

# University of York International Pathway College

## Course information: 2025-26

This booklet contains details of the UK pathway courses that can lead to a degree at the University of York. Choose your preferred York 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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## Undergraduate course information

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#### Foundation Certificate

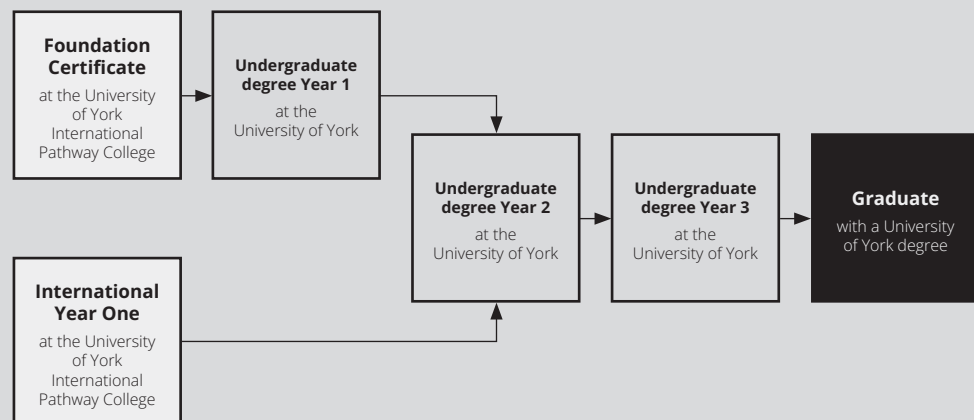
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### Your path to university:



**Costs of studying abroad:** For details about the cost of studying in York, in addition to pathway course tuition fees, see: [kaplanpathways.com/york-study-costs](http://kaplanpathways.com/york-study-costs)

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

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### Choose your undergraduate degree

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#### Key:

**B:** Foundation Certificate for Business, Law and Social Sciences

**S:** Foundation Certificate for Science and Engineering

**B1:** International Year One in Business

**C1:** International Year One in Computer Science

#### Business and Finance

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| BSc (Hons) Accounting and Finance                      | <b>B</b>    |
| BSc (Hons) Accounting, Business Finance and Management | <b>B</b>    |
| BSc (Hons) Business and Management                     | <b>B B1</b> |
| BA (Hons) Business and Management                      | <b>B B1</b> |
| BA (Hons) Business and Society                         | <b>B B1</b> |
| BSc (Hons) Economics and Econometrics                  | <b>B</b>    |
| BSc (Hons) Economics and Finance                       | <b>B</b>    |
| BSc (Hons) Economics and Mathematics                   | <b>B</b>    |
| BSc (Hons) Economics and Politics                      | <b>B</b>    |
| BSc (Hons) Economics, Econometrics and Finance         | <b>B</b>    |

#### Computing

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|---|-------------|
| BSc (Hons) Computer Science                               | <b>S C1</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Computer Science                              | <b>S C1</b> |
| BSc (Hons) Computer Science and Mathematics               | <b>S</b>    |
| BSc (Hons) Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence  | <b>S C1</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence | <b>S C1</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Computer Science with Cyber Security          | <b>S C1</b> |
| BSc (Hons) Computer Science with Cyber Security           | <b>S C1</b> |
| BSc (Hons) Data Science                                   | <b>S</b>    |
| MSci (Hons) Data Science                                  | <b>S</b>    |

#### Education

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| BA (Hons) Sociology with Education | <b>B</b> |
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#### Engineering

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|---|----------|
| BEng (Hons) Electronic and Computer Engineering   | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Electronic and Computer Engineering   | <b>S</b> |
| BEng (Hons) Electronic and Electrical Engineering | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Electronic and Electrical Engineering | <b>S</b> |
| BEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering                | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering                | <b>S</b> |

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|--|----------|
| BEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering with Music Technology Systems | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering with Music Technology Systems | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Engineering  | <b>S</b> |
| BEng (Hons) Engineering  | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Engineering with Renewable Energy                    | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Medical Engineering                                  | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Micro-mechanical Engineering                         | <b>S</b> |
| BEng (Hons) Music Technology Systems                             | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Music Technology Systems                             | <b>S</b> |
| MEng (Hons) Robotic Engineering                                  | <b>S</b> |

**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.

You'll take your online internship in the UK, giving you the chance to gain valuable work experience and improve your employability.

#### Environment and Agriculture

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| BSc (Hons) Environmental Science               | <b>B</b> |
| MEnv (Hons) Environmental Science              | <b>B</b> |
| BA (Hons) Human Geography and Environment      | <b>B</b> |
| BSc (Hons) Physical Geography and Environment  | <b>B</b> |
| MEnv (Hons) Physical Geography and Environment | <b>B</b> |

#### Law

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| LLB (Hons) International Human Rights Law | <b>B</b> |
| LLB (Hons) Law                            | <b>B</b> |
| LLB (Hons) Law and Criminology            | <b>B</b> |

#### Marketing and Media

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|---|----------|
| BA (Hons) Business of the Creative Industries | <b>B</b> |
| BSc (Hons) Film and Television Production     | <b>B</b> |
| BSc (Hons) Interactive Media                  | <b>B</b> |
| BSc (Hons) Marketing                          | <b>B</b> |

## Mathematics

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|---|---|
| BSc (Hons) Mathematics                        | B |
| MMath (Hons) Mathematics                      | B |
| MMath (Hons) Mathematics and Computer Science | B |
| BSc (Hons) Mathematics and Finance            | B |
| BSc (Hons) Mathematics and Management         | B |
| BSc (Hons) Mathematics and Statistics         | B |

## Music and Performing Arts

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| BA (Hons) Music                                       | B |
| BA (Hons) Music and Sound Recording                   | B |
| BA (Hons) Theatre: Writing, Directing and Performance | B |

## Science and Health

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| BSc (Hons) Actuarial Science                                       | S |
| BSc (Hons) Bioarchaeology  | S |
| BSc (Hons) Biochemistry  | S |
| MBiochem (Hons) Biochemistry                                       | S |
| BSc (Hons) Biology   | S |
| MBiol (Hons) Biology   | S |
| BSc (Hons) Biomedical Sciences                                     | S |
| MBiomedSci (Hons) Biomedical Sciences                              | S |
| BSc (Hons) Biotechnology   | S |
| MBiol (Hons) Biotechnology   | S |
| BSc (Hons) Chemistry   | S |
| MChem (Hons) Chemistry   | S |
| BSc (Hons) Chemistry, Biological and Medicinal Chemistry           | S |
| MChem (Hons) Chemistry, Biological and Medicinal Chemistry         | S |
| BSc (Hons) Chemistry, Green Principles and Sustainable Processes   | S |
| MChem (Hons) Chemistry, Green Principles and Sustainable Processes | S |
| BSc (Hons) Chemistry, the Atmosphere and the Environment           | S |
| MChem (Hons) Chemistry, the Atmosphere and the Environment         | S |
| MBiol (Hons) Ecology   | S |
| BSc (Hons) Ecology   | S |
| MBiol (Hons) Genetics  | S |
| BSc (Hons) Genetics  | S |
| MBiol (Hons) Molecular Cell Biology                                | S |
| BSc (Hons) Molecular Cell Biology                                  | S |
| BSc (Hons) Nursing (Adult)   | S |
| BSc (Hons) Nursing (Child)   | S |
| BSc (Hons) Nursing (Mental Health)                                 | S |

## Social Science and Humanities

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|--|---|
| BSc (Hons) Archaeology                                 | B |
| BA (Hons) Archaeology                                  | B |
| BA (Hons) Archaeology and Heritage                     | B |
| BA (Hons) Criminal Justice and Social Policy           | B |
| BA (Hons) Criminology                                  | B |
| BA (Hons) Curating and Art History                     | B |
| BA (Hons) Digital Media, Culture and Communication     | B |
| BSc (Hons) Economics                                   | B |
| BSc (Hons) Economics and Finance                       | B |
| BSc (Hons) Economics and Philosophy                    | B |
| BSc (Hons) Economics, Econometrics and Finance         | B |
| BA (Hons) English Language and Linguistics             | B |
| BA (Hons) French and Linguistics (with a year abroad)  | B |
| BBA (Hons) German and Linguistics (with a year abroad) | B |
| BA (Hons) Global Development                           | B |
| BA (Hons) Historical Archaeology                       | B |
| BA (Hons) History                                      | B |
| BA (Hons) History and Economics                        | B |
| BA (Hons) History and French (with a year abroad)      | B |
| BA (Hons) History and German (with a year abroad)      | B |
| BA (Hons) History and Italian (with a year abroad)     | B |
| BA (Hons) History and Spanish (with a year abroad)     | B |
| BA (Hons) History of Art                               | B |
| BA (Hons) History/History of Art                       | B |
| BA (Hons) History/Philosophy                           | B |
| BA (Hons) History/Politics                             | B |
| BA (Hons) International Relations                      | B |
| BA (Hons) Italian and Linguistics (with a year abroad) | B |
| BA (Hons) Linguistics                                  | B |
| BA (Hons) Linguistics with French                      | B |
| BA (Hons) Linguistics with German                      | B |
| BA (Hons) Linguistics with Italian                     | B |
| BA (Hons) Linguistics with Spanish                     | B |
| BA (Hons) Philosophy                                   | B |
| BA (Hons) Philosophy and Linguistics                   | B |
| BA (Hons) Philosophy and Politics                      | B |
| BA (Hons) Philosophy, Politics and Economics           | B |
| BA (Hons) Politics                                     | B |
| BA (Hons) Politics with International Relations        | B |
| BSc (Hons) Psychology                                  | B |
| MScI (Hons) Psychology                                 | B |
| BA (Hons) Social and Political Sciences                | B |
| BA (Hons) Social and Public Policy                     | B |
| BA (Hons) Sociology                                    | B |
| BA (Hons) Sociology with Criminology                   | B |
| BA (Hons) Sociology with Education                     | B |
| BA (Hons) Sociology with Social Psychology             | B |
| BA (Hons) Spanish and Linguistics (with a year abroad) | B |

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**Note:**

Many of the degrees listed include an additional year spent abroad or in industry, either as standard or optional. Please check our online Degree Finder for details: [kaplanpathways.com/york/ipc-ug-degrees](http://kaplanpathways.com/york/ipc-ug-degrees)

| Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*  | Course length         | Course tuition | Course start > Course end                               | Add-ons  | Extra support   |
|---|-----------------------|----------------|---|----------|---|
| <b>&gt; Your Foundation Certificate options for degree entry in September 2026</b>                |                       |                |   |          |   |
| <b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in Speaking and Writing and 4.5 in Reading and Listening | 1.5 terms (intensive) | £19,980        | February 2026 > August 2026                             |          |   |
| <b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill   | 2 terms               | £21,990        | September 2025 > May 2026<br>January 2026 > August 2026 | <b>i</b> |   |
| <b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill   | 2.5 terms             | £23,625        | October 2025 > August 2026                              |          | 0.5 terms of Academic Skills and English language modules |
| <b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill   | 3 terms               | £23,625        | September 2025 > August 2026                            |          | 1 term of Academic Skills and English language modules    |

**Common modules taken by all students:**

- Language and Study Skills 2<sup>^</sup>
- Statistics

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

- 21st Century Media
- Advanced Mathematics
- Introduction to Economics
- Introduction to Law
- Robotics, Programming and Electronics
- State and Society

<sup>^</sup> Note: students on the 1.5-term course will have fewer taught hours of Language and Study Skills 2, because of their higher English language level at the point of entry.

**Extra support:** for courses longer than 2 terms with no internship, you'll also take Academic Skills and English language modules to gain extra university preparation:

- Contemporary Global Issues
- English for Academic Purposes
- Foundation Mathematics

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

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

- apply and further develop your English language 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.

\* **UKVI IELTS alternatives:** we can accept other tests as proof of English language. Learn more at: [kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/](https://kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/)

**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/york/ipc-ug-degrees](https://kaplanpathways.com/york/ipc-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.

<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 Sciences and Engineering

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| Minimum English level:<br>UKVI IELTS score*  | Course length | Course tuition | Course start > Course end    | Add-ons  | Extra support   |
|--|---------------|----------------|------------------------------|----------|---|
| <b>&gt; Your Foundation Certificate options for degree entry in September 2026</b> |               |                |                              |          |   |
| <b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill†                             | 2 terms       | £23,890        | September 2025 > May 2026    | <b>i</b> |   |
|  |               |                | January 2026 > August 2026   |          |   |
| <b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill†                             | 2.5 terms     | £25,470        | October 2025 > August 2026   |          | 0.5 terms of Academic Skills and English language modules |
| <b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.0 in any skill†                             | 3 terms       | £25,470        | September 2025 > August 2026 |          | 1 term of Academic Skills and English language modules    |

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† **Please note:** courses leading to Nursing degrees have slightly higher IELTS requirements:  
**2 terms and 3 terms with internship:** 6.0 overall with no less than 6.0 in any skill.  
**2.5 terms:** 6.0 overall, at least 6.0 in writing and with no less than 5.5 in all other skills.  
**3 terms:** 5.5 overall with no less than 5.5 in any skill.

**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/york/ipc-ug-degrees](https://kaplanpathways.com/york/ipc-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.

# Foundation Certificate

for Sciences and Engineering

2/2

**Common modules taken by all students:**

- Language and Study Skills 2

**You will also take 3 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals<sup>†</sup>:**

- Advanced Mathematics
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Electronics
- Mathematics for Life Scientists
- Robotics, Programming and Electronics
- Statistics

**Extra support:** for courses longer than 2 terms with no internship, you'll also take Academic Skills and English language modules to gain extra university preparation:

- Core Science
- English for Academic Purposes
- Foundation Mathematics

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

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# International Year One

in Business

| Minimum English level:<br>UKVI IELTS score*  | Course length | Course tuition | Course start > Course end    | Add-ons   | Extra support |
|--|---------------|----------------|------------------------------|---|---------------|
| <b>&gt; Your International Year One options for degree entry in September 2026</b> |               |                |                              |   |               |
| <b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill                              | 2 terms       | £22,190        | September 2025 > May 2026    |  |               |
|  |               |                | January 2026 > August 2026   |   |               |
| <b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill                              | 3 terms       | £23,895        | September 2025 > August 2026 |   |               |

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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.

# International Year One

in Business

**All students will take the following modules:**

- English for Academic Purposes
- Financial Accounting
- Introduction to Marketing Principles and Consumer Behaviour
- Management Accounting and Financial Management
- Organisational Behaviour
- Quantitative Methods and Information Systems for Business
- The Business Environment

**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.

**Students with UKVI IELTS 5.0:** you will typically take these extra modules to give you additional preparation for university:

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

** Optional integrated online internship**

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# International Year One

in Computer Science

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| Minimum English level:<br>UKVI IELTS score*  | Course length | Course tuition | Course start > Course end    | Add-ons   | Extra support |
|--|---------------|----------------|------------------------------|---|---------------|
| <b>&gt; Your International Year One options for degree entry in September 2026</b> |               |                |                              |   |               |
| <b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill                              | 2 terms       | £24,090        | September 2025 > May 2026    |  |               |
|  |               |                | January 2026 > August 2026   |   |               |
| <b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill                              | 3 terms       | £25,755        | September 2025 > August 2026 |   |               |

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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.

# International Year One

in Computer Science

2/2

**All students will take the following modules:**

- 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.

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

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**21st Century Media**

Study topical issues in media such as TV, film, games and the internet, and analyse media trends, issues and technologies.

**Advanced Mathematics**

Learn the mathematical skills needed for the study of Science and Economics, including the topics of calculus, matrices, vectors, algebra and trigonometry.

**Biology**

Understand the key concepts, structures and processes within biology.

**Chemistry**

Study physical, organic and inorganic chemistry, explore patterns in the periodic table, and learn to describe chemical reactions.

**Computer Architecture**

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

**Contemporary Global Issues**

Explore topical issues and their historical origins, and study the short and long-term implications of a variety of current affairs.

**Core Science**

Learn about key scientific concepts and principles, and explore the most important topics in biology, chemistry and physics.

**Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education**

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

**Digital Applications**

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

**Electronics**

The electronics module is designed to provide you with an introduction to the behaviour of electronic components and their use in circuits.

**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 3**

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

**Financial Accounting**

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

**Foundation Mathematics**

Understand core concepts of mathematics, and learn algebra, calculus and trigonometry.

**Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence**

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

**Independent and Collaborative Study**

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

**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 Economics**

Learn about micro and macro economics, and study aggregate economic behaviour and how an open economy works.

**Introduction to Law**

Learn about English law, and understand how to structure solutions to legal problems.

**Introduction to Marketing Principles and Consumer Behaviour**

Learn about basic theories of marketing and consumer behaviour, using real-world examples and individual consumer experiences.

**Introduction to Programming**

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

**Language and Study Skills 1**

Learn how to speak, read, write and listen in an academic context, and improve your vocabulary, grammar and pronunciation.

**Language and Study Skills 2**

Develop academic English knowledge, and apply academic style to written and spoken work.

**Management Accounting and Financial Management**

Gain an understanding of key issues in management accounting, process costing, and profitability analysis.

**Mathematics for Computing**

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

**Mathematics for Life Scientists**

Learn the mathematics skills needed in life science studies.

**Object Oriented Programming**

Learn the fundamental principles of object-oriented programming using the C++ language.

**Organisational Behaviour**

Gain an understanding of management of work in organisations, and human resources and organisations in a global context.

**Preparatory Mathematics**

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

**Preparatory Statistics**

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

**Quantitative Methods and Information Systems for Business**

Learn quantitative techniques used in industry, and analyse and interpret data and information systems in a business context.

**Reading and Writing 3**

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

**Robotics, Programming and Electronics**

Design and programme a robot, and design and build simple electronic circuits.

**State and Society**

Explore the fundamentals of politics and sociology, and consider the relationship between the state, society and the individual.

**The Business Environment**

Engage in interactive projects that integrate practical, real-life situations with your knowledge of business theory.

**UK Society and Culture**

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

**Speaking and Listening 3**

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

**Statistics**

Learn the skills needed to analyse and apply statistics in a range of ways.

**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:**

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# University of York International Pathway College

## Postgraduate course information

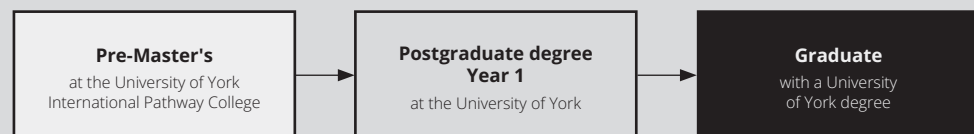
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**Costs of studying abroad:** For details about the cost of studying in York, in addition to pathway course tuition fees, see: [kaplanpathways.com/york-study-costs](https://kaplanpathways.com/york-study-costs)

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

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#### Key:

**B:** Pre-Master's: Business, Law and Management

**E:** Pre-Master's: Education, Media and Social Sciences

**S:** Pre-Master's: Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics

#### Art and Design

|                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| MSc Digital Design                   | E |
| MSc Digital Design with Social Media | E |

#### Business and Finance

|   |   |
|---|---|
| MSc Accounting and Finance                          | B |
| MSc Accounting and Management                       | B |
| MSc Business Analytics                              | B |
| MSc Corporate Finance                               | B |
| MSc Development Economics and Emerging Markets      | B |
| MSc Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management      | B |
| MSc Finance   | B |
| MSc Finance and Investments                         | B |
| MSc Finance and Management                          | B |
| MSc Finance, Investments and Economics              | B |
| MSc Human Resource Management                       | B |
| MSc International Business and Strategic Management | B |
| MSc Management                                      | B |

#### Computing

|  |   |
|--|---|
| MSc Artificial Intelligence and Technology-Enhanced Learning | E |
| MSc Artificial Intelligence for the Creative Industries      | S |
| MSc Data Science (Artificial Intelligence and Statistics)    | S |
| MSc in Data Science (Scientific)                             | S |

#### Education

|  |   |
|--|---|
| MA Applied Linguistics for Language Teaching           | E |
| MA Comparative Education and International Development | E |
| MA Education   | E |
| MA Social Justice and Education                        | E |
| MA Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages     | E |

#### Engineering

|                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| MSc Engineering Management         | S |
| MSc Engineering Project Management | S |
| MSc Intelligent Robotics           | S |
| MSc Renewable Energy Technologies  | S |

#### Environment and Agriculture

|   |   |
|---|---|
| MSc Corporate Sustainability and Environmental Management | B |
| MSc Environmental Economics and Environmental Management  | B |
| MSc Environmental Science and Management                  | B |

#### Law

|   |   |
|---|---|
| LLM International Business Law and Practice     | B |
| LLM International Corporate and Commercial Law  | B |
| LLM International Human Rights Law and Practice | B |
| LLM Law   | B |
| LLM Law (Juris Doctor)                          | B |
| LLM Legal and Political Theory                  | B |

**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.

You'll take your online internship in the UK, giving you the chance to gain valuable work experience and improve your employability.

#### Marketing and Media

|   |   |
|---|---|
| MA Digital Media and Culture                          | E |
| MA Film and Television Production with Cinematography | E |
| MA Film and Television Production with Directing      | E |
| MA Film and Television Production with Editing        | E |
| MA Film and Television Production with Producing      | E |
| MSc Film and Television Production with Sound         | E |
| MA Film and Television Production with Sound          | E |
| MSc Global Marketing                                  | E |

#### Mathematics

|  |   |
|--|---|
| MSc Statistics and Computational Finance | S |
|--|---|

### Music and Performing Arts

|  |   |
|--|---|
| MSc Audio and Music Technology                         | S |
| MA Community Music                                     | E |
| MA Music Education: Group Teaching and Leadership      | E |
| MA Music Education: Instrumental and Vocal Teaching    | E |
| MA Music Performance: Historical Performance Practices | E |
| MA Music Performance: Piano Studies                    | E |
| MA Music Performance: Vocal Studies                    | E |
| MA Music Production and Audio Cultures                 | E |
| MA Music, Management and Marketing                     | E |
| MA Music: Composition                                  | E |
| MA Music: Solo Voice Ensemble Singing                  | E |
| MA Musicology  | E |

### Science and Health

|                         |   |
|-------------------------|---|
| MSc Bioinformatics      | S |
| MSc Biotechnology       | S |
| MSc Biomedical Sciences | S |

### Social Science and Humanities

|   |   |
|---|---|
| MA Applied Human Rights   | B |
| MA Applied Linguistics  | E |
| MPA Comparative Applied Social and Public Policy,<br>Evaluation and Research <sup>1</sup> | E |
| MA Contemporary History and International Politics  | E |
| MA Criminology  | E |
| MSc Economics and Public Policy   | B |
| MA Gender and Politics  | E |
| MA Global Culture and Society   | E |
| MA Global Development Politics  | E |
| MA Global Public Policy and International Business  | E |
| MA Historical Studies   | E |
| MA International Political Economy  | E |
| MA International Relations  | E |
| MA International Relations and Comparative Politics                                       | E |
| MA International Relations and Global Ethics  | E |
| MA International Relations and Human Rights   | E |
| MA Interpreting, Translation and Applied Technologies                                     | E |
| MA Literature in the Creative and Cultural Industries                                     | E |
| MA Management in the Creative and Cultural Industries                                     | E |
| MA Museum Studies   | E |
| MA Peace and Conflict Studies   | E |
| MA Philosophy of Artificial Intelligence  | E |
| MA Political and Legal Philosophy   | E |
| MA Political Theory   | E |
| MPA Public Administration   | B |
| MPA Public Administration - International Development                                     | B |
| MA Public Administration and Public Policy  | B |
| MA Queer Studies  | E |
| MA Social Justice and Education   | E |
| MA Social and Public Policy   | E |
| MSc Social Media and Management   | B |
| MA Social Media and Social Research   | E |
| MA Social Work <sup>1</sup>   | E |
| MA Sustainable Built Heritage   | E |
| MSc Sustainable Business: Leadership, Innovation and<br>Management                        | B |

#### Note:

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|--|---------------|----------------|------------------------------|----------|---|
| <b>&gt; Your Pre-Master's options for degree entry in September 2026</b> |               |                |                              |          |   |
| <b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.5 in any skill                    | 2 terms       | £24,980        | September 2025 > May 2026    | <b>i</b> |   |
|  |               |                | January 2026 > August 2026   |          |   |
| <b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill                    | 2.5 terms     | £29,745        | October 2025 > August 2026   |          | 0.5 terms of Academic Skills and English language modules |
| <b>5.0 overall</b> with no less than 4.5 in any skill                    | 3 terms       | £29,745        | September 2025 > August 2026 |          | 1 term of Academic Skills and English language modules    |

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**Common modules taken by all students:**

- Language and Study Skills
- Research Skills

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|  |               |                | January 2026 > August 2026   |   |   |
| <b>5.5 overall</b> with no less than 5.0 in any skill                    | 2.5 terms     | £28,545        | October 2025 > August 2026   |   | 0.5 terms of Academic Skills and English language modules |
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