

Lancaster
University



Open Day Programme 2024

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Your future starts here

On behalf of our students and staff, welcome to Lancaster University.

Lancaster is a global university with an international reputation for combining world-leading research with a personal educational experience. We rank top 15 in the three UK league tables and hold prominent positions in global university league tables. We take pride in our reputation and our students do too, our excellent 2024 NSS results are testament to our high standards of teaching, learning and support.

Studying here provides an opportunity to be a part of a thriving community made up of students from over one hundred countries. Students who choose Lancaster have the opportunity to expand their horizons at an internationally diverse campus set in a beautiful part of the Northwest.

We offer over 380 flexible undergraduate programmes across a wide range of subject areas, and have partnerships linking us with leading institutions in 24 countries. Based around our nine colleges, our campus boasts outstanding facilities and has everything that you need to study, live and thrive. We also maintain excellent relations with businesses to enhance your career progression and help you get to where you want to be.

Our Open Days give you a comprehensive insight into life here, and I encourage you to take advantage of the full range of activities on offer throughout the day. This will help you to make those important decisions about the right course for you in the right university, which we hope will be Lancaster.

Please take the opportunity to speak with the fantastic student services teams who support every aspect of student life here, and you can find out about the subjects that interest you by speaking to academic staff.

Finally, please take the time to explore our unique campus and facilities, soak up the atmosphere and sample the Lancaster experience.

We can't wait to welcome you to our community.



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Make the most of your Open Day

There's a lot to see at a Lancaster University Open Day, we recommend taking some time to plan your day before you arrive. We've included a handy scheduling planner on page 29 to make this easier for you.

Our beautiful campus is waiting to be explored, and you'll start to see if you can picture yourself here. Staff and students are on hand to answer any questions you may have. We asked Accounting & Finance student Naomi for her top 3 tips on making the most of your day.



1. Picture yourself at Lancaster

There's a lot to take in at an Open Day, and we hope you'll be buzzing with excitement as you get to know us. So you don't miss anything, why not take some pictures on your phone to re-visit when you get home? This is great for when you're making your final decision, and a helpful way to compare different universities. You never know, you might be capturing your favourite campus spot before you even arrive!

2. Chat to us

An Open Day is a perfect opportunity to ask all the questions you have about Lancaster. Talk to academic staff about your chosen subject, check in with the admissions team about the application process, chat with the careers team about your future. Whatever you're curious about there's plenty of people on campus to talk to. Most importantly, be sure to chat with our current students. There are ambassadors dotted all over campus, ask about their experiences of Lancaster and find out what it's really like to live and study here.

3. Collect as much information as possible

You're in the process of making what might be one of the biggest decisions you've ever made. Gathering all the information you can will help you make the best decision for you. Along with taking photos as you explore, you might want to bring a notebook to write down important information. Be sure to pick up a prospectus and any information leaflets as you can look at these later, if you're attending with friends or family, you could agree to each gather different information to share together.

On arrival visit our Check-in and Information Points

You can visit any of our check-in and information points to check-in when you arrive. You'll need your QR code from your booking email to be able to check-in. Once checked-in, you'll receive your Open Day pack. You can also find out more about the day and ask any questions you may have.

You'll find our check-in and information points in a few places around campus –

- Learning Zone (Alexandra Square)
- Great Hall (Map ref GHC)
- LICA Building (Map ref LIC)
- Management School (Map ref MAN)
- Health Innovation One (Map ref HIO)

Our student ambassadors are located all over campus to help you with whatever you need. Whether you're looking for directions or just fancy a chat, our ambassadors will help you make the most out of your day.

Refreshments

You're going to have a busy day, so it's important to plan in some breaks throughout to refuel. Luckily, campus has plenty of places to choose from. Check out Alexandra Square and Edward Roberts Court for some of our most popular spots, or explore the North and South Spine for even more options.

You can also find complimentary refreshments around campus; grab a tea, coffee, morning pastries and some street food samples on us.

Find complimentary refreshments at –

- Learning Zone (Alexandra Square)
- LICA Building (Map ref LIC)
- Management School (Map ref MAN)
- Health Innovation One (Map ref HIO)
- George Fox Building (Map ref GFX)
- Library (Map ref LIB)
- Open colleges, which can be found on page 19

We do our best to encourage sustainable practices at Lancaster. Water fountains and refill points are available across campus. Feel free to ask an ambassador for directions.



General talks

Our general talks will take you through everything that Lancaster University has to offer. There is no need to book, just turn up at your chosen time.

Welcome to Lancaster

Join us as we welcome you to campus and give you some context about our university to kick off your Open Day.

Careers and Employability

Get to know what life-long careers support could mean for you and learn what some of our students have gone on to do after they graduate.

You can find out more about student jobs, internships, placements, graduate schemes, further study and enterprise.

Students' Union

Whether it's clubs, sports and societies, volunteering and development opportunities or representing and supporting your university experience, the Students' Union has a lot to offer you. Join this talk to hear about how the Students' Union will support every step of your university journey.

Student Finance

This talk will cover scholarships, bursaries, loans, budgeting and everything related to funding your studies.

Applying to Lancaster

Get an overview of the admissions process at Lancaster and get application tips and advice from our admissions experts. (For those who are interested in applying to Medicine, information regarding the application process will be explained in the subject talk).

Subject	Campus	Location	Map	Time
Welcome to Lancaster	North	Great Hall	GHC	9.00am, 10.00am, 1.00pm
Accommodation and Colleges	North	Great Hall	GHC	11.00am, 2.00pm
Applying to Lancaster	North	County South Lecture Theatre	COS	10.00am, 12.00pm, 3.00pm
Student Finance	North	County South Lecture Theatre	COS	11.00am, 2.00pm
Careers and Employability	North	Faraday Lecture Theatre	FAR	11.00am
Students' Union	North	County South Lecture Theatre	COS	1.00pm
Create your own Global Experience	South	Management School Lecture Theatre 17	MAN	12.00pm, 3.00pm
Student Life Q&A Panel	South	Cavendish Colloquium Room	FAR	11.00am, 2.00pm
Moving onto Masters	South	Furness Lecture Theatre 3	FUR	2.00pm

All talks run for approximately 40 minutes.

Global Experiences

Find out what it means to be part of a global university. Hear about our international partners, study abroad options, global research success and how we celebrate and champion global experiences right here on campus.

Accommodation and Colleges

Hear about our college communities waiting to welcome and support your university journey and get an overview of the accommodation on offer at Lancaster.

Moving onto Masters

Whether you're ready for a masters now or thinking about it after your undergraduate degree, find out everything you need to know about what a masters is, the options available to you and how they are funded.

Student Life Q & A Panel

Come along and ask our Student Ambassador panel any questions you may have about studying at Lancaster University, life on campus, Lancaster - the city or anything else you wish to know.

Campus tours

Our campus tours are an ideal opportunity to explore campus. You'll be shown some of the key locations to really give you a feel for our beautiful campus.

Student-led tours

A current Lancaster student will show you around campus. You'll visit key locations like the library, departmental buildings, social spaces, eateries and essential facilities and get the opportunity to hear how your guide experiences campus as a current student.

There is an increased demand for student-led tours during the morning so you may find the afternoon quieter or consider the self-guided option.

Depart from Great Hall Square (Map ref GHC) from 9:00am.

Tours will run throughout the day and last approximately 45 minutes.

Self-guided tours

Self-guided tours are a great option to get to know the campus in a way that suits you. You'll be guided to key locations like the library, departmental buildings, social spaces, eateries, and essential facilities, but we encourage you to wander and explore as much as you like.

You can take a self-guided tour at any time over the weekend.

Tours last approximately 45 minutes but how long you take is up to you.

To take a self-guided tour click the QR code below.



Support when you need

At Lancaster you'll find that there are lots of people rooting for you. We're on hand all day to talk you through the many ways you can access support. Find support teams in the Learning Zone in Alexandra Square.

Admissions

Our admissions experts will be on hand to advise on the application process, entry requirements, deadlines and information on how we assess applications.

You can find out more in our Applying to Lancaster presentation at 10.00am, 12.00pm and 3.00pm in County South Lecture Theatre (Map ref COS).

Careers and Employability

Our Careers and Employability Service staff can talk to you about placements, internships and part time jobs, and how we can help you find the right graduate opportunity after your studies. You can also learn about how you can meet employers, access individual careers support, and find out about the many different opportunities delivered by the service that give you the chance to develop new skills, grow a professional network, and enhance your CV.

Come along, be inspired and find out more in our Careers and Employability presentation at 11.00am in Faraday Lecture Theatre (Map ref FAR).

Funding

The funding team are available to help you understand bursaries, loans and scholarships. We can help you figure out what funding you might be entitled to and how to access it.

You can find out more in our Student Finance presentation at 11.00am and 2.00pm in County South Lecture Theatre (Map ref COS).

Languages for All

At Lancaster we have several years of experience in teaching students who are learning a language for the first time, or pursuing a language interest as part of a degree. We also offer a number of language courses outside of our degree scheme as an extracurricular.

Find out more by visiting our information desk in the Learning Zone.

Student Wellbeing Services

The Wellbeing Service works alongside staff across the University to ensure that all students can fully participate in all aspects of university life. We will be there to speak to students about any support needs, from wellbeing concerns to more specialist disability and mental health needs. The aim of support services is to work alongside you to understand your needs and to give you the information you need to decide how you want to manage your mental or physical health whilst at university. The provision includes the Wellbeing Partnership Service, Student Mental Health Service and the Disability and Inclusive Practice Service which can also support with reasonable adjustments, Disabled Students' Allowance and inclusive teaching. You will also be able to learn more about our pre-arrival programme, which supports students to transition into university, it ranges from online information which all students can access to targeted events for groups who may need additional support for their transition into university.

Global Experiences

We're proud to be a global university, with over 100 nationalities on our campus, alumni in over 180 countries worldwide and 144 global partner institutions. Studying at Lancaster University can open a world of opportunity. Come and chat to us to find out how to create your own global experience.

You can find out more in our Global Experiences talk at 12.00pm and 3.00pm in Management School Lecture Theatre 17 (Map ref MAN).

IT and Digital

Come to the Learning Zone and chat with us about IT services and support at Lancaster.

Maybe you have a question about bringing your own devices, getting access to the software you need, using computers and printers on campus or accessing IT services when you're not on campus?

Discover your subject

Get to grips with your subject of interest by visiting the subject stands across campus. Here you can speak to academic staff, gather information on what you'll learn about and how you'll learn on your course.

All subject talks run for approximately 40 minutes and most are repeated through the day.

Dive even deeper into your subject of interest by attending subject talks, taster lectures, demonstrations, and tours of some of our academic spaces and department facilities. Staff and students will take you through all the specifics about your chosen subject.

Most of these subject related activities run throughout the day. If you're undecided we recommend visiting sessions for each subject you're interested in. You can attend as many of these as you like.

Subject	Activity	Campus	Location	Map	Time
Accounting and Finance See also Management School on p15.	Subject Talk	South	Management School Lecture Theatre 1	MAN	11.00am, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Management School Breakout Space	MAN	9.00am - 4.00pm
Architecture	Subject Talk	North	Bowland Annexe C07	BLA	12.00pm, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	North	LICA A36	LIC	10.00am, 11.00am, 1.00pm, 3.00pm
	The LICA building and Bailrigg House are the location of our architecture facilities, including our new studio. Take a tour with one of our current students to see our amazing facilities for yourself.				
Biosciences including:	Subject Talk	South	Biology Lecture Theatre	LEC	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Lancaster Environment Centre - Atrium	LEC	9.00am - 4.00pm
Biomedicine, Biochemistry, Biology, Pharmacology, Zoology and Ecology and Conservation	Subject Demonstrations	South	Lancaster Environment Centre - Lab A	LEC	10.00am - 3.00pm
	Demonstrations relating to each of our Biosciences subject areas take place throughout the day in our teaching laboratory. Join us to see some of the fascinating work taking place and feel free to ask the academic staff any questions you may have.				
	Tours	South	Lancaster Environment Centre	LEC	10.00am - 3.00pm
Look around key locations in the department with a tour led by one of our Student Ambassadors. Tours run between 10.00am - 3:00pm and last around 20 minutes - please sign up to your preferred time in the foyer outside Biology Lecture Theatre.					
Business Analytics See also Management School on p15.	Subject Talk	South	Management School Lecture Theatre 2	MAN	2.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Management School Breakout Space	MAN	9.00am - 4.00pm

Subject	Activity	Campus	Location	Map	Time
Business Management, Entrepreneurship and International Business Management	Subject Talk	South	Management School West Pavilion Lecture Theatre 18	MAN	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Management School Breakout Space	MAN	9.00am - 4.00pm
See also Management School on p15.					
Chemistry	Subject Talk	North	Faraday Lecture Theatre	FAR	10.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	Chemistry Building - Foyer	CHE	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	North	Chemistry Building - Foyer	CHE	10.45am onwards
	Our department tours are a great opportunity to get insight into our teaching and facilities. Tours last between half an hour and 45 minutes and are delivered by an academic and a student ambassador. They can be booked by visiting the Chemistry Subject Stand in the Chemistry Foyer.				
	Demonstrations	North	Chemistry Building - Foyer	CHE	9.00am - 3.00pm
Staff and student ambassadors will be running a selection of chemistry demonstrations in the department throughout the day to give you the opportunity to experience some practical chemistry. These will vary from day to day, but will include computational, analytical and physical chemistry demonstrations, with prizes available for the best performances.					
Computing and Communications:	Subject Talk	South	Management School Lecture Theatre 1	MAN	10.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	George Fox Building - Foyer	GFX	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	South	InfoLab - Foyer	INF	11.00am, 2.00pm
Computer Science, Software Engineering, Cyber Security and Data Science	Take a tour of our facilities, led by students, where you can see the state-of- the-art labs which you'll use as a computing student. No need to book. Just visit our stand in the foyer of InfoLab between 11.00am -12.00pm and 2.00pm - 3.00pm.				
	Ask the Students	South	InfoLab - Skylounge	INF	3.00pm
Come and chat to the people who know our courses best - our students! You can ask them about life as a computing student and about Lancaster University in general. Academic staff will also be on hand to answer any final questions about your course.					
Criminology	Subject Talk	North	Bowland Main Lecture Theatre	BLM	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Taster Lecture	North	Welcome Centre Lecture Theatre 1	WEL	2.00pm
Join us for this interactive taster lecture, in which you'll experience what it's like to be a first-year Criminology student at Lancaster.					

Subject	Activity	Campus	Location	Map	Time
Design	Subject Talk	North	LICA C01	LIC	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	North	LICA A36	LIC	10.00am, 12.00pm, 2.00pm
The LICA building houses our facilities for Design. Take a tour with one of our current students to see our amazing facilities for yourself.					
Drama, Theatre and Performance	Subject Talk	North	Nuffield Theatre	GHC	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	North	LICA A36	LIC	10.00am, 12.00pm, 2.00pm, 3.00pm
The LICA building and Great Hall complex house our facilities for Drama, Theatre and Performance. Take a tour with one of our current students to see our amazing facilities for yourself.					
Economics	Subject Talk	South	Management School West Pavilion Lecture Theatre 15	MAN	11.00am, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Management School Breakout Space	MAN	9.00am - 4.00pm
See also Management School on p15.					
Engineering	Subject Talk	South	Management School West Pavilion Lecture Theatre 15	MAN	10.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Engineering Square/ Engineering Building 1	ENG	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	South	Engineering Building 2	ENG	10.45am - 2.45pm
	Join a tour of the new Engineering Building 2 teaching facilities. These tours last approximately 1 hour and can be booked by visiting the Engineering Subject Stand in Engineering Square.				
Drop-in	South	Engineering Building 1	ENG	10.30am - 4.00pm	
We warmly invite you to have a more leisurely wander around facilities in Engineering Building 1. A great opportunity to meet with staff and students and to discuss your subject specialisation in greater detail.					
English Literature and Creative Writing	Subject Talk	North	Bowland Main Lecture Theatre	BLM	10.00am, 12.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	County Main Study Room	COM	9.00am - 4.00pm
	English Literature - More	North	Elizabeth Livingston Lecture Theatre	BLN	1.00pm
	This taster lecture will give you a sense of what's different and distinctive about the study of English Literature at degree level.				
	Creative Writing - More	North	Elizabeth Livingston Lecture Theatre	BLN	2.00pm
	Join us for this interactive workshop, which will give you a taste of studying Creative Writing at degree level.				
Drop-in	Off Campus	University Suite Lancaster Castle			2.30pm - 4.30pm
If you are interested in studying English Literature and Creative Writing with us, then you are warmly invited to drop in at the University Suite in Lancaster's spectacular medieval Castle for coffee, cake, and a chat about how you can incorporate historic Lancaster into your studies. You can take a free shuttle bus to and from Lancaster Train Station (near the Castle) which leaves campus from the Chaplaincy Centre (Map ref CPC).					

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Environmental and Earth Sciences	Subject Talk	South	Fylde Lecture Theatre 1	FYL	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Lancaster Environment Centre - Atrium	LEC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	South	Lancaster Environment Centre	LEC	10.00am - 3.00pm
	Look around key locations in the department with a tour led by one of our Student Ambassadors. Tours run between 10:00am - 3:00pm and last around 20 minutes - please sign up for your preferred time in the foyer outside Biology Lecture Theatre.				
Subject Demonstrations	South	Lancaster Environment Centre	LEC	10.00am - 3.00pm	
Subject specific demonstrations will be present throughout the department, providing opportunity for engagement and contact with academic staff.					
Film Studies	Subject Talk	North	Bowland North Seminar Room 20	BLN	12.00pm, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	North	LICA A36	LIC	10.00am, 11.00am, 1.00pm, 3.00pm
	The LICA building houses our facilities for Film Studies. Take a tour with one of our current students to see our amazing facilities for yourself.				
Film Showcase	North	LICA A23	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm	
Take a look at pieces of work produced by our current Film Studies students. Example films will be shown continuously throughout the day so you can drop by at any time.					

The Castle Café –
Lancaster Castle



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Fine Art	Subject Talk	North	LICA C01	LIC	10.00am, 12.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	North	LICA A36	LIC	11.00am, 1.00pm, 2.00pm, 3.00pm
Join our Student Ambassadors in a tour of the LICA building's Fine Art facilities, including our purpose-built creative spaces and workshops.					
Geography	Subject Talk	South	Biology Lecture Theatre	LEC	10.00am, 12.00pm, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Lancaster Environment Centre - Atrium	LEC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	South	Lancaster Environment Centre	LEC	10.00am - 3.00pm
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Global Religions	Subject Talk	North	Bowland North Seminar Room 1	BLN	11.00am
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
History	Subject Talk	North	Margaret Fell Lecture Theatre	FAS	10.00am, 12.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Taster Lecture	North	Frankland Lecture Theatre	FAR	11.00am, 1.00pm
Want to find out what it's like to attend a History lecture at university? Then please join us for this taster talk, where an expert from the Department of History will offer a lecture based on their research and teaching. You'll be able to meet members of our Department and discover more about the sort of subjects you'll have the chance to explore at Lancaster.					
Drop-in	Off Campus	University Suite Lancaster Castle			2.30pm - 4.30pm
If you are interested in studying History with us, then you are warmly invited to drop in at the University Suite in Lancaster's spectacular medieval Castle for coffee, cake, and a chat about how you can incorporate historic Lancaster into your studies. You can take a free shuttle bus to and from Lancaster Train Station (near the Castle) which leaves campus from the Chaplaincy Centre (Map ref CPC).					

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Languages and Cultures	Subject Talk	North	Cavendish Lecture Theatre	FAR	10.00am, 12.00pm, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Taster Lecture	North	Bowland North Seminar Room 20	BLN	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Would you like to try out a new language? Then please join us for one of our beginners-level language tasters. You'll get a sense of the approach we take to language learning at Lancaster.				
Drop-in	North	Resource Centre, County Main, B185	COM	9.00am - 3.00pm	Drop in, throughout the day, to our student Resource Centre - a space to help you make the most of your studies with us. It's a bright and comfortable environment for catching up on some language exercises, reading the week's foreign-language news, watching a film or TV programme, browsing our extensive selection of books or carrying out group work.
Drop-in	North	The Roundhouse	TRH	9.00am - 3.00pm	Drop in, throughout the day, to the Roundhouse - home of the Lancaster University Confucius Institute. Take a look around our facilities including student study spaces.
Law	Subject Talk	North	Margaret Fell Lecture Theatre	FAS	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Taster Lecture	North	Margaret Fell Lecture Theatre	FAS	2.00pm
	Join us for this interactive taster lecture, in which you'll experience what it's like to be a first-year Law student at Lancaster.				
Mock Court Room drop-in	North	Faraday Building	FAR	9.00am, 10.00am, 12.00pm, 2.00pm	Drop in, throughout the day, to our Mock Court Room - a state-of-the-art facility that allows our students to experience simulated court activities and trials.
Linguistics and English Language	Subject Talk	North	Elizabeth Livingston Lecture Theatre	BLN	10.00am, 12.00pm, 3.00pm
	Want to know more about Linguistics and English Language? Join us for this subject talk where you'll learn more about our department and hear from our students about their studies and living in Lancaster.				
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Drop-in	North	C Floor, County South Accessed via stairs at County South Lecture Theatre	COS	10.00am - 3.00pm
Drop in, throughout the day, to our department to visit our labs and get a flavour of research in linguistics.					
Management & Business Degrees (Combined): Management and Human Resources Management and Information Technology Management, Politics and International Relations International Management See also Management School on p15.	Subject Talk	South	Management School West Pavilion Lecture Theatre 19	MAN	11.00am, 2.00pm
	Come and explore more combined management & business degrees on key 21st Century subjects: human resources, work, technology, international management, international relations and world politics.				
Subject Stand	South	Management School Breakout Space	MAN	9.00am - 4.00pm	



Subject	Activity	Campus	Location	Map	Time
Management School	Management School: Courses and Careers	South	Management School West Pavilion Lecture Theatre 18	MAN	10.15am - 10.45am
	Tour	South	Management School Hub - Welcome Desk	MAN	10.00am onwards
An ambassador-led tour of the Management School, including the West Pavilion, LUMS Careers and study and social spaces.					
Marketing See also Management School above.	Subject Talk	South	Management School West Pavilion Lecture Theatre 17	MAN	11.00am
	Subject Talk	South	Management School West Pavilion Lecture Theatre 18	MAN	2.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Management School Breakout Space	MAN	9.00am - 4.00pm
Mathematics, Operational Research, Statistics and Economics (MORSE) See also Management School above.	Subject Talk	South	Management School Lecture Theatre 2	MAN	2.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	Management School Breakout Space	MAN	9.00am - 4.00pm
Mathematical Sciences	Subject Talk	South	George Fox Lecture Theatre 1	GFX	11.00am, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	George Fox Building - Foyer	GFX	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Taster Lecture	South	George Fox Lecture Theatre 1	GFX	12.00pm
	This taster lecture will give you a sense of what makes mathematics distinctive and unique at degree level.				
	A Day in the Life of a Mathematics Student	South	Postgraduate Statistics Centre - A54	PSC	1.00pm
Come and chat to the people who know our courses best - our students! You can ask them about life as a maths student and about Lancaster University in general					

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Media and Cultural Studies	Subject Talk	North	Cavendish Colloquium Room	FAR	10.00am, 12.00pm	
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm	
	Experience Session	North	Welcome Centre Lecture Theatre 2	WEL	3.00pm	
Meet current Media and Cultural Studies and Sociology students as they share their experiences of what they have studied and how to get the most out of life at university.						
Medicine and Surgery	Subject Talk	North West	Health Innovation One Lecture Theatre	HIO	11.00am, 1.00pm	
	Subject Stand	North West	Health Innovation One	HIO	9.00am - 4.00pm	
	Tour	North West	Health Innovation One Foyer	HIO	9.30am - 3.30pm	
Take a tour around our new teaching facilities in Health Innovation One. You'll learn about how we teach using problem-based learning and have the opportunity to speak with staff and students in our Clinical Anatomy Learning Centre and Clinical Skills Laboratory. Tours take approximately 30 minutes.						
Natural Sciences	Subject Talk	South	George Fox Lecture Theatre 5/6	GFX	10.00am, 1.00pm	
	Subject Stand	South	George Fox Building - Foyer	GFX	9.00am - 4.00pm	
Philosophy (including Philosophy, Politics and Economics)	Subject Talk	North	Welcome Centre Lecture Theatre 2	WEL	10.00am, 1.00pm	
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm	
	Taster Lecture	North	Welcome Centre Lecture Theatre 2	WEL	12.00pm	
	This session will show how philosophical thinking can illuminate real world problems in politics and economics.					
Physics	Subject Talk	North	Faraday Lecture Theatre	FAR	12.00pm, 2.00pm	
	Subject Stand	North	Physics Building - Foyer	PHS	9.00am - 4.00pm	
	Student Q&A	North	Cavendish Colloquium Room	FAR	1.00pm	
	Find out what it is like to be a Physics student at Lancaster University. Join our student-led Q&A session to hear first hand about their experiences.					
Politics and International Relations	Tour	North	Physics Atrium	PHS	10.00am, 11.00am, 1.00pm, 2.00pm, 3.00pm	
	Our students will lead a tour of the Physics facilities to showcase our well-equipped laboratories and study spaces. The tour will last approximately 45 minutes. We would encourage you to visit the Physics Atrium in advance to book your place.					
	Subject Talk	North	Cavendish Lecture Theatre	FAR	11.00am, 1.00pm	
Politics and International Relations	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm	
	Taster Lecture	North	Welcome Centre Lecture Theatre 2	WEL	2.00pm	
	This taster lecture in International Relations and Politics will introduce you to some key issues at the core of contemporary (inter)national politics. It focuses on some of the diverse topics that you can explore in your Politics and International Relations degree at Lancaster.					

Subject	Activity	Campus	Location	Map	Time
Psychology	Subject Talk	South	George Fox Lecture Theatre 1	GFX	10.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	South	George Fox Building - Foyer	GFX	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Research Demonstration	South	George Fox Building - Foyer	GFX	11.00am - 3.00pm
	Discover some of the cutting edge equipment we house within the Psychology Department and get involved in live demonstrations. This is an opportunity to get a taste of what type of equipment you may use within your degree and a chance for you to chat with our academics and current students about their experiences and what equipment they've used within their studies/research.				
Psychology	Tour	South	George Fox Building - Foyer	GFX	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Psychology will be offering guided tours around the department, including both teaching and research facilities. The tours will leave from our subject stand regularly through the day, and they will be led by our brilliant Psychology Student Ambassadors.				
Social Work	Subject Talk	North	Welcome Centre Lecture Theatre 1	WEL	11.00am, 1.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Tour	North	LICA Building - Foyer	LIC	12.00pm
Join the Social Work team for a guided tour around their teaching spaces including the Social Work Skills Lab and Mock Court. Tours will last approximately 30 minutes.					
Sociology	Subject Talk	North	Marcus Merriman Lecture Theatre	BLN	11.00am, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	North	LICA Building	LIC	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Experience Session	North	Welcome Centre Lecture Theatre 2	WEL	3.00pm
Meet current Media and Cultural Studies and Sociology students as they share their experiences of what they have studied and how to get the most out of life at university.					
Sports and Exercise Science	Subject Talk	North West	Health Innovation One Lecture Theatre	HIO	12.00pm, 2.00pm
	Subject Stand	North West	Health Innovation One	HIO	9.00am - 4.00pm
	Drop-in	North West	Human Performance Laboratory - Sports Centre	SPC	11.00am - 3.00pm
See the Sports and Exercise Science learning environment, including our state-of-the-art Human Performance Laboratory and new Biomechanics Laboratory. You can also meet our Sports Psychologists in the Innovation Lab. It takes around 60 minutes to see all three locations, but you can drop in to chat with staff and current students any time between 11am-3pm.					

If you're able to, we recommend taking the footpaths around campus to get to Health Innovation One. It's a 15 minute stroll from the centre of campus and you'll get to see our sports pitches and woodland trail along the way. There's also a free shuttle bus to take you door to door, if that suits you better, from outside the Chaplaincy Centre (Map ref CPC).

Your college and accommodation

Our colleges are central to the Lancaster experience. They offer a community you can be part of from day one, and the affiliation stays with you long after you graduate.



Lancaster University is proud to be one of a handful of UK universities to have a collegiate system. We have eight undergraduate colleges and every student belongs to a college whether you live on campus or not.

Most undergraduate students will live on campus in college accommodation in their first year, but it's much more than just a place to stay. You'll quickly find that your college is with you in most aspects of your student experience.

You'll study and socialise, and there are lots of college events and activities to get involved with. There is also the opportunity to experience some friendly competition with inter-college tournaments. It's your first port of call for support and help and when you graduate you'll do it with your college by your side. You'll always belong to your college, even after you leave Lancaster.

No matter which college you choose you'll experience the same level of support and community. All colleges have their own social space with a different personality but you can access them all no matter which college you pick.

From the moment you arrive, your college focus is on providing an environment where you can settle in and feel supported. Each college has a Junior Common Room (JCR) Committee who are the student voice and work alongside college staff to ensure you have the best college experience.



Choosing your college usually comes down to the type of place you want to live and the facilities that you need. Different colleges offer different room types like townhouses, studios, bedrooms with shared bathroom, bedrooms with private bathroom- whatever suits you.

When you join us for an Open Day, visit our colleges where you can look around the available accommodation types at any time.

Saturday 14th September

County College - Bedrooms with shared bathrooms - townhouse

Furness College - Bedrooms with shared bathrooms - flat

Fylde College - Bedrooms with ensuite bathrooms

Saturday 12th October

Bowland College - Bedrooms with shared bathrooms - flat

Grizedale College - Bedrooms with shared bathrooms - townhouse

Lonsdale College - Bedrooms with ensuite bathrooms

Pendle College - Bedrooms with ensuite bathrooms

You can find out more in our accommodation and colleges talk at 11.00am and 2.00pm in the Great Hall (Map ref GHC).



Your student experience

University is a place for you to learn, have new experiences, meet new people and make memories. Around campus you can discover the extra bits that make the Lancaster student experience so special.

Your Students' Union

Every student at Lancaster University is automatically a member of the Lancaster University Students' Union, and they're here to make sure your university experience delivers everything it should.

The Students' Union provides everything from a buzzing student nightclub to a range of quality services including our letting agency and the on-campus supermarket.

The Students' Union will play a huge part in many aspects of your student life. Joining clubs, sports and societies is a great way to try new things, develop your skills, meet new people and fill your social calendar up as much as you like. With over 175 clubs and societies, we're sure you'll find your people at Lancaster. Beyond socialising, your Students' Union is here to represent and support you. The Union provides advice, guidance and advocacy on just about all student matters. They'll support your personal development too with opportunities to volunteer and get involved with how your Union is run.



You can find out more about the Students' Union by visiting us in the Students' Union Village in Great Hall Square or attending a talk at 1.00pm in County South Lecture Theatre (Map ref COS).

You can also find out more on student life at Lancaster by attending our Student Q&A Panel in Cavendish Colloquium Room (Map ref FAR) at 11.00am and 2.00pm.

Green Lancaster

If you want to get involved at a grassroots level with environmental projects at Lancaster, look no further than Green Lancaster. Green Lancaster, a fully incorporated programme of the Students' Union, run various projects for students to join in with – from planting trees on campus, to upcycling household goods, to wellbeing walks in nature and sustainability and leadership development.



Staying active

Whether you're serious about sport or not, there are plenty of opportunities to stay active at Lancaster. You might find yourself training for the Roses tournament, or simply enjoying an afternoon wander through the woods, it's up to you. Our sports facilities are available to all.

Our recently expanded Sport Centre has something for everyone. It features the latest in sporting facilities, including a swimming pool, climbing wall and health and fitness suites. You'll be able to access courts, games areas, full size sports fields and pitches to suit a range of activities. Our perimeter boasts a woodland walk and trim trail too for those who like to stay active in nature.

Drop into the Sports Centre (Map ref SPC) to take a look around the fantastic facilities.

Our woodland walk takes you all around campus and even joins pedestrian routes into Lancaster city. It's well worth exploring and offers a space for calm if you're looking for time to reflect on a busy Open Day.



Tip

Ask ambassadors about Roses, our annual varsity competition with the University of York

Your library

At the heart of our campus you will find our library. Open 24/7 in term time, it offers a variety of technology-enabled work spaces for individual study through to larger spaces designed for teamwork. There are plenty of study spaces across campus but for many, the library is a firm favourite. Visit to find out why and chat to library staff about what other services the library can offer you. Guided tours from the library are available on demand, just visit the information desk (Map ref LIB).

You're free to explore the library without a guide, any time.

Tip

Ask ambassadors to tell you about Norma



Positive change for people and the planet



Fact

We're a Gold-rated
Hedgehog Friendly
Campus

Sustainability is at the heart of everything we do here and there are plenty of opportunities to get involved and make a difference. From joining one of our environmental student societies, to studying the impacts of climate change as part of your course, to learning green skills to help you become a future leader.

In 2020, we declared a Climate Emergency and we have taken many initiatives to reduce our environmental impact. Our wind turbine and future solar farm directly power our campus and operations, our cafés have increased the range of plant-based food options and we have increased our nature and green spaces by planting over 14,000 new bulbs and plants this year.

Tip

Refill your own
water bottle at our
cafés or water
fountains
for free

ReStore Lancaster

Shopping that is better for your budget – and the planet. ReStore Lancaster is a shop in the heart of campus that offers preloved clothing alongside affordable and eco-friendly products. A collaboration between the University and a local charity, St John's Hospice, the clothing sales helps to raise money for their vital work in the community. The shop also provides an eco-friendly beauty refill station and hosts events and volunteering opportunities for students.



Our green campus

Our beautiful 560-acre campus is situated in green parkland, with over 35,000 trees and plenty of green spaces to socialise with friends. Many students like to enjoy our woodland walk – a 2.6mile trail that follows the woodland surrounding the campus. The perfect place to unwind, breathe and relax in nature.



Fact

We have approx.
35,000 trees
across campus –
so much nature
to enjoy

Hire a bike

Our bike hire scheme offers students the convenience of cycling without the expense of owning your own bike, or the hassle of cycle maintenance. All our bikes are professionally maintained at the end of each term, so you can cycle with confidence knowing that your bike has been well taken care of – and you are free to enjoy the cycle paths around campus, with easy access to Lancaster city centre.



Support for your career



Your time at Lancaster University is not only about your studies, but also a chance to help prepare yourself for the future through personal and professional development, gaining work experience, and proactive career management.

At Lancaster, we are dedicated to providing you with the best opportunities to begin your career. We know that it can be daunting to start thinking about your future, so our team of experienced careers professionals will be on-hand to give you the support you need throughout your student life.

Our Careers and Employability Service staff are available for appointments regarding placements, internships and part time jobs, as well as how we can help you find the right graduate opportunity after your studies. You can also

learn about how you can meet employers, access individual careers support, and find out about the many different opportunities delivered by the service that give you the chance to develop new skills, grow a professional network, and enhance your CV.

If you would like to find out more information about the Careers and Employability Service at Lancaster University, you can come along and be inspired by our Careers and Employability presentation at 11.00am in Faraday Lecture Theatre (Map ref FAR).

Live Music at Lancaster

Lancaster has an incredible music history, for 15 years, from 1970 until 1985, Lancaster University was one of the great centres for live rock music.

Bob Marley, The Who, Pink Floyd, Paul McCartney, Black Sabbath, U2, Dire Straits, Van Morrison, Eric Clapton, Tina Turner, Queen, T. Rex, Blondie, Ramones, The Pretenders, and AC DC are just some of the acts who appeared on stage in the Great Hall. Over 500 bands played in the Great Hall during this period, earning Lancaster a permanent place in rock history.

If music and performing is of interest to you there are several opportunities available as a student at Lancaster. Cartmel College has its own soundproofed music room which students can book the space out for solo or group practice. There is a selection of instruments to borrow,

including guitars, keyboard, and electronic drum kit. Pendle College has a music room with a piano.

The colleges and Student's Union have lots of opportunities for student artists and bands to perform. Lancaster also has its very own Music Festival in October where students can audition to perform along with open mic nights and other music events in venues across the city.

You can sample some live music throughout the Open Day in Alexandra Square or in the open colleges.



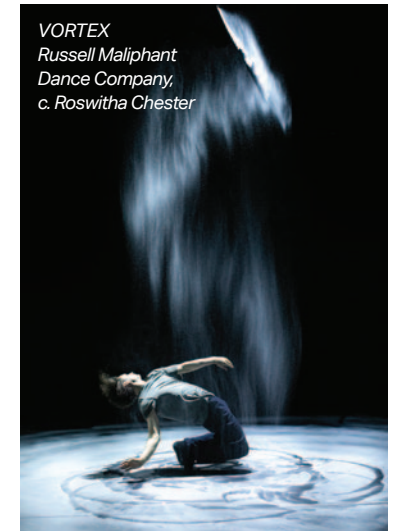
Lancaster Arts

Lancaster Arts (LA) is Lancaster University's professional contemporary arts organisation, offering opportunities to engage with vibrant, inspiring and challenging art and artists right here in Lancaster.

Our work happens in the University's dedicated arts venues, the Nuffield Theatre, the Great Hall and the Peter Scott Gallery, but also out and about across the University campus and in the city and wider region.

We have a long-established artistic reputation for the creation, development and presentation of cutting edge contemporary arts and are proud to be part of Arts Council England's portfolio as a combined arts organisation.

For students, we offer more than the chance to see and participate in thought-provoking art. Our student volunteering programme provides behind-the-scenes insights, the chance to build skills and experience and to connect with others within and beyond the University.



Your neighbourhood

The city of Lancaster is a wonderful campus neighbour. About three miles north of the University, it boasts fascinating heritage and stunning architecture giving student life an impressive setting.

Further afield, we're lucky to have the stunning North West coastline, Trough of Bowland and the Lake District right on our doorstep.

You'll find names you recognise on our high street like Nando's, Primark, JD Sports, Zizzi's, Boots and more. And, there's plenty of pubs, bars and entertainment to suit every vibe. But, it's Lancaster's hidden gems, independents and DIY approach to culture that make our city special.

Take advantage of the free shuttle service to the train station running to and from campus throughout the day, taking you straight to the city centre. Catch the shuttle bus from outside the Chaplaincy Centre (Map ref CPC).

The shuttle service will run until 4.30pm.



Guided City Tour

To find out more about our beautiful city join us for a guided tour where you will be shown key locations in the heart of the city to give you a flavour of Lancaster.

Scan the QR code to book.



Self-Guided City Tour

It's a short ride from campus into the heart of historic Lancaster, so whilst you're visiting us, why not also pop into the city? Our self-guided tour will take you around the city at your own pace, showing you the history, culture and sights of Lancaster



General information

Dietary requirements

With full Allergen Accreditation across campus, suitable meals are always provided for all 14 allergens and other main food intolerances at Lancaster University-owned bars, cafes, and restaurants. You can check each dish for allergen awareness by using FoodChecker in these food and drink outlets.

Wi-Fi

Stay connected during your visit by connecting to our LU-Visitor Wi-Fi network.

Safety information

In the event of an emergency, please contact our security team. Dial 444 on any internal phone or call 01524 594541 from an outside line.

Smoking in any University building and under the covered walkway is not permitted.

If the fire alarm sounds continuously, please leave the building by the nearest fire exit. Our staff and student ambassadors will direct you to the nearest assembly point.

Quiet zone

A dedicated quiet room can be found in A29 next to Furness Lecture Theatres (Map ref FUR).

First aid

If you require any first aid, please notify a member of staff or student ambassador who will be able to direct you to your nearest first aid point.

Lost and found

Anything that we find on the day will be taken to our Welcome Centre (Map ref WEL). If you have lost anything, please get in touch on 01524 593836.

Photography

Lancaster University will be taking photographs throughout the course of the Open Days. These images will be used by Lancaster University to publicise our future events and may be used across print and digital media formats including publications, websites and social media.

Getting to campus

Exit the M6 motorway at Junction 33 and take the A6 north towards Lancaster. After Galgate village turn right at the second traffic lights into the University main drive. From here our car parking team will direct you. If using route planner or sat nav please use postcode LA1 4YW.

If travelling by train you can catch our free shuttle service from the exit on platform 3 straight to the Chaplaincy Centre (Map ref CPC) from 8.00am. The last shuttle service back to the train station is at 4.30pm from the Chaplaincy Centre.

Getting around campus

There are lots of Student Ambassadors dotted around campus if you need directions. You can also navigate around campus using our interactive map.



MazeMap



Continue the conversation

We hope you get the chance to ask plenty of questions during the Open Day, but just because the day is over, it doesn't mean that the conversation has to end.

Join our students at one of our "Student Life at Lancaster" Unibuddy events, where you can hear their stories, chat to them about their experiences and ask any questions you might have.

The events are taking place on the 19th September and 17th October, 5.00pm - 6.30pm.

For further details, dates and booking, simply follow the QR code below.



Important information

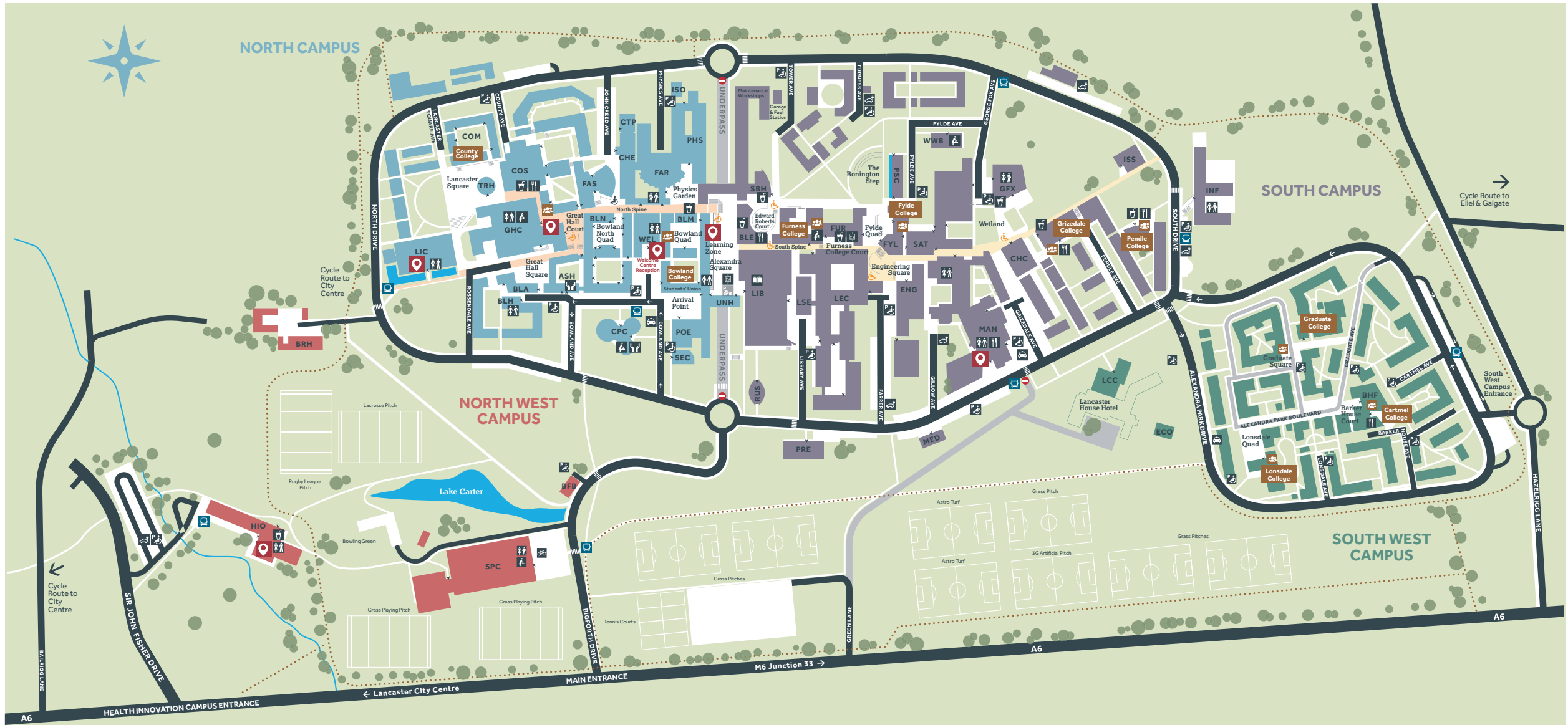
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Contract terms for students

The University strives to provide excellence in teaching and research, and to enhance the student experience by focusing on the needs of our students and by seeking to instil a shared sense of inclusiveness, collegiality, and community. Underpinning this partnership, the University has a supportive set of regulations, policies, and procedures, which are designed to protect and maintain both academic quality and your rights and responsibilities as students of our University. The Student Contract sets out these rights and responsibilities, and states the obligations of both parties to each other. Further information can be found at lancaster.ac.uk/terms.

Your Open Day Schedule

Time	Activity	Location	Notes
9.00am			
10.00am			
11.00am			
12.00pm			
1.00pm			
2.00pm			
3.00pm			



Open Day Campus Map

An A3 size map will be available from the Check-in Points on the day.

- SYMBOL KEY**
- Check-in Point and Information Points
 - Accessible Parking
 - Baby Change
 - Building Entrance Point
 - Bus Stops
 - Shuttle Stop
 - Colleges
 - College Bar & Social Space

- Electric Vehicle Charging Point
- Library
- Lift Access
- Prayer Room
- Restaurant
- Shops/Refreshments
- Student Residence
- Taxi Rank
- Toilets

- WALKS & ROUTES**
- North Spine Accessible Route
 - South Spine Accessible Route
 - Woodland Walk
- CAMPUS ZONES**
- North Campus
 - North West Campus
 - South Campus
 - South West Campus

- NORTH WEST CAMPUS**
- HIO Health Innovation One**
 - Clinical Anatomy Learning Centre
 - Faculty of Health & Medicine Offices
 - Health Research
 - HIC Team
 - Lancaster Medical School
 - SPC Sports Centre**
- ALEXANDRA SQUARE**

NORTH CAMPUS

- BLA Bowland Annexe**
- COM County Main**
- COS County South**
 - County South Lecture Theatre
 - Private Dining Room (PDR)
 - Marketplace
- BLH Bowland Hall**
 - Guest Room Reception
- BLM Bowland Main**
 - Bowland Lecture Theatre (Cinema)
 - Learning Zone
 - Students' Union
- BLN Bowland North**
 - Elizabeth Livingston Lecture Theatre
 - Marcus Merriman Lecture Theatre
- CPC Chaplaincy**
- CHE Chemistry Building**

- CHE Chemistry Building**
- County College**
- County South**
 - Cavendish Lecture Theatre
 - Colloquium Rooms
 - Faraday Lecture Theatre
 - Frankland Lecture Theatre
 - Mock Court Room
- FAR Faraday Complex**
 - FASS Building
 - Offices
 - Margaret Fell Lecture Theatre
- GHC Great Hall Complex**
 - Nuffield Theatre
 - Peter Scott Gallery
- LIC LICA Building**
- PHS Physics Building**

SOUTH CAMPUS

- CHC Charles Carter**
 - Charles Carter Lecture Theatre
- ENG Engineering Building**
- FUR Furness Building**
 - Furness Lecture Theatres 1-3
- Furness College**
- FYL Fylde Building**
 - Fylde Lecture Theatres 1-3
- Fylde College**
- GFX George Fox**
 - George Fox Lecture Theatres 1-6

- Grizedale College**
 - INF Infolab**
 - LEC Lancaster Environment Centre**
 - Biology Lecture Theatre
 - LIB Library**
 - MAN Management School**
 - Management School Lecture Theatres 1-19
 - PSC Postgraduate Statistics Centre**
 - SAT Science & Technology Building**
 - WWB Whewell Building**
- SOUTH WEST CAMPUS**
- BHF Barker House Farm**
 - Cartmel College**
 - ECO EcoHub**
 - Graduate College**
 - LCC Lancaster House Hotel**
 - Lonsdale College**



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