



Study Semester and Study Year Abroad Scholarships

Intro

The Study Semester and Year Abroad Scholarship (UK) programmes enable students from overseas universities the opportunity to study a semester in English at the University of Wolverhampton.

Why choose the University of Wolverhampton?



Accredited courses

Many of our courses lead students into full or partial professional accreditation.



Long and successful history

We've been providing opportunity and academic excellence for over 190 years.



QAA Commendation

We've been awarded a commendation – the highest accolade – in our most recent assessment by the Quality Assurance Agency.



Affordable city

Make your money go further compared to other cities in the UK[^].



Great transport links

We are based in the heart of the UK.



90% graduate employability

What's more, 66% of our UK graduates are in highly-skilled roles.¹



Investment

We're continually investing millions of pounds to improve student life, from courses to computers.



World-leading research

Our research has impact on your studies, and on real life.

[^] numbeo.com *Graduate Outcomes Survey, Class of 2020-21

[#] More than half of our research submitted to the Research Excellence Framework 2021 was judged as internationally excellent (3) or world-leading (4).

¹ Graduate Outcomes 2023 or Graduate Outcomes, Class of 2020-21



➤ Study in the UK

Why study?

- ▶ Study modules on a British university undergraduate degree course
- ▶ Gain credits from your home university whilst away
- ▶ Develop your English language skills
- ▶ Experience living in another culture
- ▶ Develop confidence and independence

Overview

As a student on a Study Semester Abroad Scholarship programme, you will be taught on a degree course by highly qualified staff in classes where you can interact with British and international students. You can take advantage of the facilities of a modern British university while experiencing life in the UK. At the end of your stay, you receive a transcript which can be used for credit exchange with your home university.

The University is based in the centre of the UK and has several campuses close to each other, each with specialist areas of teaching.

The University of Wolverhampton has three faculties, each with several specialist academic schools teaching courses covering a wide range of subjects.



Undergraduate programmes available

On the Study Semester Abroad Scholarship programme, you can choose and gain credits from any first or second year module related to your area of interest (subject to availability and academic level).

Your chosen modules do not always have to relate to your major in your home university, but home universities may stipulate that modules must correspond with your degree subject for credit purposes. Students will be guided on arrival as to appropriate modules based on their academic and language levels.

The University of Wolverhampton website has the complete range of courses available. To take a look at courses and modules that match your studies at home, visit: wlv.ac.uk/courses

From there you can find modules that match your requirements. If you are doing a 4 year degree, you must have completed your first year before joining us and select level four modules only. Level 5 modules are only suitable for students who have completed connected modules at level 4.

Example structure

You will study 60 credits per semester.

If your English language level is below IELTS 6 (or equivalent) you will study:

- ▶ 1 x English 20-credit module and 2 x 20-credit academic modules per semester.

If your English language level is IELTS 6 or above (or equivalent) you will study:

- ▶ 3 x 20-credit modules or 2 x 30-credit modules = 60 credits, per semester.
- ▶ Students studying for **one semester only** would not be able to sign up for any year-long (two semester-long) module options.

Please note that many courses, including those taught by University of Wolverhampton Business School have a minimum IELTS requirement of 6 or above.

English language requirements

Applicants must provide a test score or letter from their home university confirming their levels compared to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) equivalencies.

Accepted Levels	Type of English Language Test					
	CEFR	IELTS	TOEFL PAPER BASED TEST	TOEFL CBT	TOEFL EBT	TOEIC
Academic modules	C1	7	600	250	100	660-780
		6.5	575	232	90	
		6	550	213	80	660
Academic modules with 1 Academic English module		5.5	525	196	70	620

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Semester structure

Semester 1: Academic programme runs from September to January

Semester 2: Academic programme runs from January to May

Student Support

All students are given an tutor who is there to support them with their academic and pastoral care.



Accommodation

Students typically stay in university-owned halls of residence a short walk from classes.

Study Abroad students are offered accommodation in our university accommodation. Staying here enables students to live a short walk from their classes and opportunity to live with other international and home students so they can make friendships and feel at home quickly.

A 24 hour security service means that staff are always on call to assist students if needed. For more information on accommodation go to: wlv.ac.uk/university-life/accommodation

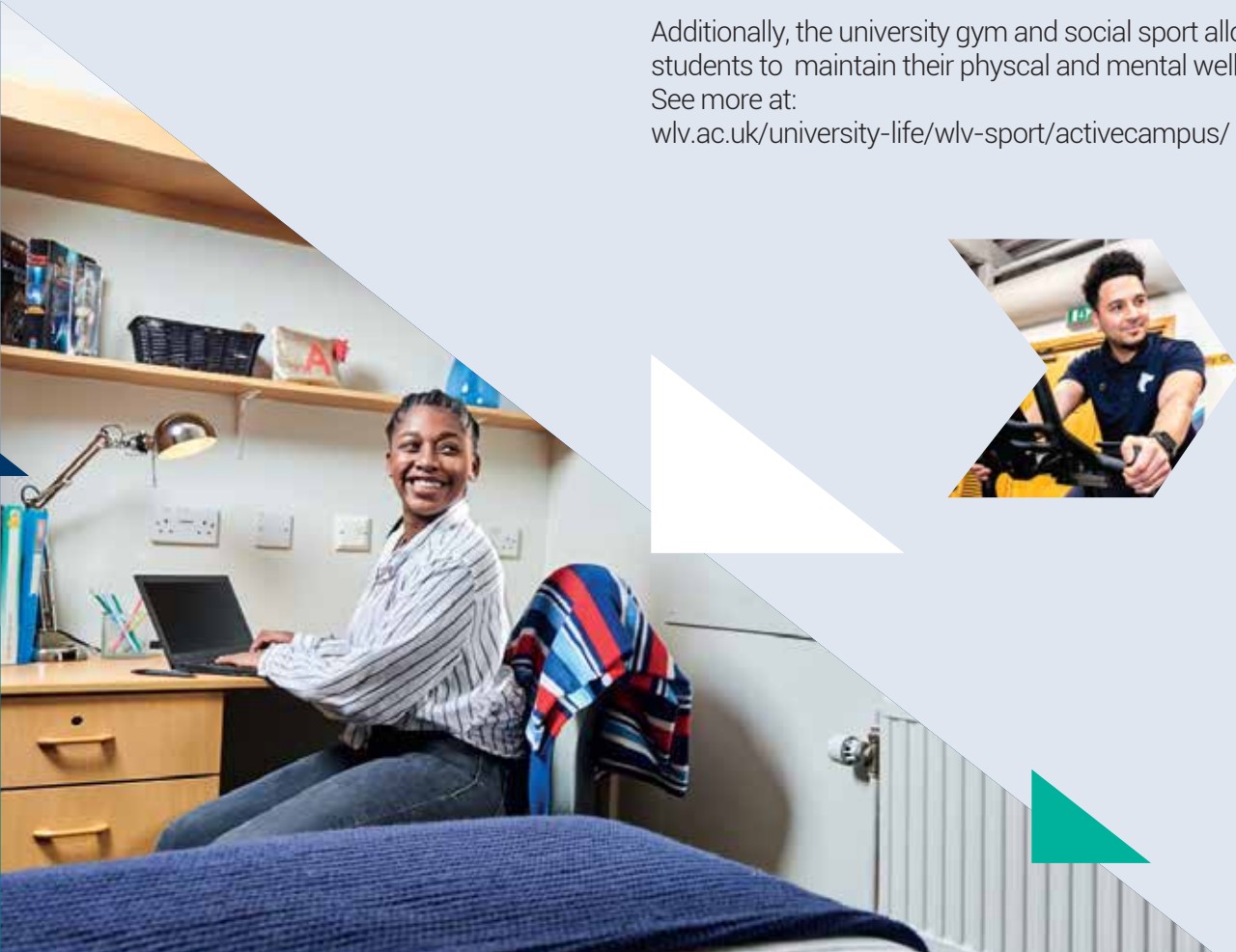
Accommodation includes:

- ▶ Private room with en-suite bathroom
- ▶ Single bed
- ▶ Wi-Fi access
- ▶ Shared, fully-furnished kitchen
- ▶ Five students per kitchen
- ▶ Use of self-service laundry facilities
- ▶ 24-hour, on-campus security

You may choose to prepare all your meals yourself. Alternatively there are many independent food outlets available in town to buy meals, or you can buy breakfast and lunch on-campus at one of our university catering outlets.

Students can immerse themselves in the experience by going to the events or joining some of the clubs and societies run by the Student Union. See more at: www.wolvesunion.org

Additionally, the university gym and social sport allows students to maintain their physical and mental wellbeing. See more at: wlv.ac.uk/university-life/wlv-sport/activecampus/



➤ Explore



The University of Wolverhampton is in the centre of the UK, ideal to explore the nations of England, Wales, Scotland, and beyond.

By train:

- ▶ Birmingham – 20 minutes
- ▶ Manchester and Liverpool – 1 hour 20 minutes
- ▶ London – 1 hour 40 minutes
- ▶ Edinburgh – 4 hours 30 minutes
- ▶ Birmingham Airport – 40 minutes

By plane:

Paris, Amsterdam, Berlin and Barcelona all less than 2 hours' away.








How to apply

For further information, including up-to-date course dates,
visit: www.wlv.ac.uk/international/international-partnerships/study-semester-abroad-scholarship

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aged 18 or over.