

Learning Partnerships

What it means to be a student on the International Foundation Year (IFY)

Licensed Programme of the University of Bath at Bath College

Licensed programmes are designed, approved and owned by the University of Bath and delivered by another institution (or institutions). The University of Bath International Foundation Year is a Level 3 programme which is licensed to Bath College and which, on achievement of the specified grades, leads to progression to a University of Bath degree programme.

As a student on a licensed programme you will be **registered at Bath College**, where you will be studying, and will be bound by their **Terms & Conditions**. These can be found via the following link:

[Bath College International and Higher Education Student Terms and Conditions](#)

- As you will be studying for a University of Bath Licensed Programme you will also be subject to the following **Codes of Practice and Regulations of the University**:
 - **All University Quality Assurance Codes of Practice** – these can be found on the University website via the following link :
[University of Bath Quality Assurance Code of Practice Statements](#)
 - The following **University of Bath Regulations for Students** will also apply to you and are available on the University website via the following links:
Regulation 15: [Assessment of Undergraduate and Taught Postgraduate Programmes](#)
(Please note that the IFY is exempt from NFAAR regulations.
For IFY assessment regulations please refer to [IFY Assessment Regulations](#)).
 - Regulation 17:** [Conduct of Student Academic Appeals and Reviews](#)
 - Appendix 1:** [Student Complaints Procedure](#) at Stage 3 (Review by the University Secretary). Complaints are made in the first instance to the College and once their procedure has been exhausted you can enter the University process at Stage 3.
- Your **teaching** will take place at **Bath College**.
- Applications for the International Foundation Year are made directly to Bath College. Your fees are payable to the College and further information is available from them.
- All the facilities and resources you need to complete your course will be available to you at the College.
 - **You can access the University Library during visitor hours** – further information can be found here: [University of Bath Library Support for Licensed Courses](#)
 - You may choose to join **Bath College Students' Union** but you will not be eligible to join the University of Bath Students' Union.
- The University of Bath undertakes to make every reasonable effort to ensure the University handbook is accurate for your programme of study. The College will make every reasonable effort to ensure the College programme handbook is accurate and reflects the delivery of your programme. In the case of any minor changes to a course or programme these will be brought to your attention at the start of the programme. There may be rare occasions where due to unforeseen or unavoidable circumstances (e.g. a key member of staff leaves the College or low recruitment to a programme means it is no longer viable) it becomes necessary to make significant changes to a programme or to withdraw it completely between the offer of admission and registration. This may include the availability of optional units on the programme. In this unlikely event the College will notify you as soon as possible.