daughter.



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Parents of UFP student



## University Foundation Select your modules

Customise your programme to your specific interests

\* Only available for students whose school curriculum was taught in English and have an IELTS score of at least 7.5 upon arrival.



**Business Foundation** 

#### 2. Select your modules

Business studies
Economics
Mathematics

Sociology

Economics

Law

OR

OR

OR

Science & engineering Foundation	Physics	OR	Biolog	
	Chemistry			
	Mathematics			

Economics

**Media Studies** 

Politics

#### 3. Enhance your learning

#### Academic study skills

Enhance your language and study skills needed to function successfully on your undergraduate degree.

#### Exam preparation

You will receive intensive preparation for the IELTS examination that you will take at the end of your course.

#### Learning support programme

A programme of supported timetabled selfstudy sessions, visiting speakers and guidance in choosing and applying for university courses.



Humanities Foundation



## University Foundation Select your modules

Find out more about our subject modules, so you can choose the right ones for you and your future





**Recognise specialist language and concepts** used in the English legal system.

Learn and understand essential legal terminology used when practising law.

**Develop analytical skills** to analyse and evaluate legal problems.

Use arguments to criticise and defend viewpoints and make balanced and informed judgements.



### MODULE

### Law

Understand the English legal system and develop a well-rounded view of the legal world. Examine key areas of criminal and civil law and the importance of English and American law in global commerce. You will take a problem-solving approach to law through case studies and evaluating current legal issues.

✓ Pre-trial procedure

- 🛞 Humanities
- ✓ Law making
- The legal system and Sources of law
  - courts VI Evidence and burden
- Legal profession and of proof judiciary
- Contract law
- Criminal law offences
- ✓ Pre-trial procedure
- Sources of law
- Evidence and burden
- Criminal law offences

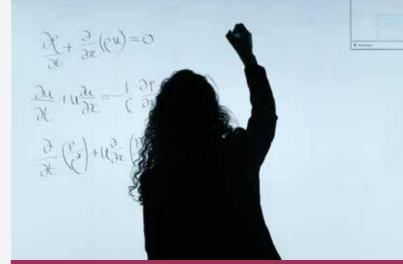
### MODULE Business studies

Develop a comprehensive overview of the main business functions and decision making in realistic business contexts. You will study how businesses are organised, how they set and meet objectives and how change, growth and personnel can be managed.

#### 🗠 Business

$\square$	Business structures and cultures	$\square$	Competitive influences
-/	Business objectives and	$\square$	Marketing communications
$\square$	strategy	$\square$	Business operations and processes
$\square$	External influences on business		Quality management
$\square$	Stakeholders	$\square$	Operational logistics
$\square$	Business planning		
$\square$	Financial statements and cost-volume-profit analysis		
$\square$	Cash forecast, cash flow and cash control		

- People management
- Marketing: objectives, strategies and techniques



**Develop specialist knowledge** and understanding of the language and concepts used in mathematics.

Gain practical mathematical skills across a range of core techniques and practices.

Analyse and interpret data to tackle complex mathematical problems.

**Learn to gather information from** a variety of sources including statistical data.



Gain an awareness and understanding of the factors that influence business organisations.

**Develop a broad understanding** of business practices and the role played by particular people in the success of a business.

**Evaluate the effectiveness** of various approaches and marketing techniques.

**Strengthen your knowledge** of key terms in business finance and develop your abilities to calculate and manipulate data to provide quantitative analysis.

## MODULE Mathematics

Coordinate geometry

Build a strong foundation of mathematical knowledge. You will cover key areas of pure mathematics and statistics to develop a problemsolving approach. This module will prepare you for more advanced study at university.

∠ Business ∠ Science & engineering			
$\square$	Algebra and functions	$\square$	Statistical problem-solving cycle
$\square$	Quadratic and sketching functions	$\square$	Types of data and its interpretation
	Arithmetic and geometric series	$\square$	Correlation and regression
	Trigonometric functions, equations	$\square$	Probability and probability distribution
$\square$	and identities	$\square$	Discrete random variables
$\square$	Exponentials and logarithms	$\square$	Binomial and normal distribution
$\square$	Differentiation, integration and radian measure		

## MODULE **Economics**

Build a strong foundation of skills and knowledge for the study of economics at a higher level. You will learn about the core elements of micro and macro economics and learn concepts and terminology that are central to the study of this subject.

- 🗠 Business 🛛 🛞 Humanities
- Free market economies
- Demand, supply and elasticity
- Costs and revenues
- Market structures and failures
- Government intervention
- National economic policy
- Globalisation and trade
- International competitiveness
- Trade blocs and single currencies



**Build on your knowledge** and understanding of key political concepts and gain further specialist vocabulary.

**Gain an understanding** of the UK political system and how it operates in theory and practice.

**Learn to communicate ideas** about the UK political system effectively.

Learn about the evolution of political power in the UK over time.

**Develop your analytical skills** to form balanced discussions on political concepts in an informed and formal manner.



**Understand the fundamentals** of and the relationship between micro and macro-economics.

Apply economics concepts to describe, analyse and propose solutions to problems faced by economies.

**Understand the role of the government** in managing economic changes.

**Develop your understanding** of the value and limitations of economic models in analysing the economy.

### MODULE Sociology

Gain a fundamental understanding of key concepts and theories involved in the sociology discipline. You will explore a range of societies in the world and strengthen your understanding of sociological and cultural issues.

- 🔅 Humanities
- Elements of contemporary sociological thought
- Quantitative and qualitative research methods
- Sociology of identity
- Sociological theories
- Class and power
- Ethnicity and gender
- Sociology of consumption, work and education and family

### MODULE Politics

Prepare for a politics or international relations degree and gain a good understanding of the system of politics and government in the UK, as well as the wider links to Europe and the wider world.

Humanities

- The UK political system, democracy and elections
- The British Constitution and constitutional principles
- The House of Lords, House of Commons and Parliament
- $\bigtriangledown$  Political parties and their ideologies
- Devolution: Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland
- Human rights and civil liberties
- The European Union and Brexit
- The relationship of power and authority, state and government & democracy and representation



**Discover global media of our times** and how they reflect and shape our society.

**Compare and contrast** media theories to explain key concepts.

**Develop an awareness of cultural factors** influencing the creation and process of communication.

**Develop analytical skills** to review and demonstrate an understanding of factors that influence the production and consumption of media products.



**Develop a critical understanding** of our society and the world we live in.

**Learn how lives intersect** with wider social processes and structures.

Focus on key concepts like multiculturalism, crime and deviance, inequality or families.

**Improve your abilities** to research, analyse and communicate complex data and ideas.

Gain useful insights into social theories and evaluate complex arguments related to these concepts.

### MODULE Media studies

Gain the knowledge and skills to investigate and discuss the role of media, communication and culture in the world. You will understand the theoretical underpinning of key concepts and analyse these using practical examples and case studies.

- Humanities
- Genre theory
- Narrative structure in film and news media
- Theories of audience
- Branding: cultural values in a commercial context
- Semiotics
- Marxism and post-Marxism
- Identity politics and critical pluralism
- How audiences and media are influenced by institutions
- Representation and stereotyping
- Future of television
- Globalisation and cultural imperialism

## MODULE Chemistry

Learn the fundamentals of organic, physical and inorganic chemistry. You will have the opportunity to develop your skills through classroom-based teaching, problem-solving seminars and laboratorybased practicals.

#### Science & engineering

- Physical chemistry
- Inorganic chemistry
- Organic chemistry
- Investigative and practical skills
- Oxidation, reduction and redoxequations
- Energetics



Study the fundamentals of organic, inorganic and physical chemistry.

**Develop your awareness** of specific chemical facts, terminology and principles.

**Build on your analytical skills** to assess the validity, reliability and credibility of scientific information.

Gain useful laboratory experience and learn to analyse, interpret, explain and evaluate experiments.

## MODULE **Biology**

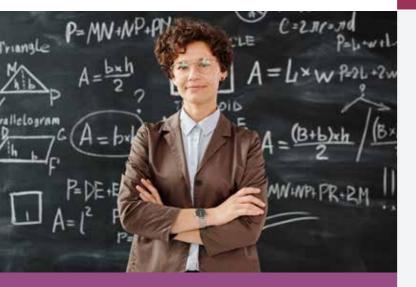
Understand life processes and how organisms interact in our surrounding environment. Explore themes like molecular biology, environmental organisms or genetics and biodiversity to prepare you for advanced study at university.

#### Science & engineering

Biological molecules

Cells

- Genetics and biodiversity
- Organisms and their environment
- Investigative and practical skills



#### Gain awareness and understanding

of specialist terminology and classic concepts relating to physics, including quantum mechanics, electricity or nuclear physics.

**Develop practical experience** required to do simple laboratory physics experiments.

**Improve your abilities** in interpretting the data from practical experiments in the context of the relevant theories, and derive informed conclusions.

## MODULE **Physics**

Gain a comprehensive overview of fundamental and applied physics through classroom-based teaching of theory, problem-solving seminars and laboratory-based practicals. You will have numerous opportunities to link theory to reality and prepare for higher level study at university.

- Science & engineering
- Measurements and their errors
- Particles and radiation
- ✓ Waves
- Mechanics and materials
- Electricity
- Fields and their consequences
- Electro-magnetic and quantum phenomena
- Investigative and practical skills





**Understand the fundamentals of biology** including biological facts, specialist terminology and principles.

**Develop your critical thinking** by assessing the validity, reliability and credibility of scientific information.

Learn to record and communicate valid observations and measurements with appropriate precision and accuracy.

Gain useful laboratory experience and learn to analyse, interpret, explain and evaluate your methodology and results.

## **Notes**

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