

# THE BEST POSSIBLE



# STUDYING IN THE UK:

## ESSENTIAL INFORMATION FOR EU STUDENTS

### Here's what we know so far:

UK universities and colleges are some of the most international places to study in the world. Students and staff from the EU and beyond are extremely welcome and make an enormous contribution to the UK and the success of our education institutions.

### Fees and loans

Eligible EU nationals who start courses in 2020–21, or who have already started their course, won't see any changes to their fee status for the full duration of their course.

- EU nationals starting courses in 2020–21 can also continue to apply for tuition fee loans
- This is guaranteed, whatever happens with Brexit, whether you study in England, Scotland, Wales or Northern Ireland.

### Erasmus+ exchanges

The UK will continue to participate fully in the current Erasmus+ programme, which lasts until the end of 2020. If you plan to participate in an Erasmus+ exchange that is in the current programme – in other words, your exchange is confirmed before the end of 2020 – then you will be able to participate fully and for the full duration of your exchange, even if it is due to end after the end of 2020. This covers UK participants going abroad, as well as international participants coming to the UK. Details of the 2021–27 Erasmus+ programme are still being discussed in the EU. The UK's participation in future Erasmus+ programmes is part of discussions between the UK government and the EU.

### Immigration

If you're an EU citizen and you arrive in the UK before 31 December 2020, you will not need a visa to stay in the UK. However, you should make sure you register for the EU Settlement Scheme. Registration is free. The exact arrangements for EU citizens coming to the UK from 1 January 2021 have not yet been announced.

### Search for the latest updates online:

UK government Brexit information:  
[www.gov.uk/staying-uk-eu-citizen](https://www.gov.uk/staying-uk-eu-citizen)

Study UK: British Council  
[study-uk.britishcouncil.org/  
moving-uk/eu-students](https://study-uk.britishcouncil.org/moving-uk/eu-students)

Brexit information from the UK Council  
for International Student Affairs:  
[www.ukcisa.org.uk/Brexit](https://www.ukcisa.org.uk/Brexit)

Erasmus+ Brexit update:  
[www.erasmusplus.org.uk/brexit-update](https://www.erasmusplus.org.uk/brexit-update)

Brexit FAQs from Universities UK:  
[www.universitiesuk.ac.uk/policy-and-analysis/  
brexit/Pages/brexit-faqs.aspx](https://www.universitiesuk.ac.uk/policy-and-analysis/brexit/Pages/brexit-faqs.aspx)

