



UNIVERSITY OF
PORTSMOUTH

Study Abroad **PROGRAMME.**

YOUR TIME.
YOUR PLACE.

PORTSMOUTH, ENGLAND





The University.

Studying abroad encourages you to develop personally and professionally by gaining valuable international experience, broadening your horizons, and creating unforgettable memories.

PORTSMOUTH GIVES YOU:-

- A friendly and supportive environment
- High-quality study opportunities
- Gold rated teaching

Our Study Abroad programme offers you the opportunity to study a half or full academic year and gain credits which you can transfer back to your home university. You will study at a university with a strong international community, excellent facilities and consistent high levels of student satisfaction. We have committed £400 million to our campus evolution. Every investment we make is an investment in you and your future – allowing you to achieve your potential.



The city.

Located on the UK's south coast, Portsmouth is a multicultural city famous for its maritime and naval history.

Our city campus places you at the centre of everything, close to all amenities and just a short walk from the seafront. Here you can enjoy fantastic sea views, four miles of beach and the green spaces of Southsea Common, ideal for meeting friends and having summer picnics.

You will find good rail and road links to other major cities. London is just a 90-minute train journey away. Heathrow, Gatwick and Southampton airports are also within easy reach. Ferries cross regularly to France and Spain, making Portsmouth an excellent base to explore the UK and beyond.



10 REASONS TO

love Portsmouth.



1. YOU ARE WELCOME

We welcome 5,700 international students from around 150 different countries. So wherever you are coming from, we can help you get to where you want to be.

2. TEACHING EXCELLENCE

You will join a university that has achieved Gold in the UK government's Teaching Excellence Framework. Gold is the highest accolade and places us among the UK's top universities for teaching.

3. AN EASY CITY TO GET AROUND

Everything is close by in Portsmouth. You can travel from historic ships to busy shopping streets in minutes.

4. SEASIDE LIVING

In Portsmouth, the beaches are right on your doorstep.

5. CAFÉ CULTURE AND DIVERSE FOOD

You will find bistros, bars, pubs and restaurants serving all types of cuisine throughout the city.

6. SPORTING SPIRIT

Our multimillion-pound sports centre has a sports hall, swimming pool, fitness suite, multi-purpose studios, squash courts, a climbing and bouldering wall and even a ski simulator. We also have over 35 competitive sports teams for you to join.

8. SOUTHSEA COMMON

Southsea Common is a green space where you can spend many evenings during your summer.

9. AN EPIC HISTORY

Get lost in Portsmouth's maritime history.

10. A PASSION FOR THE PLANET

As a student here you can be part of the fight against climate change. We aim to be carbon positive by 2030.



7. MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT

The Kings Theatre, the New Theatre Royal and Portsmouth Guildhall all offer a range of plays, live shows and concerts. The Wedgewood Rooms hold regular events, live band and club nights.



Learning spaces.

From sports facilities to teaching spaces and laboratories, we are investing in our facilities so you have access to the latest equipment during your time with us.

LEARNING SPACES INCLUDE:

- Future Technology Centre
- Extreme Environments Laboratories
- Professional Interpreter Suite
- Centre for Creative and Immersive XR (CCIXR)
- The University Library
- Replica Courtroom

[PORT.AC.UK/OUR-FACILITIES](https://port.ac.uk/our-facilities)



Advice and support.

The University of Portsmouth is your place to push yourself and find out who you really are. But we know that you cannot develop into the person you want to be without support. Whether you need help with your study skills or other areas of your life, at Portsmouth you will be a part of a community that will support you and have access to a variety of services.

- Global Café: practise another language
- Student Finance
- Maths Café
- Chaplaincy
- Wellbeing Service
- Additional Support and Disability Advice Centre
- International Student Advisers

[PORT.AC.UK/SUPPORT](https://port.ac.uk/support)

The Mobility Team will be one of your main contacts while in Portsmouth.

INCOMING@PORT.AC.UK

Accommodation.

HALLS OF RESIDENCE

Portsmouth is your ideal place to live and study. There is a huge range of student accommodation to choose from.

Your options include:

- Self-catered or catered
- En suite or shared bathrooms
- Shared flats or corridor rooms
- Studio flats
- Female- or male-only designated areas
- Designated quieter areas
- Residential wellbeing and support in halls



PRIVATELY RENTED ACCOMMODATION

You can also choose to live independently in the vibrant city centre or surrounding area if you prefer.

You can expect to pay around £115-£140 per week for a room in a shared flat or house and £70-£90 for food and household bills per week on top of the rent price.

Our dedicated Student Housing Team is on hand to help you find a place to call home in Portsmouth.

[PORT.AC.UK/ACCOMMODATION](https://port.ac.uk/accommodation)

STUDENT.HOUSING@PORT.AC.UK

Visas.

Depending on nationality, you will either need to obtain your visa before travelling or you can obtain a Standard Visitor Visa (for the purpose of study) at the Border, on entry to the UK.

You can check the type of visa you need at the UK's Government website gov.uk/check-uk-visa.

You will need to specify which type of visa you will be applying for so we can provide you with the right document.

You should apply for your visa once you have received the relevant supporting visa document from the University. Please refer to the UK Government website for visas and immigration details at gov.uk/visas-immigration.

Visa regulations change frequently. Please check the latest guidelines to make sure you apply for the appropriate visa. Visit our website for more information port.ac.uk/visa-advice.



Study Abroad Programme.

You can choose to study at Portsmouth for a half (one term) or full academic year.

You will be taught and assessed in the same way as all other students at Portsmouth. You will experience carefully blended types of teaching – from face-to-face classes and large lectures to interactive online content and practical sessions.

The credits you gain while you study in Portsmouth will count towards your degree at your home university. How these credits are transferred depends on where your university is based. One of the more widely used methods is the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS).

1 ECTS = 2 UK credits.

For the US, 1 US credit = 4 UK credits.

If your university does not use either of these systems, or you want to find out more about how your credits will be transferred, please speak to your home university or contact us.

Modules are weighted with either 10 credits (2.5 US/5 ECTS) or 20 credits (5 US/10 ECTS), so the number of classes you take will vary depending on your choices. As an international student, you would be expected to be studying full time, taking 60 UK credits each term or 120 UK credits for a full academic year. You can expect to study in the classroom for 12–15 hours per week, with another 12–15 hours of independent study.

**OUR ACADEMIC CALENDAR DATES CAN BE VIEWED AT
PORT.AC.UK/KEY-DATES**



Entry requirements.

- **At least one year of university education in a relevant major/minor.**
- **The minimum cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) is 2.6 or equivalent.**
- **Minimum English language level (for students whose first language is not English): IELTS 6.0 or equivalent with no component less than 5.5. If your level is below this, you may be eligible for a Pre-sessional English course.**

You must gain approval from your home university before accepting an offer to study at the University of Portsmouth and should seek advice regarding the most appropriate modules to study. Credits gained from the University of Portsmouth can be transferred to your university, subject to approval from your home university. To be awarded credits, you must complete the required assessments for each module.

Subject areas.

Studying abroad at the University of Portsmouth is an amazing opportunity to explore a different city and culture - but it is also a chance to study the subjects and topics that interest you most.

TAKE A LOOK AT THE SUBJECT AREAS:-

- Architecture
- Area Studies, History, Politics and Literature
- Art, Design and Performance
- Biological Sciences
- Business and Law
- Civil Engineering and Surveying
- Computing
- Creative Technologies
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Dental Academy
- Education and Sociology
- Energy and Electronic Engineering
- Environment, Geography and Geoscience
- Film, Media and Communication
- Languages and Applied Linguistics
- Mathematics and Physics
- Mechanical and Design Engineering
- Psychology
- Pharmacy and Biomedical Sciences
- Sport, Health and Exercise Science

EXPLORE THE CLASSES AVAILABLE AT
[PORT.AC.UK/CHOOSE-MODULES](https://port.ac.uk/choose-modules)



How to apply.

If you are ready to apply for our Study Abroad Programme, please email incoming@port.ac.uk to express your interest and receive further information about the application process.

As part of the process, you will need to upload a transcript from your current university studies and English language proficiency evidence. We will then get in touch to request more details.

Please visit our website for application deadlines for both autumn/fall and spring entry at port.ac.uk/studyabroad.

Tuition fees.

ACADEMIC YEAR AND DURATION	UNDERGRADUATE	POSTGRADUATE
2024/25 One term only	£7,100	Please email incoming@port.ac.uk for more information on the postgraduate offer
2024/25 Full academic year	£14,200	

Find the latest tuition fees for your year of entry and course at port.ac.uk/studyabroad.

If you are an EU, EEA or Swiss national student, the EU scholarship is applied to your tuition fees so you pay the same amount as a UK student. For more information visit port.ac.uk/eufees.

Once you receive an offer to study with us, you will need to pay a deposit to confirm your place. This deposit will count towards your tuition fees. You can pay your deposit through the application portal. For more information visit port.ac.uk/tuition-fees.



How to find us.

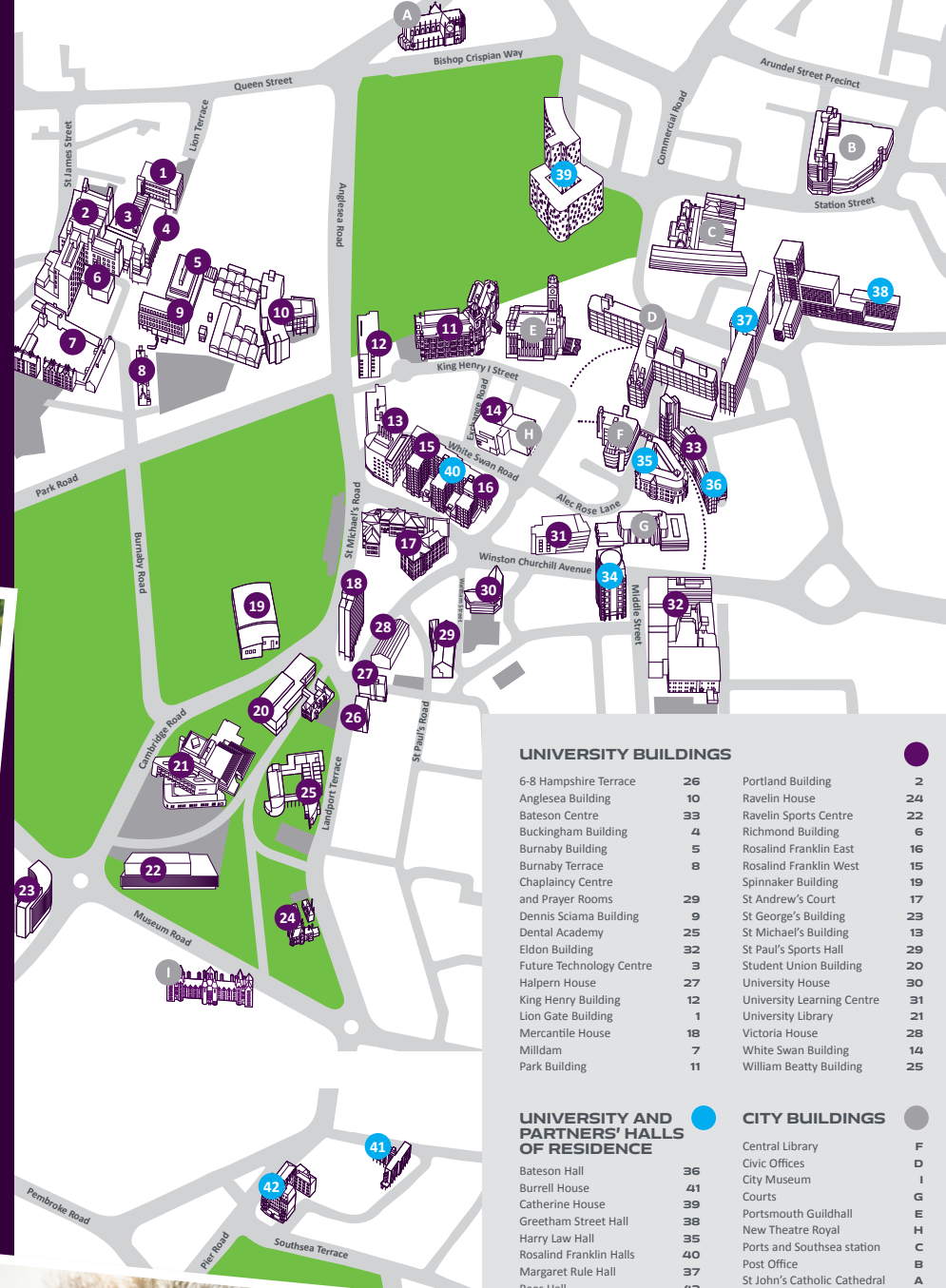
University quarter.

Our campus is in the heart of the city and most University buildings are within walking distance.



Portsmouth is a well-connected city with excellent transport links and just a direct train from London.

PORT.AC.UK/HOWTOGETHERE



UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS

6-8 Hampshire Terrace	26	Portland Building	2
Anglesea Building	10	Ravelin House	24
Bateson Centre	33	Ravelin Sports Centre	22
Buckingham Building	4	Richmond Building	6
Burnaby Building	5	Rosalind Franklin East	16
Burnaby Terrace	8	Rosalind Franklin West	15
Chaplaincy Centre and Prayer Rooms	29	Spinnaker Building	19
Dennis Sciana Building	9	St Andrew's Court	17
Dental Academy	25	St George's Building	23
Eldon Building	32	St Michael's Building	13
Future Technology Centre	3	St Paul's Sports Hall	29
Halpern House	27	Student Union Building	20
King Henry Building	12	University House	30
Lion Gate Building	1	University Learning Centre	31
Mercantile House	18	University Library	21
Milidam	7	Victoria House	28
Park Building	11	White Swan Building	14
		William Beatty Building	25

UNIVERSITY AND PARTNERS' HALLS OF RESIDENCE

Bateson Hall	36
Burrell House	41
Catherine House	39
Greatham Street Hall	38
Harry Law Hall	35
Rosalind Franklin Halls	40
Margaret Rule Hall	37
Rees Hall	42
Trafalgar Hall	34

CITY BUILDINGS

Central Library	F
Civic Offices	D
City Museum	I
Courts	G
Portsmouth Guildhall	E
New Theatre Royal	H
Ports and Southsea station	C
Post Office	B
St John's Catholic Cathedral	A



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