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Postgraduate open day

Saturday 5 July 2025

Postgraduate virtual open evenings

Wednesday 28 May 2025 Wednesday 3 September 2025 November 2025 March 2026 May 2026 Find out more, check for new dates and register at: wlv.ac.uk/openday





Welcome

Whether you are looking to retrain, increase your employability, enrich your CPD, or progress to the next step in your career, a postgraduate qualification with the University of Wolverhampton will open doors.

We offer a range of specialised courses, many of which are professionally accredited and developed with industry partners. We focus on developing our postgraduate students' leadership skills and knowledge to enhance their career prospects and give them the confidence they need to achieve their goals, whatever they may be.

Our flexible programmes are designed around the way you work and include full-time and part-time courses, conversion courses, 100%-online courses, and accredited CPD courses

If funding is a concern, there are postgraduate loans of up to £12,858 for students studying a Master's degree (25/26 figure for eligible students).

Take a look and start your postgraduate journey with us today!



NATIONALLY FOR PUBLIC AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT¹



Why study a postgraduate course?

Deciding to embark upon further study can be a tricky decision, but it can benefit you both now and into your future.

Boost your earning potential

A postgraduate qualification provides better employability prospects, with an above-average **89.4% employment rate** amongst the working age population.*

Retrain or gain a promotion

The boost a postgraduate course can offer you professionally is huge, giving you the opportunity to change direction in your career or increase the chances of securing a future promotion.

Fulfil your ambitions

It isn't solely your professional life that can benefit from a postgraduate qualification. You may want to pursue your passion for a subject, become recognised as an expert in your field, or fulfil a lifelong dream of studying beyond your undergraduate degree.

wlv.ac.uk/postgraduate

In 2023, those with a postgraduate qualification earned on average £5,000 p.a more than graduates, and £10,500 p.a more than non-graduates.*

*Graduate labour market statistics 2023, based on median nominal salary for working-age (16-64 years old) people.







WhyWolverhampton?

Flexibility

We know that it can be challenging to fit your studies around the rest of your life, so we offer a range of flexible part-time and online options.

Facilities

From cutting-edge laboratories and 24-hour library opening at peak periods to postgraduate-only study spaces, we've got you covered.

Recent multi-million-pound investments into student facilities include our amazing Springfield Campus supporting architecture and construction, state-of-theart screen school and extended and enhanced School of Pharmacy facilities.

QAA-assured

We received a commendation – the highest possible accolade - in our most recent assessment by the Quality Assurance Agency.

OS Stars

We maintained four stars overall in 2025 in the OS Stars[™] scheme – with the highest five stars for teaching, employability, internationalisation, and inclusiveness.

Knowledge Exchange Framework

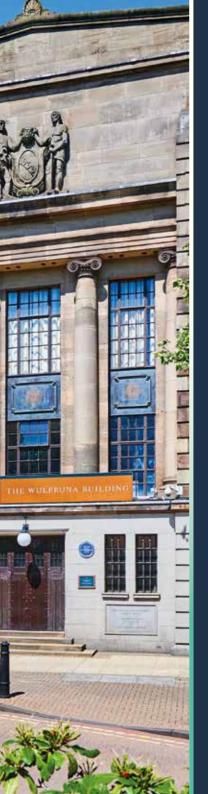
In Research England's Knowledge Exchange Framework (KEF, 2022) we were ranked in the top 10% nationally for public and community engagement, as well as in the top 10% for local growth and regeneration.











Affordable living

Student life in Wolverhampton is welcoming and reasonably priced all year round. If you live in university-owned, on-campus accommodation, you'll enjoy cost-effective living with all your bills included in the price.



CHEAPEST STUDENT CITY FOR ACCOMMODATION IN UK1



AWARD-WINNINGSTUDENT SUPPORT



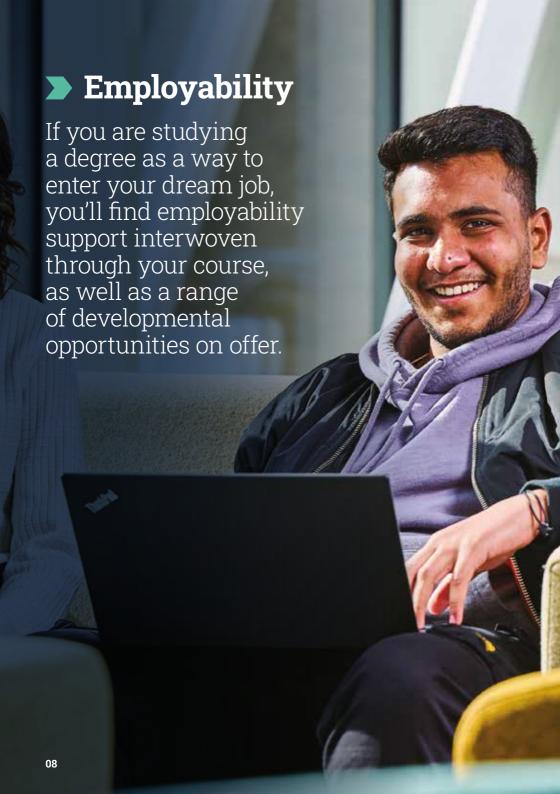
EXCELLENTTRANSPORT LINKS



SUPPORTINGYOUR AMBITIONS









Retrain or enhance your employability

Find your ideal role or change your career path through full-time, part-time, flexible or distance learning. Retrain with one of our conversion courses in teaching, law, psychology, artificial intelligence, and more.

Experience and accreditation

Career development opportunities such as work experience are embedded into our courses to provide insight and build your CV while you study. Many of our courses carry accreditation from professional, statutory and regulatory bodies; approval that they meet the highest standards.

Ongoing careers support

Our Careers, Enterprise and the Workplace teams can provide you with expert help during your degree and after graduation. We have links with hundreds of employers and community groups throughout the West Midlands that need your volunteering skills, and offer support to achieve your entrepreneurial ambitions with business start-up support.



wlv.ac.uk/careers







The University of Wolverhampton is the ideal place to develop and enhance your skills and proficiency in your career area, with a continuing professional development (CPD) short course.

Our diverse range of CPD courses has been developed by industry professionals and covers a wide array of topics: management; leadership; finance and accounting; marketing; IT; software engineering; health; nursing; and health and safety.

We have links across a wide range of industries, as well as partnerships with recognised frameworks to give our short courses the value you deserve. We are an accredited training centre for the Chartered Management Institute (CMI) and the ILM (formerly the Institute of Leadership and Management). The university is also an accredited centre for the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development (CIPD) and the Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM).

We offer a large range of nursing and healthcarerelated CPD courses and stand-alone modules to up-skill practitioners already in employed in these areas.













We can shape our bespoke CPD courses to meet your developmental needs or those of your employer, meaning that they are an excellent way to improve your qualifications and build your knowledge in any profession.

You can also use evidence of your prior training to help accredit your studies.

Why study a CPD course?

- Gain more qualifications
- Close knowledge gaps
- Learn skills you can directly apply to your career
- Network with fellow professionals
- Gain insight into trends and advancements within your sector

We offer a wide range of CPD courses, explore what's available:



wlv.ac.uk/cpd





Flexible study options

Flexible study

We're committed to providing flexible study options to allow all our students to achieve their ambitions. That's why remote learning and flexible study times have become a core part of many of our programmes.

Part-time study

Part-time study can better fit in with your lifestyle, and is a cost-effective way to realise your potential. Part-time postgraduate taught degrees usually take two to three years to complete.

You can complete your taught degree for as little as £4.544 per year* (plus an additional 20% off for graduates of the university with the alumni discount), paying in instalments to spread the cost of your tuition.



wlv.ac.uk/fees

Returning to study?

We understand that returning to education after a break can be a daunting prospect. Our advisors can help you explore your study and funding options.



wlv.ac.uk/gateway

The University of Wolverhampton is proud to offer a range of entirely online Master's degrees. We have designed these courses specifically for busy working professionals and people with family commitments, giving you the opportunity to enhance your career prospects and help you achieve your full potential with less disruption to your everyday life.





Online learning

Throughout our on campus courses we support you online in a number of ways, including:

- our virtual learning environment. Canvas
- online personal tutor support
- access to the software you need with Apps Anywhere
- expert online library support
- online lectures, content, and support.



wlv.ac.uk/its

^{*}Based on 25/26 tuition fee rates

Supporting you

University is an exciting time, but it is important to know that you will be supported along the way.

No matter who you are, you may need a helping hand when you start or during vour university journey. The University of Wolverhampton takes being inclusive seriously, and the student life team provides a group of student support services which all share a common ethos and desire to see our students thrive

In particular we can provide tailored advice and support for:

- · d/Deaf and hard-of-hearing students
- · disabled students
- · care leavers and estranged students
- · mature students and those who've been out of education for a while.

Mental health and wellbeing

Students can access online resources and wellbeing apps, regular wellbeing drop-ins, groups and events. The team is dedicated to helping you connect with the most suitable external services tailored to your needs. Our new platform WLV Student Life Connect is a counselling, information and advice service offering free, confidential, independent and impartial support for issues arising at university, home, or work.

Our wellbeing champions – student volunteers just like you - actively promote and support wellbeing activities and services at the university.



wlv.ac.uk/ssw

Chaplaincy and faith provision

Our multi-faith Chaplaincy team is here to support all students, whether you are a person of faith, someone who is searching and has questions or doubts, or doesn't follow a faith. If you need a quiet place to gather your thoughts, a space to pray, or a chat over coffee, there is dedicated space, including a multifaith prayer room, on each campus, All are welcome

Learning support

Free one-to-one advice can help develop and improve your academic study skills, with topics including: planning and writing assignments, exam revision, and presentations. You can attend workshops on finding information, referencing, academic writing, and critical thinking, as well as access online study guides for a wide range of topics.







Whatever you're into, there's plenty to entertain you during your downtime, both on and off our campuses.

Based at Wolverhampton City Campus?

Whatever your interest or budget, discover Wolverhampton's cinemas, theatres, including our own Arena Theatre, galleries, gigs, cafés, restaurants, pubs and bars, as well as beautiful local green spaces. Venues across the city offer great student nights out and shopping on a student budget is easy with major supermarkets close to student accommodation, as well as independent stores and a bustling market.

If live sport is your passion there is plenty on offer to watch, with Wolverhampton Wanders FC at the Molineux or Wolves Speedway at Monmore Green.

Based at Walsall Campus?

The SU at Walsall Campus is a great place to unwind between, and after, lectures, offering coffee, pool, karaoke and quizzes. Walsall's Waterfront has a growing nightlife and plenty of foodie options. There's also Walsall Arena and Arts Centre for theatre, music or comedy shows, or get your film fix at The Light cinema.













$\stackrel{\textstyle \searrow}{}$ Sport

There are plenty of opportunities to get involved with sport and fitness, whether you just want to play for fun, try something new, or play competitively.



wlv.ac.uk/sport

Cost of living

With living costs rising, we want to ensure that our students feel supported throughout their university journey.

That's why:



If you live in university-owned, oncampus accommodation, you'll enjoy cost-effective living with all your bills included in the price.



Our university accommodation is £120 cheaper per month than the national average.1



. We have created warm study spaces across our university campuses, with our libraries opening 24/7 at points throughout the year.

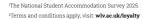


If you move from undergraduate to postgraduate study with us, you get a 20% discount on the cost of your course, with our postgraduate loyalty discount.2





For further support with the cost of living see funding and scholarship and bursaries information on pages 18-19.







Accommodation

If you want to live on campus, we offer en-suite university accommodation at both campuses.





wlv.ac.uk/accommodation



WEEKLY COST 2025 - 2026 £101 - £119



SECURITY AND CARETAKING SERVICE



ON-SITE CAR PARKING



FREE INTERNET



BASIC CONTENTS INSURANCE



WALKING DISTANCE FROM CAMPUS





Fees and **finance**

Funding

Most UK students studying a Master's course in the UK can apply for a Government loan to help with fees and living costs. Fees can be paid in instalments.

wlv.ac.uk/howtopay

In 25/26 the Master's loan for students applying to Student Finance England will be £12,858. You must be studying a full Master's award of at least 180 credits. Eligibility criteria can be found at:



Full-time course fees

Fees shown are for a 180-credit course (equivalent to a full-time Master's). Lower credit courses (such as certificates and diplomas) are charged on a pro-rata basis.

wlv.ac.uk/fees

Teacher training

Teacher training (PGCE) course fees and financial assistance are the same as for undergraduate degrees. You can apply for a student loan for tuition fees and living costs, and for a dependants' grant if eligible.

gov.uk/teacher-training-funding

You may be eligible for a government bursary or scholarship if your course leads to qualified teacher status (QTS). You don't need to pay back this tax-free money when studying certain subjects. Search for "bursaries" at:

getintoteaching.education.gov.uk

Home postgraduate fees (cost per vear)

(cost per year)			
	Full- time	With professional placement	Part- time (pro rata)
Tier 1	£9,088	£10,098	£4,544
Tier 2	£10,490	£11,656	£5,245
Tier 3	£12,203	£13,559	£6,101

To find the correct fee tier for your course, check our website. wlv.ac.uk/courses

International postgraduate fees (cost per year)

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International PG (with professional placement, non lab-based)	£17,950
International PG (with professional placement, lab-based)	£19,054
International PG (Extended non lab-based)	£18,500
International PG (Extended non lab-based)	£19,604





Scholarships and bursaries

Alumni discount

University of Wolverhampton graduates can get a 20% discount on a postgraduate course taught on-site, or 10% off fully-online courses. There's no time limit on how long ago you completed your degree, as long as it's your first Master's-level qualification.



wlv.ac.uk/alumni-discount

International Alumni Scholarship

Available for University of Wolverhampton graduates (including those from our partner institutions) for postgraduate taught on-site study only. If you have a First- or Secondclass degree with us, you can receive between £2,000 and £3,000 dependent upon your results.



wlv.ac.uk/international

Dennis Turner Hardship Fund

A non-repayable fund for any eligible student, home or international, who is struggling to make ends meet. The fund doesn't affect the visa status of international students.

Sports Scholarship

Sport scholars can receive a performance package which includes financial support plus WLV Gym membership, BUCS membership, strength and conditioning, physiotherapy, sport psychology, and performance lifestyle support.



wlv.ac.uk/sportsschol

Social Work Bursary

Postgraduate social work students can apply for a bursary to help with living costs. If you're eligible for a bursary the NHS will also pay a contribution towards your tuition fees per academic year.



nhsbsa.nhs.uk/social-work-bursary

Disabled Students' Allowance (DSA)

A single Disabled Students' Allowance of up to £27,783 (in 25/26) is available for students who have additional costs due to their disability or specific learning need. Students must complete a needs assessment prior to enrolling to assess the support they need.



gov.uk/disabled-studentsallowances-dsas





Health and social care

We offer a range of courses tailored towards careers within this sector with specialist teaching facilities including world-class Anatomage tables, simulation wards and clinical skills labs.

Many courses are designed around the Health Education England (HEE) multiprofessional framework for advanced clinical practice in England.

If successful on one of our nursing courses, you can apply to register with the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) to practise as a registered nurse in a range of settings.

N#S
Health Education England







Sport

We have excellent professional links and partnerships with sport associations, clubs, and professional bodies, including Wolverhampton Wanderers FC and British Judo.

The School of Sport facilities have recently been upgraded as part of a £6 million pound refurbishment providing state-of-the-art skills-based teaching facilities for the preparation for, and return to active lifestyles, sport and physical activity.



















Teaching and education

We partner with over 450 schools, colleges and private providers to offer placement opportunities, CPD and accredited courses.

All our routes for initial teacher training (primary, secondary, further education and skills, and post-compulsory education) are rated Good by Ofsted, who highlighted our extensive school partnerships with valuable placements, and our ability to develop effective and highly reflective practitioners.







Creative industries

Since the 1850s we've been at the core of the city's creative output. Today, our facilities ensure that our students are equipped with the ideal space and resources to develop their artistic skills to the highest level.

Our students develop employment skills and links through active engagement with industry leaders and live briefs.

Our multi-million pound Screen School facility represents a publicfacing and dynamic industry-linked space to promote, develop and produce content designed for screen-based media

Research

Our research at the University of Wolverhampton is wide-ranging, and tackles everything from brain tumours to sperm mobility, cybersecurity to rainforest governance, and biodegradable dressings to the perception of regional accents.

Research centres are at the heart of our research strategy, which is driven by a desire to change the world for the better.

Our academics and researchers collaborate with others around the world, and the latest Research Excellence Framework, released in 2022, judged more than half of our output to be either internationally excellent or world-leading.

Our research focuses on three key themes of green innovation and sustainability; health and social care; and inclusive communities.

It benefits people and communities across the world, while its success and impact reflect the high quality of our teaching.



wlv.ac.uk/research





Research degrees

Research degrees give you the opportunity to develop and prove your ability to undertake research in an area of personal or professional interest. Our research degrees include PhDs, MPhils, MDs, professional doctorates, PhDs by published work, and higher doctorates.

As a research student at the University of Wolverhampton, you can stay in our student accommodation, take advantage of our student services, and join Students' Union sports clubs and societies. You can also take part in our Research Skills Development programme.

To find out more about our research degrees including how to apply and entry requirements visit:



wlv.ac.uk/researchdegrees

Funding

Most UK students studying a Research Master's or Doctorate course in the UK can apply for a Government loan to help with fees and living costs. Fees can be paid in instalments.



wlv.ac.uk/howtopay

More details and eligibility criteria for the Master's Loan can be found at: gov.uk/masters-loan and for the Doctoral Loan at: gov.uk/doctoral-loan



Courses

Allied health and midwifery

Advanced Clinical Skills in Tongue Tie (Ankyloglossia)

PG Credit

Examination of the Newborn

Level 7 short course

Occupational Therapy (Pre-Registration) **MSc**

Physiotherapy (Pre-Registration) **MSc**

Architecture and built environment

Architecture MArch

Civil Engineering MSc

Civil Engineering Management **MSc**

Construction Project Management **MSc**

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Project Management **PGCert / MSc**

Online only

Option to study course online

Professional practice

Business, leadership and management

Business Administration MBA

Business Analytics MSc

Business **MPhil**

Business **MRes**

Digital Marketing Management

MSc/ Extended

Finance and Accounting

MSc/ Extended

Innovation and Entrepreneurship **MSc**

International Business
Administration International
MBA/Extended

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International Business
Management MSc/ Extended

International Tourism and Hospitality Management **MA**

Leadership and Management

MA/ Extended

Professional Accounting and Finance **MSc**

Professional Doctorate Business Administration **DBA**

Senior Leader Apprenticeship

Strategic People Management and Human Resources **PGDip / MA/ Top-up/ Extended**

Clinical medicine, pharmacy

Acute and Urgent Care PG Dip/ MSc

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Certificate in Independent Prescribing **PG Credit**

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Diabetes PG Dip/ MSc

Prescribing Studies **PG Cert**

Primary Care PG Dip/ MSc

Artificial Intelligence MRes Computer Science MSc

Artificial Intelligence **MSc**

mathematics

Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence MSc

Engineering, computing and

Computer Science with Data Science **MSc**

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Digital and creative arts Cyber Security MSc

> Cyber Security **MRes** Data Science **MSc**

Mechanical Engineering MSc

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Digital and Visual Communications MA

Film and Television Production MA

Education and teaching

Education MA

Further Education **PGCE**

Primary Education **PGCE**

Secondary Education (Art / Biology/ Chemistry/ Computer Science/ Design and Technology/ Dance / Engineers Teach Physics/ English/ Geography/ History/ Mathematics / Physics/ Physical Education/Psychology and Social Sciences) PGCE

Secondary Physical Education (with Biology/ Chemistry/ Computer Science/ English/ Geography/ History/ Mathematics/ Physics) PGCE





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Courses

Health and society

Global Health MPH

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Health and Social Care MSc

Health and Wellbeing (Top-up) **MSc**

Healthcare Leadership **PG Dip/ MSc**



Leadership **MPH**



Medical Education PG Dip/ MSc

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Public Health **MPH**



Public Health **MRes**

Social Work PG Credit / MA

Humanities

English **MA**

Law

International Business Law **LLM**

Law I.I.M

Law Conversion **LLM**

Law and Human Resource Management **LLM**

Legal Practice **LLM**

Life sciences

Applied Microbiology and Biotechnology **MSc**



Biomedical Science MSc

Nursing

Adult Critical Care Nursing **PG Cert**

Adult Critical Care MSc

Adult Nursing **PG Dip**

Adult Nursing (Pre-Registration) MAN

Advanced Clinical Practice (with V300 Non-Medical Prescribing) **PG Cert / PG Dip / MSc**

Advanced Clinical Practice (Specialist Negotiated Practice) **PG Cert / PG Dip / MSc**

Advocacy and Education for Quality Improvement in Practice (A-EQUIP)

PG Credit

Fundamentals of General Practice Nursing PG Cert

History Taking and Physical Assessment for the Adult Patient/Client **PG Credit**

Mental Health Nursing **PG Dip**

Mental Health Nursing (Pre-Registration)

MMHN

Non-Medical Prescribing for Nurses, Midwives and Allied Health Professionals (V300) **Level 7 short course**

Specialist Community Nursing Practice (District Nursing/ General Practice Nursing/ Health Visiting/ School Nurse)

PG Cert / PG Dip

Prescribing for Practice Non-Medical Prescribing (V150) **Level 7 short course**

Professional Practice in Healthcare (Leadership and Management) **PG Dip / MSc**

Professional Practice in Healthcare (Speciality Practice) **PG Dip / MSc**

Professional Practice in Healthcare (Teaching and Learning) **PG Dip / MSc**

Professional Practice in Healthcare (with V300) **PG Dip / MSc**

Professional Practice in Healthcare PG Cert

Psychology Integrative Counselling and Psychotherapy MSc Organisational and Business Psychology MSc Psychology MSc Psychology of Mental Health and Wellbeing MSc



Social sciences Air, Space and Cyber Power Studies MA Comparative Criminology MA Emergency Management and **A** Resilience PG Cert / MSc International Relations MRes Interpreting **PG Cert/ MA / MA** Top-up History (Second World War: Conflict, Societies, Holocaust) MA History (First World War) MA

"Studying International Business Administration at this university has been amazing! I love the engaging lectures, supportive staff, and modern facilities. It's inspiring to learn in such a diverse environment, preparing me for a global career".

#InternationalBusiness #WI.VI.ife #FutureLeader

Olaonipekun Fagbenle International Master of Business Administration







wlv.ac.uk/courses/postgraduate

Sport

Clinical Exercise Physiology MSc

Military History MA

Strength and Conditioning MSc

How to apply

∩1 Visit: wlv.ac.uk

02 Use the course finder to search for your chosen course

O3 From your course page, click on the 'Apply now' button

This will take you through to the relevant application form. You can apply directly for most of our postgraduate taught courses.

Exceptions include PGCE courses, which you will need to apply for via the UCAS teacher training website – search online for 'UCAS teacher training'.

Fast-track applications

University of Wolverhampton undergraduates wanting to progress directly on to a postgraduate course and University of Wolverhampton alumni wishing to return to study a postgraduate course can fast-track their application. Once you have your degree classification and meet the entry criteria for the course, you are eligible to complete a fast-track application, which is a quicker and shorter application process.**





"Eligible current students will automatically receive an offer letter for the aligned postgraduate course.



Advice and guidance

Our Gateway team provides advice and guidance on all aspects of coming to university, including choosing the right course; checking qualifications, entry requirements and your application form; and student funding and disability or support options.



wlv.ac.uk/gateway



Entry requirements

Our entry requirements help us to gauge whether you have the knowledge or experience to provide a good base to study at postgraduate level. We believe in providing opportunities to people with the passion to succeed, and our entry requirements are not always based on academic attainment alone.

You will usually require an undergraduate degree. Relevant work experience in your subject area can help you get a place for some courses. Visit the course page for up-to-date entry requirements.

Level 2 requirements: Equivalency courses

Non-teacher training courses:

If you don't hold a GCSE Grade 4+ (C or above) in English and/or Mathematics, we offer free online courses that we will accept as the equivalent.

Teacher training courses:

If you don't hold a GCSE Grade 4+ (C or above) in English/Mathematics/Science, we offer an equivalency test that can be taken on our campus. Each test costs £35.



wlv.ac.uk/apply/equivalency

English language requirements

If your entry award was not delivered in English; you do not have a degree from an English-speaking university; or you are a non-native speaker of English, you will be required to demonstrate English Language proficiency to a minimum of IELTS 7.0 or equivalent. For more information on English language requirements, visit:



wlv.ac.uk/englishreqs



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This student guide describes in outline the courses offered by the University of Wolverhampton. These, as well as other details, are correct at the time of going to print. However, courses and modules can be added on withdrawn without notice. Support offered and other details are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information and list of courses currently offered, as well as campus tours, student case studies, and lots more useful information, visit: wlv.ac.uk

