

## International College

# University of Essex International College Course information: 2025-26

This booklet contains details of the UK pathway courses that can lead to a degree at the University of Essex. Choose your preferred Essex degree, and discover which course you need to pass, to qualify for entry to your degree. You can also see further information about the courses, including tuition fees, start dates, entry requirements, internship options and module summaries.

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#### Pre-Sessional English

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## Choose your undergraduate degree

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# University of Essex International College Undergraduate course information

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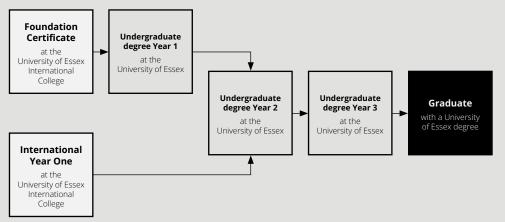
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**Costs of studying abroad:** For details about the cost of studying in Essex, in addition to pathway course tuition fees, see: kaplanpathways.com/essex-study-costs

**Accepted English tests:** we accept UKVI IELTS and several alternatives. For full details, see: *kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/* 

#### Key:

Hu: Foundation Certificate for Humanities

Sc: Foundation Certificate for Science and Health

So: Foundation Certificate for Social Sciences

**B1:**International Year One in Business

C1: International Year One in Computer Science

E1: International Year One in Economics

L1: International Year One in Law

S1: International Year One in Life Sciences

P1: International Year One in Politics and International Relations

P2: International Year One in Psychology

#### Art and Design

BA (Hons) Art History, Heritage and Museum Studies	Hu
BA (Hons) Curating with History	Hu
BA (Hons) Curating with Politics	Hu
BA (Hons) Curating, Heritage and Human Rights	Hu

#### **Business and Finance**

BSc (Hons) Accounting	So B1
BSc (Hons) Accounting and Finance	So B1
MAcc (Hons) Accounting and Finance	So B1
BSc (Hons) Accounting and Management	So B1
BSc (Hons) Accounting with Economics	So
BSc (Hons) Banking and Finance	So B1
BBA (Hons) Business Administration 1	So B1
BSc (Hons) Business Administration and Supply Chain Management <sup>1</sup>	So B1
BSc (Hons) Business and Human Resource Management	So
BA (Hons) Business Economics	So E1
BSc (Hons) Business Management	So B1
BA (Hons) Business Management and Modern Languages (Including Year Abroad)	So
BA (Hons) Business Management with a Modern Language (Including Year Abroad)	So
BSc (Hons) Economics and Mathematics (Including Year Abroad)y	So
BSc (Hons) Finance	So B1
BSc (Hons) Finance and Management	So
BSc (Hons) Finance and Mathematics	Sc So
BSc (Hons) Financial Economics	So E1
BA (Hons) Financial Economics and Accounting	So E1
BSc (Hons) International Business and Entrepreneurship <sup>1</sup>	So B1
BSc (Hons) International Business and Finance 1	So

#### Computing

BSc (Hons) Artificial Intelligence	Sc C1
BSc (Hons) Computer Games	Sc C1
BSc (Hons) Computer Science	Sc C1
BEng (Hons) Computer Systems Engineering	Sc
BEng (Hons) Computers with Electronics	Sc
BSc (Hons) Data Science and Analytics	Sc
BSc (Hons) Economics with Data Science	So

**Internships:** all pathway course subjects have the option of an integrated virtual internship as an extra final term in the UK. This finishes in time for you to still start your university degree on schedule.

Your internship gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience and career skills, even before you progress to university.

BA (Hons) Teaching English as a Foreign Language

#### Education

BEng (Hons) Communications Engineering	Sc
BEng (Hons) Computer Systems Engineering	Sc
BEng (Hons) Computers with Electronics	Sc
BEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering	Sc
BEng (Hons) Mechatronic Systems	Sc
BEng (Hons) Neural Engineering with Psychology	Sc
BEng (Hons) Robotic Engineering	Sc

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#### **Environment and Agriculture**

Ecology and Environmental Biology	Sc
BSc (Hons) Global Sustainability	Sc

### **Hospitality and Tourism**

BA (Hons) Events Management	Hu
BA (Hons) Hospitality Management	Hu

#### Law

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LLB (Hons) Law	Hu L1
MLaw (Hons) Law	Hu
LLB (Hons) Law with Business	Hu
LLB (Hons) Law with Criminology	Hu
LLB (Hons) Law with Human Rights	Hu
LLB (Hons) Law with Philosophy	Hu

#### Marketing and Media

BA (Hons) Creative Writing	Hu
BA (Hons) Film and Creative Writing	Hu
BA (Hons) Film Studies	Hu
BA (Hons) Film Studies and Literature	Hu
BA (Hons) History with Film Studies	Hu
BA (Hons) Journalism and Criminology	Hu
BA (Hons) Journalism and Human Rights	Hu
BA (Hons) Journalism and Literature	Hu
BA (Hons) Journalism and Politics	Hu
BA (Hons) Journalism and Sociology	Hu
BA (Hons) Journalism with Human Rights	Hu
BSc (Hons) Management and Marketing	So B1
BSc (Hons) Marketing <sup>1</sup>	So B1
MMan (Hons) Marketing and Management	So B1
BA (Hons) Media and Digital Culture	So

#### Mathematics

MSci (Hons) Actuarial Science and Data Science	Sc
BSc (Hons) Mathematics	Sc
MMath (Hons) Mathematics	Sc
MSci (Hons) Mathematics and Data Science	Sc
BSc (Hons) Mathematics with Computing	Sc
BSc (Hons) Mathematics with Physics	Sc
BSc (Hons) Statistics	Sc

### **Music and Performing Arts**

BA (Hons) Drama	Hu
BA (Hons) Drama and Creative Writing	Hu
BA (Hons) Drama and Literature	Hu

#### Science and Health

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BSc (Hons) Actuarial Science	Sc
BSc (Hons) Biochemistry	Sc S1 P2
MSci (Hons) Biochemistry and Biotechnology	Sc
BSc (Hons) Biological Sciences	Sc
BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science	Sc S1 P2
MSci (Hons) Biomedical Science	Sc
BSc (Hons) Biotechnology	Sc S1
BSc (Hons) Ecology and Environmental Biology	Sc
BSc (Hons) Genetics	Sc S1 P2
BSc (Hons) Human Biology	Sc S1 P2
BSc (Hons) Marine Biology	Sc
BSc (Hons) Nursing (Adult)	Sc
MSci (Hons) Psychology with Advanced Research Methods	Sc
MSci (Hons) Psychology with Cognitive Neuroscience	Sc
BSc (Hons) Psychology with Economics	Sc
BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Psychology	Sc
BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Science	Sc
BSc (Hons) Sports Performance and Coaching	Sc
BSc (Hons) Sports Therapy	Sc
MSci (Hons) Tropical Marine Biology	Sc

Social Science and Humanities	
BA (Hons) Art History	Hu
MArtH (Hons) Art History	Hu
BA (Hons) Art History, Visual Culture and Media	Hu
Studies	
BA (Hons) Childhood Studies	So
BA (Hons) Computational Linguistics	So
MLitSt (Hons) Creative Writing	Hu
BA (Hons) Criminology	So
BA (Hons) Criminology with Counselling Skills	So
BA (Hons) Criminology with Criminal Law	So
BA (Hons) Criminology with Social Psychology	So
BA (Hons) Curating	Hu Co E4
BA (Hons) Economics	So E1
BSc (Hons) Economics	So E1
MEcon (Hons) Economics	
BSc (Hons) Economics and Mathematics	Sc
BSc (Hons) Economics and Politics	So So
BSc (Hons) Economics with Data Science	So
BA (Hons) English Language and Linguistics	So
MLing (Hons) English Language and Linguistics	So
BA (Hons) English Language and Literature  BA (Hons) English Literature	Hu
	Hu
BA (Hons) English and Comparative Literature  BA (Hons) Film and Drama	Hu
BA (Hons) Film Studies (Including Placement Year)	Hu
BA (Hons) Film Studies and Literature (Including	IIU
Placement Year)	
BA (Hons) Film and Creative Writing (Including	
Placement Year)	
BA (Hons) Financial Economics	So E1
BSc (Hons) Financial Economics	So E1
MEcon (Hons) Financial Economics	So E1
BA (Hons) Financial Economics and Accounting	So E1
BA (Hons) Global Studies	Hu
BA (Hons) Global Studies with Business Management	Hu
BA (Hons) Global Studies with Human Rights	Hu
BA (Hons) Global Studies with Politics	Hu
BA (Hons) History	Hu
MHist (Hons) History	Hu
BA (Hons) History and Heritage	Hu
BA (Hons) History and Law	Hu
BA (Hons) History and Literature	Hu
BA (Hons) History and Sociology	Hu
BA (Hons) History with Film Studies	Hu
BA (Hons) History with Human Rights	Hu
MEcon (Hons) International Economics	So E1
BA (Hons) International Relations	So P1
MPol (Hons) International Relations	So P1
BA (Hons) International Relations and Modern	So
BA (Hons) Language Studies and Linguistics	So
BA (Hons) Language Studies with Latin American	
Studies	So
BA (Hons) Liberal Arts	Hu
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BA (Hons) Linguistics BA (Hons) Linguistics with Data Science	So
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BA (Hons) Linguistics BA (Hons) Linguistics with Data Science MLitSt (Hons) Literature BA (Hons) Literature and Creative Writing	So Hu Hu
BA (Hons) Linguistics BA (Hons) Linguistics with Data Science MLitSt (Hons) Literature BA (Hons) Literature and Creative Writing MLitSt (Hons) Literature and Creative Writing	So Hu Hu Hu

MEcon (Hons) Management Economics	So E1
BA (Hons) Modern History	Hu
BA (Hons) Modern History and International Relations	Hu
BA (Hons) Modern History and Politics	Hu
BA (Hons) Modern Languages and Linguistics	So
BA (Hons) Modern Languages and Teaching English as a Foreign Language	So
BA (Hons) Modern Languages with Latin American Studies	So
BA (Hons) Philosophy	Hu
MPhilos (Hons) Philosophy	Hu
BA (Hons) Philosophy and History	Hu
BA (Hons) Philosophy and Law	Hu
BA (Hons) Philosophy and Literature	Hu
BA (Hons) Philosophy and Politics	Hu
BA (Hons) Philosophy with Business Management	Hu
BA (Hons) Philosophy with Human Rights	Hu So
BA (Hons) Philosophy, Ethics and Sustainability	Hu
BA (Hons) Philosophy, Politics and Economics	So
BA (Hons) Philosophy, Religion and Ethics	Hu
BA (Hons) Politics	So P1
MPol (Hons) Politics and International Relations	So P1
BSc (Hons) Politics and International Relations	So P1
BA (Hons) Politics and International Relations	So P1
BA (Hons) Politics with Business	So
BSc (Hons) Politics with Business	So
BSc (Hons) Politics with Data Science	So
BA (Hons) Politics with Human Rights	So
BA (Hons) Psychodynamic Practice	So
BA (Hons) Psychology	Sc P1
BSc (Hons) Psychology	Sc P1
BSc (Hons) Psychology with Cognitive Neuroscience	Sc P1
BA (Hons) Psychosocial and Psychoanalytic Studies	So
BA (Hons) Social Change	Hu
BA (Hons) Social Sciences	So
BA (Hons) Sociology	So
BA (Hons) Sociology (Applied Quantitative Research)	So
BA (Hons) Sociology and Criminology	So
BSc (Hons) Sociology with Data Science	Sc
BA (Hons) Sociology with Social Psychology	So

#### Note:

Many of the degrees listed are also available with a year abroad or a placement year. Please see our online Degree Finder for details: kaplanpathways.com/essex/ug-degrees

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1: This course is taught on the University of Essex's Southend campus

### **Foundation Certificate**

for Humanities



## University of Essex International College

### **Foundation Certificate**

for Humanities



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
> Your Foundation Certif	icate option	s for degree	e entry in October 2026		
			September 2025 > May 2026	1	
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2 terms	£19,990	January 2026 > August 2026		
,		-	February 2026 > August 2026		
5.0 overall with no less			October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement
than 4.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,185	January 2026 > August 2026		and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,185	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
> Your Foundation Certif	icate option	s for degree	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,185	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,185	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	25.	525.005	April 2026 > May 2027	1	1.5 terms of
<b>4.0 overall</b> with no less	3.5 terms	£25,885 -	July 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules
than 4.0 in any skill	4.	620.406	February 2026 > May 2027	•	2 terms of
	4 terms	£29,180 -	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed high school at the required level. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: kaplanpathways.com/essex/ug-degrees

Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- English for Academic Purposes
- · Extended Project

# You will also take 3 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals†:

- Contemporary Global Issues
- Entrepreneurship
- Historical Perspectives
- · Logic and Critical Thinking
- Mathematics
- · People, Culture and Society
- Statistics

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.

See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- · Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically take Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language and academic skills.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

- · English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

<sup>\*</sup> UKVI IELTS alternatives: we can accept other tests as proof of English language. Learn more at: kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/

<sup>†</sup> For some degrees, the University will require you to take particular modules. Details are on the online Degree Finder and will be in your offer letter.

### **Foundation Certificate**

for Science and Health



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### **Foundation Certificate**

for Science and Health



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
Your Foundation Certif	icate option	s for degree	e entry in October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less	2 terms	£22.050 -	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
than 4.5 in any skill	z terms	£22,050 -	January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£23,940	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£23,940	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
Your Foundation Certif	icate optior	s for degree	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£23,940	July 2026 > May 2027	•	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£23,940	June 2026 > May 2027	•	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	3.5 terms	£27,930 -	April 2026 > May 2027	1	1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>4.0 overall</b> with no less	3.3 terris	£27,930 -	July 2026 > August 2027		
than 4.0 in any skill	Atorne	C20 C40	February 2026 > May 2027	1	2 terms of
	4 terms	£30,640 -	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules

#### BSc Nursing (Adult) IELTS Requirements:

2 terms: IELTS 6.0 (at least 5.5 In all skills) 2.5 terms: IELTS 5.5 (at least 5.0 in all skills) 3 terms: IELTS 5.0 (at least 5.0 in all skills) 3.5 terms and 4 terms: IELTS 4.5 (at least 4.5 in all skills)

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#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · English for Academic Purposes
- · Extended Project

#### You will also take 2 or 3 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals†:

- Biology
- Chemistry
- · Contemporary Global Issues
- Entrepreneurship
- Information Technology
- · Intermediate Mathematics
- Mathematics
- People, Culture and Society
- · Physics
- Statistics

Personal development activities: during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- · build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree. See the undergraduate module summaries

section for more details.

Extra support: for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- · Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- Digital Applications
- · Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Science
- Preparatory Statistics
- · UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

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- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

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- Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- · Study Skills Preparation

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5.0 overall with no less			October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules
than 4.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,185	January 2026 > August 2026		and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,185	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
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<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,185	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	25+	C2E 00E	April 2026 > May 2027	1	1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>4.0 overall</b> with no less	3.5 terms	£25,885 -	July 2026 > August 2027		
than 4.0 in any skill	4	620.406	February 2026 > May 2027	1	2 terms of
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#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- · Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

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# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

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- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- · Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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in Business



# University of Essex International College International Year One

in Business



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> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less	2 terms	£20,550	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
than 5.0 in any skill	z terms	£20,550 -	January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,440	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,440	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,440	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,440	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	3.5 terms	C2C 100	April 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>4.0 overall</b> with no less	5.5 terms	£26,180	July 2026 > August 2027		
than 4.0 in any skill	4 ******	620,420	February 2026 > May 2027	1	2 terms of
	4 terms	£29,420	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules

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Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · Collaborative Project
- Economics
- English for Academic Purposes
- · Financial Accounting
- Management and Organisation
- · Principles of Marketing
- Quantitative Methods and Finance

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### 1 Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.

See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

- · English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- · Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

<sup>\*</sup> UKVI IELTS alternatives: we can accept other tests as proof of English language. Learn more at: kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/

<sup>†</sup> For some degrees, the University will require you to take particular modules. Details are on the online Degree Finder and will be in your offer letter.

#### University of Essex International College

### **International Year One**

in Computer Science



# University of Essex International College International Year One

in Computer Science



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2026		
5.5 overall with no less	2 terms	£22,080	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
than 5.0 in any skill	z terms	£22,080 -	January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£24,195	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£24,195	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£24,195	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£24,195	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	25+	620.220	April 2026 > May 2027	6	1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
4.0 overall with no less	3.5 terms	£28,230	July 2026 > August 2027		
than 4.0 in any skill	4.	620.740	February 2026 > May 2027	1	2 terms of
	4 terms	£30,740 ·	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules
	4 terms	±30,/40 ·	June 2026 > August 2027		

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed high school at the required level. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: *kaplanpathways.com/essex/ug-degrees* 

Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- Computer Architecture
- · English for Academic Purposes
- Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence
- · Introduction to Databases
- Introduction to Programming
- Mathematics for Computing
- · Object Oriented Programming
- Web Development

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### 1 Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.

See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- · Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

- · English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- · Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- · Study Skills Preparation

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in Fconomics



# University of Essex International College International Year One

in Economics



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less	2 terms	£20,550	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
than 5.0 in any skill	2 terms	£20,550 -	January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,440	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,440	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,440	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,440	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	3.5 terms	C2C 100	April 2026 > May 2027	1	1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
4.0 overall with no less	3.5 terris	£26,180	July 2026 > August 2027		
than 4.0 in any skill	4 torns	(20.420	February 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	2 terms of
	4 terms	£29,420	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed high school at the required level. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: kaplanpathways.com/essex/ug-degrees

Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · Collaborative Project
- · Economics
- · English for Academic Purposes
- · Financial Accounting
- · Mathematics for Economics
- · Quantitative Methods and Finance

## You will also take 1 of the following modules that fits your degree and career goals†:

- · Economic Policy
- · Management Accounting
- Management and Organisation

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.

See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

- · English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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in Law



# University of Essex International College International Year One

in Law



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less	2 terms	£20,550 -	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
than 5.0 in any skill	z terms	£20,550 -	January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,440	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,440	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,440	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,440	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	3.5 terms	C2C 100	April 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>4.0 overall</b> with no less	o.o terrins	£26,180 -	July 2026 > August 2027		
than 4.0 in any skill	4 +	620,420	February 2026 > May 2027	<b>(1)</b>	2 terms of
	4 terms	£29,420 -	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed high school at the required level. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: kaplanpathways.com/essex/ug-degrees

Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · Constitutional Law
- · Contract Law
- · Criminal Law
- · English for Academic Purposes
- · Foundations of Property Law
- · Legal Skills and the English Legal System

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.
   See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

- · English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- · Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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in Life Sciences



## University of Essex International College

### **International Year One**

in Life Sciences



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less	2 terms	£22.080 -	September 2025 > May 2026	<b>i</b>	
than 5.0 in any skill	2 terms	122,000 -	January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£24,195	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£24,195	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£24,195	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£24,195	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	0.5	£28.230 -	April 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	1.5 terms of
4.0 overall with no less	3.5 terms	£20,23U -	July 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules
than 4.0 in any skill	4 torns	4. 620.222	February 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	2 terms of
	4 terms	£30,900 -	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed high school at the required level. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: kaplanpathways.com/essex/ug-degrees

Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · English for Academic Purposes
- · Biochemistry of Macromolecules
- General and Organic Chemistry
- · Genetics and Evolution
- Microbiology
- · Molecular Cell Biology
- Ouantitative Methods for Life Sciences
- · Transferable Skills in Life Sciences

# You will also take 1 of the following modules that fits your degree and career goals†:

- · Anatomy and Physiology
- · Inorganic and Physical Chemistry

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

#### Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.

See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- · Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Science
- Preparatory Statistics
- · UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

- · English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- · Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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in Politics and International Relations



#### University of Essex International College

### **International Year One**

in Politics and International Relations



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less	2 terms	£20.550 -	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
than 5.0 in any skill	2 terms	£20,550 -	January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,440	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,440	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£22,440	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£22,440	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	3.5 terms	C2C 100	April 2026 > May 2027	1	1.5 terms of
<b>4.0 overall</b> with no less	3.3 terris	£26,180 -	July 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules
than 4.0 in any skill	4 ******	620,420	February 2026 > May 2027	1	2 terms of
	4 terms	£29,420 -	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed high school at the required level. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: kaplanpathways.com/essex/ug-degrees

Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · Collaborative Project
- · Co-operation and Conflict
- English for Academic Purposes
- Introduction to International Relations
- · Introduction to Politics
- Scientific Reasoning and Comparative Political Analysis

# You will also take 1 of the following modules that fits your degree and career goals<sup>†</sup>:

- Economics
- · Truth, Justice and the Nature of Politics and Power

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### 1 Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.

See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- · Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- · Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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in Psychology

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# University of Essex International College International Year One in Psychology



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
> Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less	2 terms	£22.080 -	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
than 5.0 in any skill	z terms	£22,080 -	January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£24,195	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£24,195	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
Your International Yea	r One optio	ns for degre	e entry in October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	2.5 terms	£24,195	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	3 terms	£24,195	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options
	3.5 terms	(20,220	April 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	1.5 terms of
<b>4.0 overall</b> with no less	3.3 tellis	£28,230 -	July 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules
than 4.0 in any skill	Atorne	(30,000	February 2026 > May 2027	<b>i</b>	2 terms of
	4 terms	£30,900 -	June 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed high school at the required level. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: *kaplanpathways.com/essex/ug-degrees* 

Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- Applied Psychology
- Discovering Psychology: the Science Behind Human Behaviour
- · English for Academic Purposes
- · Research Methods in Psychology
- · Statistics for Psychologists

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### 1 Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.
   See the undergraduate module summaries section for more details.

**Extra support:** for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:

- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- · Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:

- · Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:

you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:

- · English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- · Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- · Study Skills Preparation

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## **Undergraduate module summaries**



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#### **Anatomy and Physiology**

Gain an overview of the major systems of the human body, and how these function and relate to one another.

#### Applied Psychology

Develop an understanding of major psychological theories and key concepts to identify how they can be used in real-life scenarios.

#### Biochemistry of Macromolecules

Discover the biochemistry of biologically important macromolecules that are essential for life.

#### **Biology**

Gain an understanding of biological systems and organisms, as well as key laboratory processes.

#### Chemistry

Gain an understanding of chemical reactions, fundamental particles and the periodic table.

#### **Collaborative Project**

Practise your investigative, analytical and collaborative skills on a project carried out with other students.

#### **Computer Architecture**

Discover the internal structure of microprocessor-based computer systems, and develop knowledge about the operation of low-level hardware and software components.

#### **Constitutional Law**

Gain an understanding of the UK constitution and the foundations of judicial review, as well as an overview of the key powers and functions of the three branches of government.

#### **Contemporary Global Issues**

Explore the big issues facing humanity in the 21st century, and critically evaluate their causes and effects.

#### **Contract Law**

Build an understanding of the knowledge and skills required to identify and draft a legally enforceable contract, and learn to identify key issues in real life scenarios using the law to solve problems.

#### **Co-operation and Conflict**

Explore the basic problems of conflict and cooperation in international relations, and how to analyse topics in current world affairs.

#### **Criminal Law**

Learn about the concepts and principles of criminal law, and develop your understanding of the legal elements of criminal liability and the major criminal offences and defences in England and Wales.

# Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education

Enhance your ability to read and to understand complex ideas in English, and to compose convincing written arguments.

#### **Digital Applications**

Develop your digital skill set, helping you use digital tools to support academic study, including using and citing digital sources.

#### Discovering Psychology: the Science Behind Human Behaviour

Explore psychological areas such as: perception, learning, memory, neuroscience, child development, language, personality and social psychology.

#### **Economic Policy**

Explore topical economic issues in the UK and around the world, and how economics affects policy development.

#### **Economics**

Gain an understanding of macro- and micro-economics, and explore current trends and issues in the field.

#### **English for Academic Purposes**

Develop your English to the level you need for university study, and to really get involved in academic discussions.

#### **English for Academic Study 2**

Improve your English grammar and vocabulary in order to communicate in an academic environment.

#### **English for Academic Study 3**

Expand your knowledge of English grammar and vocabulary to the level required for degree study.

#### Entrepreneurship

Familiarise yourself with varied concepts of creativity, entrepreneurship and innovation, and how to apply them in business.

#### **Extended Project**

Learn how to plan, carry out and report an extended project. You can choose a project topic that matches your degree and career goals, and personal interests.

#### **Financial Accounting**

Learn about standard accounting conventions, and the role of financial accounting within organisations.

#### **Foundations of Property Law**

Explore the fundamental principles of the law of property, and the framework within which property lawyers operate in England and Wales.

# Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence

Gain an understanding of the basic concepts, processes and uses of Al, as well as design and implement a variety of learning systems.

#### **General and Organic Chemistry**

Gain an understanding of general and organic chemistry through the study of the structure, properties, and reactions of organic compounds.

#### **Genetics and Evolution**

Learn about DNA, genes, genetic variation, and heredity in organisms. Explore the theories of evolution and natural selection.

#### **Historical Perspectives**

Gain an understanding of the historical context of your chosen degree area, and skills such as researching, evaluating and interpreting sources.

# Independent and Collaborative Study

Work independently and in teams on an academic task, and practise applying your subject knowledge and study skills.

#### Information Technology

Discover the key concepts of computer science, including data representation and programming languages.

#### Inorganic and Physical Chemistry

Learn about key aspects of inorganic and physical chemistry that are essential to understand the function of biological systems.

#### Intermediate Mathematics

Expand your knowledge of mathematical concepts including algebra, geometry, problem-solving, trigonometry and vectors.

#### **Introduction to Databases**

Have the opportunity to construct conceptual data models, and to design and implement a data model for an information system.

#### Introduction to International Relations

Focusing on international security and international political economy, you'll learn about state and non-state actors, the causes of war, terrorism, human rights, international institutions, trade, disaster response and foreign aid.

#### Introduction to Politics

Gain an understanding of political research, theory and philosophy, and explore the origins and organisation of the state, political power, political decisions, ideologies, values, political parties and democracy.

#### Introduction to Programming

Develop problem-solving and analytical skills, combined with an understanding of fundamental programming concepts, algorithms and data structures.

#### Legal Skills and the English Legal System

Gain an overview of the English legal system, including different forms of dispute resolution, and develop research and communication skills to facilitate your studies.

#### **Logic and Critical Thinking**

Explore the concepts, history and skills relating to logic and critical thinking, and how they apply in real-world contexts

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#### **Management Accounting**

Find out about the role of financial management in organisations, as well as techniques for financial decision-making.

#### **Management and Organisation**

Explore the key theories of business management, and learn to evaluate management practices in context.

#### Mathematics

Develop your mathematical skill set in areas such as algebra, decision maths, probabilities and statistics.

#### **Mathematics for Computing**

Develop an understanding of the fundamental aspects of mathematical concepts related to computing.

#### **Mathematics for Economics**

Learn the key mathematical knowledge and skills needed to communicate and evaluate economic concepts.

#### Microbiology

Discover the key concepts of infectious diseases through the study of microbes and viruses.

#### **Molecular Cell Biology**

Gain an understanding of the cell, the basic structural, functional, and biological unit of all known organisms. Explore cell biology through both practical and theoretical methods.

#### **Object Oriented Programming**

Learn the fundamental principles of object-oriented programming.

#### People, Culture and Society

Learn about the history, theories and issues that relate to human culture and society around the world.

#### **Physics**

Gain an understanding of astrophysics, electromagnetism, mechanics and thermodynamics.

#### **Preparatory Mathematics**

Develop your numeracy skills, including algebra, geometry and graphs.

#### **Preparatory Science**

Gain an introduction to core scientific knowledge, and subject-specific language required to study the sciences.

#### **Preparatory Statistics**

Build on your knowledge of using statistics, including the use of data to illustrate facts and support theories.

#### **Principles of Marketing**

Gain an insight into the key principles of modern marketing, and its role in business and commercial competition.

## Quantitative Methods and Finance

Enhance your understanding of mathematics and quantitative techniques, and how to apply them to accounting, finance and management.

# Quantitative Methods for Life Sciences

Develop a comprehensive statistical and mathematical skill set by using software which supports data analysis in the field of Life Sciences.

#### Reading and Writing 2

Develop your English reading and writing so that you can understand and articulate ideas and reasoning.

#### Reading and Writing 3

Develop your English reading and writing skills to a sufficient level to communicate complex ideas.

# Research Methods in Psychology

Enhance understanding of qualitative and quantitative research as well as statistical methods to enable a researcher to select the correct methods to undertake effective research in the field of Psychology.

# Scientific Reasoning and Comparative Political Analysis

Gain an overview of the basics of philosophy and empirical social science, as well as an the basic approaches of comparative analysis in political sciences.

#### Speaking and Listening 2

Practise listening and speaking so that you are better prepared for academic debate and discussion.

#### Speaking and Listening 3

Improve your ability to listen and speak in English, allowing you to fully engage with academic topics.

#### Statistics

Learn basic algebra, as well as the skills needed to analyse and apply statistics in a range of ways.

#### **Statistics for Psychologists**

Gain an overview of psychological research through the use of statistical tests and inferential statistics and be able to analyse and interpret information using statistical techniques as well as descriptive statistics.

#### Study Skills Preparation

Gain an introduction to the wide range of skills and strategies you'll need to succeed at university, such as research methods and using and citing sources.

# Transferable Skills in Life Sciences

Gain valuable skills on presentations, academic writing, critical thinking, and data presentation which are essential across all Life Sciences.

# Truth, Justice and the Nature of Politics and Power

Explore concepts of truth, justice, democracy, empire, morality, the fair distribution of resources, labour, gender, liberalism, republicanism and the meaning of mass society.

#### **UK Society and Culture**

Learn more about the culture and society of the UK, and how it differs from others.

#### **Web Development**

Create a high-quality website, incorporating developed web-based content using a web IDE and content management system.

#### Online internship

While you're at the College in the UK, you'll take an online work placement as your final term if you choose a pathway course with integrated internship.

The internship is offered in partnership with Virtual Internships, a leading education company in the field. This gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience with one of 3,500+ companies around the world.

You will choose one of 18 career fields on your internship, based on your chosen progression degree. This will all help you develop important skills, practise your English and give you some great experience to add to your CV.

#### Find out more at:

kaplanpathways.com/internship

## Personal development activities (all courses)

#### Culture and activities

We'll help you have a hugely beneficial cultural and social experience, and encourage you to explore different activities, sports, crafts and more. You might learn about local history and culture, or develop your wider subject knowledge and understanding of related industries.

## Employability and digital skills

Outside of your academic learning, you'll also be taught skills that will be useful at university and later in life. You'll receive help in making the most of your creativity, improving your communication and developing your digital skills. We'll also help you build a CV, portfolio and online profile to empower you after you graduate.

#### Social networking

Forming a strong social network can be very beneficial, even if it's just to discuss and debate ideas. Not only will you get to know your classmates, you'll also have opportunities to join professional bodies, and network with students and industry professionals: something that can be really helpful when you go on to start your career.

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## Choose your postgraduate degree

Available degree options may change over time, so visit our online Degree Finder for the most up-to-date list: kaplanpathways.com/essex/pg-degrees

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**Costs of studying abroad:** For details about the cost of studying in Essex, in addition to pathway course tuition fees, see: kaplanpathways.com/essex-study-costs

**Accepted English tests:** we accept UKVI IELTS and several alternatives. For full details, see: *kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/* 

#### Your path to university:



#### Key:

**Hu:** Pre-Master's for Humanities **Sc:** Pre-Master's for Science and Health

So: Pre-Master's for Social Sciences

#### Art and Design

MA Curating	Ηu
MA Heritage and Museum Studies	Ηu

#### **Business and Finance**

MSc Accounting and Finance	So
MSc Accounting and Financial Management	So
MSc Business Analytics <sup>1</sup>	So
MSc Corporate and Investment Banking	So
MSc Data Science with Professional Placement	Sc
MSc Economics with Data Science	So
MSc Entrepreneurship and Innovation <sup>1</sup>	So
MSc Finance	So
MSc Financial Data Analytics	So
MSc Financial Econometrics	So
MSc Financial Economics	So
MSc Financial Economics and Econometrics	So
MSc Finance and Management	So
MSc Financial Engineering and Risk Management	So
MSc Financial Technology (Computer Science)	Sc
MSc Financial Technology (Economics)	So
MSc Financial Technology (Finance)	So
MSc Global Project Management <sup>1</sup>	So
MSc Human Resource Management	So
MSc International Business and Entrepreneurship <sup>1</sup>	So
MSc International Logistics and Supply Chain Management <sup>1</sup>	So
MSc International Marketing and Business Intelligence <sup>1</sup>	So
MSc Investment and Wealth Management	So
MSc Management	So
MSc Management (International)	So
MSc Management (Marketing)	So
MA Management and Organisational Dynamics	So
MBA Master of Business Administration	So
MBM Master of Business Management <sup>1</sup>	So
MSc Money and Banking	So
MSc Organisational Change Management	So
MSc Professional Accounting	So
MSc Quantitative International Development	So

#### Computing

MSc 5G and Emerging Communication Systems	Sc
MSc Advanced Computer Science	Sc
MSc Computer Engineering	Sc
MSc Computer Networks and Security	Sc
MSc Cyber Security	Sc
MSc Data Science	Sc
MSc Intelligent Systems and Robotics	Sc

#### Education

MA Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

#### Engineering

MSc Applications of Artificial Intelligence	Sc
MSc Electronic Engineering	Sc

#### **Hospitality and Tourism**

MSc International Hospitality Management Hu

Internships: all pathway course subjects have the option of an integrated virtual internship as an extra final term in the UK. This finishes in time for you to still start your university degree on schedule.

Your internship gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience and career skills, even before you progress to university.

#### Law

LLM Corporate Responsibility	Hu
LLM International Commercial and Business Law	Hu
LLM International Commercial and Business Law with Professional Placement	Hu
LLM International Law	Hu
LLM International Trade and Maritime Law	Hu
LLM International Trade Law	Hu
LLM International Trade Law with Professional Placement	Hu
LLM Maritime Law	Hu
MA Organised Crime, Terrorism and Security	So

#### Marketing and Media

MA Advertising, Marketing and the Media	So
MA Creative Writing	Hu
MA Film and Literature	Hu
MA Film Studies	Hu
MSc Marketing	So
MA Scriptwriting (Theatre and Digital Media)	Hu

# MSc Applied Data Science MSc Data Science and its Applications MSc Data Science with Professional Placement

MSc Data Science and its Applications	Sc
MSc Data Science with Professional Placement	Sc
MSc Mathematics	Sc
MSc Mathematics and Finance	Sc
MSc Optimisation and Data Analytics	Sc
MSc Statistics	Sc

Sc

#### Science and Health

MSc Actuarial Science	Sc
MSc Artificial Intelligence	Sc
MSc Biotechnology	Sc
MSc Global Public Health	Sc
MSc Health Genomics	Sc
MSc Leadership in Health and Care	So
MSc Molecular Medicine	Sc
MSc Sport Coaching Practice	Sc
MSc Sport and Exercise Psychology	Sc
MSc Sport and Exercise Science	Sc
MSc Sports Therapy	Sc
MSc Tropical Marine Biology	Sc

#### Social Science and Humanities

Social Science and Humanities	
MA Applied Linguistics	So
MA Art History and Theory	Hu
MA Audiovisual and Literary Translation	So
MSc Behavioural and Experimental Economics	So
MA Childhood Studies	So
MA Conflict Resolution	So
MSc Conflict Resolution	So
MA Criminology	So
MA Curating with Professional Placement	Hu
MA Economics	So
MSc Economics	So
MA Economics with Public Policy	So
MA English Language and Linguistics	So
MA Environment, Society and Culture	Hu
MA Environmental Futures with Climate Change	So
MSc Environmental Futures with Climate Change	So
MSc Financial Econometrics	So
MSc Financial Economics	So
MA Financial Economics	So
MSc Financial Economics and Accounting	So
MSc Financial Economics and Econometrics	So
MA Global and Comparative Politics	So
MSc Global and Comparative Politics	So
MA History	Hu
MA History, Power and Identity	Hu
MA Ideology and Discourse Analysis	So
MSc International Economics	So
MA International Economics	So
MA International Relations	So
MSc International Relations	So
MA Jungian and Post-Jungian Studies	So
MA Linguistic Studies	So
MA Linguistics	So
MA Literature	Hu

MA Literature and Creative Writing	Hu
MA Management and Organisational Dynamics	So
MSc Management Economics	So
MA Management Economics	So
MA Migration Studies	So
MSc Migration Studies	So
MSc Organised Crime, Terrorism and Security	So
MA Philosophy	Hu
MA Political Economy	So
MSc Political Economy	So
MA Political Science	So
MSc Political Science	So
MA Political Theory	So
MA Politics	So
MSc Politics, Communications and Data Analytics	So
MA Psychoanalytic Studies	So
MA Psycholinguistics	So
MSc Psychology	Sc
MSc Public Opinion and Political Behaviour	So
MA Public Opinion and Political Behaviour	So
MA Sociological Research Methods	So
MA Sociology	So
MA Sociology and Criminology	So
MA Translation and Professional Practice	So
MA Translation, Interpreting and Subtitling	So
MA War, Culture and Society	Hu
MA Wild Writing: Literature, Landscape and the Environment	Hu

### **Notes**

#### Note:

1: This course is taught on the University of Essex's Southend campus.

### Pre-Master's

for Humanities



### University of Essex International College

### Pre-Master's

for Humanities



Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support	
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		February 2026 > August 2026			
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3 terms	£25,020	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of Extended English and Skills modules	
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2.5 terms	£25,020	July 2026 > May 2027	•	0.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules	
3 terms	£25,020	June 2026 > May 2027	•	1 term of Extended English and Skills modules	
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		June 2026 > August 2027			
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#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · English for Academic Purposes
- · Research Project

# You will also take 2 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals†:

- · Advanced Social Science
- Philosophy, History and Culture
- · Project Management
- UK Society and Culture (Advanced)

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

**Learn more about modules:** you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### 1 Optional integrated online internship

For selected course options and an extra fee (maximum £1,440), you can take an online internship as an additional final term while at the College in the UK. You will:

- apply and further develop your English language skills in a professional setting
- build real-world experience related to your degree subject at university
- gain additional career skills and experience and boost your CV before your degree.

See the postgraduate module summaries section for more details.

Extra support: for courses of over 2 terms, you will also take Extended English and Skills modules before the modules to the left.

# Students with UKVI IELTS 5.0 will typically take these additional modules as part of a 2.5 or 3-term course:

- · English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

# Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 will typically take these additional modules as part of a 3.5 or 4-term course:

- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- · Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

**Academic entry requirements:** for all course options above, you need to have completed at least 3 years of higher education in a suitable subject. For requirements specific to your country, select your preferred degree and pathway course from our online Degree Finder: *kaplanpathways.com/essex/pg-degrees* 

Your course length: this is influenced by your English language score that you submit as part of the admissions process. Soon after your course starts, we'll check your English and academic level again to make sure you're on the most suitable study plan, with modules that best fit your skills and goals.

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### Pre-Master's

for Science and Health



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### **Pre-Master's**

for Science and Health



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
> Your Pre-Master's option	ons for degr	ee entry in (	October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2 terms	£22,350	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
			January 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£25,290	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3 terms	£25,290	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of Extended English and Skills modules
> Your Pre-Master's option	ons for degr	ee entry in (	October 2027		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£25,290	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3 terms	£25,290	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3.5 terms £29,5	620 F0F	April 2026 > May 2027	1	1.5 terms of
		£29,3U3 -	July 2026 > August 2027		Extended English and Skills modules
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	4 terms £32,560	(22.50)	February 2026 > May 2027	1	2 terms of Extended English
		132,300 -	June 2026 > August 2027		and Skills modules

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · English for Academic Purposes
- · Research Project

# You will also take 2 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals<sup>†</sup>:

- · Advanced Mathematics and Statistics
- · Advanced Social Science
- Engineering, Science and Society
- · Project Management

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- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

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- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- · Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- · Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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### Pre-Master's

for Social Sciences



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### Pre-Master's

for Social Sciences



Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*	Course length	Course tuition	Course start > Course end	Add ons	Extra support
Your Pre-Master's option	ons for degr	ee entry in	October 2026		
<b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2 terms	£21,950	September 2025 > May 2026	1	
			January 2026 > August 2026		
			February 2026 > August 2026		
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£25,020	October 2025 > August 2026		0.5 terms of Extended
			January 2026 > August 2026		English and Skills modules
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3 terms	£25,020	September 2025 > August 2026		1 term of Extended English and Skills modules
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<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill	2.5 terms	£25,020	July 2026 > May 2027	0	0.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3 terms	£25,020	June 2026 > May 2027	0	1 term of Extended English and Skills modules
<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill	3.5 terms £29,19	520.400	April 2026 > May 2027	1	1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules
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<b>4.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill	4.	622.240	February 2026 > May 2027	1	2 terms of
	4 terms £32,340		June 2026 > August 2027		<ul> <li>Extended English and Skills modules</li> </ul>

#### Common modules taken by all students:

- · English for Academic Purposes
- · Research Project

# You will also take 2 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals†:

- · Advanced Mathematics and Statistics
- Advanced Social Sciences
- · Project Management
- · Strategic Management
- UK Society and Culture (Advanced)

**Personal development activities:** during your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

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## Postgraduate module summaries



# Advanced Mathematics and Statistics

Develop a comprehensive mathematical skill set, including the analytical skills required for postgraduate study.

#### **Advanced Social Science**

Learn about the key theories in social sciences, and their relation to methodologies in the field.

# Engineering, Science and Society

Gain an awareness of ethical issues and debates surrounding research and innovation in the sciences.

#### **English for Academic Purposes**

Develop your English to the level you need for university study, and to really get involved in academic discussions.

#### **English for Academic Study 2**

Improve your English grammar and vocabulary in order to communicate in an academic environment.

#### **English for Academic Study 3**

Expand your knowledge of English grammar and vocabulary to the level required for degree study.

## Independent and Collaborative Study

Work independently and in teams on an academic task, and practise applying your subject knowledge and study skills.

# Philosophy, History and Culture

Explore Western philosophy and its history, and analyse events and developments in your degree area in a historical and cultural context.

#### **Project Management**

Gain key skills in project management, and apply your knowledge to a project.

#### Reading and Writing 2

Develop your English reading and writing so that you can understand and articulate ideas and reasoning.

#### Reading and Writing 3

Develop your English reading and writing skills to a sufficient level to communicate complex ideas.

#### Research Project

Plan, execute and report a comprehensive research project. You can choose a research topic based on your degree and career goals, and personal interests.

#### Speaking and Listening 2

Practise listening and speaking so that you are better prepared for academic debate and discussion.

#### Speaking and Listening 3

Improve your ability to listen and speak in English, allowing you to fully engage with academic topics.

#### **Strategic Management**

Explore key concepts of strategic management, and evaluate their impact on businesses and their operations.

#### **Study Skills Preparation**

Gain an introduction to the wide range of skills and strategies you'll need to succeed at university, such as research methods and using and citing sources.

# UK Society and Culture (Advanced)

Learn more about a range of aspects of British culture, as well as British cultural and social institutions.

#### Online internship

While you're at the College in the UK, you'll take an online work placement as your final term if you choose a pathway course with integrated internship.

The internship is offered in partnership with Virtual Internships, a leading education company in the field. This gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience with one of 3,500+companies around the world.

You will choose one of 18 career fields on your internship, based on your chosen progression degree. This will all help you develop important skills, practise your English and give you some great experience to add to your CV.

#### Find out more at:

kaplanpathways.com/internship

# Personal development activities (all courses)

#### **Culture and activities**

We'll help you have a hugely beneficial cultural and social experience, and encourage you to explore different activities, sports, crafts and more. You might learn about local history and culture, or develop your wider subject knowledge and understanding of related industries.

# Employability and digital skills

Outside of your academic learning, you'll also be taught skills that will be useful at university and later in life. You'll receive help in making the most of your creativity, improving your communication and developing your digital skills. We'll also help you build a CV, portfolio and online profile to empower you after you graduate.

#### Social networking

Forming a strong social network can be very beneficial, even if it's just to discuss and debate ideas. Not only will you get to know your classmates, you'll also have opportunities to join professional bodies, and network with students and industry professionals: something that can be really helpful when you go on to start your career.

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#### Degree preparation online

If you are unable to come to the UK to study, you can take a degree preparation course online from your home country, before progressing to an in-person degree at your chosen university in the UK. kaplanpathways.com/uk-digital-learning

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