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University of Essex degrees online with Kaplan Open Learning.
> online.essex.ac.uk

Study a degree in Singapore
University of Essex bachelor’s top-up degrees with Kaplan Singapore.
> kaplan.com.sg/uoe

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Available degree options may change over time, so visit our online Degree Finder for the most up-to-date list:

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1. Also available with an additional placement year
2. Also available with an additional year abroad
3. 4-year course
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Common modules taken by all students:

- English for Academic Purposes
-Extended Project

You will also take 3 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals:

- Contemporary Global Issues
-Entrepreneurship
-Historical Perspectives
-Logic and Critical Thinking
-Mathematics
-People, Culture and Society
-Statistics

Personal development activities: during your course, you’ll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

Learn more about modules: you’ll find module summaries later in this booklet.

Extra support: for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

- Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5: you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:
  - Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
  - Independent and Collaborative Study

- Plus up to 2 of these modules:
  - Digital Applications
  - Preparatory Mathematics
  - Preparatory Statistics
  - UK Society and Culture

- Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5: you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.
  - Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:
    - English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
    - Independent and Collaborative Study
    - Reading and Writing 2 + Speaking and Listening 2

- Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:
  - English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
  - Independent and Collaborative Study
  - Reading and Writing 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
  - Study Skills Preparation

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Foundation Certificate for Science and Health

Common modules taken by all students:
- English for Academic Purposes
- Extended Project

You will also take 2 or 3 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals†:
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Contemporary Global Issues
- Entrepreneurship
- Information Technology
- Intermediate Mathematics
- Mathematics
- People, Culture and Society
- Physics
- Statistics

Personal development activities: during your course, you’ll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

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Minimum English level: UKVI IELTS score*  
Course length  Course tuition  Course start  Course end  Extra support

Your Foundation Certificate options for degree entry in October 2022

5.5 overall with no less than 4.5 in any skill
- 2 terms  £18,790  September 2021  June 2022  
- 0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

5.0 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- 2.5 terms  £20,400  October 2021  August 2022  
- 0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

4.5 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- 3 terms  £20,400  September 2021  August 2022  
- 1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

Your Foundation Certificate options for degree entry in October 2023

5.0 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- 2.5 terms  £20,400  July 2022  June 2023  
- 0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

4.5 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- 3 terms  £20,400  June 2022  June 2023  
- 1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

4.0 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- 3.5 terms  £23,800  April 2022  June 2023  
- 1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules

- 4 terms  £26,000  February 2022  June 2023  
- 2 terms of Extended English and Skills modules

Extra support: for courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5; you can study a 2.5 or 3-term course that typically includes Enhancement modules to maximise your university preparation:
- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- Independent and Collaborative Study

Plus up to 2 of these modules:
- Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Science
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5; you will typically study Extended English and Skills modules to improve your English language level and academic skills.

Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:
- English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:
- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

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## Foundation Certificate for Social Sciences

### Common modules taken by all students:
- English for Academic Purposes
- Extended Project

You will also take 2 or 3 of the following modules that fit your degree and career goals:
- Contemporary Global Issues
- Entrepreneurship
- Historical Perspectives
- Intermediate Mathematics
- Logic and Critical Thinking
- Mathematics
- People, Culture and Society
- Statistics

### Personal development activities:
During your course, you'll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

Learn more about modules: you'll find module summaries later in this booklet.

### Extra support:
For courses of over 2 terms, you will take additional modules from a selection of Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options (depending mainly on your IELTS score) before the modules to the left.

#### Students with at least UKVI IELTS 5.5:
- Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
- Independent and Collaborative Study

#### Plus up to 2 of these modules:
- Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

#### Students with less than UKVI IELTS 5.5:
- English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

#### Study Skills Preparation

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### Common modules taken by all students:
- Collaborative Project
- Economics
- English for Academic Purposes
- Financial Accounting
- Management and Organisation
- Principles of Marketing
- Quantitative Methods and Finance

### Personal development activities: during your course, you’ll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills.

Learn more about modules: you’ll find module summaries later in this booklet.

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### Your International Year One options for degree entry in October 2022

#### 5.5 overall with no less than 5.0 in any skill
- **Course Length**: 2 terms
- **Course Tuition**: £17,760
- **Course Start**: September 2021
- **Course End**: June 2022
- **Extra Support**: 2 terms of NO modules followed by an integrated 1-term virtual internship

#### 5.5 overall with no less than 5.0 in any skill
- **Course Length**: 3 terms
- **Course Tuition**: £19,125
- **Course Start**: September 2021
- **Course End**: August 2022
- **Extra Support**: 0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

#### 5.0 overall with no less than 4.5 in any skill
- **Course Length**: 2.5 terms
- **Course Tuition**: £19,125
- **Course Start**: October 2021
- **Course End**: August 2022
- **Extra Support**: 0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

#### 4.5 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- **Course Length**: 3 terms
- **Course Tuition**: £19,125
- **Course Start**: September 2021
- **Course End**: August 2022
- **Extra Support**: 1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

### Your International Year One options for degree entry in October 2023

#### 5.0 overall with no less than 4.5 in any skill
- **Course Length**: 2.5 terms
- **Course Tuition**: £19,125
- **Course Start**: July 2022
- **Course End**: June 2023
- **Extra Support**: 0.5 terms of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

#### 4.5 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- **Course Length**: 3 terms
- **Course Tuition**: £19,125
- **Course Start**: June 2022
- **Course End**: June 2023
- **Extra Support**: 1 term of modules from Enhancement and Extended English and Skills options

#### 4.0 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- **Course Length**: 3.5 terms
- **Course Tuition**: £22,310
- **Course Start**: April 2022
- **Course End**: June 2023
- **Extra Support**: 1.5 terms of Extended English and Skills modules

#### 4.0 overall with no less than 4.0 in any skill
- **Course Length**: 4 terms
- **Course Tuition**: £25,080
- **Course Start**: February 2022
- **Course End**: August 2023
- **Extra Support**: 2 terms of Extended English and Skills modules

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- Digital Applications
- Preparatory Mathematics
- Preparatory Statistics
- UK Society and Culture

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**Students with UKVI IELTS 4.5 or 5.0 will typically take:**
- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

**Students with UKVI IELTS 4.0 will typically take:**
- English for Academic Study 2 + English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 2 + Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 2 + Speaking and Listening 3
- Study Skills Preparation

**International Year One with Internship**

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**International Year One in Economics**

### Common modules taken by all students:
- Collaborative Project
- Economics
- English for Academic Purposes
- Financial Accounting
- Mathematics for Economics
- Quantitative Methods and Finance

You will also take one of the following modules that fits your degree and career goals:
- Economic Policy
- Management Accounting
- Management and Organisation

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Common modules taken by all students:
- Constitutional Law
- Contract Law
- Criminal Law
- English for Academic Purposes
- Foundations of Property Law
- Foundations of the Law of Obligations
- Legal Skills and the English Legal System

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### Common modules taken by all students:

- English for Academic Purposes
- Biochemistry of Macromolecules
- Genetics and Evolution
- Microbiology
- Molecular Cell Biology
- Quantitative Methods for Life Sciences
- Transferable Skills in Life Sciences

You will also take one of the following modules that fits your degree and career goals†:

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Inorganic and Physical Chemistry

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- Co-operation and Conflict
- English for Academic Purposes
- Introduction to International Relations
- Introduction to Politics
- Scientific Reasoning and Comparative Political Analysis

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› Research Methods in Psychology
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Develop an understanding of major psychological theories and key concepts to identify how they can be used in real-life scenarios.

Biochemistry of Macromolecules
Discover the biochemistry of biologically important macromolecules that are essential for life.

Biochemistry
Gain an understanding of biological systems and organisms, as well as key laboratory processes.

Collaborative Project
Practise your investigative, analytical and collaborative skills on a project carried out with other students.

Constitutional Law
Gain an understanding of the UK constitution and the foundations of judicial review, as well as an overview of the key powers and functions of the three branches of government.

Contemporary Global Issues
Explore the big issues facing humanity in the 21st century, and critically evaluate their causes and effects.

Contract Law
Build an understanding of the knowledge and skills required to identify and draft a legally enforceable contract, and learn to identify key issues in real-life scenarios using the law to solve problems.

Co-operation and Conflict
Explore the basic problems of conflict and cooperation in international relations, and how to analyse topics in current world affairs.

Criminal Law
Learn about the concepts and principles of criminal law, and develop your understanding of the legal elements of criminal liability and the major criminal offences and defences in England and Wales.

Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education
Enhance your ability to read and to understand complex ideas in English, and to compose convincing written arguments.

Digital Applications
Develop your digital skill set, helping you use digital tools to support academic study, including using and citing digital sources.

Discovering Psychology: the Science Behind Human Behaviour
Explore psychological areas such as perception, learning, memory, neuroscience, child development, language, personality and social psychology.

Economic Policy
Explore topical economic issues in the UK and around the world, and how economics affects policy development.

Economics
Gain an understanding of macro- and micro-economics, and explore current trends and issues in the field.

English for Academic Purposes
Develop your English to the level you need for university study, and to really get involved in academic discussions.

English for Academic Study 2
Improve your English grammar and vocabulary in order to communicate in an academic environment.

English for Academic Study 3
Expand your knowledge of English grammar and vocabulary to the level required for degree study.

Entrepreneurship
Familiarise yourself with varied concepts of creativity, entrepreneurship and innovation, and how to apply them in business.

Extended Project
Learn how to plan, carry out and report an extended project. You can choose a project topic that matches your degree and career goals, and personal interests.

Financial Accounting
Learn about standard accounting conventions, and the role of financial accounting within organisations.

Foundations of Property Law
Explore the fundamental principles of the law of property, and the framework within which property lawyers operate in England and Wales.

Foundations of the Law of Obligations
Develop a knowledge of this field of civil law, and apply this knowledge to analyse simulated and real-life cases.

General and Organic Chemistry
Gain an understanding of general and organic chemistry through the study of the structure, properties, and reactions of organic compounds.

Genetics and Evolution
Learn about DNA, genes, genetic variation, and heredity in organisms. Explore the theories of evolution and natural selection.

Historical Perspectives
Gain an understanding of the historical context of your chosen degree area, and skills such as researching, evaluating and interpreting sources.

Independent and Collaborative Study
Work independently and in teams on an academic task, and practise applying your subject knowledge and study skills.

Information Technology
Discover the key concepts of computer science, including data representation and programming languages.

Inorganic and Physical Chemistry
Learn about key aspects of inorganic and physical chemistry that are essential to understand the function of biological systems.

Intermediate Mathematics
Expand your knowledge of mathematical concepts including algebra, geometry, problem-solving, trigonometry and vectors.

Introduction to International Relations
Focusing on international security and international political economy, you’ll learn about state and non-state actors, the causes of war, terrorism, human rights, international institutions, trade, disaster response and foreign aid.

Introduction to Politics
Gain an understanding of political research, theory and philosophy, and the origins and organisation of the state, political power, political decisions, ideologies, values, political parties and democracy.

Legal Skills and the English Legal System
Gain an understanding of the English legal system, including different forms of dispute resolution, and develop research and communication skills to facilitate your studies.

Logic and Critical Thinking
Explore the concepts, history and skills relating to logic and critical thinking, and how they apply in real-world contexts.

Management Accounting
Find out about the role of financial management in organisations, as well as techniques for financial decision-making.

Management and Organisation
Explore the key theories of business management, and learn to evaluate management practices in context.

Mathematics
Develop your mathematical skill set in areas such as algebra, decision maths, probabilities and statistics.

Mathematics for Economics
Learn the key mathematical knowledge and skills needed to communicate and evaluate economic concepts.

Microbiology
Discover the key concepts of infectious diseases through the study of microbes and viruses.

Molecular Cell Biology
Gain an understanding of the cell, the basic structural, functional, and biological unit of all known organisms. Explore cell biology through both practical and theoretical methods.

People, Culture and Society
Learn about the history, theories and issues that relate to human culture and society around the world.

Physics
Gain an understanding of astrophysics, electromagnetism, mechanics and thermodynamics.
Preparatory Mathematics
Develop your numeracy skills, including algebra, geometry and graphs.

Preparatory Science
Gain an introduction to core scientific knowledge, and subject-specific language required to study the sciences.

Preparatory Statistics
Build on your knowledge of using statistics, including the use of data to illustrate facts and support theories.

Principles of Marketing
Gain an insight into the key principles of modern marketing, and its role in business and commercial competition.

Quantitative Methods and Finance
Enhance your understanding of mathematics and quantitative techniques, and how to apply them to accounting, finance and management.

Quantitative Methods for Life Sciences
Develop a comprehensive statistical and mathematical skill set including the use of, unique to Life Sciences, IT programmes.

Research Methods in Psychology
Enhance understanding of qualitative and quantitative research as well as statistical methods to enable a researcher to select the correct methods to undertake effective research in the field of Psychology.

Scientific Reasoning and Comparative Political Analysis
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Speaking and Listening 2
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Statistics for Psychologists
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Study Skills Preparation
Gain an introduction to the wide range of skills and strategies you'll need to succeed at university, such as research methods and using and citing sources.

Transferable Skills in Life Sciences
Gain valuable skills on presentations, academic writing, critical thinking, and data presentation which are essential across all Life Sciences.

Truth, Justice and the Nature of Politics and Power
Explore concepts of truth, justice, democracy, empire, morality, the fair distribution of resources, labour, gender, liberalism, republicanism and the meaning of mass society.

UK Society and Culture
Learn more about the culture and society of the UK, and how it differs from others.

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Pre-Master’s

Humanities
Science and Health
Social Sciences

Postgraduate module summaries

Your path to university:

Pre-Master’s

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International College

Postgraduate degree

1 year

Graduate

with a University of Essex degree

Key:

Hu: Pre-Master’s for Humanities
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So: Pre-Master’s for Social Sciences

Marketing and Media

MA Advertising, Marketing and the Media
MA Creative Writing
MA Film and Literature
MA Film Studies
MA Marketing and Brand Management
MA Screenwriting (Theatre and Digital Media)

Mathematics

MSc Applied Data Science
MSc Data Science and its Applications
MSc Mathematics
MSc Mathematics and Finance
MSc Statistics
MSc Statistics and Operational Research

Science and Health

MSc Actuarial Science
MSc Artificial Intelligence
MSc Biotechnology
MSc Data Analytics in Health Genomics
MSc Management (Advertising and Corporate Communications)
MSc Management (Leadership)
MSc Molecular Medicine
MSc Tropical Marine Biology

Social Science and Humanities

MA American Literature
MA Applied Economics and Data Analysis
MA Applied Linguistics
MA Art History and Theory
MA Audiology and Literacy Translation
MA Behavioural Economics
MA Childhood Studies
MA Conflict Resolution
MA Conflict Resolution
MA Criminology
MA Criminology and Social Research
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MA Financial Economics and Econometrics
MA Global and Comparative Politics
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MA History
MA Ideology and Discourse Analysis
MA International Economics
MA International Economics

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Choose your postgraduate degree

Available degree options may change over time, so visit our online Degree Finder for the most up-to-date list:

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MA International Relations
MSc International Relations
MA Iranian and Persian Studies
MA Linguistic Studies
MA Literature and Creative Writing
MA Literature, Culture, and Society
MA Management and Organisational Dynamics
MA Management Economics
MSc Management Economics
MA Migration Studies
MSc Migration Studies
MA Modern and Contemporary Literature
MSc Organised Crime, Terrorism and Security
MA Philosophy
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MSc Political Theory
MA Politics
MA Psychoanalytic Studies
MA Psycholinguistics
MSc Psychoanalytic Studies
MA Public Opinion and Political Behaviour
MSc Public Opinion and Political Behaviour
MA Sociological Research Methods
MA Sociology
MA Sociology and Crimeology
MA Sociology and Criminology
MA Sociology and Management
MSc Survey Methods for Social Research
MA Translation and Professional Practice
MA Translation, Interpreting and Subtitling
MA United States Politics
MA Wild Writing: Literature, Landscape and the Environment

1: 2-year course

Notes
### Common modules taken by all students:
- English for Academic Purposes
- Research Project

You will also take 2 of the following modules to prepare for postgraduate study:
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- Project Management
- UK Society and Culture (Advanced)

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- English for Academic Study 3
- Independent and Collaborative Study
- Reading and Writing 3
- Speaking and Listening 3

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- Independent and Collaborative Study
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- Study Skills Preparation

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### Pre-Master’s for Social Sciences

#### Common modules taken by all students:
- English for Academic Purposes
- Research Project

You will also take 2 of the following modules to prepare for postgraduate study:
- Advanced Mathematics and Statistics
- Advanced Social Sciences
- Project Management
- Strategic Management
- UK Society and Culture (Advanced)

#### Personal development activities:
During your course, you’ll also have activities to build practical, digital and employability skills. Learn more about modules: you’ll find module summaries later in this booklet.

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Work independently and in teams on an academic task, and practise applying your subject knowledge and study skills.

Philosophy, History and Culture
Explore Western philosophy and its history, and analyse events and developments in your degree area in a historical and cultural context.

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Gain key skills in project management, and apply your knowledge to a project.

Reading and Writing 2
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Pre-Sessional courses

Conditional offer holders

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Pre-Sessional English Language with Study Skills
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Academic Skills Preparation Programme
If you hold an unconditional offer for a bachelor’s or master’s degree at Essex, an Academic Skills Preparation Programme can help you feel more confident about studying at university.

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Unconditional offer holders

Pre-Sessional English Language
All students will take the following comprehensive module:
› English for Academic Purposes

Pre-Sessional English Language with Study Skills
All students will take the following modules:
› English for Academic Purposes
› Independent Project

Students on a 15 or 20-week course will also take:
› English for Academic Study: Grammar and Vocabulary 3
› English for Academic Study: Reading and Writing 3
› English for Academic Study: Speaking and Listening 3

Academic Skills Preparation Programme
All students will take the following modules:
› Academic Study Skills
› Introduction to British Culture and Society
› Personal Development and Employability

* UKVI IELTS alternative: we can accept alternative tests as proof of English language for entry to these Pre-Sessional courses.

Learn more at: kaplanpathways.com/uk/ielts/
Academic Study Skills
This module develops your academic skills through an extended project proposal. It introduces academic conventions, key concepts such as paraphrasing, referencing and academic integrity. It also provides you with the opportunity to design, produce and present an extended research proposal in your field of study.

English for Academic Purposes
This module develops your speaking, listening, reading and writing. It prepares you for your end of course exam, as well as introducing key language for studying at university.

English for Academic Study: Grammar and Vocabulary 3
This module develops your grammar and vocabulary, focusing on how to use this language when speaking, listening, reading and writing.

English for Academic Study: Reading and Writing 3
This module develops your reading and writing skills, and looks at the basics of academic style.

English for Academic Study: Speaking and Listening 3
This module develops your speaking and listening skills, focusing on academic contexts including seminar discussions and lectures.

Independent Project
This module introduces a range of research and study skills, including planning, drafting and presenting. It also gives you an opportunity to do a short research project on a subject you find interesting.

Introduction to British Culture and Society
This module introduces key concepts in British society and culture. It also focuses on the UK higher education system to help you adapt to living and studying in the UK.

Personal Development and Employability
This module helps you develop your study skills and be more successful learners by looking at different learning techniques and reflecting on what works well for you. It also introduces key employability skills such as writing CVs and answering.