University Pathways Guide 2019–20

› Follow your path to a top university in the UK, USA or Australia

› Find your way to a great career

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Nur from Malaysia
On her path to a leading university

Ayush from India
On his way to a successful career
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I’ve always wanted to work in banking, so I decided to pursue my dream by studying abroad. While in Zimbabwe, I discovered that I could take a pathway course with Kaplan, which would help me gain entry to a degree at the University of Brighton in the UK.

Zimbabwe is very far away from the UK, so I was a bit scared of coming here, but I’m glad I did because I’ve had an amazing time. I’ve met lots of new people, and I’ve been able to continue my hobbies.

My pathway course has really helped me to feel prepared for my degree. The Kaplan tutors teach you like you’re already at university, but they give you extra help at the same time.

I think studying abroad is perfect if you want to grow as a person and get out into the world to experience new things.

I’m happy that I found the right course and university for me, and that I’m on my path to my dream job.

Anthony from Zimbabwe
On his path to the University of Brighton

“...where will your path take you?”
5 steps to a great degree and career

A degree from an excellent university can change your life. These 5 steps show your path to university abroad with Kaplan; it’s easier than you might think.

1. Complete your current high school or university studies.
   If you then decide you want to study a bachelor’s or master’s degree, we can help you gain access to more university options abroad.

2. Choose a Kaplan pathway course and apply.
   A pathway course can help you qualify for entry to the degree you want, while also preparing you for university in a different country. Applying is simple, and we’ll be here to guide you.

3. Study your pathway course in your destination country.
   Your course will improve your academic and language skills, and is often taught on the campus of the university you have applied to.

4. Progress to your university degree.
   Once you’ve met the progression requirements for your pathway course, you’ll enrol on your chosen bachelor’s or master’s degree at university, and you’ll be fully prepared!

5. Graduate from university and start your career.
   When you finish your degree, you can graduate with a bright future ahead. With a good education and international experience, you’ll be well placed to begin a successful career.

What is a pathway course? Learn more on the next page.
Why study a pathway course?

A pathway course is the perfect way to make sure you can study the degree you want. You’ll start university fully prepared for the challenges ahead.

Benefits of taking a pathway course

Taking a pathway course will really help your education and career prospects. It can enable you to get into a better university, so you’ll end up with a more impressive degree after you graduate. It will give you all the skills and knowledge you need to be prepared for university study, and for life in another country. A big part of this is the chance to make lifelong friendships with people from all over the world. Pathway courses are available for bachelor’s and master’s degrees, whatever level you’re studying at, it’s good to be prepared!

Our guarantee

When you study a pathway course with Kaplan, you are guaranteed entry to your university degree when you pass at the required level, with good attendance.

What subjects can I study?

Find our more on the next page.

Michelle from Kenya
On her path to the University of Nottingham
What can I study?

When you study with Kaplan, you can do things your way. You’ll have a huge range of degrees and subjects to choose from, with options for both pathway courses and direct admission.

Routes to bachelor’s degrees

We offer you a wide range of pathway courses that lead to undergraduate degrees. There are also options for students who qualify to enrol directly onto a degree, or who wish to complete a degree they’ve already started at a different university and transfer existing credits.

Undergraduate pathways in the UK, USA and Australia include the Foundation Certificate (typically leading to the 1st year of a bachelor’s degree), and International Year One (leading to the 2nd year of a bachelor’s degree).

Routes to master’s degrees

There are a number of ways you can enrol on a master’s degree with Kaplan, including through a pathway course, typically taken on the campus of the university you’d like to study at. As well as pathway courses, there are options for direct admission to a master’s degree if you qualify.

Postgraduate pathways – or simply graduate pathways in the USA – will allow you to take your higher education one step further. Available courses include a Pre-Master’s, which can help you progress to a master’s degree.

Examples of subject areas and degrees you could study

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Where can I study?

Your path to a great education could lead you across the world. Study at a prestigious university, in an exciting destination in the UK, USA or Australia.

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Find out more about your UK university options on page 14.
1. Aston University
Birmingham, England
2. University of Birmingham
Birmingham, England
3. Bournemouth University
Bournemouth, England
4. University of Brighton
Brighton, England
5. City, University of London
London, England
6. Cranfield University
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7. University of Essex
Colchester, England
8. University of Glasgow
Glasgow, Scotland
9. University of Liverpool
Liverpool, England
10. University of Nottingham
Nottingham, England
11. Nottingham Trent University
Nottingham, England
12. UWE Bristol
Bristol, England
13. University of Westminster
London, England
14. University of York
York, England

Australia
Find out more about your university options in Australia on page 62.
1. University of Adelaide
Adelaide, South Australia
2. Murdoch University
Perth, Western Australia

United States
Find out more about your US university options on page 46.
1. Arizona State University
Phoenix, Arizona
2. Northeastern University
Boston, Massachusetts
3. Northeastern University
Seattle, Washington
4. Northeastern University
Silicon Valley, California
5. Pace University
New York City, New York
6. The University of Tulsa
Tulsa, Oklahoma

Discover your full range of university options online:
kaplanpathways.com/universities
Study in the United Kingdom

A UK degree will give you a great advantage. You’ll find excellent universities and a unique culture here, so the UK could be your perfect study destination.

Your path to the UK

Find out more about your UK study options, university choices, and where your path might take you.

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Genevieve from Guinea
On her path to City, University of London

Carrie from China
On her path to the University of Westminster

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Pathway courses

With Kaplan, you have 3 main types of pathway course available in the UK.

**Foundation Certificate (FC)**
- Qualify for entry to the 1st year of an undergraduate / bachelor’s degree.*
- Entry requirements: typically, successful completion of high school, and between IELTS 4.0 and 5.5.
- Course length: usually 6 to 15 months

**International Year One (IYO)**
- Qualify for entry to the 2nd year of an undergraduate / bachelor’s degree.
- Entry requirements: typically, successful completion of high school with good grades, and between IELTS 4.0 and 5.5.
- Course length: usually 7 to 15 months

**Pre-Master’s (PM)**
- Qualify for entry to a postgraduate / master’s degree.
- Entry requirements: typically, at least 3 years of higher education or equivalent, and between IELTS 4.5 and 5.5.
- Course length: usually 6 to 15 months

Pathway course

Study options in the UK

You have a huge range of pathway options for studying in the UK. We’ll help you get a great education, your way.

**Study costs**
Pathway course tuition fees are typically between £12,590 and £28,980, depending on which course you take. You’ll also need to consider other costs like your university tuition fees (which can range from £15,250 and £24,000 per year†), general living costs, accommodation, course books and student insurance.

More information about fees and other costs:
> kaplanpathways.com/uk-apply

**What else can I study?**
We offer other routes to UK universities that may be suitable for you.

**Pre-Sessional English**
Ideal if you need to raise just your IELTS score to meet the entry requirements for a degree in the UK.
> kaplanpathways.com/pse

**Direct degree admission**
We also have options for students who already qualify for degree entry based on their academic and English language level. We could help you go straight to university.
> kaplanpathways.com/uk-direct

**Pre-Doctorate**
This will prepare you for a degree at doctoral level, and can help you get an interview at a great university.
> kaplanpathways.com/pre-doc

**Other options**
There are several other ways to gain entry to great UK universities, including taking A levels or a flexible foundation course, and studying in your region.
> kaplanpathways.com/other-routes

* For universities in Scotland, a Foundation Certificate will lead to the 2nd year of a 4-year undergraduate degree.
† Prices are based on the 2018-19 academic year.
Subjects by university

We offer you a wide range of pathway course subjects, leading to thousands of great UK degrees in varied areas. To find out what you can study, and where, simply choose the subject below that most closely matches your preferred degree. You can then see where you can study a pathway course that fits your academic level, leading to the degree you want.

| Key: | FC: Foundation Certificate | IYO: International Year One | PM: Post-Master’s |

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Your path to Aston University
Through a pathway course at Kaplan International College London, you can gain entry to a degree at Aston. You’ll benefit from a brand new college building in London with access to local university facilities and high-quality housing close to class, before going to Aston for your degree.

Top-rated teaching
Aston is committed to giving you the best possible education. You’ll enjoy exceptional teaching and learn from highly qualified, dedicated lecturers. The University received the highest possible award of Gold in the 2017 Teaching Excellence Framework, so you can be sure that you’ll benefit from fantastic resources and support.

Professional development
At Aston, you’ll have the opportunity to complete a professional work internship during your degree, or to study outside the UK at one of 50+ international partner institutions. This will help you develop a solid set of skills that employers around the world find attractive, and you can join the global job market as a confident graduate.

“Aston gave me the chance to grow as a person, as well as academically. I have gained confidence, tried new things, and discovered something I’m passionate about.”

Haveela from India is on her path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Diverse Birmingham
Birmingham is the UK’s 2nd largest city after London, and a fantastic, vibrant place to be a student. Its diverse, international community contributes to a wide range of cultural activities, including the UK’s largest Eid festival. The city’s excellent transport links also allow you to easily explore the rest of the UK and beyond.

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Aston University
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You can gain entry to a Birmingham bachelor’s degree via a Kaplan International College London pathway course. Enjoy a brand new college facility with use of local university resources and modern nearby housing, and enjoy London student life, before transferring to Birmingham for your degree.

Study options
Foundation Certificate: Bachelor’s admission:*  
Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)  
* Exclusions apply. Contact us for more details: kaplanpathways.com/contact

University of Birmingham

The University of Birmingham is a leading global university, and a member of the UK’s elite Russell Group. Its beautiful, traditional campus offers you impressive facilities and a welcoming atmosphere.

Diverse community
At the University of Birmingham, you’ll enjoy life on a global campus and meet people from around the world. There are 5,000+ international students who come from more than 150 countries, and over 30% of academic staff are from overseas. Studying at Birmingham is therefore a great opportunity for you to become part of a worldwide network of talented graduates.

Fantastic facilities
As a student at the University of Birmingham, you will benefit from the excellent facilities on its stunning 250-acre campus. These include one of the UK’s largest academic libraries and a new £55 million sports centre. Between 2016 and 2026, the University is investing more than £600 million in buildings, laboratories, equipment and resources.

Ellen from the USA
Is on her path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Mechanical Engineering

University fast facts
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Green surroundings
As the UK’s ‘second city’, Birmingham is a great destination for students like you. It’s a lively, multicultural place where you can enjoy a wide range of cuisines, a wonderful arts scene and fantastic sports. The city also has more trees than any other equivalent-sized European city, so you can relax in its many green spaces.

Study on a beautiful campus

Enjoy food from around the world at Birmingham’s many restaurants
Bournemouth University

Located on England’s beautiful south coast, Bournemouth University (BU) offers an inspiring and creative learning environment, where you can benefit from state-of-the-art facilities and excellent work placement opportunities.

Real-world experience

BU has a brilliant reputation for the wide range of flexible work placements available to students as part of their degrees. With links to hundreds of companies, including Microsoft and Warner Bros., you can gain in-depth industry knowledge, build a professional network and stand out in the job market.

Modern facilities

By the end of 2018, BU will have invested £200 million in brand new facilities, so you can make the most of cutting-edge resources. BU’s £22 million Fusion Building is home to lecture theatres, seminar rooms and social spaces, which will help you to enjoy an outstanding learning experience.

Seaside location

With its beautiful sandy beaches and fun seaside vibe, Bournemouth is an exciting destination to be a student. When you’re not studying, you can enjoy many attractions, which include stunning parks and gardens, lovely shops and boutiques, watersports and a great aquarium. You can even be in London in less than 2 hours!

Gain valuable practical knowledge

Learn in the fantastic Fusion Building

"I like the beach vibe of Bournemouth, and people are really friendly here. There is so much going on and you can always find something to do, so living here is really fun.”

Aurimar from Venezuela

is on her path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Tourism Management

University fast facts

Top 5 in the UK for value added to expected graduate salaries

Top 3 in the UK for number of students on work placements

125 nationalities represented on campus

Top 4 in the UK for teaching effectiveness

The Economist 2017

Guardian University Guide 2019

Higher Education Statistics Agency 2017

Your path to Bournemouth University (BU)

You can take a pathway course on campus at Bournemouth University International College to prepare for, and gain entry to, your BU degree. You’ll have access to BU’s facilities, and you can stay in the fantastic Lansdowne Point residence that’s part of the International College building.

Study options

Foundation Certificate:
International Year One:
Pre-Master’s:
Pre-Sessional English:

Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)
Your path to the University of Brighton

You can gain a place on a Brighton degree with a pathway course at the University of Brighton International College. You will be on campus, have access to the University’s great facilities, and can stay in brand new accommodation close to your classes.

Study options

Foundation Certificate: International Year One
Pre-Master’s

Famous beach city

Thanks to its location on England’s south coast, a 1-hour train ride from London, Brighton is a popular destination for students and visitors. You can enjoy the city’s famous beach and pier, as well as its creative arts and design scene. It’s home to one of England’s largest arts festivals, the Brighton Fringe, and lots of music, comedy and street performances.

University of Brighton

The University of Brighton is home to a diverse and inclusive community, where students are encouraged to be curious and challenge conventional thinking. At Brighton, you’ll gain the practical knowledge and skills needed to succeed in the world of work.

University fast facts

94% employment rate for graduates
Silver award for teaching quality
150+ nationalities represented on campus
100+ student clubs and societies available for you to join

Diverse student community

With more than 150 nationalities represented on campus, Brighton is an incredible place to broaden your horizons and learn about different cultures. You’ll meet people from around the world, and you can maintain these global connections thanks to the University’s alumni network of 150,000 graduates in 140+ countries worldwide.

Practical wisdom

The University of Brighton is dedicated to teaching you real-world skills that will prepare you for your future career. On your degree, you’ll learn how to develop key skills that will improve your employability. You’ll even have the opportunity to put what you’ve learnt into practice if you choose to do a work placement during your degree.

“The favourite places in town are the beach and Brighton Pier – it’s really nice there. Brighton is a place where I feel safe, and the people are very friendly.”

Sahar from Pakistan

is on her path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Business.

Discover Brighton’s famous North Laine

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City, University of London

City, University of London is a top international university in the heart of the UK capital. City’s commitment to academic excellence and focus on business and the professions will help you start a successful career.

Business connections
City’s location close to London’s famous financial area, professional institutions and major media offices allows you to connect with potential employers and build strong relationships while you study. The University’s industry links also ensure its degrees are up-to-date and reflect current professional needs, so that you receive a cutting-edge education.

International experience
City’s students come from over 160 countries, so you’ll enjoy life on a diverse campus with a global community. By studying with students from various backgrounds and by experiencing a range of cultures, you will gain an understanding of how to engage with different people’s perspectives. This international outlook will prepare you for life in the world of work.

University fast facts
#1 student city in the world, London, is all around you
QS Best Student Cities 2018
Top 15
UK university for amount invested in each student
Guardian University Guide 2019
160+
countries represented in a truly global student community
75%
of research is rated “world leading” or “internationally excellent”
Research Excellence Framework 2014
Your path to City, University of London
With a pathway course at Kaplan International College London, you can gain entry to a degree at City. You’ll enjoy a brand new College building and access to the University’s excellent facilities, and you can stay in modern housing nearby, while you enjoy living and learning in London.

Study options
Foundation Certificate:
Pre-Master’s:
Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)
Naif from Saudi Arabia is on his path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in International Political Economy
“I’ve explored London a lot with my friends. I’ve visited areas like Camden Town and South Kensington, and I’ve been to lots of really cool museums. I love it here.”

London life
The UK’s capital city offers so many exciting experiences for students. London truly has something for everyone, whether you want to explore its many free museums, discover world-class shopping, or try food from around the world. You can visit famous landmarks such as the London Eye, or cycle through Hyde Park and take in the beautiful scenery.
Cranfield University

You can gain entry to a master’s degree at Cranfield by studying a Pre-Master’s course at Kaplan International College London. Take advantage of a brand new college building and access to local university facilities, stay in high-quality housing nearby, and enjoy student life in London before you transfer to Cranfield for your degree.

State-of-the-art facilities
Cranfield University is renowned for its great technological resources, so you can use advanced equipment, laboratories and simulators as part of your studies. Cranfield really is investing in your future, with facilities such as the new £65 million Digital Aviation Research and Technology Centre (DARTeCH), which will lead the UK’s research into digital aviation technology.

Career-focused university
Cranfield University is an exceptional academic institution with a focus on preparing you for a career. Its relationships with more than 1,500 business partners worldwide provide you with access to a wide range of employment opportunities. You’ll also benefit from the University’s lifelong careers support service, so you can stay up-to-date with job vacancies.

Peaceful countryside
Located just over an hour from London in the English countryside, Cranfield’s safe and tranquil environment is surrounded by many pretty villages, and stunning country houses like Woburn Abbey and Blenheim Palace. You can enjoy many outdoor activities such as horse riding, and visit nearby towns like Oxford and Milton Keynes.

“Cranfield has a peaceful atmosphere, so it’s perfect for studying. The work-life balance is great here. I can focus on my master’s, but I’m also able to try new things, like skydiving!”

Taoyi from China is on his path to gaining a master’s degree in Investment Management.

University fast facts

- #1 in the UK for teaching staff-to-student ratio
- #2 in the UK for graduate employment
- 1,500+ business partners around the world
- 81% of research recognised as “world-leading” or “intentionally excellent”

Cranfield is the only specialist postgraduate technology and management university in the UK. You’ll benefit from its strong industry connections, its excellent reputation for research, and its cutting-edge technology.

Study options
Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)

- Pre-Master’s:
- ...
University of Essex

A diverse university with strong rankings and an innovative spirit, the University of Essex is a truly dynamic place to study. You can enjoy some of the highest quality teaching in the UK and graduate with a career-enhancing degree.

Top-rated teaching
Essex is known for high-quality teaching, and received a top-level Gold award in the 2017 Teaching Excellence Framework. At Essex, you’ll be encouraged to think independently and question convention. You will learn how to think creatively, and how to apply your knowledge and ideas to real-life situations.

Everything you need
The University’s Colchester-based campus is well equipped to support your studies. You will have access to a 6-floor library, IT suites and even a cinema. With other great campus amenities including a sports centre and restaurants, all set around a beautiful lake, you can enjoy student life in a fun and vibrant environment.

University fast facts

Top 25 in the UK overall
Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2018

Gold award for teaching
Teaching Excellence Framework 2017

Top 15 in England for student satisfaction
National Student Survey 2018

19th worldwide for international outlook
Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2018

Your path to the University of Essex
With a pathway course at the University of Essex International College on campus, you can gain a place on an Essex degree. You’ll have access to the University’s excellent facilities, and you can stay in specialist student accommodation that’s close to your classes.

Study options
Foundation Certificate:
International Year One: Pre-Master’s:

Historic county
Colchester is located in the county of Essex, which is home to an incredible coastline and many historic villages. There’s lots for you to explore here, and it is just a short train ride from London. This makes it great for students because you can enjoy being near the capital, but with a lower cost of living.

“I’ve found that Essex is a great place to immerse myself in UK culture. I’m involved with different societies like the Theatre Arts Society, and I’ve joined the football club. It’s exciting to try new things!”

Loay from Jordan is on his path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Electronic Engineering.

Study at a welcoming campus
Discover Essex’s beautiful coastline

kplanpathways.com/university-of-essex
University of Glasgow

As one of the UK’s ‘ancient universities’, Glasgow has a long history of academic accomplishment. With great rankings, both in the UK and internationally, Glasgow will help you go on to great things.

Impressive history
The University of Glasgow was founded in 1451, meaning it has been producing brilliant graduates for over 500 years! The tradition continues today, with students coming from more than 150 different countries to study at this prestigious and impressive Scottish university.

Incredible campus
Arriving at Glasgow’s campus, you might think that you’ve stepped into a fantasy world! With stunning Gothic buildings and beautiful grounds, the campus features amazing scenery. But it also contains all the state-of-the-art facilities and modern resources you need to succeed on your degree.

Scottish culture
As Scotland’s largest city, Glasgow is an exciting place to study, with a lot going on. You can enjoy the Kelvingrove art gallery, as well as museums, fantastic shopping, independent cafés and restaurants all across the city. The music scene in Glasgow is also particularly vibrant, with an average of 100 live music events per week!

University fast facts

- KaplanPathways.com/university-of-glasgow

Your path to the University of Glasgow
At Glasgow International College, you can take a pathway course to prepare for, and gain entry to, a University of Glasgow degree. You’ll be based on the beautiful main campus, with access to the University’s fantastic facilities, and you can stay in high-quality housing nearby.

Study options
- Foundation Certificate:
- Pre-Master’s:

Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)

“I love exploring Glasgow. I really like visiting Kelvingrove Park, which is where we go to have barbecues or play football. And the riverside is a nice place to take a walk – there’s lots to discover!”

Christians from Venezuela is on his path to gaining a master’s degree in International Law.

University of Glasgow

10th in the UK
Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2019

Top 15 in the UK for graduate prospects
Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2019

Best UK university for international experience
Wisconsin Student Choice Awards 2019

Top 70 in the world
QS World University Rankings 2019

Study options
- Foundation Certificate:
- Pre-Master’s:
Your path to the University of Liverpool
Through a pathway course on campus at Liverpool International College, you can gain a place on a University of Liverpool degree. You will benefit from a brand new college and residence building, plus access to the University’s great facilities, while you discover the exciting city of Liverpool.

Study options
Foundation Certificate: Pre-Master’s

Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)

University facts

Top 16
in the UK
Shanghai Academic Ranking 2018

Top 25
UK university most targeted by graduate employers
High Fliers Research 2018

10
Nobel Prize winners associated with the University

Top 150
university worldwide
Shanghai Academic Ranking 2018

University of Liverpool

As a member of the elite Russell Group, Liverpool is one of the UK’s top universities. You can live and learn in the vibrant city of Liverpool, and become a proud graduate of a globally respected university.

Red brick university
The University of Liverpool is the original ‘red brick’ university, which means that it’s part of a group of prestigious UK institutions. As a Liverpool graduate, you’ll be very attractive to employers thanks to the University’s reputation, both in the UK and across the world, for academic excellence.

Research and teaching experts
Liverpool has an excellent research record, and its teaching received an impressive Silver award in the 2018 Teaching Excellence Framework, so you’ll be in the right place for a great education. The University offers you fantastic facilities like state-of-the-art science labs, plus 2 libraries with 24-hour access.

“I think Liverpool is one of the best places to study abroad. I like its history and spending time at the city’s waterfront. There are also lots of different communities here, so you’ll meet people from around the world!”

Brian from Hong Kong SAR is on his path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Mechanical Engineering.

Lively city

Liverpool is one of the most cosmopolitan cities in the UK, and great for student life. It’s well known for its 2 Premier League football teams, but there is more than just sport to experience. You can explore the city’s museums and art galleries, like the Beatles Museum and the Tate Modern, or simply relax by the waterfront.

Study at a respected red brick university
Explore the beautiful docks
Achieve your ambitions at Liverpool
The University of Nottingham is a member of the prestigious Russell Group, and is among the UK’s most elite universities. With a famously beautiful campus, Nottingham is a wonderful place to be a student.

Stunning surroundings
The University of Nottingham is an ideal place to study, thanks to its fantastic campus that has won a Civic Trust Green Flag Award for its design. The 300-acre campus offers pretty parks and gardens, attractive architecture, a tranquil lake, and all the facilities and amenities you need to make the most of your study experience.

Graduates that go far
The University of Nottingham was awarded a Gold rating in the Teaching Excellence Framework 2017, meaning you will receive the very best education. Great teaching also helps the University’s students go on to success, with employers actively seeking out Nottingham graduates.

History and culture
Nottingham is a fun-filled city, offering a unique student experience. It hosts a wide range of great cultural events, including the Nottingham Festival of Words, a celebration of literature. There are also many ways to see the city’s history: from visiting its Castle to exploring its underground cave network, and discovering the legend of Robin Hood!

"The people in Nottingham are very friendly, and I really feel at home here. When the weather is nice, I usually go to the main campus with friends and we walk by the lake or rent a bike – it’s lovely.”

Ksenia from Russia
is on her path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Business

University fast facts
- Top 15 UK university (QS World University Rankings 2019)
- Top 100 university worldwide (QS World University Rankings 2019)
- Gold rating for excellent teaching (Teaching Excellence Framework 2017)
- Top 10 most targeted UK university by leading graduate employers (High Fliers Research 2018)
- Top 100 university worldwide (QS World University Rankings 2019)
- Top 15 UK university (QS World University Rankings 2019)

Study options
- Foundation Certificate:
- Pre-Master’s:

Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)
Nottingham Trent University

kplanpathways.com/nottingham-trent-university

Nottingham Trent’s commitment to excellent teaching and practical knowledge makes it a fantastic study destination. Located in the vibrant city of Nottingham, the University will help you prepare for your future career.

Pioneering teaching

Nottingham Trent University’s drive to promote high-quality, career-focused teaching has earned it a Gold rating in the 2017 Teaching Excellence Framework. With inspiring lecturers, and fantastic facilities and teaching methods, the University will ensure you get a great education.

Business links

As an institution that focuses on preparing students for their careers, Nottingham Trent has built excellent links with businesses and organisations. It has an outstanding work placement programme, meaning many of its students can gain valuable industry experience during their degree.

Your path to Nottingham Trent University

To gain entry to a Nottingham Trent degree, you can take a pathway course on campus at Nottingham Trent International College. You will have access to the University’s great facilities, and can stay at Global Point, a high-quality student residence that’s just a short walk away.

Study options

Foundation Certificate:
International Year One:
Pre-Master’s:

“"This is the best place to be for student life! There are lots of fun activities like mini golf, and the cinema is great. It’s a very social city and everything is central and close by.”

Kavita from India
is on her path to gaining a bachelor's degree in Computer Systems.

Sporting centre

The unique city of Nottingham is a fun place to study. It’s fantastic for sport, with more facilities per person than anywhere in Europe (Visit England). It’s also home to a great arts scene, so you can enjoy excellent attractions like Nottingham Contemporary, one of the UK’s largest modern art galleries.

University fast facts

Top 20 in the UK
Guardian University Guide 2019
Winner of the University of the Year award
Times Higher Education 2017
Leading degree work placement programme in the UK
Gold award for teaching
Teaching Excellence Framework 2017

Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)

Gain industry experience while you study at Nottingham Trent
Enjoy Nottingham Trent’s city-centre location
Meet like-minded people in a friendly city

Kaplan Pathways

Meet like-minded people in a friendly city
Your path to UWE Bristol

By studying a pathway course at UWE Bristol’s International College on campus, you can gain entry to UWE Bristol degree. You’ll have access to the University’s great facilities, and you can stay in student-friendly accommodation that’s close to your classes.

Study options

Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)

Foundation Certificate: International Year One: Pre-Master’s:

“Bristol is such a beautiful city and there is so much to see and do. I love to go dancing and I enjoy playing football with friends. There are lots of lovely parks to walk around too.”

João from Angola

is on his path to gaining a master’s degree in Mechanical Engineering.

Creative community

Bristol is the largest city in the south-west of England, and its beautiful harbour-side atmosphere and lovely green spaces make it a great place to study. There are many museums, comedy clubs and live music venues to enjoy. It’s also the home of famous street artist Banksy, so you’ll see lots of impressive street art in the city.

University fast facts

UWE Bristol is a careers-focused university that will help you stand out in a competitive job market. You’ll enjoy a 360° study experience, while gaining important skills, knowledge and experience.

Shape your future

UWE Bristol’s focus on real-world learning means that you will be adaptable, creative and ready for work. You’ll find one of the UK’s largest paid internship programmes here, with over 11,000 internships and work placements arranged since 2010. You can also make use of GradLink, the University’s award-winning careers website for international students.

Equipped for success

At UWE Bristol you’ll benefit from inspiring teaching methods, dynamic learning spaces, modern buildings, high-tech facilities and more. The University is investing £300 million into its accommodation, equipment and technology. You can therefore be sure that UWE Bristol is fully committed to helping you to succeed.

Study at a modern university

Top 15

in the UK for teaching effectiveness

Guardian University Guide 2019

Gold

award for teaching

Teaching Excellence Framework 2018

Top 40

in the UK

Guardian University Guide 2019

95% of graduates in work or further study after 6 months

HESA Destinations of Leavers from Higher Education Survey 2017

Pre-Master’s:

Foundation Certificate: International Year One: Pre-Master’s:

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Learn from inspiring teachers

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in the UK for teaching effectiveness

Guardian University Guide 2019

Gold

award for teaching

Teaching Excellence Framework 2018

Top 40

in the UK

Guardian University Guide 2019

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Pre-Master’s:

Foundation Certificate: International Year One: Pre-Master’s:
University of Westminster

With a fantastic London location, the University of Westminster offers you an international environment, where you can gain the skills and knowledge to become a highly employable global citizen.

Professional connections

Thanks to the University of Westminster’s close links with industry and professional organisations, you’ll have the chance to work with, and learn from, top employers from all sectors. The University’s Career Development Centre is always working to expand its network of more than 3,000 employers, so you’ll receive exceptional guidance, support and career opportunities.

Global university

As a Westminster student, you’ll enjoy life at a cosmopolitan university with over 5,000 students and 500 staff from overseas. You’ll also benefit from the University’s focus on global engagement through its worldwide partnerships. With over 190 partner institutions across 56 countries, you’ll have the opportunity to study, work or volunteer abroad.

"London is amazing because it’s so diverse here, and that helps you feel very welcome. There is always so much going on, and I think it’s just great to learn in an environment like this.”

Jivitesh from Mauritius is on his path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Biological Sciences.

University fast facts

Top 25 in the UK for effectiveness of teaching
Guardian University Guide 2019

London is the top student city in the world
QS Best Student Cities 2018

90% of research rated 'internationally recognised' or better
Research Excellence Framework 2014

Top 10 most international university in the UK
QS World University Rankings 2018

Your path to the University of Westminster

With a pathway course at Kaplan International College London, you can gain entry to a degree at Westminster. Study at a brand new college facility with access to local university resources and high-quality housing nearby, while you enjoy student life in the amazing city of London.

Study options

Foundation Certificate:
International Year One:
Pre-Master’s:

Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)

Centre of London

London’s international atmosphere makes it a welcoming place to study, so you’ll feel at home no matter where you come from. Whether it’s learning about different cultures at the British Museum, or going out shopping on Oxford Street, there is so much to do and discover.

Live in the world’s best student city

Study in the UK’s exciting capital city

Make long-lasting friendships and memories

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University of York

Based in the historic city of the same name, the University of York is a real academic powerhouse. As a York student, you’ll enjoy life at a leading UK university with a beautiful setting.

Fantastic destination
The University of York is a great place to study, with its attractive 500-acre campus, and great location in a part of the UK with so much history. As a student here, you’ll meet people from around the world thanks to York’s diversity: almost 25% of the University’s students are from outside the UK.

Academic strength
With superb subject rankings and high ratings for both teaching quality and student satisfaction, York offers you a brilliant education. It’s also part of the UK’s leading Russell Group of universities, so a degree from here will really impress your future employers.

“I’ve really enjoyed exploring York. It’s kind of a small community so you can get to know people easily, and you can see everything from old medieval times to the modern era.”

Saif from Bahrain is on his path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Sociology and Social Psychology.

University fast facts
- 12th in the UK (Guardian University Guide 2019)
- Gold award for teaching quality (Teaching Excellence Framework 2018)
- Top 10 in the UK for student satisfaction (Complete University Guide 2019)
- #1 city City of York named England’s best place to live (Sunday Times Best Places to Live 2018)

Your path to the University of York
By studying a pathway course on campus at the University of York International Pathway College, you can gain entry to a University of York degree. You’ll have access to fantastic campus facilities, and you can stay in specialist student housing that’s conveniently located nearby.

Study options
- Foundation Certificate
- Pre-Master’s
- Progression degree subject areas (key on page 18)

City of York
York is a charming city in northern England where you’ll find a vibrant student population, friendly people and wonderful architecture. With hundreds of years of history, there’s so much to see in York, including a stunning Gothic cathedral. However, the city also offers fantastic shopping, with over 2,000 stores and the famous Shambles Market to discover.
Study in the United States

A US degree will set you on a path to success. Exceptional universities and incredible work opportunities make the USA an ideal place to study.

Your path to the USA

Find out more about your US study options, university choices, and where your path might take you.

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On her path to Pace University

Pankaj from India
Followed his path to Pace University
Study options in the USA

With so many routes to a US university degree, we'll help you find your best path to an incredible education.

Pathway programs

There are 2 main types of pathway program available in the USA.

Undergraduate pathway (UP)

Qualify for entry to the 1st or 2nd year of a bachelor’s degree. Start earning transferable credit with an academic pathway.

Entry requirements: successful completion of high school with minimum 2.0 GPA, and minimum TOEFL 55 or equivalent*

Program length: usually between 2 and 12 months

Graduate pathway (GP)

Qualify for entry to a master’s degree. Start earning transferable credit with an academic pathway.

Entry requirements: bachelor’s degree or equivalent with minimum 2.5 GPA, and minimum TOEFL 55 or equivalent*

Program length: usually between 2 and 12 months

Study costs†

Pathway programs will typically cost between $10,375 and $34,500, depending on the program you choose and your English language level. Intensive English programs start at $2,800 per 8-week level. You’ll also need to consider other costs, including your university tuition (which ranges between approximately $10,000 and $50,000 per year), general living costs, housing, course books and health insurance.

Find out more about tuition and how to apply:
> kaplanpathways.com/us-apply

What else can I study?

In addition to pathway programs and direct admission to a bachelor’s or master’s degree, we offer other routes to US universities.

Pre-Sessional English

Ideal if you just need to raise your English language level to meet the entry requirements of your conditional admission to a degree, graduate certificate, or pathway program.

> kaplanpathways.com/pse

Transfer into a US undergraduate degree

Through the transfer admission system in the USA, you can join Year 2 or 3 of a bachelor’s degree if you have existing undergraduate credits, or a qualification such as a higher diploma or associate’s degree.

> kaplanpathways.com/transfer-admission

Study in the USA

Bachelor’s degree program

Finish your bachelor’s degree with a streamlined program in selected majors

Entry requirements: at least 32 credits of previous undergraduate study with minimum GPA 2.25, and at least TOEFL 79 or equivalent

Degree length: usually 24 months

Bachelor’s degree admission (B)

Go straight into the 1st year of a bachelor’s degree.

Entry requirements: completion of high school with minimum GPA 2.5, and at least TOEFL 61 or equivalent

Degree length: typically 4 years, but up to 5 years if you do work experience placements as part of your degree

Master’s degree admission (M)

Go straight into a master’s degree or graduate certificate (GC).

Entry requirements: bachelor’s degree or equivalent with minimum GPA 2.5, and at least TOEFL 79 or equivalent

Degree length: typically 1–2 years for a master’s degree, or 8 months for a graduate certificate

Optional Practical Training (OPT) in the USA

1–3 years of paid work experience

Further study

at the same or another university

Start your future career

in your home country or abroad

Graduate with a university degree

Undergraduate pathway on the university campus

Bachelor’s degree at university (typically 4–5 years)

Graduate pathway on the university campus

Master’s degree at university (typically 1–2 years)

Career

University degree

Graduation

* Intensive English programs have lower TOEFL requirements. Academic pathways may have higher GPA and English requirements, depending on your desired progression degree.
† Costs are based on the 2018-19 academic year. Prices for 2019-20 will be available online from Spring 2019.
# Subjects by university

You can choose from a wide range of subjects for your US university degree. Simply find the academic discipline below that most closely matches what you would like to study, then see where you can do a pathway program, or enter a degree directly.

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* May include academic pathway programs and/or preparation through an intensive English program.

Explore our US degree finder [kaplanpathways.com/degree-finder](kaplanpathways.com/degree-finder)
Arizona State University

Located in America’s southwest in the Phoenix metropolitan area, Arizona State University is a diverse, forward-thinking, highly-ranked public university. With 5 distinct campuses offering excellent facilities, personalized student support and elite athletics, you will have a truly exceptional university experience.

Innovation and inclusivity
ASU’s leadership is nationally recognized for innovation and community impact. Time magazine recently named ASU President Michael Crow one of America’s 10 best university presidents. This reputation for excellence has attracted 13,000+ international students. At ASU, you’ll be part of a global community with lots of support to help you integrate into campus life.

Prize-winning research
Join the fastest-growing research university in the USA. Arizona State University has more than doubled its research funding over the past 10 years, and offers many opportunities to gain hands-on experience. Your classes will be taught by true thought leaders: among the 3,000+ world-class faculty are several Nobel laureates, Guggenheim Fellows, Pulitzer Prize winners and Fulbright American Scholars.

Sunshine capital
Phoenix, a very modern and cosmopolitan city, is the 5th largest in the USA. It receives the most sunshine of any major city in the world. The warm desert climate is ideal for outdoor activities, and the nearby mountains offer great opportunities for hiking. You’ll also be within driving distance of the Grand Canyon, a must-visit attraction during your time here!

Study options
Undergraduate pathway*:
Bachelor’s admission†:
Graduate preparation*:
Master’s admission:

* Intensive English option available
† Transfer admission also offered

Study at an impressive research university
Your path to Arizona State University
Study a pathway program on campus, or enroll directly in a degree program if you meet all admission requirements. You’ll be able to use ASU’s facilities, join any of 1,000+ student clubs and organizations, and stay in comfortable housing close to your classes.

Your path to Arizona State University

"Arizona truly is one of the great places to explore in terms of scenic beauty. And the people here are very welcoming."

Swastik from India
is on his path to earning a bachelor’s degree in Mechanical Engineering

University fast facts

Top 100 in the world for graduate employability
QS World University Rankings 2018

#1 most innovative university in the USA
U.S. News Education 2018–2019

#1 public university in the USA chosen by international students
Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2017

Top 125 university in the world
Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2019

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Northeastern University

With campuses in Boston, Seattle and Silicon Valley, Northeastern University (NU) is a private university with a vast global network. Its leading interdisciplinary research and extensive career resources will help you chart your path to personal and professional success.

World-class research

Northeastern is a truly top-tier research institution, and the 8th most innovative university in the USA (U.S. News Education 2019). NU received over $160 million in outside research funding in 2017–18, allowing it to carry out important projects in many fields. As a student here, you can find opportunities to work with faculty on research in globally-relevant areas such as health, security and sustainability.

Exceptional work experience

Enhance your classroom learning with valuable real-world experiences. NU’s cooperative education (co-op) program allows you to combine academic studies with full-time work placements in your field. Graduate students can do 6-week projects that will inform business decisions for real companies. With over 3,000 employer partners around the world, you’ll have access to incredible career connections.

Unbeatable locations

In the heart of Boston, NU’s campus is a truly great choice for studying. Boston has over 50 universities and ranks as the USA’s #1 student city (QS Best Student Cities 2018). An exciting destination for sports fans, the city is home to the famous Red Sox baseball and Celtics basketball teams. Meanwhile, Northeastern’s graduate campuses in Seattle and Silicon Valley are integrated into the West Coast’s dynamic business and technology scenes.

‘Boston is very easy to navigate by walking, cycling or using the subway. Because it’s a major city and there are so many universities here, you’ll find lots of fun events every week!’

Dasom from Korea

followed her path to complete a bachelor’s degree in Management

Your path to Northeastern University

You can study a pathway program on the University campus, or enter a degree or certificate program directly if you meet all admission requirements. In either case, you will have access to the University’s incredible facilities and social events.

Study options

Bachelor’s Completion:
Graduate pathway:
Graduate Certificate:
Master’s admission:

Degree subject areas (key on page 52)

University fast facts

Top 50 national US university
U.S. News Education 2019

#1 in the USA for internships
Princeton Review 2018

Top 3 US university for career services
Princeton Review 2019

502% growth in international student enrollment since 2006
Pace University

Study at Pace, a nationally ranked private university founded in 1906, and you’ll benefit from excellent academic and professional preparation. You’ll also experience student life in New York, one of the most iconic cities in the world.

Outstanding career preparation
Pace University offers you a full package of career planning from the day you arrive. Undergraduate students design a custom 4-year academic and extracurricular plan to help them achieve their professional goals. The Career Services team also helps more than 5,000 Pace students get valuable work experience placements every year.

Real-world expertise
At Pace, 90% of professors hold the highest degree in their field. Many also have several years’ experience working for a variety of companies and organizations. Their in-depth industry knowledge will enhance the textbook theories you learn in class. They can also offer valuable referrals to professional networks and job opportunities.

“...in New York City, if I feel homesick, I can go to Little Brazil near Times Square or Astoria in Queens for Brazilian food. They also have lots of beauty salons where I can get my nails done and speak Portuguese!”

Marcela from Brazil
followed her path to a master’s degree in Publishing

University fast facts

Top 9%
in US for salary potential
Payscale.com 2018

Top 200
national US university
U.S. News Education 2019

650+
employer partnerships

87%
of international students do an internship

Your path to Pace University
You can study a pathway program on Pace’s New York City campus, and progress to either campus to study most degrees. If you meet all admission requirements, you can apply to enter a degree directly. You’ll have access to University facilities, and will be eligible for student housing.

Study options
Undergraduate pathway*: Bachelor’s admission:
Graduate pathway*: Master’s admission:

* Intensive English option available
† Transfer admission also offered

Degree subject areas (key on page 52)

Discover the Big Apple
Study in the exciting heart of Lower Manhattan, just 10 minutes from Wall Street. Depending on your degree, you can also choose Pace’s other campus, in beautiful Westchester County. Known as the “Golden Apple,” the area is home to several Fortune 500 companies and less than an hour’s train ride from New York City.

Marcela from Brazil followed her path to a master’s degree in Publishing.

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Graduate pathway*: Master’s admission:

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† Transfer admission also offered

Degree subject areas (key on page 52)
The University of Tulsa

The University of Tulsa (TU) offers world-class academics, top-level sports, and an exciting campus experience in the heart of America’s Midwest. Study at this high-ranking private US university with strong global connections.

Outstanding facilities
At TU, you’ll gain hands-on experience that will enhance classroom learning. State-of-the-art laboratories offer the chance to build the skills you’ll need to succeed in your future career. These include a professional-level financial technology lab, a full-sized oil rig, and a huge arts complex with recording studios and the latest editing software.

Global community
With almost one-quarter of TU’s students coming from outside the USA, you’ll make friends from all over the world. Diverse viewpoints are especially welcome here at TU. Multicultural student clubs organize popular campus events year-round, such as the annual International Night Market, which showcases food from around the world.

Ideal study location
In Tulsa, you get the best of both worlds: a friendly small city with the benefits of a major urban area. Ranked one of America’s most affordable college towns (Great Value Colleges 2017), the former “Oil Capital of the World” has beautiful Art Deco architecture, an excellent arts scene, and lush natural beauty for you to enjoy.

“When I visit other US cities, I miss my home in Tulsa! Everyone is very friendly here and says ‘Hello’ and ‘How are you?’ Those little things mean a lot when you are far away from home.”

Lijia from China
is on his path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in English.

University fast facts

Top 15 small university in the world
Times Higher Education 2018
3rd highest percentage of international students in the USA
U.S. News Education 2018
#12 best US university for international students
Forbes 2018
Top 20 in the USA for undergraduate STEM degrees
Forbes 2018

Your path to The University of Tulsa
You can progress to TU through a pathway program on the University campus, or enter a bachelor’s degree directly if you meet all admission requirements. In either case, you’ll have access to TU’s facilities, and can live in modern accommodations located on campus.

Study options
Undergraduate pathway*: Bachelor’s admission:

Degree subject areas (key on page 52)

* Intensive English option available
Study in Australia

Australia is a popular destination for international students, and studying here is a rewarding experience. A degree from an Australian university will help you on your path to success.

Your path to Australia

Find out more about your study options and university choices in Australia, and where your path might take you.

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Mei Chi Tung from Vietnam
On her path to the University of Adelaide

Ha Khanh Mei from Vietnam
On her path to the University of Adelaide

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Study options in Australia

You have several pathway options for studying in Australia. We’ll help find the right one for you.

Pathway courses

With Kaplan, you have 3 main types of pathway course available in Australia.

Undergraduate pathway (UP)
- Qualify for entry to the 1st year of a bachelor’s degree.
- Entry requirements: typically, successful completion of high school or equivalent, and IELTS 5.5 or equivalent
- Course length: usually between 4 and 12 months

Accelerated undergraduate pathway (AUP)
- Qualify for entry to the 2nd year of a bachelor’s degree.
- Entry requirements: typically, successful completion of high school or equivalent, and between IELTS 5.5 and 6.0 or equivalent
- Course length: usually between 9 and 15 months

Postgraduate pathway (PP)
- Qualify for entry to a master’s degree.
- Entry requirements: typically, successful completion of a bachelor’s degree or equivalent, and between IELTS 5.5 and 6.0 or equivalent
- Course length: usually between 6 and 9 months

Study costs*

Pathway course tuition fees are typically between $10,500 and $44,100 AUD, depending on the course you choose. You’ll also need to consider other costs, including your university tuition fees (which can range from $30,500 to $85,000 AUD per year), general living costs, accommodation, course books and student insurance.

Find out more about university preparation courses in Australia:
> Kaplan.edu.au/pathways

Pathway course
- Undergraduate pathways on or near campus
- Accelerated undergraduate pathways on or near campus
- Postgraduate pathways on or near campus

University degree
- Bachelor’s degree year 1 at destination university
- Bachelor’s degree year 2 at destination university
- Bachelor’s degree year 3 at destination university
- Master’s degree progression into 2nd semester, year 1 at destination university (typically 1-2 years)

Graduation
- Graduate with a university degree

Career
- Start your future career in your home country or abroad
- Further study at the same or another university

* Costs are based on the 2018 academic year.
Subjects by university

You can choose from a variety of pathway course subjects, leading to one of hundreds of great degrees at a fantastic Australian university. To explore your course options, simply choose the subject below that most closely matches your preferred degree. This will indicate where you can take a pathway course that fits your academic level and desired subject.

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UNSW Global

You can now also study at UNSW Global, on the campus of the University of New South Wales (UNSW), one of Australia’s top universities.

Our new partnership with UNSW Global offers you a path to a UNSW degree via an on-campus preparation course in Sydney. On your course, you’ll develop the necessary academic and English language skills to help you succeed on your degree.

UNSW Global will provide you with a smooth transition to university study at the University of New South Wales.

Find out more:
unswglobal.unsw.edu.au
University of Adelaide

college.adelaide.edu.au/uoa

The University of Adelaide is one of Australia’s leading research-intensive universities, and is part of the prestigious Group of Eight. As a student here, you’ll gain the knowledge, skills and creative experience needed to succeed.

Ground-breaking research
The University of Adelaide is home to an innovative, research-intensive culture, and its modern infrastructure helps its researchers to tackle global challenges. You’ll benefit from access to state-of-the-art facilities as you learn from experts at the cutting-edge of worldwide developments. The end result is a degree that can take you far in life.

Small group learning
The University of Adelaide is committed to giving all students the opportunity to learn in small groups. You will therefore enjoy classes that focus on peer-to-peer learning under the guidance of leading academics and researchers. This great experience will enhance your creativity, and maximise the benefits of studying at such a research-focused university.

Welcoming city
Located in South Australia, Adelaide offers a low cost of living, and is a popular destination for international students. It was ranked as one of the world’s top 10 most liveable cities by The Economist in 2017, and you can enjoy its many cultural events and green spaces, explore the city centre, or relax on the beach.

“My experience in Adelaide has been unforgettable and I have become a well-rounded student. Adelaide is a great city to study in, and the teachers are all friendly and help make me feel at home.”

Lily from Indonesia

is on her path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Commerce and Law

University fast facts

114th in the world
QS World University Rankings 2019

7,000+ international students from over 100 countries

5 Nobel Prize winners

82% of research ‘above world standard’ or higher
Excellence in Research Australia

Your path to the University of Adelaide
You can take a pathway course at the University of Adelaide College, close to the campus. During your course, you will have access to the University’s facilities, and can stay in modern accommodation in a central location.

Pathway options
Undergraduate:
Accelerated undergraduate:
Postgraduate:

Progression degree subject areas (key on page 66)
Murdoch University

murdochinstitute.wa.edu.au/mu

Murdoch University is home to a community of free-thinking students and academic staff. You’ll study at an innovative campus in Perth, where you’ll learn the real-world knowledge and skills needed to enjoy a successful professional career.

World-class facilities
At Murdoch, you’ll have access to a range of impressive, hi-tech facilities. These include a nationally renowned engineering pilot plant, fully equipped TV and radio studios, sports science performance labs, and a world-class law moot court. You’ll also have 24-hour access to computer labs and the Library Learning Common.

Leading academics
Murdoch’s teaching staff have won awards, published books and are fully committed to helping you gain the best education possible. More than 75% of Murdoch teachers hold a doctoral degree, so you’ll be supported by top academics from around the world and will benefit from their incredible knowledge and experience.

University fast facts

- Top 80 worldwide among universities under 50 years old
- $2.5m worth of scholarships awarded each year
- 23,000 students from 85 countries
- Top 60 in the world for International Outlook

Your path to Murdoch University
You can take a pathway course at Murdoch Institute of Technology on the University campus. You will have access to excellent facilities, and you can stay in modern accommodation close to your classes.

Sunny city
A cosmopolitan city in Western Australia, Perth is a youthful and diverse place, and one of the world’s top 10 most liveable cities (The Economist 2017). It has 3,000 hours of sunshine per year, more than any other Australian regional capital city, so you’ll enjoy amazing weather while you study.

Malik from Singapore
is on his path to gaining a bachelor’s degree in Business and Law

"Perth is a great place to study, and a place where I feel relaxed and comfortable. Outside of the classroom, I enjoy using Murdoch’s library for study and the Student Village for hanging out with friends."

Pathway options
Undergraduate: Accelerated undergraduate:

Pathway options Progression degree subject areas (key on page 66)

Enjoy Perth’s warm weather
We’re here to help

Only you have the power to follow your own path, but we’ll be with you at every step. With exceptional teaching and student support, you’ll have everything you need to succeed.

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Meet the people who’ll help you succeed:
kaplanpathways.com/our-people
Learn your way

At each Kaplan centre, you’ll find teachers who love what they do. You’ll learn from people with experience and expertise, helping you follow your path to university.

Custom courses
Our pathway courses are specially designed with international students in mind, and will help prepare you for university. Focusing on your English language, academic skills and subject knowledge, your course will make sure you’re ready for degree-level study.

Exceptional teachers
The teaching staff at our centres really are experts in their fields. They are dedicated to giving students like you the best education possible, and have years of experience. When learning from an inspiring teacher, there’s no limit to what you can achieve.

Fantastic facilities
Each of our centres is fully equipped with all the modern facilities you need to get a great education. Along with exceptional teaching equipment, you’ll also have access to university facilities and resources such as libraries, IT suites, sports centres and more.

A fulfilling experience
A pathway course isn’t just about academic learning; it will also help you adjust to life somewhere new. You’ll learn more about your host country, its culture and what life is like there. Ultimately, the course will help you get the most out of your time abroad!

Watch our teacher tips video:
› kipln.org/teachers-tips

“My first job is to make you feel welcome and reassured when you arrive. We can then focus on making your academic journey easier by breaking it down into achievable steps. Students respond really well to this approach.”

Simon Aldcroft
Programme Leader at Nottingham Trent International College
Before you arrive

There’s a lot to think about before you leave your home country, but don’t worry. We’ll give you lots of support and advice as you take the first step on your path to university.

First contact
As soon as you first contact Kaplan, we’ll be here to give you step-by-step support, free of charge. We’ll give you expert advice on the universities, degrees and pathway courses available to you, and make sure you start on the right path.

Easy application
Once you’ve decided on a study option for you, applying is simple, quick and, in many cases, free. We’ll lead you through the admissions process, and will review your application and supporting documents to make sure everything is complete.

Pre-arrival guide
Before you travel abroad, we’ll send you helpful pre-arrival information, containing useful tips about your study destination. This is a great way to learn more about the culture in which you’ll be studying, and what you can do to prepare.

Student insurance
We’ll also advise you on things such as insurance for your time abroad. For instance, we can offer a student insurance policy to cover you during your stay in the UK. If you’re heading to the US, we will send you details of the university’s health plan.

Find out more about support services:
> kaplanpathways.com/support

“I am part of the Pre-Enrolment team at Kaplan. I’ll help make sure you’re on track to enrol and begin your studies with us. I’ve studied abroad myself, so I know exactly how it feels to be an international student coming to a new environment.”

Charlotte Lightowler
Admissions Manager at Kaplan International Pathways
After you arrive

Arriving in a new country is both exciting and challenging. We’ll give you all the support you need as you discover your new home, so you can begin your studies with confidence.

Airport welcome
We can meet you at the airport when you arrive, with a friendly face to greet you from your flight. From the airport, we can take you directly to your new home, and make sure you’re comfortable in your accommodation and surroundings.

The best start
Your first week is all about settling in, and we’ll help you with key things like registering with local health services, opening a bank account and more. There will also be lots of activities for you to get involved in, making it a great time to meet staff, explore the area and get to know other students.

Support team
Our support staff are here to help; they have years of experience helping international students adapt to life in another country. They’ll organise activities during your pathway course, and will be happy and ready to assist you with any problems.

Progression support
When the time comes for you to progress to your university degree, we’ll support you through this important transition. You’ll receive expert advice on the decisions ahead of you, and counselling about back-up options in case you don’t meet the requirements for your first-choice degree.

Find out more about support services:
kaplanpathways.com/support

“We’ve brought all these students together not just for the sake of completing a degree, but also for important connections and real-world experience. And it all starts at a simple social event where students might be sharing a meal, playing a game or just remembering each other’s names. I look forward to it every semester!”

Vivienne Beshay
Assistant Director, International Pathways at Pace University
Your new home

When you go abroad to study, where you live is so important. Thankfully, you have some great accommodation options with us, offering modern facilities in safe surroundings.

Accommodation designed for you

It’s easy to secure accommodation when you study with Kaplan. We offer high-quality housing with your study package, so there’s no need to look anywhere else! When you take a pathway course with us, in many cases you are guaranteed accommodation as long as you apply for it in time. It’s our way of helping ensure you have a smooth path to university life.

Modern living

Usually, you can stay in a Kaplan or university student residence, offering modern living spaces, with everything you need to feel at home. There will be social areas where you can make new friends, and you’ll have easy access to your classes and university facilities. In the UK and Australia, you will usually have your own bedroom, while the tradition in the USA is to stay in a shared room – it’s all part of the American college experience!

What is typically included?

- Your own private bedroom (shared in the USA)
- Private or shared bathroom
- Utility bills
- Internet and WiFi
- Private or shared kitchen

In some cases you’ll have a meal plan, so there’s no need to worry about cooking. In the UK, we will give you a student pack with essential items such as bedding and cooking utensils to get you started. It’s one less thing to think about when packing!

Other options

In addition to a Kaplan or university residence, you have other options for where to live. You might want to take advantage of a homestay, so you can live with an English-speaking host and experience traditional life. Whichever kind of accommodation you prefer, we’ll help you live your way.

Find out more about accommodation:
kaplanpathways.com/accommodation

“I’m staying at the Global Point residence in Nottingham. It’s a really good social space for people like me, who arrived not knowing anyone. I quickly became familiar with the place and really got to know everyone. That made me feel comfortable very quickly!”

Al-Qasim from Oman
on his path to Nottingham Trent University
Employers hiring graduates include:

**Arts and media**
- BBC
- Boston Symphony Orchestra
- Guardian Newspaper
- Sky Sports

**Engineering**
- BMW
- Boeing
- NASA
- Rolls-Royce

**Finance**
- Bank of England
- Goldman Sachs
- MasterCard
- Santander

**Law**
- Clifford Chance LLP
- Eversheds
- Macfarlanes
- New York Supreme Court

**Management**
- Accenture
- Deloitte
- Ernst & Young
- PricewaterhouseCoopers

**Politics**
- European Parliament
- House of Commons
- United Nations
- US Department of State

**Technology**
- Apple
- Google
- Microsoft
- Siemens

**Transport**
- British Airways
- Emirates Airline
- Network Rail
- Virgin Atlantic

Work experience

Many degrees at our partner universities offer work experience or a professional internship at a related business or organisation. This is a brilliant way to gain valuable practical knowledge of your subject, and can really help you stand out when looking for a job after graduation. That’s exactly what Rebecca and Jecky (both pictured left) did on their path to a degree.

Potential careers

As a student at one of our partner universities, you’ll be following a life-changing path taken by thousands of successful graduates. These talented people go on to have great careers and achieve fantastic things, often at famous global companies, and you can do the same! Take a look below at just some of the well-known employers who have hired graduates from our university partners.

“I received several job offers when I graduated from Pace University, and I’m so excited about my career. I couldn’t have done it without Pace University or my pathway program. I learned so much, and I’ve made friends with people from all over the world!”

Rebecca from China (pictured left)

Read more about Rebecca’s path to success: [kaplanpathways.com/rebeccas-path](http://kaplanpathways.com/rebeccas-path)
Start your path

Are you excited about studying abroad? Starting your path to university is simple: just follow the steps below, and find out what your future could be.

1. Submit your application form.
   We’ll guide you through the entire application process, including what documents you’ll need to send with or after your application. Just get in touch, or find out more via the link below.
   kaplanpathways.com/how-to-apply

2. Receive an offer letter.
   Once your complete application has been reviewed, you’ll receive either an unconditional or conditional offer, or we can explore other study options with you.

3. Accept your offer.
   You’ll do this by paying your deposit to study, putting you officially on the path to university. We can also confirm your accommodation at this point, so you’ll have a safe place to live during your studies abroad.

4. Obtain your student visa.
   Wherever you’re going to university, you’ll need to obtain a student visa. We’ll advise you on this important process, and send you the supporting documents you’ll need for your visa application.

5. Book your flight and begin your studies.
   The most important step – arrive in your destination country and begin your life-changing adventure as an international student!

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About Kaplan

Kaplan International Pathways is a leading provider of global education, centred around you. Whoever you are, and wherever you are in the world, our goal is to help you achieve your goal. We passionately believe that a global education can still be personal.

Our story so far

We wouldn’t be where we are today if it weren’t for a man named Stanley Kaplan. Stanley faced challenges in getting an education himself in the 1930s, and wanted to make sure everyone had the opportunity to learn. This led him to create a test that was fair, so that students could enrol at university based on merit alone. Soon, Stanley’s small education business began to thrive, and his success led to the creation of a whole new industry.

During the decades since then, Kaplan has changed and grown, but we still remember exactly why Stanley began his business. Sadly, he died in 2009, but his passion for fair education, available to everyone no matter who they are, lives on.

80 years since Kaplan was founded
20,000+ students guided to university each year
40+ universities for you to choose from
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