OPEN DAY GUIDE



Clifton Campus



Saturday 27 April



9 am – 3 pm





Hello and welcome to NTU

A very warm welcome to our open day. I hope the range of tours, talks, and taster sessions on offer today will give you a real sense of what life and learning at Nottingham Trent University is all about.

We are proud to offer a student experience like no other. That experience includes TEF Gold-rated teaching, awardwinning support and employability services, and a wide range of hands-on work experience opportunities across every undergraduate course. We partner with more than 2,000 organisations, including the NHS, PWC, and Santander, to enhance your learning and ensure you graduate ready for the world of work.

NTU is an inclusive, welcoming university, with a vibrant and diverse community of staff and students. You can hear more about what student life at NTU is about in our welcome talks at **9.15 am** and **10.15 am**.

I also encourage you to explore the city of Nottingham today. There are more than 60,000 students living here, accounting



Enjoy the day, and I hope to see you again soon.

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Professor Edward Peck Vice-Chancellor and President

* StudentCrowd, 2023 ** National Student Money Survey, 2023

Join a welcome talk

Kick-start your day with our welcome talk to discover why NTU is such an incredible place to study.

- 9.15 10 am John Clare: Lecture Theatre 6 (map ref. JC)
- Repeated 10.15 11 am Teaching and Learning building: Lecture Theatre 2 (map ref. 112).





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We are a university that is committed to driving forward meaningful change, and that is why we're an award-winning university like no other. We've been named 'University of the Year' five times out of the last six years, and most recently named Modern University of the Year by The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2023.



We've been named University of the Year at the Whatuni Student Choice Awards 2023 - voted for exclusively by students. This highlights our commitment to excellence and innovative approaches to education. We empower our students to achieve their aspirations and unlock their full potential. Blending academic excellence with a vibrant campus life and countless opportunities for personal growth and unforgettable memories, we offer a student experience like no other.



Our personal advice and strong focus on employability starts from day one and we'll get you ready to develop your career. We'll even support you after your studies for up to three years and offer you a paid internship opportunity if you're not in employment or further study 12 months after graduating. This is a Graduate Promise like no other!

What's on?

Talks and tasters

Find out everything you need to know about your course area or life at NTU. If you've got a query, or you're just hunting for a bit more firsthand info, these sessions are an essential part of your open day experience.

Head to page 20 to see our list of life at NTU drop-ins, and head to page 24 to find our subject talk and taster timetable.

Support at NTU

Talk to our support teams in Pavilion building: Foyer (map ref. **P**) to find out about the support available to you. Here you'll find:

- Student Financial Support
- Student Support Services
- UCAS Information Your Application

Tours

From campus tours to accommodation dropins, we offer a range of opportunities to find out more about the unique facilities at NTU. Head to page 21 for more information and timings.

Student Life at NTU

You'll find the following teams in the Pavilion building: Foyer (map ref. **P**) who are on hand to answer any questions and to give you more information about what's on offer at NTU.

- NTU Arts
- Employability
- NTU Faith and Chaplaincy
- NTU Sport



Plan your day

A full timetable is available on pages 20 – 27 with all of the talks, tours and sessions available to you.

You can also find our helpful map on pages 18 – 19, to get your bearings and help you navigate around the campus.



Help and information

If you need to contact us before the event, please email enquiries@ntu.ac.uk or call us on +44 (0)115 848 2999. If you need any help during the day, ask a member of staff or a Student Ambassador in a pinkT-shirt. There is an information point on campus – look for the 1 icon on the campus map on pages 18 – 19.

FOOD AND DRINK

COMPLIMENTARY HOT DRINKS, PASTRIES AND CAKE

We have a range of catering outlets across all our campuses serving a variety of food options, many of which are open for visitors to use.

Start your visit with a free hot drink, pastry (until 11.30 am) and cake (after 11.30 am) in the Pavilion building (map ref. P).

Hot and cold drinks, selected hot dishes, freshly baked pastries, sandwiches, confectionary and snacks will also be available to purchase on campus from:

- Refectory P 9 am 2 pm
- Barista P 8.30 am 3 pm
- The Point su 9 am 3 pm
- Spar <u>su</u> 9 am 3 pm

Most catering outlets offer vegetarian, vegan and gluten free options.

5 STEPS TO MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR DAY

CHECK-IN

When you arrive, head to the Pavilion building (map ref. P) – here, you can check-in, chat to our friendly staff, grab a handy tote bag and find refreshments and toilets. Use our campus map on pages 18 – 19 to help you navigate around the event, or ask a member of staff or a Student Ambassador in a pinkT-shirt for directions.

JOIN A WELCOME TALK

A member of our University Executive Team will welcome you to NTU, outline what the University has to offer, and explore why we're one of the most popular universities in the UK.

GET TO KNOW Your Course

Attend a subject talk, get hands-on experience in a taster session, and visit your subject hub to chat with academics and current students.

Timings for talks, tours and subject hub availability can be found on pages 20 – 27.



EXPLORE NTU AND NOTTINGHAM

Take a student-led campus tour of our unique campus and facilities. Tours take around 35 minutes and give you the chance to ask our current students about their experience of life at NTU. The last tour of Clifton Campus leaves at **2.30 pm**.

You can also take a student-led tour of the city centre to discover why Nottingham is a great student city. Tours take 45 minutes – 1 hour.

Tours start from **9 am**. The last tour of the City Centre leaves at **2 pm**.

Head to page 29 to find out how to travel to the City campus.

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FIND YOUR NEW HOME

Make your way to our accommodation to see where you might be living at NTU. Selected accommodation will be open from 9 am - 3 pm, use the map on pages 18 - 19 to find our on-campus residences (map ref. $\widehat{11}$ to $\widehat{12}$).

You can also drop by our accommodation stand in the Pavilion building: Foyer (map ref. P) to talk to the team about what's on offer. Here to help

SUPPORT LIKE NO OTHER

To explore your individual support needs, talk to our dedicated Student Support Services team, who help all of our students to make the most out of their time with NTU. You can visit the Student Support Services stand in the Pavilion building: Foyer (map ref. P) from **9 am – 3 pm**.

For more information on your financial entitlements and the support available at NTU, attend the Student Finance and funding your NTU experience talk at **12 – 12.45 pm** John Clare: Lecture Theatre 6 (map ref. JC).

Apply for student finance

Head to gov.uk/apply-for-student-finance for next steps.

Careers and employability: helping you reach your career goals

NTU is one of the UK's most employment-focused universities, offering extensive careers and employment support to our students and graduates. We are ranked in the top 10 for work experience (RateMyPlacement Awards 2023).

Head to the Employability stand in Pavilion building: Foyer (map ref. P) from 9 am – 3 pm to talk to our Employability team about how they can help you.



OUR GRADUATE Promise

NTU is committed to ensuring all our students realise their ambitions. In addition to our sector-leading support and assessed work-like experience across every course, we offer all our graduates a paid internship if they are not in employment 12 months after graduation.



NTU SPORTTOP 10 (BUCS LEAGUE 2023)

Whether you're a keen athlete, want to keep fit whilst you study or just looking to try a new sport for fun, NTU Sport offers something for everyone. We're in the top 10 in the British Universities and Colleges Sport Leagues (2023) and have outstanding sports facilities at our City and Clifton campuses. You can view our sports facilities on a campus tour or drop-in at the Clifton Sports Hub (map ref. St) from **9 am – 2.30 pm**.

NTU sport staff and students are available in Pavilion building: Foyer (map ref. P) from 9 am – 3 pm.

Get involved

NTU is a place for open minds and new adventures – whatever you're



interested in, we've got you covered. Scan the QR code to find out more or visit ntu.ac.uk/studentlife

NTSU CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

Run by students for students, Nottingham Trent Students' Union (NTSU) is an essential part of any student's time with NTU. You can take a full tour of the NTSU facilities via our campus tours – departing from the Pavilion building: Refectory (map ref. P) from **9 am – 2.30 pm**. Or drop-in to the NTSU building (map ref. \underline{su}) from **9 am – 3 pm** and speak to students who are part of NTSU Clubs and Societies about their experiences of NTSU and NTU.



Welcome to Nottingham

Whilst you are here, you might want to factor in some time to view Nottingham and discover what makes our city the perfect place for students to live and study.

A PLACE TO CALL HOME

Nottingham has a distinctive reputation as one of the UK's top student destinations. Friendly, compact, and fantastically well-positioned, it's a city that's got it all – amazing experiences, life-changing opportunities, and a spirit all of it's own. Here are just three reasons why Nottingham is an amazing student city:

- One of the UK's top six student cities, ranking ahead of Sheffield, Liverpool, and Leeds (QS Student Cities Index 2024).
- 14 consecutive Purple Flag awards (2010-present), for the diversity, entertainment, and security of its nightlife.
- A city that cares about sustainability and is on track to reach Net Zero as early as 2028.

EXPLORE The City

Nottingham city centre is only four miles from Clifton Campus and a five-minute walk from our City Campus. Why not take a student led tour of the city? Running from **9 am – 2 pm –** departing from Goldsmith Street, outside of the Newton building.

To get to Nottingham city centre from Clifton Campus, follow the instructions for travelling to our City Campus on page 29.





Why NTU students love Nottingham



Bustling with students – Nottingham is home to two major universities, attracting over 60,000 students to the city.



A cultural hotspot

Nottingham is a city built on culture. Here, art galleries break all the rules, cinemas are independent, and music is loud. From Anish Kapoor's stunning Sky Mirror to funky murals and the bold architecture that frames the Lace Market, there is something to inspire everyone.

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A major sporting city

You'll always be close to the action in Nottingham with two major football clubs, Trent Bridge, the National Ice Centre and the National Water Sports Centre.



Discover chic cocktail bars and cosy pubs, as well as indie hotspots and a variety of nightclubs.

Music is our passion

With a 10,000-capacity arena, the famous Rock City, and a host of intimate venues, Nottingham is the beating heart of live music. Students that stay over the summer can also attend the Download Festival at nearby Donington Park.



The great outdoors

With more than 20% of the city devoted to public parks and gardens, a relaxing stroll or bike ride is never too far away. Our Brackenhurst Campus is also based in scenic Southwell, and home to some of Nottinghamshire's best pubs, shops and restaurants.



Shop till you drop

Nottingham is consistently ranked as one of the top shopping destinations in the UK.There's the stylish stores of Victoria Centre shopping centre, high street favourites around Old Market Square and vintage gems in Hockley.



Well connected

The city centre boasts a convenient tram system and an award-winning bus network. You'll also find train and coach stations, making travelling further afield easy.

View Accommodation

Living in accommodation is a great way to make new friends, immerse yourself in our student community, and settle in to life at NTU.

ACCOMMODATION GUARANTEE

At NTU your first year of accommodation in Nottingham is guaranteed if you firmly accept a place at the University and request your room by **Saturday 31 August 2024**.*

ntu.ac.uk/accommodation

Drop-in

Make your own way to our halls of residence between **9 am – 3 pm** to take a closer look at our range of accommodation. All NTU accommodation (map ref. 1 and 2) includes communal cleaning and is staffed 24/7.

Accommodation stand

Looking to explore the full range of accommodation options at NTU? Head to our Accommodation stand from **9 am – 3 pm** to talk to our Accommodation staff in the Pavilion building: Foyer (map ref. **P**).

Booking your accommodation

Our accommodation booking system is open. To book NTU accommodation you will need to make us your firm (first) choice on UCAS Hub or accept your offer on our applicant portal if you applied directly.

If you've already accepted your offer and you're ready to book today, you can do so via **myroom.ntu.ac.uk**. If you need assistance securing your room, head to our Accommodation stand.**

*Terms and conditions apply.

** To book accommodation you must have accepted NTU as your firm choice, at least two working days before the event.



accommodation

360-degree views of our Clifton Campus



Here's a selection of the accommodation you could call home:



Location: Clifton, on campus Rooms: 727 Flat size: 1-10 people, or studio En suite: Yes Accessible accommodation: Yes

ntu.ac.uk/newhall



Location: Clifton, on campus
Rooms: 722
Flat size: 6 people
En suite:Yes
Accessible accommodation: Yes

ntu.ac.uk/peverell



Location: City, on campus
Rooms : 599
Flat size: 4–10 people
En suite: No
Accessible accommodation: Yes

ntu.ac.uk/byron

CLIFTON CAMPUS

MAP

Use this map to make your way around our Clifton Campus and to find the location of your subject talk and hub. You can also see accommodation open for viewing.







KEY



Clifton Campus timetable

Use this grid to plan which general and subject-specific activity you'd like to attend throughout the day. Please note that some talks are only given once, so make sure you don't miss them. Access to all talks is on a first-come, first-served basis up to maximum room capacity. In the event of rooms becoming filled to overcapacity, we will give priority to students.

LIFE AT NTU	
INFORMATION HUBS	🕒 Drop-in 9 am – 3 pm
Accommodation	Pavilion foyer
Information Point	Pavilion foyer
Library	Clifton Library
UCAS Information – Your Application	Pavilion foyer
University Language Programme (ULP)	Pavilion foyer
LIFE OUTSIDE LECTURES	🕒 Drop-in 9 am – 3 pm
Nottingham Trent Students' Union (NTSU)	NTSU building
Student Life and Clubs & Societies	NTSU building
NTU Arts	Pavilion foyer
NTU Faith and Chaplaincy	Pavilion foyer
NTU Sport	Pavilion foyer
Multi-faith prayer rooms	Wellbeing Centre
STUDENT SUPPORT	🕒 Drop-in 9 am – 3 pm
Student Financial Support	Pavilion foyer
Student Support Services	Pavilion foyer
YOUR POTENTIAL, YOUR FUTURE	🕒 Drop-in 9 am – 3 pm
Employability	Pavilion foyer
NTU Global including Study Abroad	Clifton Global Lounge, Mary Ann Evans building, Room 019

Room colour coding relates to the Clifton Campus map on page 18 – 19.

SUBJECT INFORMATION HUBS

Drop-in 9 am – 3 pm

School of Arts and Humanities information hubs	Pavilion foyer
School of Science and Technology information hubs	Pavilion foyer
School of Social Sciences information hubs	Pavilion foyer

CAMPUS TOURS

Drop-in 9 am – 2.30 pm

Campus tours – take a tour of Clifton Campus	Pavilion Refectory
Introduction to NTU's Global Lounges	Clifton Global Lounge, Mary Ann Evans building, Room 019
Library tours	Clifton Library
NTU Sport facilities	Clifton Sports Hub

SUBJECT	
TOURS	🕒 Drop-in 10 am – 3 pm
Computer Science facility tour	Drop-in to ISTeC building
Engineering facility tour	Drop-in to Engineering building: Room 101
Mathematics facility tour	Drop-in to Teaching and Learning building: Room P05
Sport Science facility tour	Collect a ticket from Sports Science subject stand: Pavilion foyer
Nursing and Paramedicine facility tour	Health and Allied Professions Centre: foyer
Primary Education facility tour	Collect a ticket from Education subject stand: Pavilion foyer

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GENERAL TALKS	9.15 9.30 9.45	10.15 10.30 10.45	11.15 11.30
Welcome to NTU	John Clare: Lecture Theatre 6	Teaching & Learning building: Lecture Theatre 2	
Student Finance and funding your NTU Experience			
Wellbeing and Disability Services information session			Teaching & Learning building: Room P04



12	pm 1	pm	2 pm	3 pm
11.30 11.45	12.15 12.30 12.45	1.15 1.30	1.45 2.15	2.30 2.45
	John Clare: Lecture Theatre 6			



10	am			11	am			12	pm
SUBJECT ACTIVITY	10	.15 10	.30 10	.45	11.	.15 11.	.30 11.	45	
Biosciences course talk with taster and tour				Tea	ching & Lea Lecture	arning build Theatre 3	ling:		
Chemistry course talk including Forensic Chemistry, followed by taster and tour						Teaching Lecture T	& Learning heatre 2	building:	
Childhood courses talk and taster									
Communication Joint Honours course talk and taster									
Computer Science course talk and taster									
Creative Writing course talk and taster									
Early Childhood Studies course talk and taster									
Education Studies course talk and taster					& Learning Room P08				
Education Studies and Psychology course talk and taster								& Learning Room P08	
Engineering course talk	building	& Learning : Lecture atre 4				building	& Learning : Lecture atre 4		
English and English Joint Honours course talk and taster							CELS: Le Theatre 1		
Film &TV Joint Honours course talk and taster		Mary A	nn Evans b Room 009	uilding:					
Forensic Science course talk and taster, followed by tour				Jol	hn Clare: Le	ctureTheat	re 5		
History, History with Politics and History with International Relations & History Joint Honours course talk and taster			Pavilion: I	Room 121					
Linguistics Joint Honours course talk and taster							Ada Byrc Room 01		
Mathematics course talk and sample lecture									



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SUBJECT ACTIVITY	10.15 10	.30 10.45 11	1.15 11.30 11.45
Media Joint Honours course talk			
Nursing course talk and taster		Health and Allied Professions Centre: Room 204 (A and B)	
Paramedic Science course talk and taster			Health and Allied Professions Centre: Room 204 (A and B)
Philosophy Joint Honours course talk and taster			Mary Ann Evans building: Room 009
Physics course talk followed by taster and tour		CELS: Lecture Theatre 1	
Primary Education course talk	Teaching & Learning building: Lecture Theatre 3		
Primary Education mini teach session one		Ada Byron King: Room 204	Ada Byron King: Room 204
Primary Education mini teach session two		Ada Byron King: Room 208	Ada Byron King: Room 208
Secondary Education course talk and taster			
Special Educational Needs, Disability and Inclusion course talk and taster			
Sport Science course talk and sample lecture		John Clare: Le	ecture Theatre 6



Take a closer look



Missed something? Head to **explore.ntu.ac.uk** to find out more about our courses and take a virtual tour of our campuses and accommodation from the comfort of your home.







TRAVELLING Between campuses

Clifton to City:

Board the NCT number 1 bus from the NTU Clifton (CL93) stop and get off at Nottingham Beastmarket Hill (B2) in Old Market Square. The bus stop is a short walk from City Campus. Show your open day guide or event booking confirmation email to access this free bus service. All visitors attending the open day can travel for free.

WHAT'S NEXT? ACCEPTING YOUR OFFER

If you hold an offer from NTU, discover your next steps, from securing your student finance to how to book your accommodation at **ntu.ac.uk/youroffer**

When you're ready, log in to UCAS Hub to accept your offer and get your NTU adventure underway. Visit **ucas.com**

APPLYING TO NTU



We accept applications for most of our undergraduate courses until **Sunday 30 June 2024**.

Find out how to apply:

ntu.ac.uk/applying

ucas.com/apply

If you have not been able to talk to our friendly Admissions team today, you can always ask them any questions by contacting:

Intu.ac.uk/askntu
↓ +44 (0)115 848 4200

Advice for parents and carers Visit **ntu.ac.uk/parents** to join our parent and carer mailing list and find out everything you need to know about the university application process.

You can also join our Facebook community at facebook.com/groups/NTUparent to help you support your young person on their journey to NTU.

USEFUL **INFORMATION**



Connecting to the NTU Wi-Fi

- Choose NTU Guest as your Wi-Fi provider.
- Open up a web browser such as Internet Explorer, Safari or Chrome,
- This will prompt you to enter an email address. Once you've done so, you'll be given access to the NTU Wi-Fi network.

Connect with us on social using #NTUOpenDay



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Get in touch

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HOW WAS YOUR DAY?

We'd love to know what you thought of your NTU experience. Complete our survey for the chance to win a £50 Amazon voucher. Visit **ntu.ac.uk/survey**



CONTACT US

Our inspiring staff and current students are available to chat online and answer your questions. Get in touch via **ntu.ac.uk/chat**

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