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OFFER HOLDER DAY BRAMPTON ROAD CAMPUS

WELCOME TO Your offer Holder day!

Whether it's your first trip to Cumbria or we've met you before, we're excited to welcome you to your Offer Holder Day! This is your chance to get a real feel for what studying your course will be like come September.

And don't worry, we're not assessing you in any way – it's all about helping you get ready for university!

REGISTRATION

Once you have arrived on site, our friendly team will guide you to the event registration area. Checking in is key to making sure you get your welcome pack and event programme.

Location: Main Reception





WHAT'S ON TODAY?

1. WELCOME

Welcome to your Offer Holder Day! Your choice of university is an important decision, and we're here to help you find all the information you need to make that decision a little bit easier. Use this programme to explore all the activities and sessions available throughout the day.

2. EXPLORE YOUR COURSE

Your interactive course session is a key part of your Offer Holder Day. Take this unique opportunity to get a taste of the lectures and activities that await you as a student. Your Offer Holder Day is a great way to confirm that your course is the right fit for you!

3. PARENTS' Q&A

Your parents, carers and guardians are invited to join our Principle lecturer,, current students and a representative from our Disability and SpLD department to ask any questions they have about your studies.

4. STUDENT LIFE

Chat to our current students about their university experiences and find out what they love about living in Carlisle!

Discover the clubs and societies on offer and learn what life is like at our Brampton Road campus.

5. COME & CHAT

Our friendly Support Services teams are on hand throughout the day on a one-to-one drop-in basis. Each has their own area where you can ask auestions: Admissions. Money Advice, and Disability and Specific Learning Difficulty support.

6. TAKE A TOUR

Our campus and accommodation tours are running throughout the day. Led by our Student Ambassadors, this is your chance to check out our modern facilities and learn more about the place our students call home.

EXPLORE YOUR COURSE

There are multiple ways to learn more about your course, including spending time in the facilities you will be learning in, attending an interactive course session, and getting one to one advice from our expert academic teams.

| Animation and Visual Effects | | | | | | |
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| 11:00 | Join your animation course leader and experience some of the content our dynamic new Animation and Visual Effects course will offer in September. | MB2052 | | | | |
| Film and Television | | | | | | |
| 11:00 | Join our Film and Television senior lecturer for an insight into what's involved when studying Film and Television. | Topping Theatre | | | | |
| Fine Art | | | | | | |
| 11:00 | Our Fine Art course leader will guide you in a practical session showcasing what our facilities have to offer. | Fine Art Studios | | | | |
| Games Design | | | | | | |
| 11:00 | Join the course leader and get a taste of what you'll be doing on the Games Design course. Discover the facilities and software available to you. MB2001 | | | | | |

| Photography | | | | | | | |
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| 11:00 | Enjoy a session with our course leader and technicians and get a closer look at the photographic facilities at your disposal. | Photography studios | | | | | |
| Graphic Design | | | | | | | |
| 11:00 | Enjoy a session that considers how to produce exciting designs across a range of traditional and digital media. | Graphic Design Studio | | | | | |
| Illustration | | | | | | | |
| 11:00 | Join our Illustration department for an interactive session, demonstrating what you can expect during your studies. | Graphic Design Studio | | | | | |
| User-Experience and User-Interface Design | | | | | | | |
| 11:00 | Meet your course leader and learn how you can hone your UX/UI Design skills and gain knowledge in the creative field. | MB2007 | | | | | |
| Wildlife Media | | | | | | | |
| 11:00 | Join wildlife media staff and find out how you can combine your passion for photography, filmmaking and the natural world on our Wildlife Media course. | Lecture Theatre 3 | | | | | |

PARENTS, CARERS AND GUARDIANS Q&A

With so many opportunities available, choosing the best path can be daunting for a young person. And, watching your loved one take their first steps towards the biggest decision in their life so far – where to go to university – is as scary as it is exciting. You may feel confused, out of the loop, and unsure of how to support them.

Join our Head of Learning and Student Experience, current students and a representative from our Disability and SpLD department to find out what student life is really like in Carlisle. This is an opportunity for you to ask questions about our campus, the local community, and all the support we offer our students.

Location: Stanwix Theatre Duration: 30 minutes

IT GAVE ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT THE CAMPUS WHILE Getting a more tailored visit to what my course is About and who the tutors are, alongside people I would Also be on the course with.

Jess Higgs, BA (Hons) Graphic Design

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COME AND CHAT

Come and see what support is available to you. You'll also have the chance to put your questions to our expert teams.

Admissions

Our dedicated Admissions team will be looking after you throughout the application process, right up to you registering on your programme. They can help you understand your current application status, how to accept your offer, and how to log in to your applicant portal.

Disability and SpLD

Find out how the University of Cumbria can support you with a range of additional needs, such as medical conditions, visual/ hearing/mobility impairments, Autism and mental health. Academics and course leaders There is also the opportunity for some one-to-one time with your future lecturers. Come along to ask any questions you have about your course.

Money Advice

Chat to our expert team and receive advice on applying for student finance and any additional funding you may be entitled to.

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TAKE A TOUR

CAMPUS TOURS

11am, 12pm, 1pm and 2pm

Get a feel for where you will be studying and find out what makes our campus so unique. Our Student Ambassadors will take you on a tour of the Brampton Road campus, showing you our teaching rooms, study spaces and specialist course facilities.

Join your tour point outside Main Reception

OFF-SITE ACCOMMODATION TOURS

A bus will take you from our campus to our off-site student accommodation, Denton Holme Student 1pm and Village. Travel to and from campus, and the tour, 2pm Main will take one hour total.

Join your tour point outside Reception

ON-SITE ACCOMMODATION TOURS

11am, 12pm, 1pm and 2pm

Join our accommodation officers for a guided tour of our on-site accommodation at Brampton Road. They'll be happy to answer any queries you have and give you an overview of how to apply for accommodation.

Join your tour point in Lecture Theatre 2



DID YOU KNOW?

Your decision deadline

If you receive your last university decision on or before 14 May 2025, your reply date is 04 June (except if you're using UCAS Extra).

If you receive your last decision on or before 17 July, your reply date is 23 July (including Extra choices).

Accommodation guarantee

If you make us your first choice, we'll guarantee you a place in our student accommodation!

We also offer some of the most affordable accommodation in the North West, meaning you'll benefit from a lower cost of living.

Cost of living support

We offer an enhanced package of support to all students to help you with rising living costs. This fantastic bundle is made up of IT essentials, free weekday breakfasts, well-being services, professional learning opportunities, and more.

A supportive community

Our support teams are here to support you with all aspects of student life, from well-being services and money management to volunteering opportunities, careers advice, and more.

Visit www.cumbria.ac.uk/student**support** for further information.

Dream careers

Our alumni are forging successful careers with leading companies like Liverpool FC, Marvel Studios, the NHS, Cumbria Constabulary, Isle Studios and Two Stories Studios. Choose Cumbria and you could also achieve great things.

Get a Head Start

We have a suite of online self study courses which have been designed to develop your confidence and ease you into your academic studies. Get tips on writing, researching, referencing and more.

Visit: www.my.cumbria.ac.uk/hs2u

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#LOVEYOURSTORY

TRAVEL Support Scheme

The University of Cumbria is committed to supporting those holding an offer with us to be able to attend an Offer Holder Day — we know experiencing your chosen course and campus in person plays a huge part in your decision making.

We can provide a contribution of up to £50 towards your travel costs dependent on the total mileage travelled to and from your event within the following bands:

30 - 50 miles: £20 51 - 100 miles: £30 101 - 150 miles: £40 151+ miles (& Northern Ireland): £50

This scheme is only applicable to the offer holder. All claims must be made at the time of attending your chosen event and payment will be made directly into your bank account within three weeks of your visit date.

Full terms and conditions apply. Please visit **www.cumbria.ac.uk/events/offer-holder-days/** for further information.

STUDENT LIFE

SPORT AND ACTIVITIES

We want to ensure your wellbeing and mental health are being cared for, which is why we encourage all our students to have a healthy balance of work and play. Physical activity can help boost self-esteem, mood, sleep quality, and energy, so let's take a look at what you can do to keep fit and active during your time at university.

UoC Active offers a variety of facilities and services at our Ambleside, Carlisle, and Lancaster campus locations, with our sport and fitness centres catering for a wide range of activities through UoC Active Play. Our facilities also have air-conditioned fitness suites, with year-round class timetables offering Pilates, bootcamps, yoga, and strength and cardio sessions. Our Lancaster campus also has grass football and floodlit artificial turf pitches.

As well as affordable campus memberships, we offer great deals on premium membership packages, which include access to our partner facilities at Better Leisure and Salt Ayre Leisure Centre. UoC Active is also part of the BUCS UNIversal Scheme, which allows access to fitness facilities at universities all around the country.





GROUPS & SOCIETIES

Through our Students' Union, we have a range of groups available to our students, including Women's Hockey, Mountaineering, Paddling, Christian Union, South Asian Society, Men's Hockey, and more.

At each of our campus locations, we can also help you find groups and societies which are available to the wider community outside of the university. SU Sports teams also have the opportunity to take part in BUCS leagues.

YOUR HOME At cumbria

Imagine waking up to the smell of coffee brewing and the sound of flatmates chatting. Leave the comfort of your warm, cosy bed and open your curtains to a view of a green campus and old heritage stone walls.

For first year students, accommodation is at the heart of the university experience, where lasting friendships are made, memorable experiences are created, and important life skills are formed.

Whichever location you decide, this is your home and your story.





BRAMPTON ROAD HALLS

LOCATION: Brampton Road, Carlisle **AVAILABILITY:** 113 bedrooms **ROOM TYPE:** 37 en-suite bedrooms and 76 standard single bedrooms **STUDENTS PER FLAT:** 5-7 students **PRICE:** Standard single £91.00 PW, en-suite £129.00 PW



DENTON HOLME

LOCATION: Norfolk Street, Carlisle **AVAILABILITY:** 249 rooms within 25 townhouses **ROOM TYPE:** Fully furnished en-suite and standard rooms with 3/4 beds **PRICE:** £125.75 PW

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Accept Your Offer Here



How to accept a university offer

If you've received all your offers and you've decided you'd like to join us at Cumbria this September, you can make us your firm choice by logging into the UCAS Hub.

If you are replying to an unconditional offer, then accepting the offer will confirm your place on the course! If you are replying to a conditional offer, then you will also need to select an insurance choice. Once you get your results in August, your place at Cumbria will be confirmed.

Read the conditions of your offer carefully

Before you reply to a conditional offer, make sure you have a clear understanding of what the university requires from you. If you're uncertain about anything, get in touch with the university and ask them to clarify the conditions.

Talk through your decision

If you're trying to decide which offers to accept, speak to your family, friends and teachers about what you're thinking as they might provide perspectives you haven't considered before. At Cumbria, we're happy to answer any questions you have about your offer. You can also speak to current students to find out more about what it's like to be part of our community.



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PLAN YOUR DAY

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WHAT'S ON TODAY?

- **10:00** Registration opens in Main Reception.
- **10:30** Welcome Talk in the Stanwix Theatre.
- 11:00 Course sessions for Applicants.
 Additional guests can join in the Parent and Guardian
 Q&A or take a wildlife walk with the Wildlife Society or
 a birdhouse workshop or take a campus tour.
- 12:00 Optional workshops with our technicians on Textiles, Animation and Printmaking. Student Support Services Drop-in opens in the Vallum Gallery. Tours of the campus and onsite accommodation run at 12pm, 1pm and 2pm. Wildlife Walks with the Wildlife Society run at 12pm, and 1pm.
- 13:00 The Academic Drop-in opens in the Vallum Gallery. The first off-site accommodation tours leaves at 1pm and again at 2pm.



SCAN THE QR CODE To chat to a current student

