



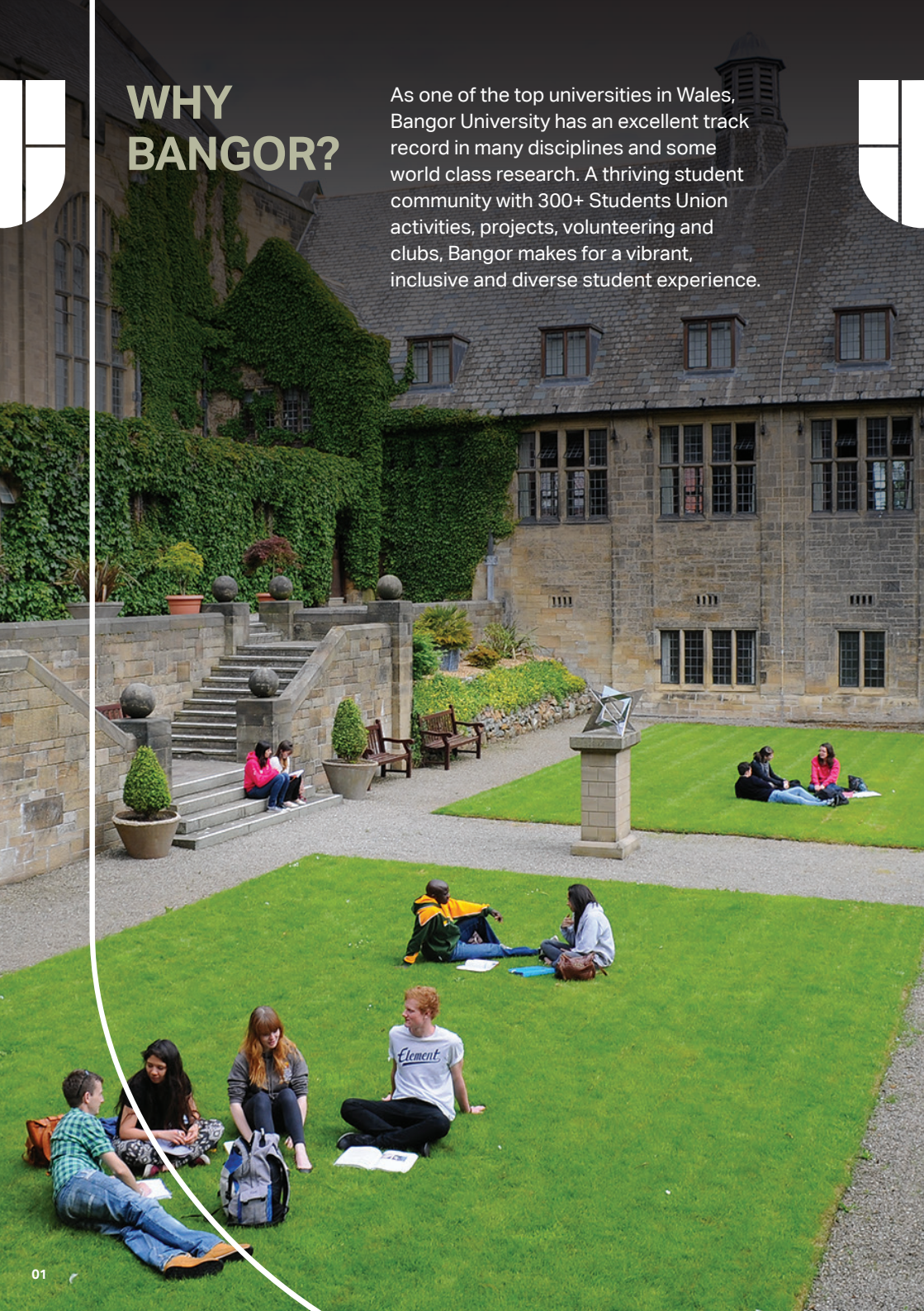
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**BANGOR**  
UNIVERSITY

**Study Abroad at  
Bangor University**  
Study for One Year or One Semester



# WHY BANGOR?

As one of the top universities in Wales, Bangor University has an excellent track record in many disciplines and some world class research. A thriving student community with 300+ Students Union activities, projects, volunteering and clubs, Bangor makes for a vibrant, inclusive and diverse student experience.



Established In  
**1884**

**No 1**

**Welsh University of the Year**

- Daily Mail University Guide 2024

**Top 15**

**UK University of the Year**

- WhatUni 2024

**Top 45**

**UK University**

- The Times and the Sunday Times  
Good University Guide 2024

**Top 500**

**University in the World**

- QS World University Rankings 2025



**Top 15**

**in the UK for Value for Money**

- StudentCrowd University Awards 2024

**Ranked No.6**

**in the UK for**

**Student Accommodation**

- WhatUni 2024



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## BANGOR EXPERIENCE

### LOCATION

Take one of the most breathtaking locations in the UK, situated between the mountains of Snowdonia and the rugged, beautiful coastline of North Wales, combine this with a friendly city with a vibrant student community and an institution with an excellent reputation for teaching and research, and you have Bangor University. Bangor has great connections to all of the major cities - London in three hours, Manchester and Dublin in two.

### SAFE AND HISTORIC

Bangor is a safe, historic, and vibrant community. It has a city vibe without being overwhelming, getting around on foot or via public transportation is very easy and safe. If you enjoy your independence and are attracted to the lifestyle of a smaller city that has a scenic mix of friendly, rural and urban living, then Bangor could be just what you're looking for. Additional to the contemporary arts facilities, Bangor also has four period castles within twenty minutes of campus for you to explore.





## MODERN FACILITIES

You'll enjoy access to our Pontio Arts and Innovation Centre featuring an on-campus theatre with professional touring performances, and a cinema with the newest blockbuster releases. There are other live music venues on campus and around town, including the Students Union very own nightclub, adding to the cities lively atmosphere. We also have great facilities for outdoor and indoor sports including, Volleyball, Basketball, Tennis, Indoor Cricket, Climbing Wall, Athletics Track and much more.

## COST OF LIVING

Bangor is one of the most affordable locations in the whole of the UK. Bangor has low transport costs, affordable fees and housing and we have been ranked Top 15 in the UK for Value for Money (StudentCrowd University Awards 2024).



# STUDY ABROAD AT BANGOR

Around 2,000 international students from all over the world study at Bangor. The University has over 100 years' experience of welcoming and providing tuition to International Students.



# BANGOR STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMME

For individual students and students currently studying with a partner institution or at other approved universities. This programme is for Undergraduate students to study with us as non-graduating students for one semester or one year.

Study Abroad students can study courses/modules from across the University (excluding Nursing, Medical Sciences, Bangor Medical School, Policing, Teacher Training, and Adventure Sports Science.

[www.bangor.ac.uk/international/studyabroad](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/studyabroad)

## Teaching Methods

You will study alongside degree students and will be provided with the same teaching arrangements and support.

You will participate in:

- Traditional lectures
- Tutorials
- Seminars
- Lab work
- One-to-one discussions
- and unsupervised independent study

## Study Support

You will be allocated an academic personal Tutor to provide you with support throughout your study with us.

If you do not meet our English Language requirements, summer and autumn pre-session English courses are available from April to December:

[www.bangor.ac.uk/arts-culture-language/elcos/pre-sessional](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/arts-culture-language/elcos/pre-sessional)

Courses for students wishing to refresh their academic English skills are available throughout the year and may be studied alongside your chosen course/modules.



## Credits And Classes

A full years study at Bangor is 120 Bangor credits/60 ECTS credits. Most modules are worth 10 or 20 Bangor credits/5 or 10 ECTS credits. A semesters study is 60 Bangor credits/30 ECTS credits.

**Semester 1:** September – January

**Semester 2:** January – June

The main Academic assessment periods are in January and May. For students studying Semester 1 only, an early assessment is organised in December.

Details of credits awarded provided in a transcript of records for transfer to your home University at the end of your studies.

## Choosing Classes

Visit our online module catalogue:

[www.bangor.ac.uk/courses/undergraduate-modules/](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/courses/undergraduate-modules/)

Select the module under the 'Module Details' dropdown and click on the view button for more information, including the module code, the number of credits this module is worth, and in which semester it will be taught. You can also view other relevant details like course content, learning outcomes, and assessment methods.

If this seems complicated, don't worry. Our Study Abroad team will guide you through class choices and enrolment.

**TERMINOLOGY:** In the UK, a class or course is called 'module'.



## MAIN SUBJECT AREAS

Bangor has academic strengths across many disciplines. Our study abroad programme offers you a very broad portfolio of modules appropriate to your study needs, choose from a multitude of disciplines, including:



**BIOLOGY**



**CHILDHOOD STUDIES**



**BUSINESS**



**ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING**



**COMPUTER SCIENCE**



**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**



**CONSERVATION**



**FORESTRY**



**GEOGRAPHY**



**HEALTH STUDIES**



**HISTORY**



**LAW**





**LANGUAGES**



**LITERATURE**



**LINGUISTICS**



**TOURISM**



**MUSIC**



**MEDIA**



**OCEAN SCIENCES**



**PSYCHOLOGY**



**PHILOSOPHY**



**SOCIAL  
SCIENCES**



**SPORTS, HEALTH AND  
EXERCISE SCIENCE**



**ZOOLOGY**

All modules are taken for credit and others may be additional to your study programme and not for credit.

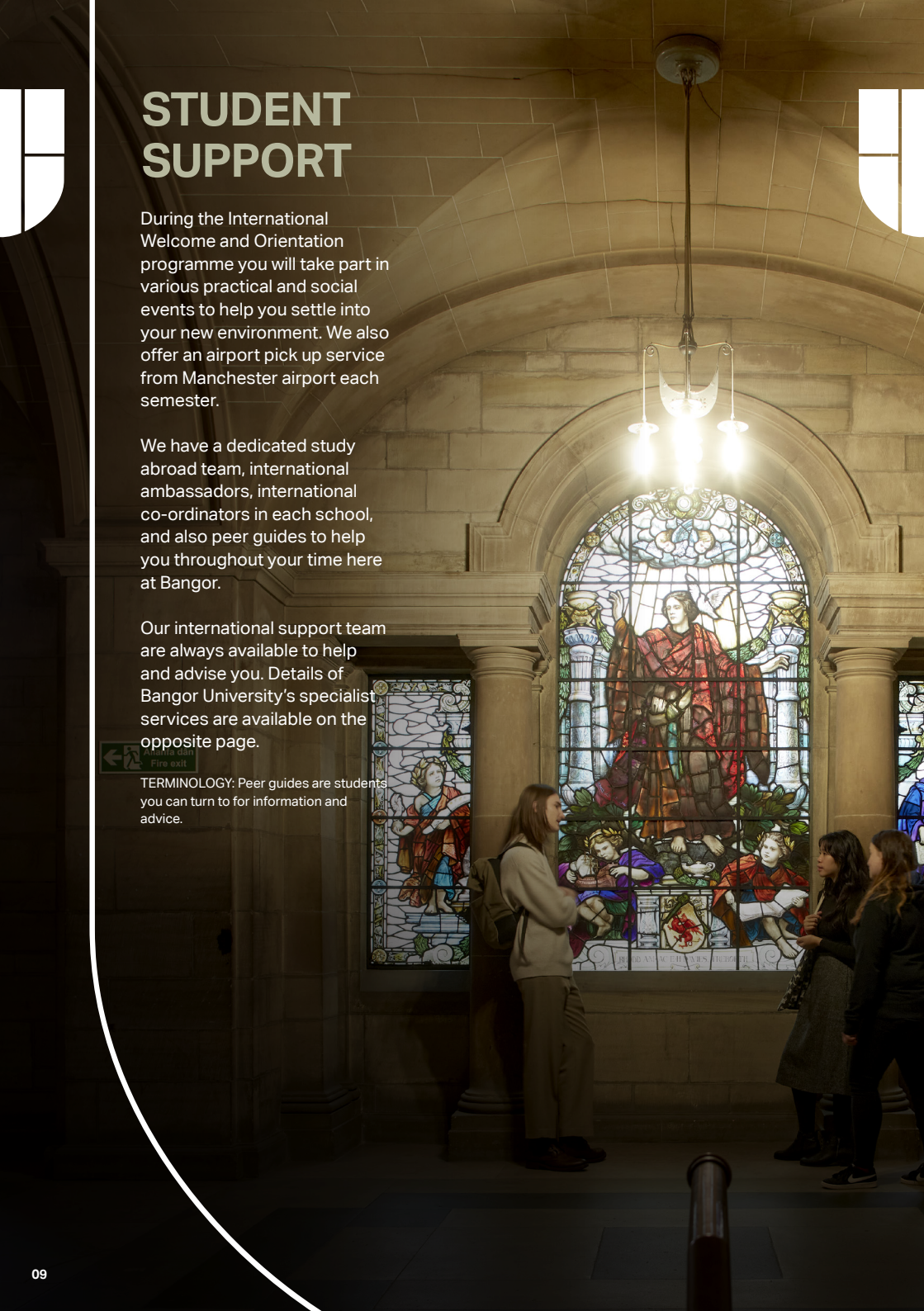
# STUDENT SUPPORT

During the International Welcome and Orientation programme you will take part in various practical and social events to help you settle into your new environment. We also offer an airport pick up service from Manchester airport each semester.

We have a dedicated study abroad team, international ambassadors, international co-ordinators in each school, and also peer guides to help you throughout your time here at Bangor.

Our international support team are always available to help and advise you. Details of Bangor University's specialist services are available on the opposite page.

**TERMINOLOGY:** Peer guides are students you can turn to for information and advice.





**MULTI FAITH  
CHAPLAINCY PROVISION**



**DISABILITY SUPPORT**



**LEARNING AND STUDY  
SKILLS SUPPORT**



**CAREERS AND EMPLOYABILITY:  
JOB ZONE**



**STUDENT MENTORS WITHIN THE  
ACCOMMODATION VILLAGES OFFERING  
24HR ADVICE AND SUPPORT**





# CAMPUS LIFE

## Top 15 UK University for its Students Union

- (WhatUni 2024)

- 01 Sports Clubs
- 02 Clubs and Societies
- 03 Cinema
- 04 Gyms, track fields and sports facilities
- 05 Food outlets, cafes, onsite shop
- 06 Libraries
- 07 Student Union
- 08 Art Centre
- 09 Computer rooms
- 10 Learning and teaching spaces
- 11 Bar Uno
- 12 Student Lounges
- 13 Two Student Villages





# ACCOMMODATION

You may apply for University Halls accommodation in one of the two student villages; Ffriddoedd Village and St Mary's Village. All accommodation is self-catered and are single (non-sharing) rooms.

## FACILITIES PROVIDED

FREE WI-FI ACCESS



FREE GYM MEMBERSHIP



LAUNDRY FACILITIES



HALL MENTORS AND SECURITY  
24 HOUR ASSISTANCE



(Photograph of St Mary's Student Village)

**RANKED NO.6 IN THE UK  
FOR STUDENT ACCOMMODATION**  
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**SPORTS FACILITIES**



**CAFÉ/BAR**



**SHOP**



**SOCIAL  
SPACES**



**FREE CAMPUS  
LIFE ACTIVITIES**

For more information visit our  
accommodation page:  
[www.bangor.ac.uk/accommodation/](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/accommodation/)

(Photograph of Ffriddoedd Student Village)



## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FINANCE

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You should be registered as a full-time degree student and have a good academic record at your home university.

English Language proficiency, an IELTS overall 6.0 with 5.5 in each component or equivalent is normally required (some courses may require a higher score).

APPLICANTS from USA, CANADA and AUSTRALIA may not need to provide additional evidence of English Language ability if they have been educated through the medium of English and/or are a passport holder for the country of their home University.

More information here:

[www.bangor.ac.uk/international/applying/entryrequirements](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/applying/entryrequirements)





## TUITION FEES FOR 2025/26

International Study Abroad Programme

September - June (Academic Year: (Semester 1 + Semester 2) £18,000

September to January (Semester 1) £9,000

January – May (Semester 2) £9,000

January 26 – January 27 (Semester 2 + Semester 1) £18,000

More information on fees here: [www.bangor.ac.uk/international/fees](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/fees)

## LIVING EXPENSES

The amount of living expenses you will require would depend on your individual circumstances and expected standard of living, how often you socialise, want to travel and the extent of your extra curriculum activities.

**Accommodation:**

£160 - £250 per week

**Living costs on average:**

£75 - £130 per week



# HOW TO APPLY

## 01

To make enquiries before applying please contact [studyabroad@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:studyabroad@bangor.ac.uk).

To begin your application visit here:

[www.bangor.ac.uk/international/  
studyabroad/incoming](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/studyabroad/incoming)

## 02

Your application will be considered by the relevant school, and if acceptable, an offer letter of admission will be sent to you within a few weeks of application.

# 03

Prior to the start of your study, you will receive more information and correspondence regarding registration and orientation activities, and accommodation arrangements.

## APPLICATION DEADLINES:

10 June 2025 for entry in September 2025

30 October 2025 for entry in January 2026

10 June 2026 for entry in September 2026

30 October 2026 for entry in January 2027

For more application dates take a look here:  
[www.bangor.ac.uk/international/exchanges/incoming/semester-dates](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/exchanges/incoming/semester-dates)



# USEFUL CONTACT

## Study abroad enquiries

Tel : +44 (0)1248 388 326

Email : [studyabroad@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:studyabroad@bangor.ac.uk)

## Accommodation

Tel : +44 (0) 1248 382 667

Email : [halls@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:halls@bangor.ac.uk)

[www.bangor.ac.uk/studyabroad](http://www.bangor.ac.uk/studyabroad)



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Study in Wales