

# STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME FOR EXCHANGE PARTNER STUDENTS

## STUDENT EXCHANGES

Taking part in a student exchange is a once in a lifetime opportunity which enables you to live and experience a different culture and way of looking at the world first hand.

The University of Westminster's Student Exchange programme allows you to immerse yourself in a British University experience in the heart of London.

By choosing to go on an exchange you are embracing an enriching experience that will inform not only the rest of your academic life but also your career and beyond.

## THE STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMME

If you are not eligible for a Student Exchange programme you can apply to our Study Abroad programme.

Full details of the Study Abroad programme including options and costs can be found on our website at [westminster.ac.uk/study-abroad](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/study-abroad)

## THE STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

- You must be nominated by your home institution to study at the University of Westminster and your nomination must be accepted before you can apply.
- Study up to three classes worth 60 UK credits for one semester or up to six classes worth 120 UK credits for one academic year at the undergraduate level in the School or Department that has the partnership with your home institution.
- Full pre-departure information before you leave home and an extensive orientation session upon arrival.
- Classes successfully completed carry transferable University credits.
- Housing in University accommodation may be available; information on securing non-University accommodation is also provided.
- Optional participation in the Education Abroad social programme.

## THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTMINSTER

The University of Westminster lies at the heart of the city of London, not just in terms of its location, but also in the way that its history and mission has been shaped and is inextricably interlinked with the city.

### University facilities and services for students include:

- state-of-the-art fitness and sports facilities
- library services based on each of our four teaching sites
- information technology services
- support and advice services
- University health services
- disability support
- Students' Union
- membership of International Student House

## SUPPORT AT THE UNIVERSITY

During the application process the University provides support for you through its Education Abroad Team, while your Registry and Academic Exchange Co-ordinator (AEC) will provide support whilst you study with us. Your AEC is able to sign your learning agreement and provide academic advice, whilst your Registry will provide further pastoral support.

For contact information please visit our [website](https://www.westminster.ac.uk).

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

For student exchanges visit: [westminster.ac.uk/student-exchanges](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/student-exchanges)

For details of all our study abroad programmes visit: [westminster.ac.uk/study-abroad](https://www.westminster.ac.uk/study-abroad)

To see what our current students are up to search [#LiveLearnLondon](https://www.instagram.com/#!/LiveLearnLondon) on Instagram

 [EducationAbroadWestminster](https://www.facebook.com/EducationAbroadWestminster)  [@uw\\_eduabroad](https://twitter.com/@uw_eduabroad)  [@uw\\_eduabroad](https://www.instagram.com/@uw_eduabroad)

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Your home institution must have a current exchange agreement with the University of Westminster.
- You must be nominated by your home institution for the exchange and your nomination must be accepted by the University of Westminster.

For full details of the entry requirements please visit our [website](https://www.westminster.ac.uk).

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## MAKING AN APPLICATION

You can apply to the programme once you have been nominated by your home institution and your nomination has been accepted.

To get information on how you can be nominated to come on exchange, please speak to your international office or its equivalent at your home university.

If your nomination is accepted you will need to supply the following to make an application:

- an academic reference
- an official transcript
- a copy of the main photograph page from your passport
- a passport sized photograph
- a portfolio of work if applying for practical classes from Media, Arts and Design and some architecture classes
- confirmation of English language level.

When listing the classes you wish to study, you can refer to our list of classes on our [website](https://www.westminster.ac.uk).

