

**FINALIST**

FOR UNIVERSITY  
OF THE YEAR

**1<sup>ST</sup>**

FOR QUALITY  
EDUCATION



**OUTSTANDING  
CONTRIBUTION  
TO THE LOCAL  
COMMUNITY**



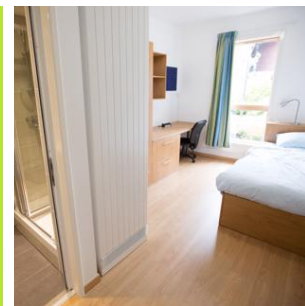
**TOP 10**  
OF  
UNIVERSITIES  
WHICH BEST  
REFLECT SOCIETY



**TOP 10**  
FOR  
SUSTAINED  
EMPLOYMENT



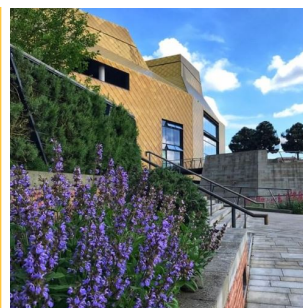
**24 HR**  
STUDY CENTRE



**TOP 10**  
FOR GENDER  
EQUALITY



**FINALIST**  
SUSTAINABILITY  
INSTITUTION OF  
THE YEAR



**ACADEMIC  
SCHOLARSHIPS**

**TOP 20**  
FOR STUDENT  
SATISFACTION



**OUTSTANDING  
SUPPORT FOR  
STUDENTS**





**University  
of Worcester**



# UNIVERSITY OF WORCESTER

An  
insiders  
guide on  
what to  
expect  
and life on  
campus

STUDENT LIFE





# STUDENT LIFE

- First steps
- University campus
- Transition to university
- Help available
- Finance at university
- Students union
- Sports & societies
- Opportunities



**“Isn’t it scary moving in on the first day?”**

**“How many people are in the lectures?”**

**“Which university should I go to?”**

**“Can I carry on playing sports?”**

**“What if I don’t make any friends?”**

**“I’ll have no money!”**





# WHY HIGHER EDUCATION?

- Career requirement
- Job prospects & earning potential
- Over 50,000 courses in the UK
- Vocational Study
- Sandwich/placement year
- Specialist facilities
- Single/joint honours/major-minor



# FIRST STEPS

## **Weeks 1-5**

- Welcome Weekend
- Welcome Week (Fresher's week)
- Lectures
- Finding your feet

## **Weeks 6-12**

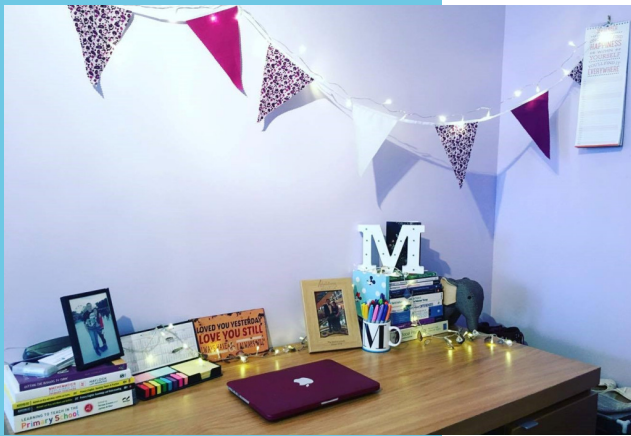
- First assignments
- Settling in
- Social groups
- Christmas!



# UNIVERISTY CAMPUSES







# LIVING IN ACCOMMODATION



- Increased levels of independence
- 'Learn to adult'
- Wide range of standards
- Accessible facilities
- Close proximity to where you will be studying





# EXPLORE YOUR SURROUNDINGS





# TRANSITION TO UNIVERSITY

- Taught by professors and practitioners
- Independent study and deadlines
- Growth in independence



# STUDYING ON CAMPUS



- Lecture or seminar
- Online materials (VLE)
- 24/7 study space to suit all students
- Individual & group work
- Personal academic tutor support

# HELP IS AT HAND

- Counselling & Mental Health Team
- Careers & Employability Advisors
- Accommodation Queries & Guidance
- Disability and Dyslexia Support
- Essay Tutorials & Assignments Support





# MONEY MATTERS



- Student finance packages
- Access to learning fund
- Earn as you learn
- Social media support groups
- Student discounts



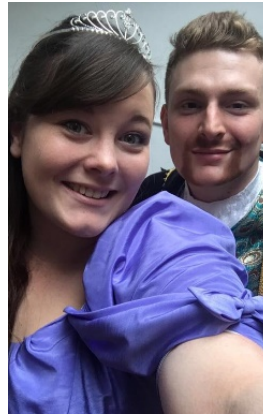
# STUDENTS' UNION

- Social space
- Shop
- Student activities
- Charity and fundraising
- Your voice
- Sports and societies





# SPORTS AND SOCIETIES



39 Sports and 42 Societies

To find out more head to [www.worcsu.com](http://www.worcsu.com)

# OPPORTUNITIES



- Study abroad
- Training & qualifications
- Work placements
- Volunteering
- 'Worcester Award'





Worthwhile

Opportunities

Responsibility

Community

Enjoyable

Societies

Transformative

Education

Ready

WHY UNIVERSITY?





# OPEN DAY

## SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

### 10AM-3PM



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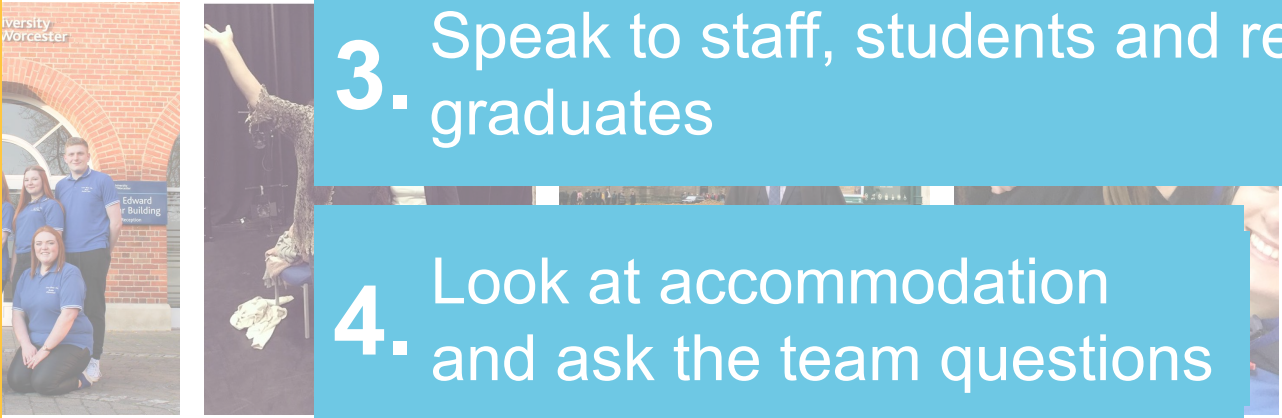
# OPEN DAY TOP TIPS



1. Plan ahead and prepare questions



2. Explore the campus and go on a tour



3. Speak to staff, students and recent graduates



4. Look at accommodation and ask the team questions



5. Explore the surrounding area





ANY UNANSWERED  
QUESTIONS?

**THANK  
YOU!**