With a rich history of innovation, excellence, and ambition, the University of Stirling values ability, not background, providing our students with an outstanding education that equips them with the skills, experience, and confidence required to achieve their full potential.

As a Stirling student, upon completion of one of our flexible degree programmes, you will leave here a highly employable graduate – with more than 96 percent of our graduates in employment or further study 15 months after graduating (Graduate Outcomes 2020-21).

Stirling is a five-star rated institution for teaching, employability, research and internationalisation, and ranks first in the UK and top three in the world for campus environment (International Student Barometer 2022).

We’re continuing to improve the Stirling experience. Our beautiful 330-acre campus has undergone a multi-million-pound redevelopment, delivering an iconic new sports complex – befitting our long-standing designation as Scotland’s University for Sporting Excellence – as well as modern social learning and study spaces. These major projects complement our existing on-site facilities, which include a theatre, cinema, cafés, restaurants, a pharmacy and supermarket.

You will enjoy an immersive, global experience, with more than 140 nationalities represented on campus, and making friends couldn’t be easier through our vibrant Students’ Union, which offers more than 120 societies and sports teams, and a fantastic range of entertainment and support services.

You’re about to make a very exciting and important decision about where you choose to study – and we’re delighted you’re considering joining us at Stirling. I wish you the very best of luck with your studies and look forward to welcoming you on campus soon.

Professor Sir GerryMcCormac
Principal and Vice-Chancellor

book an open day

stir.ac.uk/openday

can’t attend an open day?
No problem. Book one of our campus tours or, take our virtual tour:
stir.ac.uk/virtuetaur

To chat to us or to find out about other visiting opportunities, please contact:
recruitment@stir.ac.uk
+44 (0)796 407946
Stirling is one of the top 10 happiest places to live in the UK.

140+ nationalities represented on campus.

18,500+ students globally.

1st in the UK for campus environment.

Stirling is the safest student city in the UK.

Scotland’s University for sporting excellence.

Studying at Stirling.

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Complete University Guide 2023

Scotland’s University for Sporting Excellence

Studying at Stirling
Get a front row seat to the action on our grass and artificial pitches.

Airthrey Castle
Our 18th-century castle is still in use today.

National Swimming Academy
Home to Scottish Swimming and our world-class student athletes, who practise more than 30 hours per week in our Olympic pool.

Airthrey Park Medical Centre
Our on-campus general medical practice and dental centre.

The Pathfoot Building
Where the Faculty of Arts and Humanities, the Faculty of Health Sciences and Sport and the Institute of Aquaculture are based. It also hosts our unique art collection.

The Link Bridge
This scenic commute from our Accommodation Village and you’ll never have to worry about being late again.

Spittal Hill Chalets
Popular student accommodation in our Scandinavian-style timber chalets.

University of Stirling Innovation Park
Home to cutting-edge research and development companies.

Sports Centre
Sports and wellbeing for everybody at Scotland's University for Sporting Excellence.

Student Accommodation
More than 2,800 bedrooms across 18 residences on and off campus.

Colin Bell, Iris Murdoch and RG Bomont Buildings
Faculty of Social Sciences and some of our leading research centres are based here.

Cottrell Building
Home to the Faculty of Natural Sciences and the Stirling Management School.

Colin Bell, Iris Murdoch and RG Bomont Buildings
Faculty of Social Sciences and some of our leading research centres are based here.

Stirling Court Hotel
The perfect place to stay, with 100 bedrooms and excellent facilities.

The Pitches
Get a front row seat to the action on our grass and artificial pitches.

Airthrey Castle
Our 18th-century castle is still in use today.

The International Student Barometer 2022
...it’s easy to see why!
Settle into our student accommodation, where there’s something for everyone.

Study in our beautiful 3-storey library, with a range of study spaces and great views over the campus.

Shop onsite at the supermarket and pharmacy, and enjoy a selection of cafés.

Grab a Starbucks with friends or enjoy a range of society events at the Students’ Union.

Immerse yourself in history at our 18th-century Airthrey Castle.

Experience theatre, dance, comedy, contemporary music and cinema, at the University’s Macrobert Arts Centre.
our Stirling

Famous for being at the centre of much of Scotland’s history, Stirling also has great shops, bars, restaurants, and culture. Surrounded by nature too, it might just be the perfect city.

go outdoors
Easy to go about on foot, Stirling also has bicycle-sharing stations.

The University is a frequent film location, and nearby Doune Castle features in Outlander, Game of Thrones and The Outlaw King.

Swap the city for nature and explore Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park. In under an hour, you could be in the Scottish Highlands.

soak up the culture
Enjoy live music with The Castle, The Albert Halls, and Tolbooth right on your doorstep.

MacRobert Arts Centre on campus showcases the best in arthouse and mainstream cinema, along with a year-round live performance programme.

Spotify for choice with 130 gigs a week in Glasgow, and the world’s biggest arts festival in Edinburgh, both cities are easy to get to from Stirling.

eat, drink and shop
Find a bargain in the city’s historic Victorian arcade, bustling high street and Thistles Shopping Centre.

Enjoy a night out at the cinema, bowling, or at one of Stirling’s nightclubs and bars.

Pour a gin or beer in Allanwater Brewhouse or BrewDog.

Stop for a bite at one of Stirling’s cafés, or take out from student favourites Nando’s, Domino’s or Subway.

walk with history
Stirling Castle is one of Scotland’s grandest, and former home to Mary, Queen of Scots.

It’s also where the world’s oldest football was discovered hidden behind some panelling!

The memories of Robert the Bruce and William Wallace linger in the Old Town, with scars from military campaigns that changed the course of Britain’s history.
Learning and innovating

Scotland has the most world-class universities per person in the world.

Scots invented the television, telephone and bicycle, penicillin and animal cloning to name a few.

You’ll be taught by experts and world-leading researchers.

Get work placements and internships with the brightest start-ups and leading organisations.

Welcome to Scotland

Scotland is famous for its unique culture and beautiful landscape. It’s an incredible place to live and study in, too. Here are a few reasons why...

Exploring

Our landscape is picture-perfect.

There’s adventure around every corner.

Each town and city has a unique character.

Well-connected to the rest of the UK and Europe.

Eating and drinking

Scotland’s whisky is so good it’s exported all over the world.

Try traditional Scottish foods and enjoy dishes from around the world.

Playing

Compete in a large variety of sports, from beginner to professional level.

With outstanding facilities and great team spirit.
getting around the city
It’s easy to get from Stirling to the campus – you can walk, cycle or hop on a bus.

travelling by car
Students in Years 2-4 can park on campus. You can either buy a parking permit or use the pay and display.

travelling by bus
There are Uni Link bus services between the University and city centre that run every 10 minutes during semester time. National bus operators also offer frequent services that run to Edinburgh, Glasgow and Aberdeen.

travelling by train
Trains depart from Bridge of Allan or Stirling stations for destinations across the UK. On average, there’s a train to Glasgow or Edinburgh every 30 minutes – more at peak times.

travelling further
Scotland’s two main international airports are less than an hour away by car. You can reach either airport by public transport, too. There’s also a direct transfer service provided by Stirling Direct, the University’s airport pick-up service.

useful websites
edinburghairport.com
glasgowairport.com
stirlingdirect.org
thetrainline.com
INTO University of Stirling’s Undergraduate Degree with International Year One or International Year Two combines your pathway programme with your chosen progression degree under one single visa. This means a seamless transition to University of Stirling, guaranteed progression options* and no return trip home between pathway and degree to get a second Student Route visa.

*dependent on achieving required progression grades

INTO centre
Our INTO University of Stirling Building sits at the heart of the campus, providing everything you need, from bright and modern classrooms, to specialist tuition and friendly support teams: stir.ac.uk/into

International foundation
INTO University of Stirling’s International Foundation programmes ensure you meet the English language and academic entry requirements for Year 2 entry to your preferred course at the University of Stirling.

Pathways include:
- International Foundation in Media, Humanities and Social Sciences.
- International Foundation in Science, Sport, Computing and Engineering.

International diploma
The International Diploma programme offers the flexibility for those seeking advanced entry but who do not meet the academic entry requirements. Students will study a one-year course after which they will progress to Year 3 of a related undergraduate degree. Diploma subject areas include: International Diploma in Business, Finance, Marketing and Humanities.
University is about finding your own way, but that doesn’t mean you have to do it alone. The Student Services Hub is here to help every step of the way.

accessibility and inclusion
Our expert team helps students with a wide variety of needs to get the most out of their university life. They can:

- Offer assessments for all your learning and support requirements and create a tailored package to meet them.
- Be available to discuss any specific needs before you apply.
- Set up pre-entry visits for students with mobility or sensory impairments.

faith and spirituality
The Chaplaincy is open to all faiths and none, and celebrates the wealth of nationalities, cultures and beliefs here at the University of Stirling. It features:

- A quiet room for reflection and meditation.
- A sociable communal area.
- Emotional, spiritual or practical support from our chaplains.
- A dedicated prayer and washroom for Muslim students.

immigration
Our Student Immigration Team can give you advice and information so you can secure the right visa to cover your time at Stirling.

money support
Student Money Advisers help with budgeting, money management, and applying for additional funding and financial support.

The Income Office also has a range of flexible and secure options for fee payments.

student learning services
Daily drop-in sessions, regular workshops and tutorials are organised by our Student Learning Services Team to help you boost your learning skills.

mental health and wellbeing
Our qualified counsellors, mental health professionals and mental health and wellbeing services are here for you if you need them.

point of contact service
This service provides professional expertise, funding and support specifically for students who are carers, care experienced or estranged.

For further information on any of these services, please contact us:
ask@stir.ac.uk
+44 (0) 786 466 022
stir.ac.uk/student-support
Our carbon emissions have reduced by 43% since 2007. By 2040, we commit to net zero.

Our Sustainability Plan sets out how we will do this and includes changes to how we will manage our campus, work with suppliers and move towards greener energy sources - but the climate change emergency affects us all. By working with strategic partners and leading on world changing climate research, we can help deliver a sustainable future for local, regional and global communities.

As a signatory to the Sustainable Development Goals Accord and the Race to Zero for Universities and Colleges campaign, we’re also committed to the development of socially sustainable solutions including climate justice, reducing poverty and improved access to education.

You. Us. Together we can be the difference.

Here are some of the ways we reduce our carbon footprint.

**Greener Energy**
We invest in cleaner forms of energy such as heat pumps and solar to reduce carbon emissions.

**Plant-based**
Vegan options are available in all our cafés and restaurants.

**Waste Reduction**
Our Students’ Union Green and Blue Space saves around six tonnes of waste each year through recycling.

**Forward-thinking Teaching**
A dedicated steering group embeds sustainability in our teaching to ensure you feel equipped to deal with future environmental challenges.

**Travel**
A bike sharing scheme and electric vehicle charging points across campus encourage sustainable travel.

**Biodiversity**
Our 330-acre campus boasts a rich and diverse range of plant and animal life. Hedgehogs are vulnerable to extinction but thrive on our campus.

**World-leading Research**
From the climate benefits of growing mushrooms to improving water quality in Ukraine, we make a global impact through research.

**Thoughtful Finance**
More than £40 million invested in our buildings improves thermal efficiency.

**Active Travel Week**

**Biodiversity**

**Thoughtful Finance**

**Active Travel Week**
your students’ union

Your Union is at the centre of student life on campus. From societies and sports clubs to events and environmental projects, the Union is here to make your university experience a great one.

support for you
Throughout your time at university, you’ll have the support of the Students’ Union. Elected Student Officers work with Faculty Officers and Academic Reps to enhance your learning experience. You also have the chance to have your say through Union elections and via general meetings where you can help make a difference. The Union team also helps support the student voice through advising and helping students-led campaigns from housing to transport, volunteering, sustainability work and so much more.

facilities for you
The Union runs student focused outlets, offering everything you need. Our café in Underground serves Starbucks coffee, paninis, soups, and cakes. Stick around after-hours for a drink in the bar and see what’s on in the Venue. From Welcome Week events with meet and greets to freestyle fayres, comedy nights and regular ceilidhs – there’s plenty to entertain. Also check out the Students’ Union Shop for all your clothing and memorabilia and the Green & Blue space our dedicated sustainability hub on campus.

+120 societies and sports teams
Explore your passions and Interests at Stirling. We have more than 70 societies and 50 sports clubs to choose from, including our three award-winning student media outlets – Air3 Radio, AirTV and Brig Newspaper. If there’s a club you want to start, we can help!

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“At the Students’ Union we aim to make students’ lives better. We do this by representing your views and needs and work with the university to make a positive difference to your student experience. Whether it’s getting involved with societies or sports teams, working with our environmental team, becoming an academic rep, or enjoying a coffee in the Union, we look forward to welcoming you.”

Leen Ali, Union President 2023/24
We want to help you fulfil your ambitions after you graduate. Whether it’s getting involved in the Students’ Union, studying abroad, taking part in internships, exploring your own start-up or balancing part-time work with study, everything you do at Stirling is designed to help you stand out.

Investing in your future

While you’re studying for your degree, our My Stirling Award recognises your participation in extra-curricular activities such as part-time work, volunteering or University clubs and societies. These different skills and attributes are brought together and presented in your degree transcript. So, when it comes to proving your worth to potential employers, it’s all in one place.

We have careers consultants working closely with each faculty to ensure that your learning gives you all you need to succeed in the modern workplace. Your careers consultant will work with your lecturers to embed skills development, design assessments, and deliver expert careers input tailored to you and your course.

Work experience opportunities

Your time at Stirling should give you the skills and knowledge to make a difference in your chosen industry and help make the world a better place. We have strong connections with national and international organisations, as well as the brightest small businesses and start-ups. Our courses such as Nursing, Teaching Qualification in Further Education (TQFE) and Applied Biological Sciences include work placements. This is a great way to develop practical skills whilst being supported by industry professionals. Optional accredited volunteering placement modules are also available as part of some degree courses including Sport, Psychology, Law and Journalism.

Supporting your ambitions

The Careers and Work Based Learning Teams run a number of programmes and initiatives for you to gain experience, including paid internships during the semester and the summer holidays. They also advertise other work experience opportunities throughout the year.

The Careers Team can also support you in:
• exploring career options with resources.
• developing your skills, experience, and network.
• preparing for applications in group sessions and on a 1-to-1 basis.

To find out more, visit: stir.ac.uk/careers

“During my time at Stirling, I did an internship with Barclays in Geneva, Switzerland. This allowed me to demonstrate and put to use all of the leadership skills I had acquired.”

Robynn Cole
BA (Hons) Economics

“I undertook a part-time paid internship which helped me to develop my confidence, communication skills and gain experience for my future career.”

Kate Penton-Voak
BA (Hons) Criminology and Sociology
Our Study Abroad programme offers a wide range of exciting opportunities. From a semester in Tokyo to a year in Spain or California, we have partnerships with more than 70 universities across four continents that give our students an incredible learning experience.

study abroad

benefits of studying abroad

You’ll learn more about your subject and will keep earning credits towards your graduation.

It counts as part of your degree, so tuition is funded in the normal way.

It doesn’t extend the length of your degree, so there’s no ‘extra’ time to fund.

There’s a range of grants and scholarships to help with living costs.

It shows future employers your ambition, maturity and independence.

Experience new cultures and learn new skills.

how it works

Most Honours degree students are eligible to study abroad in their third year.

It’s a compulsory part of your course if you study French or Spanish.

Our team will guide you through the process to help prepare for your adventure and make the most of your time overseas.

For more information, visit: stir.ac.uk/international
Michelle gives testament to her degree at Stirling by saying: “In 2023, I completed my second degree and achieved a first class. The University’s Enterprise Programme has provided me with invaluable resources and guidance to grow and develop my healthcare venture, Nurse Michelle Medical Aesthetics. My new start-up has already earned awards and accolades, highlighting the impact of my education. My success is not only a testament to the University’s commitment to nurturing holistic learning but also its dedication to fostering innovation. The supportive faculty, diverse academic environment, and opportunities for personal and professional growth have been instrumental in my achievements.”

Michelle Buchanan
BA (Hons) Marketing, 2008
BSc (Hons) Mental Health Nursing, 2023

Euan Steedman
BA (Hons) Business Studies/Law, 2015

Since graduating, Euan has established a successful career in media and communications, leading PR for some of the most high-profile organisations in the UK – including 10 Downing Street, Instagram, CNN, BBC and Google. He devises and delivers high impact social campaigns and is currently Communications Manager at Google – heading communications for YouTube in Europe, the Middle East and Africa (EMEA).

While International Press Officer with CNN, he was named as one of PRWeek’s 30 under 30. Euan is also a proud mentor and ambassador for The Social Mobility Foundation.

Grant Reid
BA Management Economics, 1982
Honorary Doctorate, 2023

In addition to his Private Equity and Board Director roles, Grant is Chair of the Sustainable Markets Initiative Agribusiness Taskforce, which is driving substantial action on how to scale regenerative agriculture. He is also involved in local philanthropy, having established the Reid Family Foundation to provide scholarships to deserving Stirling students.

Prior to this, he had a 34-year career with Mars Inc, the last eight years as CEO. He is credited with having an instrumental role in transforming and diversifying the business, as well as improving its sustainability.

In 2022, he was proud recipient of ‘Humanitarian of the Year Award’ for corporate leadership in driving sustainable business practices.

Bethany Alexander
BA (Hons) Sports Business Management, 2021

Bethany has an exciting career with a golf tour operator as Event Manager and enjoyed coordinating The 150th Open Championship and The Masters in 2022. Her role has allowed her to both broaden her knowledge and apply her degree skills. Bethany adds: “I built up work experience by volunteering at prestigious events and as a member of the athletics club, represented the University at the Scottish and British University Championships in 400m and 4 x 400m relay events.”
sport and well-being for everyone

health and fitness
We have lots of classes, workshops and activities on offer. From high-intensity circuit classes to serene yoga workshops, our health and fitness programme has something for everyone.

just play
Perfect if you want to exercise, play or try a new sport in a friendly and relaxed environment. Our Just Play sessions and beginner courses are a fun way to keep fit and meet new people.

coaching and volunteering
We offer a choice of coaching and volunteering opportunities for students. Perfect experience to enhance your CV, as well as the opportunity to gain recognised qualifications and training.

club sport
Together with the Sports Union, we support over 50 sports clubs of multiple teams for students of all abilities and interests, competing in a range of local and national competitions. Whether you’re a beginner or experienced competitive athlete, our clubs can provide the perfect sporting environment.

performance sport
Our performance sport programme is world-renowned, attracting student athletes from across the globe and producing World, Paralympic and Olympic medallists.

sports scholarships
Our sports scholarships provide student athletes with high-quality coaching and support services, including academic flexibility, facilities access, strength and conditioning, physiotherapy and sports psychology.

Scholarships are available for athletes in the following core sports: Curling, Football, Golf, Rugby, Swimming, Tennis and Triathlon.

We also offer scholarship packages to student athletes competing at international level in any other BUCS, Commonwealth, Olympic or Paralympic sport.

To be considered for a scholarship, prospective athletes must hold a profile and proven track record at a junior international level or beyond, and successfully gain admission to an academic course at the University.

For more details and sport-specific criteria, visit: stir.ac.uk/performance

additional scholarships
Undergraduate students from England, Wales, Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland can also apply for a further sports scholarship with a value of £2,000 per year of study. Students successfully progressing to fourth year also receive Honours scholarships to cover their final year tuition fees.

For more information about sports scholarships, contact: performancesport@stir.ac.uk +44 (0)1786 466910 stir.ac.uk/sportpartners

our partners

our sports include:
American football  Mountaineering
Archery           Muay Thai boxing
Athletics         Netball
Badminton         Orienteering
Basketball        Pole fitness
Boxing            Polo
Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu Power lifting
Cheerleading      Swimming
Cricket           Rugby
Cycling           Shinty
Dance             Snow sports
Darts             Squash
Equestrian        Sub-aqua
Football          Surf
Foottball         Swimming
Futsal            Taekwondo
Gaelic football   Tennis
Golf              Touch rugby
Handball          Triathlon
Hockey            Ultimate frisbee
Judo              Volleyball
Kayak             Water polo
Lacrosse

our partners

Scottish Swimming
Triathlon Scotland
Tennis Scotland
Scan the QR code to explore our campus facilities.
We have been leaders in Scottish sport for five decades, proudly supporting phenomenal athletes from around the world. Our incredible student athletes have competed at the Olympic and Commonwealth Games, Paralympics, World Championships, Wimbledon, The Open and The Masters.

**sports facilities**

Whether you’re looking to try a new fitness class – beat your personal best or improve your backhand, there are plenty of opportunities to get involved, all from our outstanding, fully accessible sports facilities.

- The National Swimming Academy, with a 50-metre, six-lane pool.
- Scotland’s National Tennis Centre, which features six indoor courts.
- A state-of-the-art gym and indoor cycling studio.
- Two purpose-built, air-conditioned fitness studios.
- Two multi-purpose sports halls and two squash courts.
- Two artificial (3G and sand-based) and seven grass pitches.
- A 400m all-weather running track.
- Exciting new communal spaces, general facilities, café and reception area.
- A world-class high performance suite for scholar athletes and Sports Union clubs.
- Strength and conditioning area with professional free weights equipment.
CAMPUS FACILITIES

student services hub
One-stop-shop for a wide range of support to help you make the most of your time at Stirling.

macrobert arts centre
Experience theatre, dance, comedy, contemporary music and cinema at the University’s Macrobert Arts Centre. Home to a modern 135-seat cinema and a state-of-the-art auditorium.

food and drink
We have Haldanes, Scran, Umami, Refresh, Starbucks, SUP, Macrobert Café and an on-site supermarket where you have a wide range of breakfast, lunch, dinner and snack options. Enjoy hot and cold drinks, grab and go items, drinks and barista coffee.

students’ union
Led by students, for students. Discover a hub of venues, events, sports clubs and societies to help you make the most of student life.

campus central
Campus Central is the heart of the University of Stirling. It is the ideal place to meet up with friends for a coffee, grab lunch, work through a group project together, or find the space for some quiet study time.

your library
With over 975,000 books, e-books, e-text books and journals, spaces for studying and beautiful views, our library has it all.

• Historical collections.
• Apps Anywhere.
• Training suites.
• 10 group study rooms.
• Study desks with PCs.
• Wellbeing space to chill and recharge.
• Laptops available to borrow.

worship
The Chaplaincy in Campus Central is an inclusive space, open to all students of all faiths and none, offering guidance and support, prayer rooms or just a quiet place for reflection.
We will guarantee you an offer of university-managed accommodation in your first year of study if you meet the eligibility criteria. All you need to do is confirm your place at Stirling and apply for accommodation by the advertised date.

**catering**
Our accommodation is all self-catered and shared with a number of other residents (with the exception of studios). You will have access to kitchens with cooking and storage facilities.

**rent**
In the academic year 2023/2024, accommodation costs ranged from £90.05 to £202.54 per week.

**what’s included?**
- Heating
- Electricity
- Wi-Fi
- Room contents insurance
- Assistance with cleaning and 24/7 staff support

**length of stay**
Depending on what you are studying, you may start your course at a different time from other students. Most undergraduate accommodation contracts are for a period of 36 weeks. Forth Valley College (integrated degree) students study for 42 weeks, and Nursing and Paramedic Science students study for 46 weeks.

**accessible housing**
We can provide or adapt accommodation to suit you following a pre-entry visit. If you have any specific needs, please get in touch with us as soon as you can and we’ll take it from there: ask@stir.ac.uk

For more information, such as up-to-date costs, payment support and booking details: stir.ac.uk/accommodation

The university has over 2,800 bedrooms split between our campus, nearby Stirling and Bridge of Allan – all beautiful, safe places to live with excellent transport links.

your home from home

Scan the QR code to take a look at our virtual tour which provides 360° views of our accommodation.
If you’re applying for a full-time undergraduate course, use the UCAS online application system. UCAS starts receiving applications for autumn 2025 entry in September 2024.

You can apply for up to five different courses on your application – there’s no ranking of your choices, and universities don’t see your other choices. You can track your applications online and see any offers as soon as they’re made. UK applicants need to apply by January 2025. All universities will consider applications received on time or before this date on an equal basis. Apply as early as you can – don’t leave it until the last day!

UCAS application fee
You’ll need to pay an application fee to UCAS of £27.50 in total for up to five courses.

defered entry
You should make deferred applications through UCAS by the 2025 deadline for entry in September 2026.

January entry
Many courses offer the opportunity for you to start your course in January for Year 1 entry. Applications for January entry must be made directly to the University through Admissions and Access. February entry is not available to students from Scotland.

North America common application
As well as applying through UCAS, applicants from North America can apply through the Common Application. We accept both methods, and don’t have a preferred option. Speak to your School Counsellor to decide which method would be best for you.

international students
International applicants have until 30 June 2025 to apply. Our overseas agents can help with your application. Visit our country-specific information pages for all the details:
stir.ac.uk/countryinfo

part-time undergraduate
Applications for part-time courses should be made directly to us. Please contact Admissions to do this.

let’s apply
UCAS full-time undergraduate
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ucas.com

combined degrees

Here at Stirling, we believe in choice. That’s why we offer more than 170 single and combined courses, and you can specialise in multiple subject areas as part of your own unique Combined Honours degree.

If you know exactly which subjects you’d like to study, you can apply for one of our combined courses now. Or, thanks to our flexible course structure, you can try out different subjects and decide which ones you’d like to combine later.

After you’ve been accepted onto a course at Stirling, you’ll be asked to sign up for three modules to take in your first semester. One of these modules needs to be in the subject you’ve picked as your degree, but the other two could be from many of the other Single Honours courses we offer.

If you end up falling in love with your new subjects, you’ll be allowed to mix and match two of them after Semester 3 to create your Combined Honours degree.

take a look at some examples of degree combinations

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applying to Stirling
Complete your UCAS application by 29 January 2025 (let's make it official)

Attend our on-campus offer holder event – April 2025 (see you there)

Choose your course (see pages 44 to 57 for our course listings)

Make your funding arrangements (important bit)

Attend our open day in September or October 2024 (we can’t wait to show you around)

Check your inbox for our offer (fingers crossed!)

Complete your UCAS application by 29 January 2025 (let’s make it official)

Apply for your accommodation from April 2025 (exciting bit)

Study, study, study for your exams (best of luck!)

Congratulations! Welcome to Stirling!
Each student needs to meet course-specific entry requirements and to manage this, our centralised Admissions and Access Team analyses, reviews and processes all applications to the University. They’re also available throughout your application journey if you need to update your application, have any questions or are just looking for some advice.

The grades listed on pages 44 to 57 are those which we normally require for entry. We take into consideration all aspects of your application, including your personal statement and academic references. Meeting the published entry requirements does not guarantee you a place as competition can vary from year to year and across courses.

We accept a wide range of qualifications from around the globe and understand not all students will come to university through the same routes. The following pages provide you with more information about some of the more common routes.

coming from school

Scottish Highers and Advanced Highers

We generally make offers based on your Highers and occasionally Advanced Highers. Each of our course list pages displays the typical requirements including the number of Highers and grades needed, along with the details of any essential subjects. We accept Highers taken over two sittings, although you may be asked for a higher grade if you repeated or upgraded examinations. Successful applicants will typically require a grade of DDM in their final Diploma.

Irish Leaving Certificate (Higher Level)

We accept the Irish Leaving Certificate. For most courses, you will be required to have up to five subjects at Honour Levels at grades H2 or H3.

T-Levels

We are supportive of the new T-level qualifications; students will generally be asked to obtain a Merit. Please note if the course list pages state a specific subject is required at A-level/Higher please check with Admissions and Access to confirm your T-level meets this requirement in advance of submitting an application.

The Scottish Baccalaureate

We accept the Advanced Skills Challenge Certificate. If you are studying the Scottish Baccalaureate we will generally treat this the same as one A-level. For most of our courses you will be required to have the equivalent of three A-levels or two A-levels plus the Advanced Skills Challenge Certificate.

Combined Qualifications

We accept a wide range of qualifications from all over the world. If you are sitting a combination of different qualifications, you will be made an offer based on your individual circumstances (e.g. Highers and a Foundation Apprenticeship or A-level and BTEC combinations).

Variation to published grades

Grades listed on individual course list pages are for guidance only. Check online for the latest minimum grades needed before you apply, and if you are resitting or upgrading some subjects you may be asked for a higher grade. Passes in two subjects with a high amount of material in common may not be counted separately (e.g. Biology and Human Biology); if your subjects ‘overlap’ like this, ask our Admissions and Access Team for advice.

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The University of Stirling is fully committed to helping all students reach their full potential, and we believe everyone has the ability to succeed.
admissions and access

coming from college
College students come from a range of different backgrounds and courses, and use a variety of different routes to come to university. We provide tailored support for HNC and HND students, including advice on routes and practical advice and guidance through your transition into university.

Entry requirements for Year 1 can be found on the course webpages. For some degrees, you might be able to come into Year 2 or 3. This means if you’ve completed a HNC or HND at college, you could be eligible for advanced entry by simply changing the year of your entry on your application form. Not all of our courses have advanced entry, so always check with us before you apply.

Learn more on our website: stir.ac.uk/collegestudents

adult returns
We have an active mature student community, and welcome applications from mature students no matter their background. We can help you figure out the right course for you and what you need to do to get into university.

stir.ac.uk/maturestudents

access courses
Access courses are usually aimed at adults who have been out of formal education for at least three years and have few or no relevant qualifications to get into university. These courses give you the academic qualifications needed for university, help you with advice and guidance throughout the university application process, and teach you study skills, such as essay writing, that are easily forgotten when you’ve been out of education for a while.

University of Stirling access course
Our access course is a bespoke programme offering tailored support for mature students with low, no, or ‘spent’ qualifications who want to access a degree course. Our part-time, evening programme on campus offers three pathways: Access to Nursing Studies, Science Studies, and Degree Studies. Successful completion with the required grades, will guarantee you a place on a Stirling degree course.

stir.ac.uk/accesscourses

general advanced entry
Some of our courses offer Advanced Entry routes that enable students to gain exemption from Year 1 of study and go directly into Year 2 or sometimes 3. Advanced Entry is not available on all courses, and entry requirements may vary. For more information, please have a look at the relevant course list page or contact our Admissions and Access Team.

international
If English is not your first language, you must provide evidence of your English language skills. Specific English language requirements are listed on each individual course list page on our website and we accept a number of English language qualifications. Should you not qualify, we’ve teamed up with global education leader, INTO University Partnerships, to deliver dynamic programmes to support your transition into Stirling. INTO University of Stirling’s integrated academic programmes offer progression to a wide range of undergraduate and postgraduate degrees at the University of Stirling.

For more information about English language requirements, visit: stir.ac.uk/elr

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our widening access support

The University of Stirling is committed to helping students from all backgrounds reach their full potential and we believe that everyone has the ability to succeed.

The Widening Access Team works with a range of different students, including:

• Someone studying at a school with low progression into higher education (below the national average).
• Someone studying at a school involved in the Schools for Higher Education Programme (SHEP) across Scotland.
• Care experienced students.
• Carers.
• College students.
• Mature students.
• Students from priority postcodes (use our online checker: stir.ac.uk/wp).

To find out more, email: wp@stir.ac.uk or visit our website: stir.ac.uk/wp

adjusted offers
As part of our commitment to making university as accessible as possible, we might make you an adjusted offer of two grades (compared to our published entry requirements) if you meet certain criteria.

The University may consider the following applicants:

• Applicant’s home postcode is within the Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation lowest 20 percent.
• Applicant has experience of being in care.
• Applicant is a carer.
• Applicant is estranged from family and is living without family support.
• Applicant has participated in the University of Stirling Access to Degree Studios Programme.
• Arm forces personnel, veterans and armed forces families.

For SQA higher qualifications, the minimum entry requirement is adjusted by up to two grades.

SQA Higher Typical Entry Requirement:

AABB

SQA Higher Minimum Entry Requirement:

BBB
money

 Fees vary depending on your permanent place of residence, and so does the funding you may be eligible to receive.

 tuition fees for full-time BA/BSc/BAcc (hons) courses (excluding nursing)

 Students in Scotland

 You won’t have to pay tuition fees. The Scottish Government pays these on your behalf through the Student Awards Agency Scotland (SAAS). You must apply for this funding every year.

 Part-time students in Scotland

 You will be required to pay tuition fees; however, fee waivers and support from SAAS may be available depending on your circumstances. stir.ac.uk/ptfees

 UK students (excluding Scotland) and students from the Republic of Ireland

 Fees will be payable for your Nursing course and will vary depending on your permanent place of residence. Please check the course pages for fees.

 Tuition fees are available on the University website. Please visit the course pages for further information: stir.ac.uk/sugcurses

 International students (living outside the EU)

 Tuition fees for new students are available on the University website. Please visit the course pages for further information: stir.ac.uk/sugcurses

 Tuition fees for nursing students

 Scottish Nursing and Paramedic Science students

 SAAS pays tuition fees for all Scottish students on pre-registration courses. There’s also a generous £10,000 non-means-tested bursary – please refer to our website for details.

 International/EU/UK Nursing students (excluding Scotland)

 Fees will be payable for your Nursing course and will vary depending on your normal place of residency. Please check the course pages for fees.

 additional sources of funding

 Scottish/UK students

 As well as financial support towards your tuition fees, you can typically apply to your relevant funding body for help with living costs. This usually takes the form of student loans, grants or bursaries, and the amount awarded depends upon your personal circumstances and household income.

 EU/International students

 Typically, you won’t be able to claim support for living costs through SAAS or other UK public funds. Contact the relevant authority in your own country to find out more.

 Different trusts and bodies provide additional funding for students. These additional sources of funding include:

 Carnegie Trust: carnegie-trust.org

 Association of Charitable Foundations: acf.org.uk

 Stirlingshire Educational Trust (local students only): stirlingeducationaltrust.org.uk

 University Scholarship Finder

 This easy-to-use facility lets you search for available scholarships and bursaries: stir.ac.uk/scholarships

 student support services

 If you run into financial problems, we can help. We offer a range of services, including trained Student Money Advisors and access to discretionary and childcare funds: stir.ac.uk/moneysupport

 UK Funding Bodies

 Scotland: sas.gov.uk

 England: gov.uk/studentfinance

 Wales: studentfinancewales.co.uk

 Northern Ireland: studentfinanceni.co.uk

 Republic of Ireland: saas.gov.uk

 cost of living

 In addition to your tuition fees, you’ll also need to consider your living costs during your studies, but remember, the amount you actually spend will depend on your lifestyle.

 *Included are utilities, wi-fi, insurance, housekeeping assistance and 24/7 staff assistance. This might not be the same for private accommodation. NB: this table is for illustrative purposes only. Prices can fluctuate for many reasons.

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 costs for 2023/24

 honours year scholarship

 Students from England, Northern Ireland, Wales and the Republic of Ireland who successfully progress from their first to fourth year will be awarded an Honours Year Scholarship, covering the full-cost of the fees in their fourth and final year.

 Stirling welcome scholarship

 (UK students excluding Scotland)

 All 2025 applicants from England, Northern Ireland, Wales and the Republic of Ireland who meet the conditions of their offer will be entitled to receive the Nursing Scholarship, which is a £2,000 tuition fee discount in years 1-3. It can be combined with the Honours Year Scholarship.

 merit scholarship

 All 2025 applicants from England, Northern Ireland, Wales and the Republic of Ireland who achieved AAB in A-Levels (or equivalent) will receive a generous scholarship of £1,000 paid in years 1-3.

 sports bursaries

 (UK/EU/international students excluding Scotland)

 12 Sports Scholarships are on offer to students. These scholarships are available for athletes who participate in curling, football, golf, rugby, swimming, tennis and triathlon. Other sporting disciplines will be considered on a case-by-case basis. These scholarships each have a value of £2,000 per year of study and will be awarded for September 2025 entry. Scholarships are awarded based on a combination of academic merit and sporting achievement, and will be made subject to meeting the University’s academic admission standards.

 Sports Scholarships are payable in addition to Welcome and Honours Scholarships but may not normally be combined with any other University scholarship.