

Study with us

About your course

Courses covered

Code	Title	UCAS Code
HHNUT	BSc (Hons) Nutrition BSc (Hons) Nutrition with a Year Abroad	B400

You can find full details of your course in the *Programme Specification*.

Important points

- This course is accredited by the Association for Nutrition (AfN) (number: 272).
- There is a compulsory 80-hour work experience in the final year. Students will be expected to find themselves work experience independently, but assistance from a work experience tutor and the Careers and Employment office is available. Work experience will need to be approved by the School.
- There is an optional Sandwich Placement Year or Year Abroad between the second and final year. The placement must be approved by the School.
- A pass grade for the Sandwich Placement Year is mandatory for receipt of the named Sandwich award.
- A pass grade for the Year Abroad is mandatory for receipt of that named award. The assessments completed at the exchange institution will not contribute to the Honours classification.
- Students must achieve 120 credits each year to progress to the next level.
- This course shares some modules with the Dietetics programme, but students cannot transfer to Dietetics at any point throughout their studies.

Academic Year

Academic Year 2020 – 2021

The University's academic year is made up of 3 Semesters. Normally most undergraduate programmes use Semesters A and B, additionally postgraduate programmes and specific undergraduate programmes use Semester C. Each of these is made up of teaching weeks followed by exams (the re-sit period falls within Semester C).

- Semester A runs from Monday 21 September 2020 to Friday 15 January 2021

- Semester B runs from Monday 18 January 2021 to Friday 21 May 2021
- Semester C runs from Monday 24 May 2021 to Friday 17 September 2021

The resit period is during the weeks commencing the 21st June and 28th of June 2021.

Expected workload

In the UK, a full-time student is expected to spend 1200 hours on their studies each year. Please find below an estimate of how your time will be spent on this course during each year of study.

	Lectures, seminars, tutorials	Independent study	Placement
Year 1	27%	73%	0%
Year 2	25%	75%	0%
Year 3	Optional Sandwich Placement: at least 36 weeks of FTE placement activity from a maximum of 2 separate placements or Optional Year Abroad: at least 2 semesters completed with a minimum of 90 credits accumulated or a semester of placement activity and a minimum of 45 credits accumulated		
Year 3 or 4	18%	75%	7%

Method of assessment

	Written Exam	Coursework	Practical
Year 1	40%	60%	0%
Year 2	40%	60%	0%
Year 3	Optional Sandwich Placement: Interim and Final Report + Poster or Optional Year Abroad: at least 90 credits accumulated, or a semester of placement activity and a minimum of 45 credits accumulated		
Year 3 or 4	13%	87%	0%

Additional expenses

Description	Year	Mandatory/ Optional	Estimated cost
Weighing scales	1	Mandatory	£30
Lab coat and hat	1	Mandatory	£25
Local Field Trip	2	Optional	£20
Travel to work experience	3	Mandatory	Dependent on your choice of work experience.
Year Abroad*	3	Optional	Costs may be incurred for travel and accommodation.
Placement year*	3	Optional	Costs may be incurred for travel and accommodation.
<p>Books Undergraduate study requires extensive reading and access to reference works.</p> <p>Recommended texts are available in the Learning Resources Centre either as e-books or printed material. Please note that availability of printed material may be limited so students may wish to purchase their own copies. Further details of recommended texts are provided with joining instructions.</p>	1,2,3	Optional	An average price for a textbook is estimated at £50. You will be studying 7 modules per year; each typically has 1-2 recommended textbooks.
<p>Other costs During the course of studies, you may have costs for printing documents (research project).</p>	3	Mandatory	Variable
<p>Replacement costs for ID cards and name badges ID cards and name badges will be provided at the beginning of Year 1. These must be returned.</p>	All	Mandatory	£20 for the ID card and name badge

* The University does not charge tuition fees for the year abroad and sandwich placement year