



UEA International Programmes and Study Abroad Information for Exchange Partners

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UEA STUDY ABROAD PARTNER INFORMATION UPDATED FEBRUARY 2020

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SEMESTER and ACADEMIC YEAR DATES 2020-21

	Arrivals Dates	18 - 20 September 2020	
Autumn 2020	Week Zero/Orientation	21 - 25 September 2020	
	Teaching Dates *	28 September - 18 December 2020	
	Christmas Break	19 December 2020 - 17 January 2021	
Spring 2021	Arrivals Date	TBC but expected 13 January 2021	
	Orientation	TBC but expected 13 January 2021	
	Teaching Dates	18 January 2021 - 21 May 2021	
	Easter Break	27 March 2021 - 25 April 2021	
	Exam Period **	24 May 2021 - 18 June 2021	

^{*} UEA Autumn semester has a duration of 12 weeks

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Modules are available to visiting students to the Faculties of Arts and Humanities, Sciences, and Social Sciences. Available module options are listed online. Some Schools of Study will have limits on module availability or for single semester options, such as in Literature, Drama and Creative Writing, Norwich Business School and Chemistry.

Level 4 modules = first year

Level 5 modules = second year

Level 6 modules = third year

Students need to select appropriate options for full-time academic enrolment: 120 credits per academic year or 60 credits per single semester. All students are assigned an Academic Adviser in their primary area of study at UEA.

UEA percentage mark	US letter grade	UK mark class	
70-100	А	First Class Honours	
65-69	A-	Upper Second Class Honours	
60-64	B+		
55-59	В	Lower Second Class Honours	
50-54	B-		
46-49	C+	Third Class Honours	
40-45	С		
38-39	D+	- Fail	
36-37	D		
35	D-		
0-34	F		

^{**} Students attending UEA for spring semester must be prepared to stay during the exam period (unless on modules assessed by coursework only)





ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Study abroad visiting student applicants should meet the following entry criteria, however student exchange applicants will still be considered on a case-by-case basis so please email us at visiting.uea@uea.ac.uk for any queries relating to your students' eligibility to study abroad at UEA:

- Academic: 3.0 GPA (on 4.0 scale) or equivalent
- English Language: IELTS 6.5 overall (with 6.0 in each component) or equivalent
 - o Erasmus+ students can demonstrate an English level of B2 or higher
 - Students with 6.0 IELTS (a minimum of 5.5 in all four components) can apply for modules in Language and Communication Studies and in the School of Economics
 - Students with a lower IELTS can apply, on exchange, through <u>our on campus partner INTO UEA</u> for our **Study Abroad With English** (SAWE) programme
 - Students with lower English levels can apply directly to <u>INTO UEA</u> for pre-sessional English courses
- Nomination for exchange, or academic reference.

NOMINATION DEADLINES

Our exchange partners should submit exchange student names, email address, area and period of study (academic year or single semester) to <u>visiting.uea@uea.ac.uk</u> by the following deadlines:

1 June deadline for nominations for September start31 October deadline for nominations for January start

Non-exchange students do not require a nomination, unless part of a special programme or cohort.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Applicants should read our guidance notes and apply online by the following deadlines:

1 June application deadline for September start31 October application deadline for January start

Academic transcripts will be sent as email attachments to students and the nominating partner institution.

ACCOMMODATION AT UEA AND IN NORWICH

<u>UEA on campus housing</u> is available for international students in self-catered flats with private bedrooms and shared kitchen/dining.

For further information, including for Erasmus+ students, email us at visiting.uea@uea.ac.uk.

The Union of UEA Students' provides access to student accommodation off campus: www.homerunstudentpad.co.uk.





FEES AND COSTS

	Autumn 2020 September-December	Spring 2021 January-June	Full academic Year (38 week license) September-June	
Tuition¹	£,4,625.00 EU students	£4,625.00 EU students	£9,250.00 EU students	
	£7,950.00 non-EU students	£7,950.00 non-EU students	£15,900.00 non-EU students	
Accommodation	Prices vary depending on type of room requested and mobility period Please consult our <u>accommodation comparison chart</u> and <u>One Semester Room Rates</u> webpage for more information			
Meals (estimate) ²	£576.00	£1056.00	£1824.00	
Living Expenses ³	£576.00	£1056.00	£1824.00	

¹ Exchange students do **not** pay tuition fees

IMMIGRATION MATTERS

Incoming visiting students to the UK who do not hold a passport from within the European Economic Area (EEA) are required to obtain Entry Clearance prior to commencing study in the UK. Always check official UK.Gov guidelines.

<u>Single Semester and Summer Students</u> (studying in the UK for less than six months)

- Pre-apply for Short Term Study Visa a multi-entry visa allowing study in the UK as well as travel outside
 the UK during the period of study without obtaining a new UK visa with each entry to the UK.
 Short Term Study Visa holders are not permitted to work or volunteer during their time in the UK.
- The UK Border recommends obtaining a Short Term Study Visa before departing the home country.
- Tier 4 (General) Visa a multi-entry visa which allows study as well as work or volunteering during the period
 of study, within published rules. Single semester students requiring a Tier 4 (General) Visa <u>need to request</u> a
 Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) from UEA Study Abroad.

<u>Year-long Students</u> must pre-apply for a **Tier 4 (General) Visa** - a multi-entry visa allowing study as well as travel outside the UK and/or engagement in work or volunteering activities for the duration of the Visa. A Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) will be issued by UEA Study Abroad for full academic year students three months' prior to the commencement of study. This is a general guide to immigration procedures and does not constitute official UK Border advice.

TRAVEL AND MEDICAL INSURANCE

All students studying abroad at UEA should obtain appropriate travel and medical insurance for the entire period of their time abroad. European citizens should have a valid European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) for the duration of their stay in the UK.

Full-year students applying for a Tier 4 Visa will pay an Immigration Health Surcharge as part of the application for a Tier 4 Visa, providing access to the National Health Service. Students attending UEA for a period of **less than six months** need to obtain adequate health insurance and will need to provide proof of medical insurance.

²All accommodation in University residences is self-catering

³Includes books and stationery, clothing and personal expenditure (e.g. social activities, UK travel, laundry, etc.)





AN INTRODUCTION TO NORWICH

Norwich is England's most complete medieval city and England's first UNESCO City of Literature, joining a prestigious network of cities worldwide, boasting historic cobbled lanes and many buildings dating back to the Tudor period. Once the capital of the East Anglia region, Norwich boasts historic and social charm with award-winning entertainment – including clubs on campus and in the city centre – hosting several arts and literary festivals each year. Norwich is listed as one of the premiere shopping cities in the country with a mix of independent boutiques, large department stores and shopping malls, also reputed to be one of the safest cities in the UK.

The glorious sandy beaches of the North Sea coastline are just 23 miles from Norwich, with London less than two hours by train and regular daily access further afield by rail and coach networks.

Norwich International Airport provides daily global links via Amsterdam. Students connecting with the UK through London airports travel easily from Norwich by rail from Liverpool Street train station or via coach (MegaBus and National Express travel directly to campus) from London Heathrow and London Victoria.

Contact us for details on UEA's Meet and Greet service for September arrivals.

