



Lancaster
University



Introduction to University

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Where we are



Well connected with excellent road, rail and airport links to the UK

- London (2.5 hours)
- Manchester (1 hour)
- Edinburgh (2.5 hours)
- Birmingham (2 hours)
- Bristol (3.5 hours)



So much on your doorstep



Nestled between
vibrant cities and
unique landscapes

- Yorkshire Dales
- Forest of Bowland
- Blackpool
- Manchester
- Liverpool



Our campus
560 acres



Woodland Walk

South East Campus

N

County College

Margaret Fell Lecture Theatre

North Campus

Fylde College

Grizedale College

Furness College

South Campus

Pendle College

Learning Zone

Bowland Tower

Engineering Building

Management School

Bowland College

Library

Graduate College

South West Campus

North West Campus

Lake Carter

Eco Hub

Cartmel College

Lonsdale College

Sports Centre

Sports Pitches



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Changes in Your Life at University

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Getting to Grips With UCAS

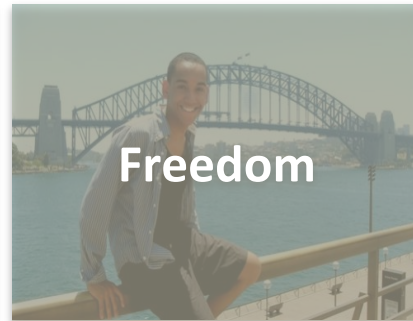
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Choosing Universities and Courses

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Changes in Your Life at University

What Are You Looking Forward to About University Student Life?



A Day in the Life of a University Student



Learning in New Ways



LECTURES

Large classes with expert academics



SEMINARS

Small sessions with fellow students



PRACTICALS

Apply what you learn to practice



INDEPENDENT STUDY

Large classes with expert academics

Student Finance

Tuition Fee Loan & Maintenance Loan



Tuition Fee Loan



Maintenance Loan



For What Do You Need to Pay?

- Accommodation
- Food
- Transport
- Books and stationary
- Phone bill
- Toiletries/Household supplies
- Laundry
- Printing
- Contingency

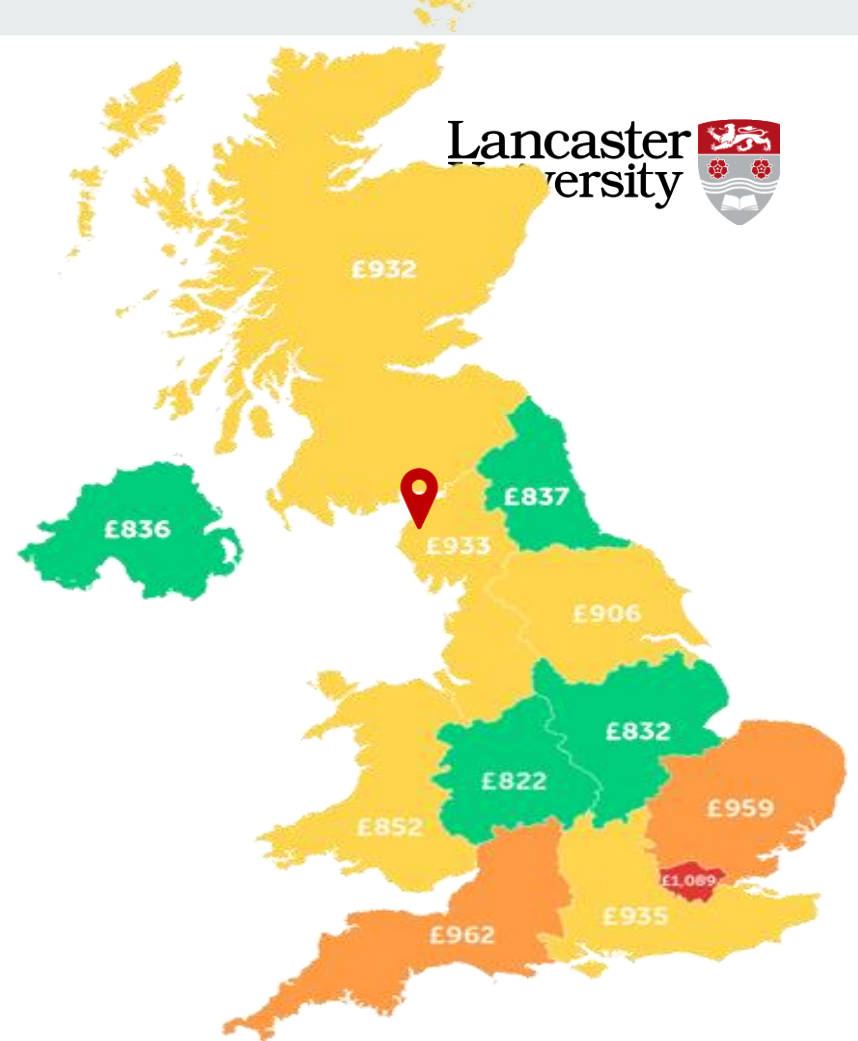
- Sports/gym membership
- Clothes
- New purchases
- Holidays/Trips
- Socialising
 - Cinema
 - Nights out
 - Meals out



Average Rent

University	Rent (Av. per week)
Edinburgh	£222
Warwick	£197
LSE	£185
Nat. Average	£148
Liverpool	£146
Bath	£139
Lancaster	£135
York	£133
Huddersfield	£81

Data for 2022 – Save the Student



Monthly Income

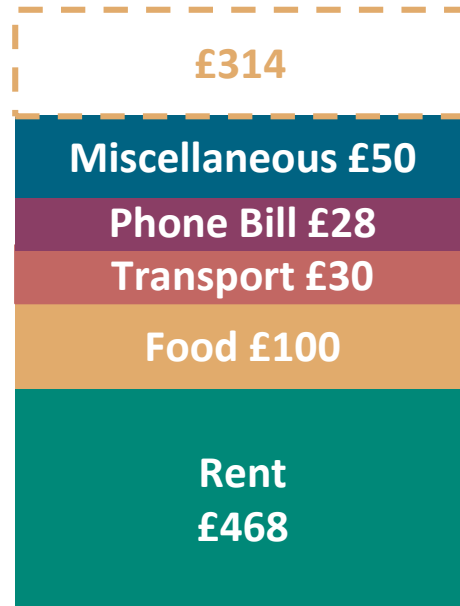
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Monthly Income: £1012

Spare Income:

Used for non-essentials/
savings



Essential Expenses: £698

Miscellaneous:

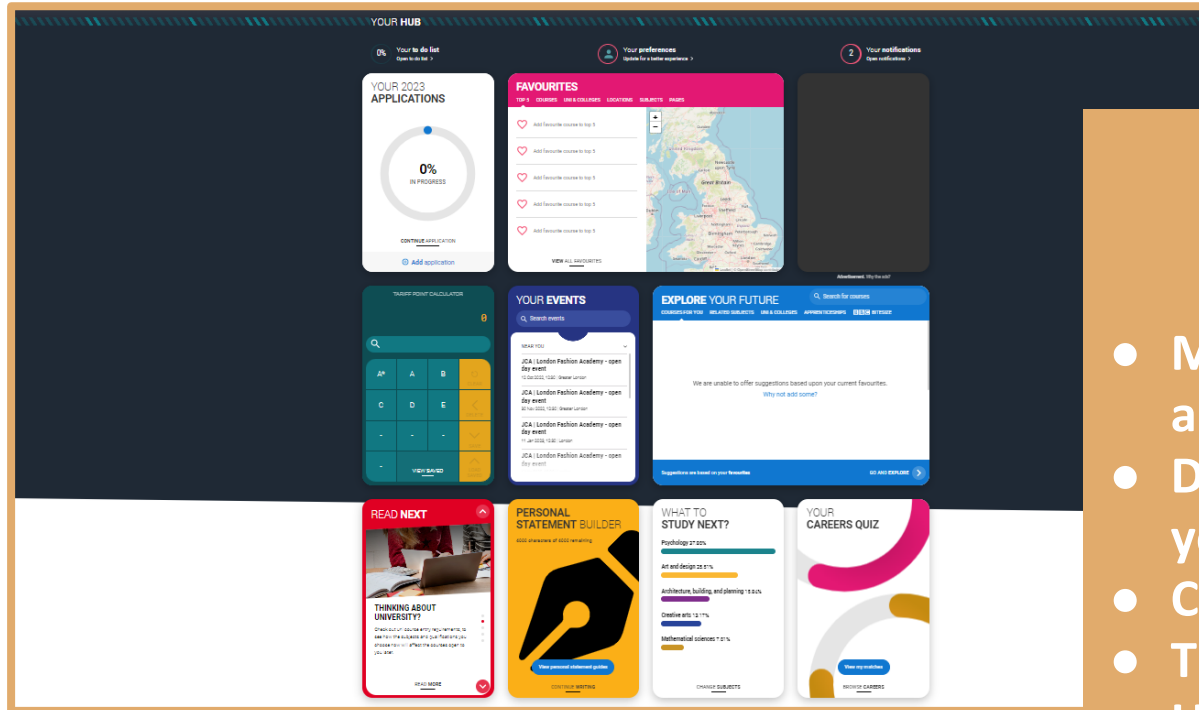
Household Supplies (£20)
Textbooks/stationery (£10)
Laundry (£15)
Printing





Getting to Grips with your UCAS Application

The UCAS Hub



The screenshot displays the UCAS Hub interface with the following sections:

- YOUR HUB** (Top navigation bar)
- Your to do list** (0% progress)
- Your preferences** (Home for a later experience)
- Your notifications** (View notifications)
- YOUR 2023 APPLICATIONS** (0% IN PROGRESS, CONTINUE APPLICATION, Add application)
- FAVOURITES** (TOP COURSES, OPEN COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, SUBJECTS, PLACES, Add favourite courses to top 5, VIEW ALL FAVOURITES)
- MAP** (Geographical map of the UK)
- TRIP POINT CALCULATOR** (A+B, C+D, E, VIEW RESULTS)
- YOUR EVENTS** (SEARCH EVENTS, LIST OF EVENTS including JCA (London Fashion Academy) - open day event)
- EXPLORE YOUR FUTURE** (SEARCH FOR COURSES, RELEVANT TOOLS, OPEN COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, BEEB, GETTING SUGGESTIONS BASED ON YOUR FAVOURITES, Why not add some?, SUGGESTIONS BASED ON YOUR FAVOURITES, GO ANYWHERE)
- READ NEXT** (THINKING ABOUT UNIVERSITY?, WHAT NEXT)
- PERSONAL STATEMENT BUILDER** (2022 CREATOR OF 2022 WRITING, YOUR PERSONAL STATEMENT GUIDE)
- WHAT TO STUDY NEXT?** (Psychology 27.20%, Art and design 25.61%, Architecture, building, and planning 15.20%, Creative arts 12.11%, Mathematical sciences 7.51%, CHALLENGE YOUR BELIEFS)
- YOUR CAREERS QUIZ** (HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT YOUR CAREERS?)

UCAS
www.ucas.com

- Make an online application
- Detailed breakdown of your course choices
- Course/University map
- Tips and advice
- Useful tools

UCAS Hub Favourites



The screenshot shows the "FAVOURITES" section of the UCAS Hub. It has a pink header with the word "FAVOURITES" in white. Below the header are navigation tabs: "TOP 5", "COURSES", "UNI & COLLEGES" (which is selected), "LOCATIONS", "SUBJECTS", and "PAGES". On the left, there is a list of five universities, each with a red heart icon and a distance in miles:

- University of Cambridge (49 mi)
- The University of Edinburgh (330 mi)
- University of Exeter (156 mi)
- Imperial College London (1 mi)
- Lancaster University (204 mi)

At the bottom of the list is a link that says "VIEW ALL FAVOURITES". To the right of the list is a map of the United Kingdom and surrounding regions, with blue location pins placed over Edinburgh, Manchester, London, and another location in the south. A zoom control with "+" and "-" buttons is visible in the top left of the map area.

Favourites:

- List of liked courses
- University locations on map
- Favourite Subjects
- Liked Page

Hub 'View All Favourite' >
Favourites 'Uni & Colleges' >
Type universities' name and click
♡ to add your favourites to the
list


UCAS Hub

Explore Your Future

EXPLORE YOUR FUTURE

Search for courses


COURSES FOR YOU RELATED SUBJECTS UNI & COLLEGES APPRENTICESHIPS BBC BITESIZE



Computer science

View 42 courses at your favourite uni & colleges


View 521 courses at your favourite locations



Economics

View 79 courses at your favourite uni & colleges

View 1246 courses at your favourite locations



Aerospace engineering

View 77 courses at your favourite uni & colleges

View 656 courses at your favourite locations

Suggestions are based on your favourites

GO AND EXPLORE

Explore:

- University list
- Subject guide
- Related courses
- Related career options
- Personal statement guide (subject specific)


Hub 'Explore Your Future' >
Click 'Go and Explore' > click ♥
to add your favourites to the list

UCAS Hub Other Functions



PERSONAL STATEMENT BUILDER

4000 characters of 4000 remaining



[View personal statement guides](#)

CONTINUE WRITING

YOUR

Search

FAVOURITE EVENTS

UCAS Discovery London 2023
27 Mar 2023, 09:30 |

UCAS Discovery East London 2023
6 Jun 2023, 09:30 |

UCAS Discovery Norwich 2023
12 Jun 2023, 09:30 |

YOUR EVENTS

Search events

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YOUR CAREERS QUIZ

[View my matches](#)

[BROWSE CAREERS](#)

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Choosing Universities and Courses

Your Choice



395

HIGHER EDUCATION
INSTITUTIONS



35,000+

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES



5

UCAS CHOICES

Real Degree or Fake Degree?

Fake

Fake

Real!

University College
London

Real!

London South Bank
University

Real!

Heriot-Watt University

Real!

Royal Central School of
Speech & Drama

Fake

Real!

University for the
Creative Arts

Real Degree or Fake Degree?

Real!

University of Liverpool

Real!

University of
Birmingham

Fake

Fake

Real!

30 different courses
across the UK

Real!

University for the
Creative Arts

Real!

These are actually very
common courses

Real!

Also available through
tourism management

Key Factors



Reputation &
Rankings



Entry
Requirements



Modules



Location &
Accessibility



Accommodation



Living Costs



Graduate
Prospects



Student Life



Opportunities

A Top Ranking Global University



5th for Value for Money | 8th for Wi-Fi & Internet | 14th for Job Prospects | 16th for Campus & Facilities

Lancaster's Overall Performance



Complete University Guide 2023	
Lancaster	11
Warwick	10
Exeter	19
Leeds	16
Manchester	17
York	20
Liverpool	21
Newcastle	36

Times & Sunday Times 2023	
Lancaster	12
Warwick	9
Exeter	13
Leeds	23
Manchester	24
York	17
Liverpool	=33
Newcastle	=33

Guardian University Guide 2023	
Lancaster	14
Warwick	8
Exeter	15
Leeds	20
Manchester	30
York	21
Liverpool	40
Newcastle	=63

Entry Requirements

Does the university
accept the UCAS tariff?

What qualifications do
they accept?

Does the subject
require specific
subject(s)?

Does the course require
an interview/portfolio?

Does the university
accept resits?

Universities may have
different requirements
for the same subject

Courses

There are many different types of courses to consider - Lancaster University has 280+ undergraduate degree programmes!

Each faculty tends to have its own buildings, lecture theatres and study spaces plus other dedicated spaces & amenities for students



Arts and Social
Sciences



Health and
Medicine



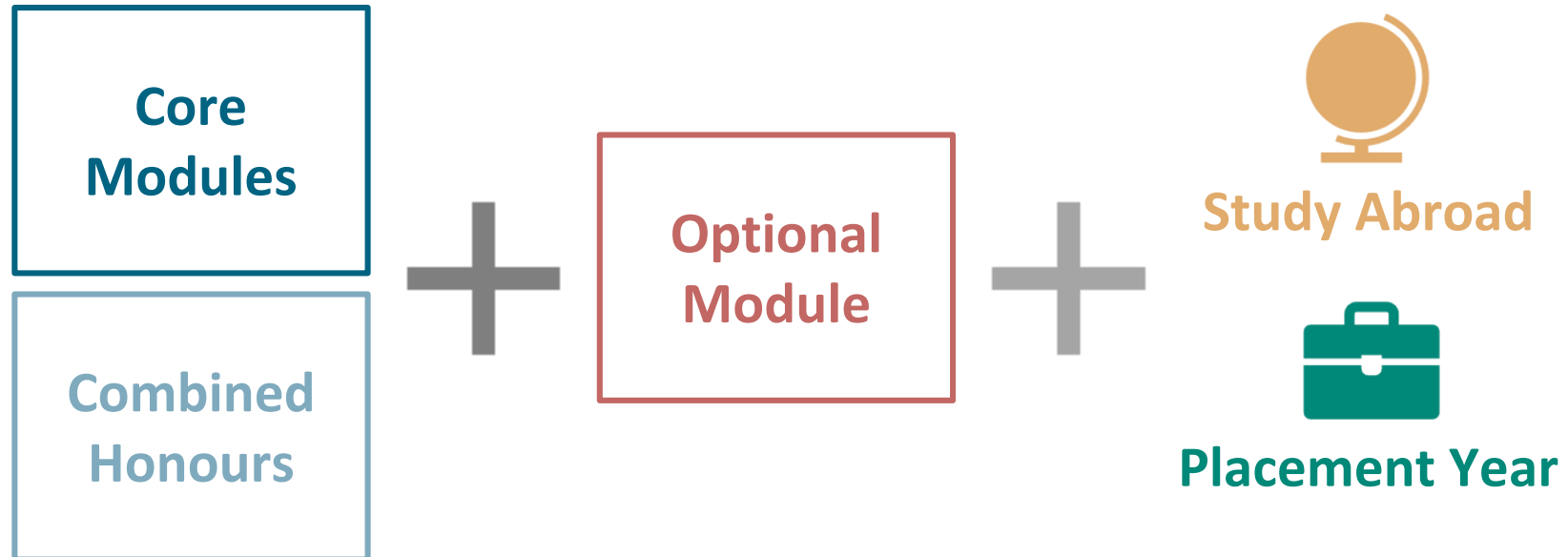
Science and
Technology



Management
School

How You Learn at University

You can tailor your degree to your interests and career choices



Degree Choices





UNIVERSITY OF
TORONTO



MICHIGAN STATE
UNIVERSITY



Universität Trier



LUND
UNIVERSITY



**universität
wien**



香港科技大學
THE HONG KONG
UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE
AND TECHNOLOGY



**NANYANG
TECHNOLOGICAL
UNIVERSITY**
SINGAPORE



THE UNIVERSITY OF
WAIKATO
Te Whare Wānanga o Waikato



**Australian
National
University**

Where Can I Go?

Asia - Australia - Canada - Europe - USA

<https://www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/global-experiences/study-abroad-outgoing/study-abroad-partners/>

Be One Step Ahead...



**Become
Global Connected**

**Employers look for
graduates with global
awareness**



19%

**More likely to gain
a 1st class degree**



10%

**More likely to be in
'graduate' jobs
6 months after graduation**

Careers at Lancaster



“Not all graduates find a job
and employability”



PLACEMENT

EXPERT CAREER
PROFESSIONALS

INDUSTRIAL
LINKS

LIFELONG
CAREER SUPPORT



Student Life

Campus or City?



UK Cultural Differences...

Name the Item!



Roll? Barm?
Bap? Teacake?
Cob? Muffin?
Butty?



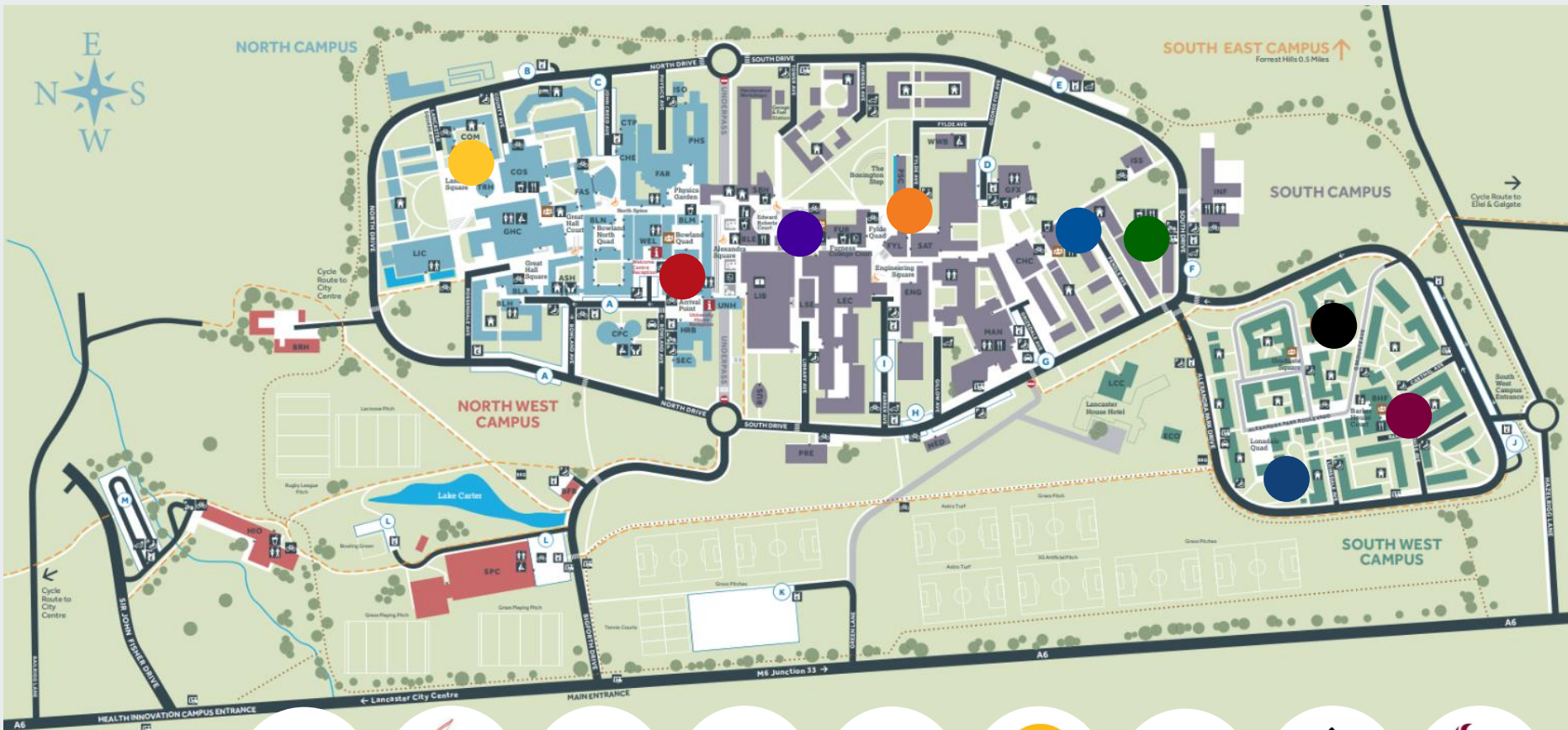
Dinner?
Tea?
Supper?

Clothes airer?
Maiden?
Clothes horse?
Drying Rack?



Dilute? Cordial?
Juice? Squash?
Diluting Juice?
























Unique Colleges at Lancaster

- Where you live
- Not course specific
- A supportive student environment (college advisors)
- Intercollegiate sports
- Activities & Events



Campus Facilities

-  Sports centre
-  Theatre
-  Art gallery
-  Student-run cinema
-  Hairdresser and beauty salon
-  Chaplaincy
-  Post office
-  Supermarkets
-  Cash machines
-  Pre-school centre

-  Restaurants
-  Cafés
-  Pharmacy
-  Bakery
-  Doctor
-  Bars
-  Petrol station
-  Prayer room
-  Launderettes



Get involved – Sports & Societies



175+ Societies
Over 80 Sport Teams at
Lancaster



Compete against other
Universities or Lancaster
colleges in a range of
different sports
Beginner to Advanced Level



Sporting Teams and Clubs

**Boat Club
(Rowing)**

**Underwater
Hockey**

**Equestrian
Club**

Golf Society

**American
Football**

**Lancaster
Snow**

Lacrosse

Sailing

**Hiking
Club**

Basketball

Roses are red

Our annual Olympic-style varsity sports tournament between Lancaster and York Universities

Starting with a boat race over 50 years ago, the weekend long event now includes over 130 fixtures, from Cheerleading to Ultimate Frisbee!



Societies

Law
Society

Harry
Potter
Society

Clown
Society

Lego
Society

Justin
Bieber
Society

Astronomy
Society

Monopoly
Society

Pokemon
Society

Bubble
Tea
Society

Dog
Society

Academic Societies

- Learn major or other subject(s)
- Connect with course mates and industry professionals
- Develop your career opportunities



Key Takeaways

**This what YOU want to
study
Feel of university is
important**

**Decide on your own
priority factors**

**University is a place to
explore your
opportunities**

**Think about your goals
and
the qualifications
required**

**Research is key
Strat research early!**

**Visit campus and speak
to academics and
current students
Ask questions!**



Open Days at Lancaster

Saturday **1st July 2023**

Saturday **15th July 2023**

Saturday **16th September 2023**

Saturday **14th October 2023**



Thank you



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