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University Pathway Programmes 2024 Cambridge



Cambridge University
 is **813** years old

Cambridge University is home to over
23,000 students from more than
140 countries, who are part of
31 colleges and
100 academic departments



Over **8 million** visitors
 to the city annually

Cambridge is home to over
49,000 students



Nearly **20%**
 of the population
 are **students**



We guarantee progression for all
 successful Bell students to
 universities across the UK*

Where will you progress?

Our partner universities:

- ▶ Anglia Ruskin University
- ▶ University of Bedfordshire
- ▶ University College Birmingham
- ▶ Bournemouth University
- ▶ Coventry University (London)
- ▶ University of Greenwich
- ▶ University of Hertfordshire
- ▶ University of Kent
- ▶ Lancaster University
- ▶ University of Leeds
- ▶ University of Leicester
- ▶ Liverpool Hope University
- ▶ Middlesex University
- ▶ University of Northampton
- ▶ Northumbria University, Newcastle
- ▶ Oxford Brookes University
- ▶ University of Reading
- ▶ University of Roehampton
- ▶ Southampton Solent University
- ▶ University of Sunderland
- ▶ University of Westminster, London
- ▶ University of Winchester
- ▶ City University London
- ▶ Coventry University
- ▶ University of Essex
- ▶ Queen Mary University of London
- ▶ Royal Holloway University of London
- ▶ University of East Anglia UEA
- ▶ University of Sussex
- ▶ University of York



* Successful completion of the Foundation involves a minimum pass grade of 40%, a score of 5.5 or above in each component of the IELTS test and an attendance record of at least 90%.



Distance to	Bell Cambridge
Heathrow	134km
Stansted	42km
Gatwick	146km
Luton	61km
Ebbsfleet	103km

This map is not to scale and for reference only



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What degree course can I progress to?

By studying a University Foundation Programme with Bell, you are providing yourself with an excellent opportunity to study a sought-after degree programme at a respected university in the UK and worldwide. There are a whole range of university programmes that a Foundation Programme with us can lead to. The world is your oyster.

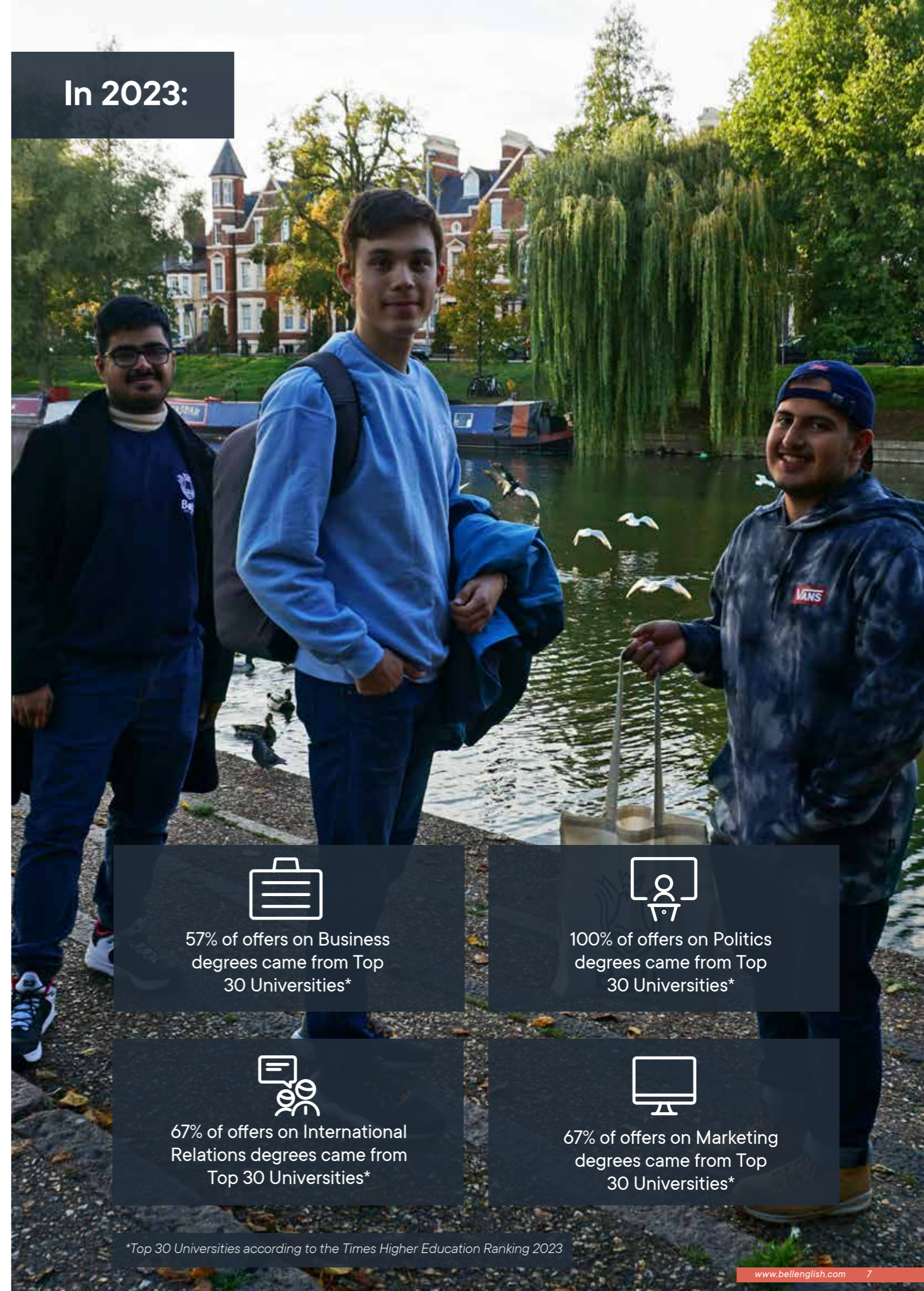
Offers made to our Class of 2022-23

- ▶ European School of Economics - Business Administration : Management
- ▶ Oxford Brookes University - Business and Management
- ▶ University of Sussex - Business and Management Studies
- ▶ University of Exeter - Business and Management with Industrial Experience
- ▶ Coventry University - Business and Marketing
- ▶ Manchester Metropolitan University - Business and Marketing
- ▶ City, University of London - Business Management
- ▶ University of East Anglia UEA - Business Management
- ▶ University of Essex - Business Management
- ▶ Bristol, University of the West of England - Business Management and Marketing
- ▶ University of Bedfordshire - Business Management with Digital Marketing
- ▶ University of Brighton - Business Management with Marketing
- ▶ Anglia Ruskin University - Business with Marketing
- ▶ Anglia Ruskin University - Business with Marketing
- ▶ Royal Holloway, University of London - Economics, Politics and International Relations
- ▶ University of Exeter - Engineering and Entrepreneurship
- ▶ Loughborough University - Engineering Management
- ▶ University of Greenwich - Engineering Management
- ▶ University of Greenwich - Engineering Management
- ▶ City, University of London - Engineering with Business
- ▶ City, University of London - Engineering with Business (with placement)
- ▶ University of East London - General Engineering
- ▶ University of Greenwich - International Business
- ▶ University of Westminster, London - International Business
- ▶ City, University of London - International Business (with term abroad and placement year)
- ▶ Anglia Ruskin University - International Business Management
- ▶ Queen Mary University of London - International Business with a Year Abroad

- ▶ Queen Mary University of London - International Business with a Year Abroad
- ▶ City, University of London - International Politics
- ▶ Manchester Metropolitan University - International Relations
- ▶ Queen Mary University of London - International Relations
- ▶ SOAS University of London - International Relations
- ▶ University of Birmingham - International Relations
- ▶ University of Sussex - International Relations
- ▶ University of Glasgow - International Relations (SocSci)
- ▶ Royal Holloway, University of London - Law
- ▶ University of Greenwich - Law
- ▶ University of Essex - Law with Human Rights
- ▶ ESCP Business School - Management
- ▶ Anglia Ruskin University - Marketing
- ▶ University of East Anglia UEA - Marketing and Management
- ▶ Anglia Ruskin University - Politics and International Relations
- ▶ Bristol, University of the West of England - Politics and International Relations
- ▶ Queen Mary University of London - Politics and International Relations
- ▶ Royal Holloway, University of London - Politics and International Relations
- ▶ University of Essex - Politics and International Relations
- ▶ University of Nottingham - Product Design and Manufacture



In 2023:



57% of offers on Business degrees came from Top 30 Universities*



100% of offers on Politics degrees came from Top 30 Universities*



67% of offers on International Relations degrees came from Top 30 Universities*



67% of offers on Marketing degrees came from Top 30 Universities*

*Top 30 Universities according to the Times Higher Education Ranking 2023

Living in Cambridge



River Cam



City Centre



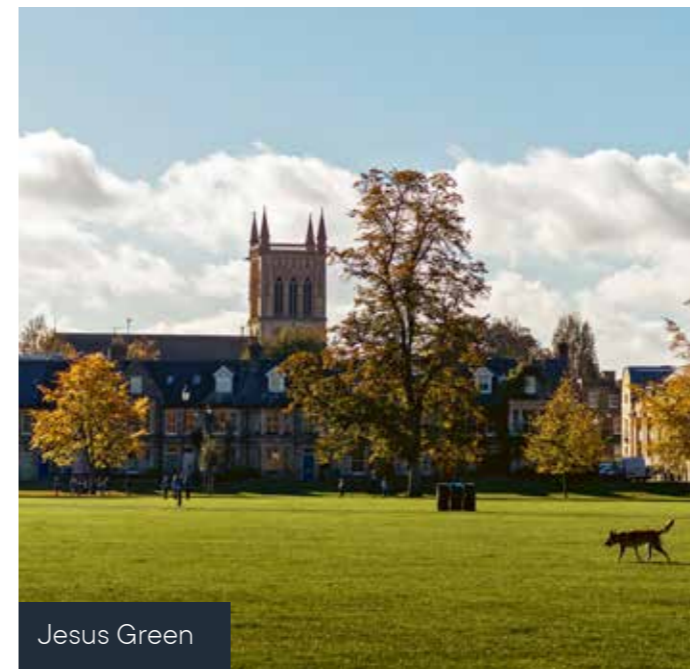
King's College



City Centre



Market Square



Jesus Green



River Cam



Mathematical Bridge



Market Square

Study at Bell Cambridge

A historic school set in beautiful grounds.

Our Cambridge school offers a picturesque campus environment surrounded by large gardens with impressive study, social and leisure facilities.

Located within easy reach of the beautiful city centre, bursting with culture and history, there is always plenty to do, including punting along the river, watching live music or exploring one of the many famous university colleges.

On-site residential accommodation is available at our Bell Cambridge campus, as well as other great options nearby.

Business

Science & engineering

Humanities

Master's preparation

Bell Cambridge Nationality Mix 2023












Top 10 Nationalities:

- Saudi Arabia
- Turkey
- Thailand
- Japan
- China
- Ukraine
- Belgium
- Argentina
- Italy
- France

**figures based on student weeks from January to August 2023*



School facilities

-  Large learning centre
-  Two computer rooms
-  On-site sports and games facilities
-  Disabled access/facilities
-  Prayer room
-  Dining room and outside eating area
-  Higher Education Advisory Service
-  Air-conditioned classrooms with interactive whiteboards
-  On-site residential accommodation available



Accommodation



FOR MORE INFORMATION:
bellenglish.com/locations/school/bell-cambridge

During your stay with us we want you to be comfortable and feel at home. Here are some of the residential accommodation options we offer our students. Please note they are all subject to availability.



Bell Garden House

Located within the school grounds, in view of Bell Cambridge, Bell Garden House is ideal for students looking for a peaceful home where they can relax and study. Single rooms with en-suite or shared bathroom facilities available.

- For students aged 18+



Frank Bell Residence

Our popular on-campus residence has premium or standard bedrooms, a large communal kitchen and living area opening up into the garden.

- For students aged 18+



Sorrento Residence

Our Sorrento Residence is part of the friendly, family-run hotel complex conveniently located between Bell and the city centre. This homely and comfortable accommodation offers access to the facilities of the hotel next door and has the advantage of a shared kitchen where students can prepare meals if they wish.

- For students aged 16+
- 25 minutes to Bell on foot/15 minutes by bus



Put your learning into practice



FOR MORE INFORMATION:
bellenglish.com/our-courses/adults

Learning at Bell does not stop outside the classroom. Our exclusive Language in Action programme gives you the opportunity to meet new people, try new activities, explore new places and visit famous landmarks – at no additional cost.

What's included in the Language in Action programme?

 Weekly tour of the local area for new students

 London

 Cambridge

 Stratford-upon-Avon

 Oxford

 Both Cambridge and London schools run a full-day trip every two weeks to places such as Stratford-upon-Avon and Oxford

 Weekly local excursion' visiting famous landmarks and local attractions

 London

 Cambridge

 Cambridge

 Cambridge

 Regular weekday workshops, clubs and team sports

 Regular social evenings discovering the local culture such as theatre and pub visits, and themed parties in school

 London

 Cambridge



What are you interested in?

Whatever your ambition, we will work together to ensure you have a solid foundation – of subject knowledge, language confidence and academic skills – that will maximise your potential for success at university.



QUICK TIP

Let us help you!

You may prefer to discuss your needs with one of our education advisors, so that we can consider the specific needs and goals of a student in order to make a recommendation.

Contact us online and we can arrange a private appointment.

www.bellenglish.com/contact-us



Business or economics

Prepare for an undergraduate degree in business, management or economics by developing your knowledge of fundamental theories and practice that have shaped the business world.

Business Foundation



Science, technology or engineering

Gain the subject knowledge, practical laboratory skills and understanding of scientific principles and terminology to start your degree with full confidence, know-how and direction.

Science & engineering Foundation



Culture, society or humanities

Human culture offers rich possibilities for study - like media, sociology, politics, criminology, psychology, international relations. Gain critical skills for success at university in your chosen field.

Humanities Foundation



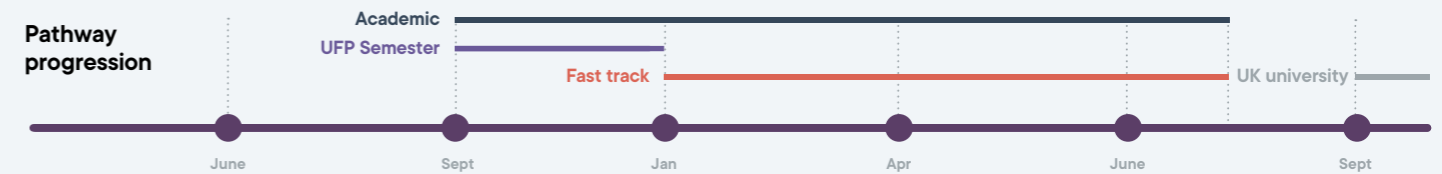
Be a specialist or expert in my field

Expertise matters and studying at postgraduate level allows you to do the extraordinary - become a specialist. Develop your advanced academic skills and language fluency to help you succeed.

Master's preparation programme

Choose your ideal pathway

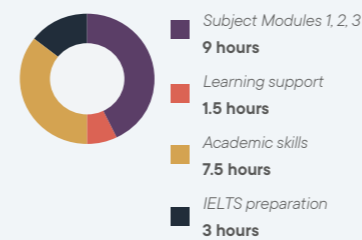
You have the flexibility to start your university pathway at various stages during the academic year. Find the right fit for you.



University Foundation Academic

Gain a comprehensive introduction to academic study in English, preparing you for every aspect of university life and giving you plenty of time to explore university options.

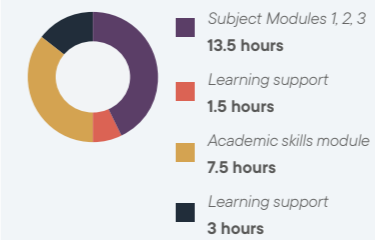
Course components Weekly hours



University Foundation Fast-track

Our business fast-track programme is suitable for students with a higher level of English and studies in a country with an academic year that ends after September.

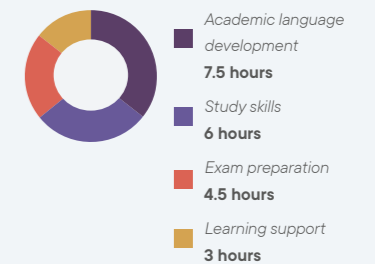
Course components Weekly hours



Master's preparation 1-3 terms

This programme is suitable for students with a higher level of English and is ideal for those aspiring to study a postgraduate research degree at university.

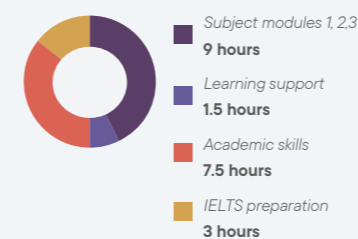
Course components Weekly hours



UFP Semester

Our one semester-only UFP option gives students a taste of life studying at a UK institution, gaining vital skills and knowledge to continue their studies back home.

Course components Weekly hours





University Foundation Business

Your programme

Chances are, you are a highly-active, ambitious individual that sees opportunities everywhere. Let us support you to develop these qualities in preparation for your future studies and career in business.

Subject modules

Strengthen your business knowledge and specialist language skills in key disciplines, like business management, finance, marketing and economics.

Academic skills

Get ahead at university by developing a strong foundation of transferrable academic skills before you start your degree, including:

- ▶ Notetaking, paraphrasing and listening
- ▶ Effective reading, data analysis and interpretation
- ▶ Developing evidence-based arguments and expressing opinion

- ▶ Research, smart search skills and referencing
- ▶ Essay and report writing

Learning support

Gain insights from our university speaker programme, on-campus university fairs and regular 1-to-1 university advice and application support with our in-house expert.

On this programme, you will:

- ▶ Improve your knowledge and understanding in business to NQF Level 3 (UK National Qualifications Framework)

Course summary

- ▶ Location - **Bell Cambridge**
- ▶ Min. age - **17 years old**
- ▶ Class size (average/max) - **12**
- ▶ Min. language level - **Academic - Intermediate B1**
Fast-track - Upper Intermediate B

- ▶ **Fast-track** - 8 January 2024
- ▶ Weekly hours - **Academic** - 21 hours per week
Fast-track - 25.5 hours per week

Subject modules:

- ▶ Business Studies
- ▶ Economics
- ▶ Mathematics

University Foundation Science & engineering

Your programme

Begin your journey into Science and Engineering with our dedicated University Foundation Programme. On this course you will learn the fundamentals which will prepare you for your in-depth degree course.

Subject modules

Strengthen your knowledge and specialist language skills in key disciplines like physics, chemistry, biology, maths and mechanics.

Academic skills

Get ahead at university by developing a strong foundation of transferrable academic skills before you start your degree, including:

- ▶ Notetaking, paraphrasing and listening
- ▶ Effective reading, data analysis and interpretation
- ▶ Developing evidence-based arguments and expressing opinion
- ▶ Research, smart search skills and referencing
- ▶ Essay and report writing

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Course summary

- ▶ Location - **Bell Cambridge**
- ▶ Min. age - **17 years old**
- ▶ Class size (average/max) - **12**
- ▶ Min. language level - **Intermediate B1**
- ▶ Weekly hours - **Academic** - 21 hours per week

Subject modules:

- ▶ Physics or Biology
- ▶ Chemistry
- ▶ Mathematics



University Foundation Humanities

Your programme

Studying humanities involves a wide range of subjects related to human behaviour and culture. Popular degrees include sociology, politics, criminology, psychology, international relations, or journalism.

Subject modules

Build your programme around your goals and interests, and strengthen your knowledge and specialist language skills in disciplines, like sociology, politics, media or economics.

Academic skills

Get ahead at university by developing a strong foundation of transferrable academic skills before you start your degree, including:

- ▶ Notetaking, paraphrasing and listening
- ▶ Effective reading, data analysis and interpretation
- ▶ Developing evidence-based arguments and expressing opinion

- ▶ Research, smart search skills and referencing
- ▶ Essay and report writing

Learning support

Gain insights from our university speaker programme, on-campus university fairs and regular 1-to-1 university advice and application support with our in-house expert.

Course summary

- ▶ Location - Bell Cambridge
- ▶ Min. age - 17 years old
- ▶ Class size (average/max) - 12
- ▶ Min. language level - Intermediate B1
- ▶ Weekly hours - Academic - 21 hours per week

Subject modules:

- ▶ Economics or Sociology
- ▶ Politics or Economics
- ▶ Media Studies or Law

Master's preparation

Your programme

This graduate preparation programme (also known as a Pre-Master's pathway) will help you master the skills you need to succeed when pursuing postgraduate-level study at a primarily English-speaking university.

Academic language development

- ▶ **Academic writing**
You will learn key writing techniques to effectively tackle exam questions or coursework essays - as well as develop proper referencing skills.
- ▶ **Academic reading**
Develop your abilities to skim or scan academic texts while understanding key points made and evaluating how this influences your argument.

Academic listening

Understand effective use of emphasis, pause and intonation from a speaker. Summarise meaning and evaluate opinions based on your listening.

Study skills

Research continues to show that some students entering postgraduate university lack confidence in key academic skills. Learn effective techniques and strategies, like:

- ▶ Critically analyse literature and identify research gaps for further investigation
- ▶ Understanding different approaches to qualitative and quantitative data collection
- ▶ Effective reading, data analysis and interpretation
- ▶ Developing evidence-based arguments and expressing opinion

Course summary

- ▶ Location - Bell Cambridge
- ▶ Min. age - 20 years old
- ▶ Class size (average/max) - 12
- ▶ Min. language level - Upper Intermediate B2
- ▶ 15 April 2024
- ▶ Weekly hours - 21 hours per week
- ▶ Entry requirements - Successful completion of a university degree



So, for me it was such a good experience because everyone taught how to make new friends of other nationalities and how to work independently.

Philippine, Belgium
Business student



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bellenglish.com/student-testimonials



We're pleased she had a very good year here. It was very secure for parents to have this place and she did a lot of progress. We can recommend Bell, Bell School. It was a good experience for our daughter.

Parents of UFP student



University Foundation

Select your modules

Customise your programme to your specific interests

* Only available for students whose school curriculum was taught in English and have an IELTS score of at least 7.5 upon arrival.

1. Choose your course

Business Foundation

Science & engineering Foundation

Humanities Foundation

2. Select your modules

Business studies

Economics

Mathematics

Physics OR **Biology**

Chemistry

Mathematics

Economics OR **Sociology**

Politics OR **Economics**

Media Studies OR **Law**

3. Enhance your learning

Academic study skills
Enhance your language and study skills needed to function successfully on your undergraduate degree.

Exam preparation
You will receive intensive preparation for the IELTS examination that you will take at the end of your course.

Learning support programme
A programme of supported timetabled self-study sessions, visiting speakers and guidance in choosing and applying for university courses.



University Foundation

Select your modules

Find out more about our subject modules, so you can choose the right ones for you and your future



MODULE

Business studies

Develop a comprehensive overview of the main business functions and decision making in realistic business contexts. You will study how businesses are organised, how they set and meet objectives and how change, growth and personnel can be managed.

Business

- Business structures and cultures
- Business objectives and strategy
- External influences on business
- Stakeholders
- Business planning
- Financial statements and cost-volume-profit analysis
- Cash forecast, cash flow and cash control
- People management
- Marketing: objectives, strategies and techniques
- Competitive influences
- Marketing communications
- Business operations and processes
- Quality management
- Operational logistics



Gain an awareness and understanding of the factors that influence business organisations.

Develop a broad understanding of business practices and the role played by particular people in the success of a business.

Evaluate the effectiveness of various approaches and marketing techniques.

Strengthen your knowledge of key terms in business finance and develop your abilities to calculate and manipulate data to provide quantitative analysis.



MODULE

Law

Understand the English legal system and develop a well-rounded view of the legal world. Examine key areas of criminal and civil law and the importance of English and American law in global commerce. You will take a problem-solving approach to law through case studies and evaluating current legal issues.

Humanities

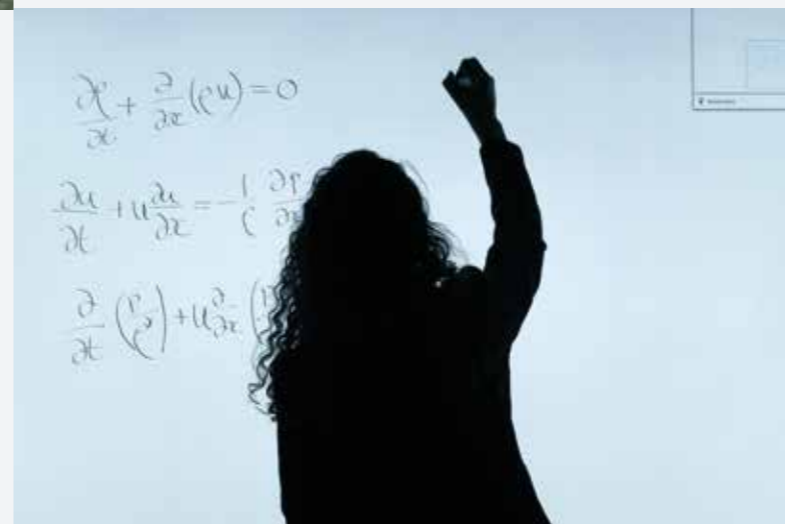
- Law making
- The legal system and courts
- Legal profession and judiciary
- Contract law
- Criminal law offences
- Pre-trial procedure
- Sources of law
- Evidence and burden of proof
- Criminal law offences
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- Pre-trial procedure
- Sources of law
- Evidence and burden of proof
- Criminal law offences

Recognise specialist language and concepts used in the English legal system.

Learn and understand essential legal terminology used when practising law.

Develop analytical skills to analyse and evaluate legal problems.

Use arguments to criticise and defend viewpoints and make balanced and informed judgements.



MODULE

Mathematics

Build a strong foundation of mathematical knowledge. You will cover key areas of pure mathematics and statistics to develop a problem-solving approach. This module will prepare you for more advanced study at university.

Business

Science & engineering

- Algebra and functions
- Quadratic and sketching functions
- Arithmetic and geometric series
- Trigonometric functions, equations and identities
- Exponentials and logarithms
- Differentiation, integration and radian measure
- Coordinate geometry
- Statistical problem-solving cycle
- Types of data and its interpretation
- Correlation and regression
- Probability and probability distribution
- Discrete random variables
- Binomial and normal distribution

Develop specialist knowledge and understanding of the language and concepts used in mathematics.



Gain practical mathematical skills across a range of core techniques and practices.

Analyse and interpret data to tackle complex mathematical problems.

Learn to gather information from a variety of sources including statistical data.

MODULE
Economics

Build a strong foundation of skills and knowledge for the study of economics at a higher level. You will learn about the core elements of micro and macro economics and learn concepts and terminology that are central to the study of this subject.

 Business  Humanities

- Free market economies
- Demand, supply and elasticity
- Costs and revenues
- Market structures and failures
- Government intervention
- National economic policy
- Globalisation and trade
- International competitiveness
- Trade blocs and single currencies



Understand the fundamentals of and the relationship between micro and macro-economics.

Apply economics concepts to describe, analyse and propose solutions to problems faced by economies.

Understand the role of the government in managing economic changes.

Develop your understanding of the value and limitations of economic models in analysing the economy.

MODULE
Sociology

Gain a fundamental understanding of key concepts and theories involved in the sociology discipline. You will explore a range of societies in the world and strengthen your understanding of sociological and cultural issues.

 Humanities

- Elements of contemporary sociological thought
- Quantitative and qualitative research methods
- Sociology of identity
- Sociological theories
- Class and power
- Ethnicity and gender
- Sociology of consumption, work and education and family



Develop a critical understanding of our society and the world we live in.

Learn how lives intersect with wider social processes and structures.

Focus on key concepts like multiculturalism, crime and deviance, inequality or families.

Improve your abilities to research, analyse and communicate complex data and ideas.

Gain useful insights into social theories and evaluate complex arguments related to these concepts.



MODULE
Politics

Prepare for a politics or international relations degree and gain a good understanding of the system of politics and government in the UK, as well as the wider links to Europe and the wider world.

 Humanities

- The UK political system, democracy and elections
- The British Constitution and constitutional principles
- The House of Lords, House of Commons and Parliament
- Political parties and their ideologies
- Devolution: Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland
- Human rights and civil liberties
- The European Union and Brexit
- The relationship of power and authority, state and government & democracy and representation

Build on your knowledge and understanding of key political concepts and gain further specialist vocabulary.

Gain an understanding of the UK political system and how it operates in theory and practice.

Learn to communicate ideas about the UK political system effectively.

Learn about the evolution of political power in the UK over time.

Develop your analytical skills to form balanced discussions on political concepts in an informed and formal manner.



Discover global media of our times and how they reflect and shape our society.

Compare and contrast media theories to explain key concepts.

Develop an awareness of cultural factors influencing the creation and process of communication.

Develop analytical skills to review and demonstrate an understanding of factors that influence the production and consumption of media products.

MODULE
Media studies

Gain the knowledge and skills to investigate and discuss the role of media, communication and culture in the world. You will understand the theoretical underpinning of key concepts and analyse these using practical examples and case studies.

 Humanities

- Genre theory
- Narrative structure in film and news media
- Theories of audience
- Branding: cultural values in a commercial context
- Semiotics
- Marxism and post-Marxism
- Identity politics and critical pluralism
- How audiences and media are influenced by institutions
- Representation and stereotyping
- Future of television
- Globalisation and cultural imperialism

MODULE
Chemistry

Learn the fundamentals of organic, physical and inorganic chemistry. You will have the opportunity to develop your skills through classroom-based teaching, problem-solving seminars and laboratory-based practicals.

 Science & engineering

- Physical chemistry
- Inorganic chemistry
- Organic chemistry
- Investigative and practical skills
- Oxidation, reduction and redox equations
- Energetics



Study the fundamentals of organic, inorganic and physical chemistry.

Develop your awareness of specific chemical facts, terminology and principles.

Build on your analytical skills to assess the validity, reliability and credibility of scientific information.

Gain useful laboratory experience and learn to analyse, interpret, explain and evaluate experiments.

MODULE
Biology

Understand life processes and how organisms interact in our surrounding environment. Explore themes like molecular biology, environmental organisms or genetics and biodiversity to prepare you for advanced study at university.

 Science & engineering

- Biological molecules
- Cells
- Genetics and biodiversity
- Organisms and their environment
- Investigative and practical skills



Understand the fundamentals of biology including biological facts, specialist terminology and principles.

Develop your critical thinking by assessing the validity, reliability and credibility of scientific information.


Learn to record and communicate valid observations and measurements with appropriate precision and accuracy.

Gain useful laboratory experience and learn to analyse, interpret, explain and evaluate your methodology and results.



MODULE
Physics

Gain a comprehensive overview of fundamental and applied physics through classroom-based teaching of theory, problem-solving seminars and laboratory-based practicals. You will have numerous opportunities to link theory to reality and prepare for higher level study at university.

 Science & engineering

- Measurements and their errors
- Particles and radiation
- Waves
- Mechanics and materials
- Electricity
- Fields and their consequences
- Electro-magnetic and quantum phenomena
- Investigative and practical skills

Gain awareness and understanding

of specialist terminology and classic concepts relating to physics, including quantum mechanics, electricity or nuclear physics.

Develop practical experience required to do simple laboratory physics experiments.

Improve your abilities in interpreting the data from practical experiments in the context of the relevant theories, and derive informed conclusions.

