

Study Abroad Programme

Study Abroad Package - Terms of Participation 2019/20

The Study Abroad Package is a combination of benefits, activated when a Study Abroad applicant accepts a place on the Study Abroad Programme at Liverpool Hope University.

When you accept a place on the Study Abroad Programme, you automatically accept the terms of the **Study Abroad Package**, which is designed to cover your needs while you are on campus. The Package includes a range of impressive benefits, wrapped up in one inclusive fee, so you do not have to worry about anything – we arrange the tuition, arrival, orientation, accommodation and catering for you.

Our international students live at the Aigburth Park accommodation campus, which is about three miles from the main teaching campus (Hope Park). Here, you will benefit from a number of impressive amenities: a large common room with table tennis and pool tables; a vending area; launderette; a computer room and pleasant gardens. The campus is very secure with a 24/7 Concierge plus a daily Reception service, Monday to Friday.

Living in Halls with other Liverpool Hope students gives you the best UK experience in a safe and convenient environment. All our accommodation is owned and managed by the University and is not rented from private accommodation providers.

Aigburth Park is located near to local shops, cafes and restaurants and the beautiful Sefton Park. With the city centre only fifteen minutes away by public transport and a free shuttle bus to classes, Aigburth Park has everything you need.

You will live near other international students in either St Julie's Hall with shared bathrooms, or St Michael's Hall with en-suite bathrooms (see prices below). In both Halls, you will have your own private study room in a shared apartment with a communal kitchen.

To apply for a room on Campus

Please complete the on-line accommodation application at www.hope.ac.uk/halls/

Room offers will be made by email and include the Accommodation Contract, which sets out the terms and conditions for living on campus. You must accept the Contract on line and pay a deposit of £200 to secure your room - this is refundable after departure (conditions apply) and is <u>not</u> part of the Study Abroad Package fee. Check with your Study Abroad Advisor whether the deposit for your University/College has been prepaid or waived.

If you wish to upgrade to an en-suite room please email <u>accommodation@hope.ac.uk</u> after you have completed the on-line application.

You can change your mind up to one week after accepting the Accommodation Contract (and by association, the Study Abroad Package). After that, the fees and other conditions are legally binding.

Other benefits

In addition to your room, the Study Abroad Package includes a range of other benefits:

- ✓ a pre-paid catering card with credit equivalent to £35 per week of teaching, to be used in any catering outlet or store at Hope Park or the Creative Campus
- ✓ an Orientation Programme and registration support
- ✓ airport pick-up from Manchester International Airport if required
- ✓ a new bed pack on arrival with single duvet, pillow, covers and sheet
- ✓ the services of the Security and Residential Life staff at Aighurth Park
- √ free shuttle buses to and from the teaching campuses (Hope Park or Creative Campus)
- ✓ the services of the support team in the International Hub
- ✓ unrestricted use of the Library and IT facilities at all locations
- ✓ free WiFi in your study room and all communal areas
- ✓ the services of our counselling and academic support teams
- ✓ free membership of the gym and sports facilities at Hope Park (subject to a single induction fee)
- ✓ free membership of the Liverpool Hope Students' Union
- ✓ a weekly 'British Life' culture course with off-campus trips
- ✓ the opportunity to gain a 'Certificate in Service and Leadership'

The Catering Card

You will be issued with a catering card on arrival, (registration required). The catering card will be loaded with credit equal to £35 for each week of teaching while you are on the Programme. The card is eligible for use in any of the catering outlets at Hope Park or the Creative Campus (the teaching campuses). This includes the main restaurants and the coffee shops, the bar area and the Convenience Store. The card can also be used to purchase gifts, or branded clothing in the Varsity Store at Hope Park. Take-away food can be purchased from Our Place to take home in the evening.

Please note that the card is not operational in shops off campus, or at Aigburth Park. Catering in the evenings, weekends and the Easter holiday period in Semester Two is the responsibility of the student.

Study Abroad Package Fee 2019/20:

Accommodation Contract	St Julie's Hall Shared bathroom	St Michael's Hall En-suite bathroom
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Semester 1 - 12 weeks	£4,950	£5,450
Semester 2 – 21 weeks	£4,950	£5,450
Semester 2 – 21 weeks	14,930	13,430
Full Year – 36 weeks	£10,121	£11,160

Paying for the Package:

- Students who will be studying at Liverpool Hope for one semester only are required to pay the Study Abroad Package fee in full before arrival
- Payments should be made by Western Union using the instructions at https://www.hope.ac.uk/international/studyabroadandexchange/studyabroad/studyabroadpackagefees/ / click on the link 'Liverpool Hope Bank Transfer'
- If you need to open a UK bank account before making payment, please let the Finance Office know that there will be a short delay and make your payment as soon as you can
- If you have any queries or prefer to pay by card over the phone, please contact financequeries@hope.ac.uk or call the Finance staff on 0044 151 291 3339

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