Our campus by the city.

**Parkinson Building**
The iconic landmark building of the University

**Laidlaw Library**
Designed for our undergraduate students

**North-east quarter**
Brings together engineering, computing and physical sciences

**St George’s Field**
A beautiful green space in the heart of campus

**Edward Boyle Library**
Includes a postgraduate-only Research Hub

**Leeds University Union**
Shops, cafés, music venues and home to our clubs and societies

**Western campus**
Home to our Business School and School of Law

**Leeds city centre**
Only a 10-minute walk from campus

**Leeds train station**
Only a 15-minute walk from campus

**Leeds General Infirmary**

**The Edge**
Swimming pool, gym and sports halls
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Information provided by the University, such as in presentations, University brochures and on the University website, is accurate at the time of first disclosure. However, courses, University services and content of publications remain subject to change. Changes may be necessary to comply with the requirements of accrediting bodies or to keep courses contemporary through updating practices or areas of study. Circumstances may arise outside the reasonable control of the University leading to required changes. Such circumstances include industrial action, unexpected student numbers, significant staff illness (where a course is reliant upon a person’s expertise), unexpected lack of funding, severe weather, fire, civil disorder, political unrest, government restrictions and serious concern with regard to the transmission of serious illness making a course unsafe to deliver. After a student has taken up a place with the University, the University will look to give early notification of any changes and try to minimise their impact, offering suitable alternative arrangements or forms of compensation where it believes there is a fair case to do so. The latest key information on courses, entry requirements and fees can be found at courses.leeds.ac.uk and www.leeds.ac.uk/pgr.
Please check these websites before making any decisions.
Welcome to Leeds

Come and join us in one of the UK’s most diverse and student-friendly cities. Be part of a world top 100 university, with excellent teaching and a focus on your future.

The University of Leeds is a leading UK university, established in 1904. We’re a global community, so you’ll have chance to meet and work with staff and students from all over the world.

We’ll help you reach your potential by:
- challenging you academically and personally
- helping you develop the skills needed for employability
- supporting you every step of the way

Find the course or postgraduate research opportunity for you at courses.leeds.ac.uk and www.leeds.ac.uk/pgr

COVID-19 updates
We understand that you may have concerns about the ongoing coronavirus (COVID-19) situation and your plans to study with us at Leeds. Keep checking our website for the latest updates.
www.leeds.ac.uk/covid19faqs

Find out more

Attend an event
Explore subject areas, meet our staff and chat to students at our virtual events and in-person events and fairs.
www.leeds.ac.uk/visitus

Explore campus
Take a look around some of our study facilities, accommodation and campus spaces with our 360-degree tour.
virtualcampustour.leeds.ac.uk

Chat to our students
Learn about life at Leeds from current students, through chat, blog posts and live events.
www.leeds.ac.uk/linktoleeds

Talk to a representative in your country
We have:
- offices in China, Nigeria, India and Malaysia
- a global network of representatives who can advise you about applying to study with us
www.leeds.ac.uk/meetus

Contact us
study@leeds.ac.uk

Connect with us

Top 100 university in the world
QS World University Rankings 2023
Research that makes a difference

Our research tackles the big issues affecting today’s world. Here are some of the ways our discoveries are making a real difference to society.

**Combining engineering and immunology**
We’ve pioneered a technique to avoid rejection of transplant tissue by combining our medical engineering and medical immunology expertise.

**Empowering conflict survivors**
We’re supporting young conflict survivors across the world through a project which helps them use creative media to understand and share their experiences.

**Understanding COVID-19**
Our Astbury Centre for Structural Molecular Biology is part of an international collaboration using computer simulation to discover new antiviral drugs to treat COVID-19.

**Estimating sea level rises**
An international team, including researchers from Leeds, are estimating sea level rises more accurately, using satellite data to generate information on polar ice thickness and melting rates.

Over 90% of our research submitted was rated ‘world leading’ or ‘internationally excellent’

REF 2021

Learn from experts, make an impact and shape the world around you for years to come.
My lecturers were involved in the latest robotics research that impacts our lives in a big way. I learnt the theory in the classroom and then applied it practically in the lab. I enjoyed the hands-on element of working with electronics and mechanics. For one of my projects, I designed a robotic arm for a drone that could pick up and place objects. It's great how you can think outside the box at Leeds.

Jefferson Sanchez
Pictured in the National Instruments Active Learning Laboratory

Shaped by research.

Studying a degree that crossed different disciplines helped Jefferson to develop a deep understanding of his subject and bring his own inventions to life.

Research-based learning

You’ll join a leading UK research university and one of the top 100 universities in the world (QS World University Rankings 2023).

We’re a founding member of the prestigious Russell Group of 24 research-intensive universities. This means research is at the heart of your learning at Leeds, whatever your level of study.

Our courses are designed and taught by staff who are experts in their fields. Their research feeds directly into your course, so you can hear about the latest breakthroughs, even before they’re published.

It’s a collaborative culture, encouraging researchers at Leeds to connect across and within disciplines.

Undergraduate and Masters students

As an undergraduate or Masters student, you’ll carry out a research project, which gives you the chance to develop and apply your research skills and make your own discoveries. We’ll encourage you to develop a researcher mindset – investigating, questioning and improving.

Postgraduate researchers

As a postgraduate researcher, you can be confident you’ll have structured supervision that challenges and supports you. Our Doctoral College connects you with other researchers and puts you in touch with the services, guidance and opportunities you need.
Inspirational teaching

We'll encourage you to challenge and question, and to be an active partner in your own learning.

You'll study among inspirational academics, world experts who share your passion for your subject.

Your learning experience

We'll work in partnership with you, learning, debating and exploring new knowledge together.

In addition to your learning and teaching on campus, you'll also benefit from a variety of digital technologies to enhance your learning experience.

At undergraduate level, you could broaden your learning beyond your subject area through discovery themes. leedsforlife.leeds.ac.uk/broadening

We'll help you reach your full potential at Leeds. When you leave us, you'll be ready to make an impact in the world.

Digital learning

You'll benefit from:

- the latest digital learning technology in some teaching spaces, so you can work with other students and interact with your lecturers
- access to video and audio recordings of most of your lectures and other learning activities through our Virtual Learning Environment

Academic support

There's lots of support to help you adjust to studying here, through:

- English language support, available before you start and while you're studying – see page 13 and 61
- academic study skills advice and workshops – see page 12 and 18
- your personal tutor (undergraduate and Masters) or supervisor (postgraduate research)

Leading research facilities

Enhance your learning with the outstanding facilities of a leading research-intensive university.

We're continually investing in our campus to make sure you benefit from the very best facilities and the data and insights they provide.

Whatever your specialism, we'll encourage you to collaborate with others in different disciplines to create new knowledge and insights.

Special Collections

The University's Special Collections contains rare books, manuscripts and artworks for primary research.

Laboratories and clinical facilities

Science, technology, engineering and maths students can develop their knowledge and techniques using industry-standard clinical and laboratory facilities.

Studio, workshop and performance spaces

Art, design, theatre and music students can refine their skills in fully equipped studios, workshops and performance spaces.

M&S Company Archive

The archive of this well-known British company is housed on campus and offers exciting research opportunities across disciplines, from business to textiles.

Explore campus

virtualcampustour.leeds.ac.uk
Your learning environment

You’ll find everything you need to support your studies. We’re continually investing in our campus – from new laboratories and lecture theatres to one of the most impressive libraries in the UK.

Libraries
The University Library is one of the UK’s major academic research libraries. You’ll have access to four libraries on campus, each offering a different working environment to suit how you want to work. They’re all equipped with the latest technology and have spaces for group and individual study.

Our Laidlaw Library was purpose-built for undergraduate students. The Research Hub in the Edward Boyle Library is a dedicated space for researchers and postgraduates, with extra-large study desks – especially useful when writing up your research. The Brotherton Library is our oldest library, a beautiful historic space in which you can work and access rare books and manuscripts in the Brotherton Research Centre.

You can also benefit from friendly advice and academic skills support from expert Library staff.

library.leeds.ac.uk

Computers and software
High-speed wi-fi across campus and 24-hour computer clusters let you study when and where you like on campus. Teaching spaces with the latest digital technology help you learn collaboratively and interactively.

Collaboration tools, like Teams, Zoom and China Connect, allow you to connect from anywhere.

You’ll have access to a range of standard and specialist software, including Office 365, linked to your University account and available anywhere.

You can access personalised content (like your timetable and library record) through the UniLeeds app.

You can get lots of help and support from our IT Service Desk.

it.leeds.ac.uk

English and other languages
Improve your academic English with the University’s Language Centre. A pre-sessional course can help you meet the English language requirements of your undergraduate or postgraduate course (see page 61). Our teaching staff will help you improve your academic English and prepare you for life at a UK university.

Once you’ve started studying with us, you can access learning materials from our Language Zone in different languages, including English. As well as a study and resource centre on campus, we offer online advice and digital resources, and language learning activities to help you study – all for free.

We also provide free English language workshops and one-to-one consultations alongside your degree.

www.leeds.ac.uk/languagecentre

Explore campus
virtualcampustour.leeds.ac.uk
Your future career.

You’re focused on your future. We are too. Make the most of everything Leeds offers to help you succeed.

Develop your employability

We understand that developing your employability alongside your academic studies is a priority. You’ll have lots of opportunities to build your practical and transferable skills, and to benefit from careers events and advice.

We design our courses to be relevant to industry through:

- well-established links with leading organisations
- work placement opportunities and talks by industry experts
- tutors, who are also industry consultants and practitioners, sharing their experience with you
- professional accreditation and industrial advisory boards, which ensure courses meet employer needs

The academic school which runs your course can tell you about its employability focus.

5th most targeted UK university by graduate recruiters

The Graduate Market in 2022 High Fliers Research
A placement year at Leeds International Piano Competition helped Vaiva develop her skills and find her career path.

My placement, as a campaigns coordinator, was advertised on the University’s Careers Service website and staff helped me prepare my application. I learned piano for eight years, so finding this opportunity was incredible! It also gave me chance to work in the arts, which I’ve loved. I’ve realised it’s what I want to do. I’ve developed so many useful skills, such as leadership, project management and networking, and gained so much confidence too. Now I can’t wait for the competition to happen!

Hitting the right note.

Vaiva Paulauskaite
Pictured in the University’s School of Music

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**Gain practical experience**

**Build your skills and understanding through:**

- project work, fieldwork or work placements – included in many of our undergraduate and postgraduate courses
- short placement or internship opportunities outside your course – advertised through our Careers Service and your academic school
- part-time jobs – advertised through the students’ union Joblink website joblink.luu.org.uk
- an undergraduate work placement year – extending your degree to work in a business or other organisation. Check if the undergraduate degree you're interested in offers this at courses.leeds.ac.uk
- internship and ambassadorial opportunities at the University – a great way to build your skills and confidence while being paid

There are some restrictions on the work (paid and unpaid) international students can do. Check what your visa allows and talk to our International Student Office if you’re unsure.

**Develop transferable skills**

Transferable skills – such as spoken and written communication and teamworking – are important whatever degree you study. You’ll use them throughout your career and many employers look for them.

Your course or research will help you develop skills like problem-solving, analytical skills and creative thinking.

Free workshops and advice from our Skills@Library service can help you strengthen your skills in writing, presentation and time management.

**Volunteering**

Volunteering is a great way to broaden your experience and develop transferable skills while giving something back to the local community. There are lots of volunteering opportunities you can get involved in once you’re here. Thousands of our students volunteer for local community groups and charities every year. luu.org.uk/volunteering-opportunities

**Prepare for your future**

Leeds for Life helps you make the most of your time at Leeds and prepare for your future. It helps you explore student opportunities, curriculum options and support services, and succeed in a way that works for you. leedsforlife.leeds.ac.uk

**Enterprise at Leeds**

There are opportunities to develop your entrepreneurial skills as part of your studies – on an enterprise-related course or, for undergraduates, through broadening your knowledge through discovery themes (see page 10).

If you're inspired to start your own business, Spark, our business start-up service, can help you develop your idea into a viable business. There are also some great enterprise-focused student societies where you can develop your skills and get practical experience (see page 28). www.leeds.ac.uk/studententerprise

**Study abroad**

Most of our undergraduate courses offer you the chance to study abroad as part of your degree. We have one of the widest ranges of study abroad opportunities in the UK. You could take part in a summer school in Europe, Asia or Latin America or extend your degree to include a study abroad year. www.leeds.ac.uk/studyabroad
Career advice and information

Whether you are a student or researcher, our Careers Service offers a range of events, online resources and personal advice and support, including information specially for international students.

Make use of our online resources and personal support to understand your strengths and market yourself effectively. Get advice on résumé writing, job applications and interview skills.

Our many careers events, presentations and workshops can help you understand what employers are looking for and make valuable connections. Events often involve overseas employers and international alumni.

You’ll also find internships, placements and support in finding graduate jobs through our Careers Service website. students.leeds.ac.uk/careers

Help from our alumni

As a student or researcher at Leeds, you can access one of the biggest alumni communities of any UK university – a global network of more than 310,000 Leeds graduates in 197 countries.

You’ll have chance to connect with alumni around the world and benefit from the mentoring, talks, internships and scholarship opportunities they provide.

Building your researcher profile

Your personalised training plan, agreed between you and your supervisor, is the cornerstone of your professional development. To help you develop the skills relevant to your research and future career, we offer workshops, courses and seminars specially designed for postgraduate researchers.

As a postgraduate researcher, sharing your research and building your professional profile, including through conference presentations, are crucial. Our Doctoral College and your academic school offer opportunities to connect with other researchers and training to help you realise your professional goals. www.leeds.ac.uk/doctoralcollege

Make connections.

Ahmed’s Masters moved his career to the next level. As an alumni mentor, he now shares his industry experience and advises today’s students.

“I’ve had the chance to showcase my research at international conferences. I’ve also been published in some open access journals, with the help and support of the University and my supervisor.”

Vicente Merida

I was already working in the automotive industry, but knew I needed more knowledge in certain areas. My Masters and dissertation project developed understanding and skills I now use all the time in my job. The University helped me get where I am today. Giving something back as an alumni mentor is the least I can do.

Ahmed Oshinibosi

Pictured at Bentley Motors, Crewe

Ahmed’s Masters moved his career to the next level. As an alumni mentor, he now shares his industry experience and advises today’s students.
An international community.

Advice, help and support services – before you arrive and while you’re here.

International student support

We’ve been welcoming international students for over 100 years, so you can be sure of experienced help and support.

Before you arrive

Our team of immigration experts can give you free advice on immigration law and requirements. They can also help you with the visa application process.

www.leeds.ac.uk/immigration

We'll provide information and services to help you prepare for travel to the University and to welcome you on arrival.

www.leeds.ac.uk/internationalwelcome

We hold and attend a range of virtual and in-country events to give advice on life as an international student in Leeds.

www.leeds.ac.uk/visitstoyourcountry

We have overseas offices in China, Nigeria, India and Malaysia, as well as a global network of representatives who can advise you about studying here.

www.leeds.ac.uk/meetus

Chat to our students
www.leeds.ac.uk/linktoleeds

37th most international university in the world

Times Higher Education 2022
Arriving in Leeds
When you arrive in Leeds, our Welcome team will give you all the information you need to help you settle in during your first few days. We also offer an airport pick-up service on key dates. We will tell you about this before you arrive.

You’ll be invited to our international orientation activities, a free programme of useful information sessions and social activities. It’s an ideal way to be introduced to life at Leeds and to help you make new friends.

Settling in
There are lots of ways to make friends at the University. Enjoy your favourite interests and hobbies or try out new ones through the many clubs and societies at Leeds University Union (see page 28).

Meet students from all around the world at our weekly Global Café. Explore amazing nearby countryside through weekend walking trips as part of the Get Out, Get Active programme (see page 29).

Ongoing support
There is lots of support to help you throughout your time at Leeds, including visa and immigration advice and activities specifically for international students. Find out more about support and being an international student at Leeds at www.leeds.ac.uk/internationalstudents

Chat to our students
www.leeds.ac.uk/linktoleeds

Our single-site campus is just a short walk away from the centre of our thriving, multicultural city.
On campus

Join our global community and immerse yourself in student life at Leeds.

Common Ground, a space to relax in Leeds University Union

The gym at The Edge, one of our indoor sports facilities

Hugo, our camionnette café, in the main precinct, opposite The Refectory

Explore campus
virtualcampustour.leeds.ac.uk

Café space outside the Edward Boyle Library

Learn about growing food in our sustainable garden

Smokefree campus
We’ve created a smokefree campus for everyone’s health and wellbeing
students.leeds.ac.uk/smokefree

Sign for Art sculpture in Beech Grove Plaza

The Stanley & Audrey Burton Gallery
Your students’ union

You’ll join one of the best and most active students’ unions in the country. Its mission is to make sure you love your time at Leeds.

Leeds University Union (LUU) brings together our student community and is 100% student led. It’s a place to meet, work, socialise and relax. It also offers independent help, advice, support and representation.

The Union building is in the middle of campus. You can buy most things there – from everyday groceries and University clothing to books and stationery.

The Union has cafés, bars and clubs, as well as performance spaces. Top bands and artists play there too.

luu.org.uk

Get involved

With more than 300 student-led clubs and societies, you’ll find like-minded people, whatever your interests. Football, debating, theatre, gaming, dance, photography, skydiving, even Quidditch are just a few of your options. There are different national and faith societies too. Give it a Go sessions are a great way to try something new. And if you and your friends want to take part in an activity which doesn’t have a club, the Union will help you set one up.

luu.org.uk/clubs-and-societies

More than 300 clubs and societies for you to choose from

“I spend most of my free time in the societies. It’s a great way to relax and there’s a real sense of community. I’ve made lots of friends through the K-pop dance society and this has exposed me to different cultures.”

Adeline Wong

Sport and fitness

Keep fit, unwind and socialise with a whole range of sport and fitness opportunities.

The Edge, our indoor sports facility on campus, has a 250-station gym with the latest Technogym equipment, a 25m swimming pool, a sauna and steam room, squash courts, sports halls and a climbing wall. It also runs a wide variety of exercise classes in term-time and virtual classes on demand.

sport.leeds.ac.uk/the-edge

There are excellent outdoor sports facilities at nearby Sports Park Weetwood and Bodington Playing Fields, including a 1.6km lit outdoor cycling circuit. An outdoor centre in the Yorkshire Dales offers hiking, caving, mountain biking and climbing. There’s also a boat house next to Thwaite Mills in Stourton with direct access to the canal for rowing.

sport.leeds.ac.uk/facilities

Get involved

There are more than 70 sports clubs at Leeds, offering a chance to represent the University either individually or as part of a team in the British Universities and Colleges Sports (BUCS) leagues. Our Sport Scholarship programme supports elite athletes to achieve both sporting and academic excellence.

Our social leagues are a great way to play competitively against other student or staff teams, while our weekly social sport sessions offer non-competitive fun without regular commitment. The Get Out, Get Active programme gives you a chance to meet new people while exploring the beautiful Yorkshire countryside.

sport.leeds.ac.uk/sport

Explore campus

virtualcampustour.leeds.ac.uk
Wellbeing and support

The University offers lots of resources and information to support you.

Our student website provides the right help when you need it. You'll find information about money issues, health concerns, disability support and more.

students.leeds.ac.uk

Once you're here, our Student Information Points offer guidance on accommodation, registration, fees and funding.

Leeds University Union offers impartial help and support with any problems you may have as a student. Although the team specialises in housing, money and academic concerns, they can support you with anything. Their help is free and completely independent of the University.

luu.org.uk/student-advice

Medical care

Leeds Student Medical Practice is a National Health Service (NHS) doctors’ practice which cares for students and their immediate families. It's close to campus and offers all the usual general practitioner (GP) services. Read its advice for international students.

www.leedsstudentmedicalpractice.co.uk/international-students

If you need a visa to study in the UK, you will have to pay an immigration health surcharge when you make your visa application. This entitles you to health services under the NHS. The surcharge you pay is based on the length of your visa.

www.gov.uk/healthcare-immigration-application

If you need longer-term support or treatment, we'll help you find the most appropriate NHS or voluntary sector services.

students.leeds.ac.uk/supportandwellbeing

Support for disabled students

If you are a disabled student, we'll work with your academic school and other University services to ensure that we meet your needs and put in place any reasonable adjustments.

Don't wait until you start your course, contact us early so we can discuss your needs and arrange the right support before you get here.

students.leeds.ac.uk/disabledstudents

Student mental health and wellbeing

You can access free professional and confidential counselling, wellbeing and mental health support through groups, workshops, single-session consultations, short-term counselling and online self-help resources.

If you need longer-term support or treatment, we'll help you find the most appropriate NHS or voluntary sector services.

students.leeds.ac.uk/supportandwellbeing

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students.leeds.ac.uk/disabledstudents

Childcare on campus

The Bright Beginnings Childcare Centre, on campus, offers places for children between the ages of three months and five years (preschool). There's also provision in the school holidays for children aged between three and 11 years.

www.brightbeginningschildcare.co.uk

Multifaith campus

There are spaces on campus for prayer and quiet contemplation. In addition, the Emmanuel Centre is a place of welcome and friendship that can offer you support while you're here. You can join in with regular events or talk in confidence to one of our chaplains, who each have different faith backgrounds.

students.leeds.ac.uk/prayerandcontemplation
Leeds and Yorkshire.

A lively, cosmopolitan city in the centre of the UK. Easy access to London and mainland Europe. Beautiful countryside nearby. Just some of the reasons our students love Leeds.

Introducing Leeds

Leeds is at the heart of the UK – a regional hub for business, culture and sport, with a rich industrial heritage and everything you’d expect from one of the country’s largest and fastest-growing cities.

We’re a multicultural city, home to people of many nationalities and faiths. You’ll find places of worship to practise your religious beliefs and others who share them.

Food and ingredients from around the world are easy to find. Kirkgate Market in the city centre offers a huge range of fresh vegetables, fruit, spices and foods from many different countries.

There are several specialist international supermarkets in the city centre and most large supermarkets sell international foods.

There’s lots of green space in and around the city and stunning countryside all around us. The Yorkshire Dales and Peak District national parks, the North York Moors and the Lake District are all within easy reach.

Leeds is well connected, nationally and internationally, with excellent transport links. It’s only 30 minutes from Leeds Bradford international airport and one hour from Manchester airport. A rail service connects you to London and other parts of the country. There’s good, safe transport around the city too.

www.leeds.ac.uk/citylife

Explore all the great things to do in Leeds
www.visitleeds.co.uk

Chat to our students
www.leeds.ac.uk/linktoleeds
City life

Light Night Leeds, the UK’s largest annual arts and light festival

The Town Hall on the Leeds skyline

County Arcade, one of the city’s many historic shopping arcades

Live at Leeds music festival

Leeds Central Library and Art Gallery

Tour de Yorkshire cycle race

The food hall in Trinity Leeds shopping centre

Kirkstall Abbey, ruins of an 800-year-old Cistercian monastery

Scarborough, a seaside resort on the east coast
The campus is really close to the city centre and I like how handy everything is. I can walk into town to grab some shopping or meet some friends for a bite to eat. The Calls is one of my favourite places, as there are loads of lively riverside bars and restaurants to experience. I love being outdoors and exploring different hikes and trails – you can be in the Yorkshire countryside in less than 30 minutes, which is fantastic.

Rohan had heard lots of things about Leeds being one of the best student cities. He hasn’t been disappointed.
Living in Leeds

Leeds is a great place to live, with a wide range of accommodation options. Whether you’re looking for University or private accommodation, a flat, shared house or family home, we’re confident you’ll find something to meet your needs.

University accommodation

Our University accommodation can be a fantastic way to make new friends and feel part of our community. We offer a range of options, on and off campus, including postgraduate-only residences, different contract lengths and flexible payment methods.

Your rent includes all utility bills, internet access, contents insurance and free membership of The Edge, our sports, health and fitness facility (not included in family or summer accommodation). All our accommodation has a 24-hour security on-call service.

Get more information and view all our residences at accommodation.leeds.ac.uk

We guarantee* an offer of single University accommodation for new students paying international fees who apply before the deadline.

Private accommodation

Leeds has a wide range of good-quality private accommodation to suit all lifestyles and budgets.

The city centre offers smart, modern apartments, perfect for city living. Headingley and Hyde Park are just a short walk or bus ride from campus and are popular with both students and academics. Several suburbs offer family homes, good schools and green spaces.

Independent help and advice on all aspects of private accommodation is available from:

- Unipol, a student housing charity that works closely with the University
- the independent advice centre in the students’ union

www.unipol.org.uk
www.luu.org.uk/student-advice

Explore campus

virtualcampustour.leeds.ac.uk

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*Restrictions apply relating to deadlines, residence, academic fee status and level of study.
Your study options.

From summer school to taught or research degrees, there are many ways to study with us. You choose.

International foundation year routes

There are several international foundation year routes which allow you to progress to one of our courses.

University of Leeds International Foundation Year

Our Bachelor’s degree with integrated International Foundation Year begins with an International Foundation Year programme. Once you have successfully completed the initial foundation year, you will progress to one of more than 150 undergraduate degrees.

This foundation year is one of the most established and successful programmes of its type in the UK. For more than 30 years, our International Foundation Year has been helping high-achieving international students to realise their ambition of studying for an undergraduate degree at the University of Leeds. As it is integrated as part of your degree, it means your visa will cover the whole duration of your undergraduate studies.

Based on campus, all your teaching will be delivered by University of Leeds academics and you will be a full university student with access to all our facilities and accommodation.

Alongside academic study skills and English, you will study subject-specific, tailored modules, designed to ensure that you are fully prepared for your next years of undergraduate study.

www.leeds.ac.uk/international-foundation-year

Other foundation year options

International Foundation Year at Leeds International Study Centre (LISC)

If you don’t meet the entry requirements to study at the University of Leeds directly, Study Group offers an alternative International Foundation Year at LISC. This is a partnership between Study Group, the University of Leeds and Leeds Beckett University. It provides flexible entry requirements and start dates in September or January. Students are taught by Study Group staff and are based at the Centre’s teaching facilities in Headingley, an area of Leeds that is popular with students.

You will gain the academic knowledge and language skills that allow you to progress (when you’ve successfully completed the course) to Year 1 of a range of undergraduate degrees at the University of Leeds. LISC also offers International Year One preparation programmes in certain subjects, allowing progression to Year 2 of an undergraduate degree at the University of Leeds.

www.leedsisc.com

International Foundation Year with Northern Consortium UK (NCUK)

You can also choose to complete foundation year preparation in your home country. The University of Leeds is an owner member of NCUK, which delivers a range of undergraduate and postgraduate degree pathway qualifications specifically designed as preparation for international students. These qualifications include undergraduate International Foundation Year and International Year One programmes and a postgraduate Masters Preparation programme. NCUK provides an extensive network of study centres globally.

www.ncuk.ac.uk
Undergraduate courses

Our undergraduate degrees will give you a high level of academic knowledge, as well as great opportunities to develop your personal and professional skills. You can choose from single or joint honours and Integrated Masters courses. Many courses allow you to extend your degree and spend a year on work placement or studying abroad.

On all our courses – single and joint honours – you carry out a final-year research project. On an Integrated Masters course, you study for four years: the first three years at undergraduate level and the final year at postgraduate level.

Joint honours
This guide gives a general overview of our courses. For all the study options and subject combinations you can study, visit courses.leeds.ac.uk

Short-term study
If you can’t commit to degree study with us, you can still experience studying at the University of Leeds and life in the UK.

Study at the University, for a semester or academic year, alongside home and international students taking full degree courses. Choose from a wide range of modules across all faculties at undergraduate and postgraduate level. You may be able to transfer any credits you gain to your degree in your home country.

www.leeds.ac.uk/incomingstudyabroad

Masters courses

A Masters course offers the chance to study your subject at a higher level and enhance your career prospects. Our full-time Masters courses normally last up to 12 months. We also offer online-only courses and distance learning courses, which involve online study plus face-to-face meetings (subject to residential status).

You qualify as a Master of Arts (MA), a Master of Science (MSc) or other knowledge area. A Master of Research (MRes) is an advanced, research-based degree which helps to prepare you for PhD study or a research career.

www.leeds.ac.uk/masters

Postgraduate research

Studying for a research degree is about pushing the boundaries of knowledge. A doctorate normally takes three to four years of full-time study to complete.

Find out about our research projects, funding opportunities, research areas and supervisors at phd.leeds.ac.uk

Our subject areas and courses

At Leeds, research is at the heart of our teaching. Our staff are experts in their fields and will share the latest thinking with you.

Accounting, Economics, Finance, International Business, Management and Marketing
Leeds University Business School is one of a small number of business schools worldwide to be triple-accredited by AACSB, AMBA and EQUIS. Our courses combine professional practice, up-to-date business knowledge and research expertise, preparing you for the competitive global job market. We’re ranked top 10 in the UK for Business, Management and Marketing, and Accounting and Finance (The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2022 and Guardian University Guide 2022), and top 10 in the UK for Business and Economics (Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2022).

Undergraduate courses
Accounting and Finance
Banking and Finance
Business Economics
Business Management
Business Management and the Human Resource
Business Management with Marketing
Economics
Economics and Finance
Human Resource Management
International Business
International Business and Finance
International Business and Marketing

Read more about our postgraduate research opportunities on page 56

Find out about the undergraduate and Masters courses you can study courses.leeds.ac.uk
Biological Sciences
A world-leading destination for the study of biological sciences, we’re ranked top 20 in the UK for biosciences (Guardian University Guide 2022). Our courses are at the forefront of knowledge, reflecting the latest developments in the field of biological sciences.

Undergraduate courses
Biochemistry
Biological Sciences
(Biotechnology with Enterprise)
Biology
Biomedical Sciences
Ecology and Conservation Biology
Genetics
Human Physiology, Physical Activity & Health
Microbiology
Neuroscience
Pharmacology
Zoology

Masters courses
Biodiversity and Conservation
Biodiversity and Conservation with African Field Course
Biopharmaceutical Development
Bioscience
Biotechnology with Business Enterprise
Drug Discovery and Development
Global Conservation Science
Infection, Immunity and Human Disease
Neuroscience
Plant Science and Biotechnology
Precision Medicine: Genomics and Analytics

Chemistry, Physics and Natural Sciences
Experience our world-leading research and learn from academics at the cutting-edge of their field. Our courses will develop your specialist knowledge and research skills to prepare you for a career in both academia and industry.

Undergraduate courses
Chemistry
Chemistry and Mathematics
Medicinal Chemistry
Natural Sciences
Philosophy and Physics
Physics
Physics with Astrophysics
Theoretical Physics

Masters courses
Chemistry
Physics
Polymers, Colorants and Fine Chemicals

Computing
The School of Computing has a global reputation for its teaching and research, with over 1,500 students from over 55 countries studying with us. Our active research environment allows us to offer a range of exciting courses. Strong links with industry ensure our courses are current and match employers’ needs.

Undergraduate courses
Computer Science
Computer Science and Mathematics
Computer Science (Digital and Technology Solutions)
Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence
Computer Science with High-Performance Graphics and Games Engineering

Masters courses
Advanced Computer Science
Advanced Computer Science (Artificial Intelligence)
Advanced Computer Science (Cloud Computing)
Advanced Computer Science (Data Analytics)
Artificial Intelligence (online)
Data Science and Analytics for Health
High-Performance Graphics and Games Engineering

Design
We’re ranked top 10 in the UK for art and design (Complete University Guide 2023). Our courses are designed to meet commercial, cultural and technological needs, now and in the future. Combining theory, practice and research, we aim to develop our students as ‘added value’ innovators who can use aesthetics and technology to generate creative concepts and products.

Undergraduate courses
Art and Design
Fashion Design Innovation
Fashion Marketing
Graphic and Communication Design
Sustainable Fashion

Masters courses
Advertising and Design
Design
Digital Design Futures
Fashion, Enterprise and Society
Global Fashion Management
International Fashion Marketing and Design Management (online)
Textile Sustainability and Innovation

Find out about the undergraduate and Masters courses you can study courses.leeds.ac.uk
Education
We’re ranked top 10 in the UK for education (Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2022) and 1st in the UK for childhood and youth studies (Complete University Guide 2023). Our courses are taught by an international team of leading academics who are experts in their fields.

Undergraduate courses
Childhood Studies
Education
Psychology with Education

Masters courses
Childhood Studies
Deaf Education (with or without Teacher of the Deaf qualification)
Digital Education
Education
Special Educational Needs
TESOL
TESOL (China)
TESOL Studies

Engineering
Comprising four schools, we’re one of the largest engineering groupings in the UK. We focus on interdisciplinary collaboration while delivering world-renowned research and teaching.

We’re ranked top 100 in the world for chemical engineering in the QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022, 2nd in the UK for civil engineering in the Guardian University Guide 2022, and top 10 in the UK for electrical and electronic engineering and mechanical engineering in the Complete University Guide 2023.

Undergraduate courses
Aeronautical and Aerospace Engineering
Architecture
Automotive Engineering
Aviation Technology with Pilot Studies and Management
Chemical Engineering
Chemical and Energy Engineering
Chemical and Materials Engineering
Chemical and Nuclear Engineering
Civil Engineering
Civil and Environmental Engineering
Civil and Structural Engineering
Civil Engineering with Transport
Electronic and Electrical Engineering
Materials Science and Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Mechatronics and Robotics
Medical Engineering

Masters courses
Advanced Chemical Engineering
Advanced Mechanical Engineering
Aerospace Engineering
Automotive Engineering
Communications and Signal Processing
Electrical Engineering and Renewable Energy Systems
Electronic and Electrical Engineering
Embedded Systems Engineering
Energy and Environment
Engineering Management (online)
Engineering Project Management
Engineering, Technology and Business Management
Environmental Engineering and Project Management
Geotechnical Engineering
International Construction Management and Engineering
Materials Science and Engineering
Mechatronics and Robotics
Medical Engineering
Petroleum Production Engineering
Railway Engineering with Project Management
Structural Engineering
Transport Infrastructure: Design and Construction
Water, Sanitation and Health Engineering

English
The School of English is a large, diverse and dynamic learning community with a wide range of research and subject areas. We’re ranked 32nd in the world for English language and literature in the QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022.

Our undergraduate joint honours courses offer exciting combinations of two subjects in one degree. Some courses can only be studied as joint honours. The list below shows just some of our courses (single and joint honours). For all the options and subject combinations you can study, visit courses.leeds.ac.uk

Undergraduate courses
English and Comparative Literature
English and Film Studies
English Language and Linguistics
English Language and Literature
English Literature
English Literature and Theatre Studies
English Literature with Creative Writing

Masters courses
Creative Writing and Critical Life
English Language
Postcolonial Literary and Cultural Studies

Find out about the undergraduate and Masters courses you can study courses.leeds.ac.uk
Fine Art, History of Art and Cultural Studies

The School of Fine Art, History of Art and Cultural Studies is ranked 8th for art and design in the UK (Complete University Guide 2023). It offers a unique combination of courses centred on the encounter between historical, cultural and theoretical analysis, museum and heritage studies, and fine art practice.

Undergraduate courses
- Cultural and Media Studies
- Fine Art
- Fine Art with Contemporary Cultural Theory
- Fine Art with History of Art
- History of Art
- History of Art with Cultural Studies

Masters courses
- Art Gallery and Museum Studies
- Arts Management and Heritage Studies
- Critical and Cultural Theory
- Fine Art
- Social History of Art

Food Science and Nutrition

We’re ranked 2nd in the UK for agriculture, forestry and food (Guardian University Guide 2022). We are globally renowned for our teaching and research across the whole spectrum of food science, from the molecular level to how food affects our body and how our diet is influencing our health. You’ll be taught by active researchers and visiting industry experts, preparing you for a career in one of the world’s biggest industries.

Undergraduate courses
- Food Science
- Food Science and Nutrition
- Nutrition

Masters courses
- Food Quality and Innovation
- Food Science
- Food Science and Nutrition
- Food Science (Food Biotechnology)
- Nutrition

Geography, Environment and Earth Sciences

Our reputation for world-class research and innovative teaching shapes your studies and offers the opportunity to work alongside academics at the forefront of research on major global issues.

We’re ranked 11th in the world for geography in ShanghaiRanking’s Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2021, 22nd in the world for geology and 26th in the world for geophysics in the QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022.

Undergraduate courses
- Economics and Geography
- Environment and Business
- Environmental Science
- Geography
- Geography with Environmental Mathematics
- Geography with Transport Studies
- Geology
- Geophysics
- Sustainability and Environmental Management

Masters courses
- Climate and Atmospheric Science
- Climate Futures: Science, Society and Politics
- Ecological Economics
- Engineering Geology
- Environment and Development
- Exploration Geophysics
- Geographical Information Science (online)
- Geographical Information Systems
- River Basin Management
- Structural Geology with Geophysics
- Sustainability and Business
- Sustainability and Consultancy
- Sustainable Cities
- Sustainable Food Systems
- Urban Data Science and Analytics

History and Medieval Studies

Ranked 11th in the UK for studying history (The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2022), we have an international reputation for innovative research and teaching in medieval studies, medical histories, military history, the histories of south and east Asia, Africa and the Americas, as well as European, British and international history.

Undergraduate courses
- Ancient History
- History
- International History and Politics

Masters courses
- Medieval Studies
- Modern History
- Race and Resistance
- Social and Cultural History
- War and Strategy

Find out about the undergraduate and Masters courses you can study courses.leeds.ac.uk
## Languages, Cultures and Societies

Our School is one of the UK’s leading centres for research and teaching in the field of languages, cultures and societies, both ancient and modern, as well as linguistics, translation and film studies. We’re ranked top 20 in the UK for modern languages and linguistics (Guardian University Guide 2022).

Our undergraduate joint honours courses offer exciting combinations of two subjects in one degree. Some courses can only be studied as joint honours. The list below shows just some of our courses (single and joint honours). For all the options and subject combinations you can study, visit [courses.leeds.ac.uk](http://courses.leeds.ac.uk).

### Undergraduate courses

- Ancient History
- Arabic, Islamic, Middle Eastern and North African Studies
- Asia Pacific Studies
- Chinese (Modern)
- Classical Civilisation
- Film Studies
- French
- German
- Islamic, Middle Eastern and North African Studies
- Italian
- Japanese
- Linguistics and Phonetics
- Modern Languages
- Modern Languages and Business or Economics
- Modern Languages and English or History or Philosophy
- Modern Languages and International Relations or Politics
- Modern Languages and Linguistics
- Portuguese
- Russian
- Spanish
- Spanish, Portuguese and Latin American Studies
- Thai Studies

### Masters courses

- Applied Translation Studies
- Arabic/English Translation
- Audiovisual Translation and Localisation
- Business and Public Service Interpreting and Translation Studies
- Conference Interpreting and Translation Studies
- Film Studies
- Linguistics
- Linguistics and English Language Teaching
- Professional Language and Intercultural Studies

## Law and Criminology

We’re ranked top 10 in the UK for law and top 3 in the UK for criminology (The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2022). You’ll deepen and broaden your knowledge of important aspects of law and criminal justice and develop the analytical and critical reasoning skills so vital in modern employment.

### Undergraduate courses

- Criminal Justice and Criminology
- Law
- Law (graduate programme)
- Law with French Law
- Law with German Law
- Law with Hispanic Law

### Masters courses

- Criminal Justice and Criminal Law
- Criminal Justice and Criminology
- Intellectual Property Law
- International Banking and Finance Law
- International Business Law
- International Corporate Law
- International Human Rights Law
- International Law and Global Governance
- International Trade Law
- Law (graduate programme)
- Law and Finance
- Law and Social Justice
- Security, Conflict and Justice

## Mathematics

As one of the UK’s largest mathematics departments, our expertise ranges from data science to fluid dynamics and financial statistics. This gives you the opportunity to specialise and focus on your future career. In the REF 2021, 98% of our research activity submitted was rated ‘world leading’ or ‘internationally excellent.’

### Undergraduate courses

- Actuarial Mathematics
- Economics and Mathematics
- Financial Mathematics
- Mathematics
- Mathematics and Statistics

### Masters courses

- Data Science and Analytics
- Mathematics
- Statistics
- Statistics with Applications to Finance

Find out about the undergraduate and Masters courses you can study [courses.leeds.ac.uk](http://courses.leeds.ac.uk)
Media and Communication
From political campaigns to popular culture and social networking, media and communication are at the centre of everyday life. We’re ranked 6th in the UK for communication and media studies (Complete University Guide 2023), offering degrees which emphasise choice and skills development.

Undergraduate courses
Communication and Media
Digital Media
Film, Photography and Media
Journalism

Masters courses
Communication and Media
Film, Photography and Media
International Communication
International Journalism
Media Industries
New Media
Political Communication
Promotional Media

Medicine, Dentistry, Healthcare and Psychology
We have an internationally excellent reputation for the outstanding quality of our teaching and research. Our goal is to improve quality of life, not only for individuals but also for society. With courses in dentistry, healthcare, medicine and psychology, we’ll help you make an impact, whatever your career.

Undergraduate courses
Audiology
Dental Surgery, Oral Science
Diagnostic Radiography
Healthcare Science (Cardiac Physiology)
Medicine and Surgery
Psychology
Advanced Psychology

Masters courses
Cancer Biology and Therapy
Cardiac Device and Rhythm Management
Cardiovascular Health and Disease
Clinical Education
Clinical Embryology (distance learning)
Clinical Embryology and Assisted Reproduction Technology
Cognitive Development and Disorders
Dental Materials
Dental Public Health
Diagnostic Imaging
Echocardiography
Health Informatics with Data Science
Health Research
International Health
Medical Imaging
Medicine (MRes)
Molecular Medicine
Oral Surgery
Paediatric Dentistry
Psychological Approaches to Health
Psychotherapy and Counselling
Public Health (International)
Systemic Family Therapy
Systemic Practice

Music, Theatre and Performance
Music and performance provide the creative means to express emotions and engage the mind – on stage and in the wider world. Our degrees offer a multidisciplinary approach to your studies in order to develop the critical, creative and entrepreneurial skills needed in the cultural industries.

Undergraduate courses
Global Creative Industries
Mathematics and Music
Music
Music (Performance)
Music and Music Psychology
Music, Multimedia and Electronics
Music with Enterprise
Theatre and Performance
Theatre and Performance with Enterprise

Masters courses
Applied Psychology of Music
Applied Theatre and Intervention
Arts Fundraising and Philanthropy
Audiences, Engagement, Participation
Critical and Applied Musicology
Critical and Experimental Composition
Culture, Creativity and Entrepreneurship
Global Performance and Cultural Industries
Music and Management
Music and Wellbeing
Performance
Performance Design
Writing for Performance and Digital Media

Find out about the undergraduate and Masters courses you can study courses.leeds.ac.uk
**Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work**

Ranked top 50 in the world for nursing and midwifery and top 10 in the UK for nursing (QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022), the School of Healthcare has an internationally excellent reputation for the outstanding quality of its teaching and research. You'll be taught by healthcare experts who are embracing technologies and modern facilities to deliver solutions that make an impact in the real world, right now. This means your future career will benefit from the latest thinking, insights and techniques.

**Undergraduate courses**
- Midwifery
- Nursing (Adult)
- Nursing (Child)
- Nursing (Mental Health)
- Social Work

**Masters courses**
- Advanced Clinical Practice
- Clinical Assessment
- Pharmacy Practice
- Psychotherapy and Counselling

**Philosophy, Religion and Applied Ethics**

We provide inspirational, innovative teaching and learning in philosophy, religion and the history of science. We're also home to the Inter-Disciplinary Ethics Applied Centre – a specialist unit for teaching, research, training and consultancy in applied ethics.

**Undergraduate courses**
- Liberal Arts
- Philosophy
- Philosophy and Physics
- Philosophy, Ethics and Religion
- Philosophy, Politics and Economics
- Philosophy, Psychology and Scientific Thought
- Religion, Politics and Society
- Theology and Religious Studies

**Masters courses**
- Applied and Professional Ethics (online)
- Biomedical and Healthcare Ethics
- Global Ethical Challenges
- Philosophy
- Philosophy of Religion and Ethics (online)
- Religion
- Science, History and Society

**Sociology, Social Policy, Politics and International Studies**

The School of Politics and International Studies is ranked top 50 in the world for development studies (QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022) and brings together an international staff and student community. The School of Sociology and Social Policy is top 10 in the UK for both sociology and social policy (The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2022), with research that informs and enriches your learning.

**Undergraduate courses**
- Economics and Politics
- International Development
- International Relations
- Politics
- Social and Political Sciences
- Social Policy, Sociology and Crime
- Social Policy with Enterprise
- Sociology

**Masters courses**
- Conflict, Development and Security
- Gender Studies
- Global Development
- Global Development and Education
- Global Governance and Diplomacy
- Global Political Economy
- Inequalities and Social Science
- International Relations
- Political Science
- Security, Terrorism and Insurgency
- Social and Political Thought
- Social and Public Policy
- Social Research
- Society, Culture and Media

**Sport and Exercise Sciences**

We are ranked top 15 in the UK for Sport Science (Guardian University Guide 2022), meaning you will benefit from our specialist teaching knowledge. At postgraduate level, we offer experienced professionals a unique blended learning opportunity with practitioner-led training.

**Undergraduate courses**
- Sport and Exercise Sciences

**Masters courses**
- Musculoskeletal Medicine
- Sport and Exercise Medicine
- Sport, Exercise and Rehabilitation

**Transport Studies**

We're 18th in the world for transportation science and technology in ShanghaiRanking’s Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2021. Our courses have been developed in partnership with industry, are guided by current research and provide excellent teaching. You'll develop specialist knowledge which will set you apart from your peers and help you on your career path.

**Masters courses**
- Railway Operations, Management and Policy
- Sustainability in Transport
- Transport Economics
- Transport Planning
- Transport Planning and Engineering
- Transport Planning and the Environment

Find out about the undergraduate and Masters courses you can study courses.leeds.ac.uk
Postgraduate research opportunities

Studying for a doctorate is about pushing the boundaries of knowledge. You’ll conduct your own supervised research and will need to be passionate about your subject.

We’ll challenge you intellectually and push you to new levels. A doctorate normally takes three to four years’ full-time study to complete. It’s hard work but the rewards can be huge. In the end, you’ll be an expert in your field.

The scale and quality of our research gives you the opportunity to be part of internationally important work. You can work on existing projects, such as sustainable food sources and climate change, or conduct your own independent research project. And you’ll find all the facilities and support you need to excel during your time here.

The University of Leeds is home to several interdisciplinary centres, like the Bragg Centre for Materials Research and the Priestley International Centre for Climate, which combine expertise from different disciplines to extend the limits of knowledge.

Whatever your specialism, there will be opportunities for you to work with others in your discipline and across disciplines through research groups, conferences and informal networks and social events, both within the University and in other institutions.

Through the faculty graduate schools, our Doctoral College will support you during your time as a postgraduate researcher. The College connects our whole researcher community and puts you in touch with the services, guidance and opportunities you need.

Find out more about postgraduate research at Leeds and the support available to you at www.leeds.ac.uk/research-degrees

Explore our postgraduate research opportunities at phd.leeds.ac.uk

Next steps.

Choosing the right university is an important decision and an investment in your future.
Costs to consider

There are two main costs to consider at university: tuition fees and living costs.

Tuition fees
The tuition fees for 2023 should be confirmed by autumn 2022 and will be available on our website.

For undergraduate and Masters students, read more at courses.leeds.ac.uk
For postgraduate researchers, read more at www.leeds.ac.uk/pgrfees

If you will be studying a Masters and you need a visa to study in the UK, you must pay a tuition fee deposit, unless you are fully funded by a University-recognised sponsor. Find out more at www.leeds.ac.uk/tuitionfeedeposits

Living costs
Living costs include things like your accommodation, food, transport and social activities. Leeds is a relatively low-cost city compared to some areas of the UK, but you still need to budget carefully. Get advice on money, budgeting and the cost of living in Leeds at students.leeds.ac.uk/budgetandcosts

When you apply for your visa, you’ll have to prove that you can support yourself financially while in the UK. Contact our immigration advisors if you have any questions. www.leeds.ac.uk/immigration

Funding

How to finance your studies will be an important part of your decision-making. You might be able to get funding from government, independent sponsors, the University of Leeds or other funding bodies.

Funding from the UK government
The UK government offers postgraduate scholarships to international students, such as the Chevening Awards and the Commonwealth Scholarships. Read more at www.gov.uk/postgraduate-scholarships-international-students
There is also funding for students in specific countries. Find out what’s available on the British Council website at study-uk.britishcouncil.org/scholarships

Funding from the University
We offer a wide range of scholarships for international students to help towards paying tuition fees or living costs. Check the relevant website below and your academic school’s webpages. Scholarships can be very competitive, so it’s important you make enquiries and apply to all possible sources of funding at an early stage. Keep checking for updates, as new scholarships are added throughout the year.

Undergraduate students www.leeds.ac.uk/undergraduatescholarships
Masters students www.leeds.ac.uk/mastersfunding
Postgraduate researchers www.leeds.ac.uk/researchdegreesfunding

Check if any funding is available from your country to study in the UK. This could be from your home government, or from companies or organisations based in your home country. Visit their websites or contact your local government office.
Your application

Understand the qualifications and English language level you will need, and the visa and immigration requirements.

Entry requirements

All our taught degree courses (undergraduate and Masters) have different entry requirements. Check the entry requirements for the course you're interested in at courses.leeds.ac.uk

For postgraduate research degrees, check entry requirements on the academic school's webpages or contact the faculty graduate school.

www.leeds.ac.uk/graduateschoolcontacts

We accept a range of international qualifications. Check the accepted qualifications and equivalent requirements from your country at www.leeds.ac.uk/internationalqualifications

English language courses

If you want to study for an undergraduate degree but are not able to gain the equivalent of A-level qualifications in your country, you should consider applying for an international foundation year, which prepares you for undergraduate study. Read about the different foundation year options on page 41 and at www.leeds.ac.uk/international-foundation-year

English language requirements

You will need a recognised English language qualification to study at the University. We accept a range of qualifications, including IELTS Academic. Read more about the qualifications we accept at www.leeds.ac.uk/internationalentry

English language requirements vary between courses. Check the requirement for your course at courses.leeds.ac.uk

For postgraduate research degrees, check the academic school's webpages or contact the faculty graduate school.

www.leeds.ac.uk/graduateschoolcontacts

You'll benefit from:

• start dates throughout the year
• study for up to 12 months
• courses for your study level:
  » our undergraduate pre-sessional English course will help you transition from high school to university
  » for Masters students, teaching in the summer is tailored to your subject area
  » postgraduate researchers will focus on the specific skills needed for a research degree
• teaching on our University campus
• full access to University facilities, including language learning resources in the Language Zone
• best practice teaching methods from staff engaged in language learning research

You can apply to stay in University accommodation while studying your pre-sessional English course.

As well as our on-campus pre-sessional courses, we also have online pre-sessional courses which you can study from anywhere in the world.

Find out more about our pre-sessional courses and how to apply at www.leeds.ac.uk/languagecentre

Visas and immigration requirements

If you're an international student, you'll need to hold an appropriate visa to study in the UK. Read the advice on our website at www.leeds.ac.uk/studentvisa

Our team of immigration experts provides free advice on immigration law and requirements for current and prospective students, and their families. They can give you advice to help you prepare your visa application correctly.

www.leeds.ac.uk/immigration-advice
How to apply

There are different ways to apply, depending on the course or research area you want to study. Find out in this section what you need to do.

We have overseas offices in China, Nigeria, India and Malaysia that offer support and advice to prospective students in their regions.

We also work with a global network of representatives who can provide you with comprehensive support to help you with your application.

www.leeds.ac.uk/meetus

You can get independent advice about studying in the UK at

www.ucas.com
discoveruni.gov.uk

Applying for

University of Leeds International Foundation Year

For information on the other foundation routes available, see page 41.

Step 1.

Before you apply

Find out more about our foundation year and what you can study.

Check application deadlines and academic and English language requirements at

www.leeds.ac.uk/international-foundation-year

Check visa requirements for UK study at

www.gov.uk/student-visa

Step 2.

Apply

Find out about the supporting documents you’ll need.

Apply online using our applicant portal at

www.leeds.ac.uk/ifyapply

Step 3.

Get a decision

We will tell you our decision by email.

You can track your application’s progress and, if successful, accept your offer at

acceptonline.leeds.ac.uk
Applying for

An undergraduate degree

Find out more about applying to Leeds and read our admissions policy at www.leeds.ac.uk/howtoapply

Step 1.

Before you apply

Explore the courses we offer. Check application deadlines, academic and English language requirements, and all fees and costs at courses.leeds.ac.uk

Check visa requirements for UK study at www.gov.uk/student-visa

Get advice about writing your personal statement at www.leeds.ac.uk/personalstatement

Check scholarship deadlines. Read more on page 59.

Step 2.

Apply

Apply online through UCAS at www.ucas.com/students

Get tips about your application and writing your personal statement at www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-to-university

Check your emails. We will email you if we need more information to decide about your application.

Step 3.

Get a decision

UCAS will alert you when there is an update on your application. If you receive an offer, you can accept it through UCAS too. www.ucas.com/students

Applying for

A Masters degree

Find out more about applying to Leeds and read our admissions policy at www.leeds.ac.uk/mastersapply

Step 1.

Before you apply

Explore the courses we offer. Check application deadlines, academic and English language requirements, and all fees and costs at courses.leeds.ac.uk

Check visa requirements for UK study at www.gov.uk/student-visa

Check scholarship deadlines. Read more on page 59.

Step 2.

Apply

Apply online through our applicant portal. Have all your supporting documents scanned and ready to upload, including your university's grading system. Apply as early as possible, so you have time to apply for funding, accommodation and visas, if applicable. application.leeds.ac.uk

Step 3.

Application processing

Your academic school will contact you if they need more information or want to invite you for interview.

Track your application’s progress in the applicant portal. You can do this whether you applied independently or through one of our representatives. application.leeds.ac.uk

Step 4.

Get a decision

We will tell you our decision by email. If your application is successful, you can view your offer letter and accept your offer in the applicant portal. application.leeds.ac.uk
Applying for a postgraduate research degree
Find out more about applying to Leeds and read our admissions policy at www.leeds.ac.uk/pgr/apply

Step 1. 
Explore research interests
Explore research interests at Leeds. Choose an existing research project or propose your own. Search research areas and potential supervisors at phd.leeds.ac.uk
Check visa requirements for UK study at www.gov.uk/student-visa

Step 2. 
Check admissions process and requirements for your research area
Check the faculty’s webpages and contact the faculty graduate school. Find out about any deadlines and whether you need to submit a research proposal with your application. www.leeds.ac.uk/graduateschoolcontacts

Step 3. 
Find scholarships and sources of funding
Research your funding options at www.leeds.ac.uk/researchdegreesfunding

Step 4. 
Apply
Have all your supporting documents scanned and ready to upload. Check what documents you need and apply online at www.leeds.ac.uk/pgr/apply

Step 5. 
Get a decision
We will acknowledge your application and let you know our decision by email. Track your application’s progress and, if successful, accept your offer at acceptonline.leeds.ac.uk

Notes
Map and how to find us

Read how to get here by air, train or bus.

[www.leeds.ac.uk/howtofindus](http://www.leeds.ac.uk/howtofindus)

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