

## Fact Sheet 2023/2024

<b>Full name of university</b>	<b>Aberystwyth University</b>
<b>Department</b>	<b>Global Marketing and Student Recruitment</b> <b>Global Opportunities Office</b>
<b>University website</b> <b>Global Opportunities website</b>	<a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/</a> <a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/global-opportunities/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/global-opportunities/</a>
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## Important Dates

<b>Academic calendar including examination period</b>	Academic year: 22/09/2023 – 01/06/2024 Autumn - Semester 1: 22/09/2023 – 24/01/2024 Spring - Semester 2: 29/01/2024 – 01/06/2024
<b>Nomination deadlines:</b>	Autumn – Semester 1: 1 <sup>st</sup> April Spring – Semester 2: 1 <sup>st</sup> October
<b>Application deadlines:</b>	Autumn - Semester 1: 1 <sup>st</sup> May Spring - Semester 2: 15 <sup>th</sup> October
<b>Application deadline for housing:</b> <b>Course registration deadlines</b>	Provided to successful applicants
<b>Orientation Programme incoming students</b>	Autumn – Semester 1: 25/09/2023 – 30/09/2023 Spring – Semester 2: tbc



## Academic Information

<b>Areas of study open for Students:</b>	<a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/modules/deptcurrent/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/modules/deptcurrent/</a>
<p>Circumstances which may restrict module choice:</p> <p>Lack of prerequisites for specific module or Modules extending over two semesters. These are not recommended for students on single semester exchange</p>	
<b>Course information for exchange students:</b>	<a href="https://aber.ac.uk/en/study-with-us/global-opportunities/study-at-aberystwyth/exchange-at-aber/learning-agreement/">https://aber.ac.uk/en/study-with-us/global-opportunities/study-at-aberystwyth/exchange-at-aber/learning-agreement/</a>
<b>Masters courses available for exchange students?</b>	Most departments allow PG students to take UG modules and vice versa, if approved by host department and home University.
<p><b>Credit system:</b></p> <p><b>ECTS</b> - The last two digits of every module equals the Aberystwyth Credit amount.e.g., MC10720</p> <p>Module ending in '20' equals 20 AU credits or 10 ECTS. One local credit is equal to 0.5 ECTS credits</p> <p>Grading used: <a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/academic-registry/students/ug-issues/exam-assess/conventions/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/academic-registry/students/ug-issues/exam-assess/conventions/</a></p> <p>Pass is: 40% (UG); 50% (PG)</p>	
<b>Language of instruction:</b> <b>Language requirements</b>	English English B2. <a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/international/english-requirements/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/international/english-requirements/</a>
<b>Internships or research projects</b>	Not available at present

## Applications

<b>Application Procedure Exchange Programme</b>	<a href="https://aber.ac.uk/en/study-with-us/global-opportunities/study-at-aberystwyth/exchange-at-aber/">https://aber.ac.uk/en/study-with-us/global-opportunities/study-at-aberystwyth/exchange-at-aber/</a>
<b>Application Procedure Study Abroad &amp; Direct Enrol (Fee Paying)</b>	<a href="https://aber.ac.uk/en/study-with-us/global-opportunities/study-at-aberystwyth/study-abroad-at-aber/">https://aber.ac.uk/en/study-with-us/global-opportunities/study-at-aberystwyth/study-abroad-at-aber/</a>
<p><b>Visa requirements</b></p> <p>Single Semester: Visitor Visa      Full Academic Year: Student Visa N.B. It is not possible to extend a visitor visa to a full year of study.</p> <p><b>Extending a single semester stay:</b></p> <p>Students wishing to extend to a full year of studies must re-apply for an exchange place. The application must be submitted by 15<sup>th</sup> October, along with supporting documents.</p> <p>If a student is granted an extension of their stay, they will need to return to their home country during the winter break to apply for a Student Visa. Students applying for a Student Visa over the winter period will need to pay for expedited services in order to ensure they receive their visa in time.</p> <p><a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/sscs/visa-support-advice/visas-immigration/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/sscs/visa-support-advice/visas-immigration/</a></p>	

## Housing

<b>Housing assistance and information:</b>	<a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/accommodation/current-students/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/accommodation/current-students/</a>
<b>Student Support Services</b>	<a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/sscs/wellbeing/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/sscs/wellbeing/</a>

## Approximate costs

Expenditure	Cost per week	Cost per annum
Room	From £85.40	From £3,330
Food, Laundry & Toiletries	£45	£1,800
Bills (energy, internet)	Included	Included
Contents Insurance	Included	Included
Books, Equipment & Stationery		£150
Personal (including clothing, social and extras)	£45.40	£1,770
<b>Total</b>	<b>£175.80</b>	<b>£7,050</b>

## Additional Information

Sports Centre	Sports Facility membership included in University accommodation fee. Subject to charges if living in private accommodation.
Culture	<a href="https://www.aberystwythartscentre.co.uk/">https://www.aberystwythartscentre.co.uk/</a>
Health facilities at University	Several General Practitioner surgeries (Doctor's Offices). Bronglais General Hospital between campus and town.
<b>Student Societies:</b>	<a href="https://www.abersu.co.uk/teamaber/societies/societieslist/">https://www.abersu.co.uk/teamaber/societies/societieslist/</a>
<b>Short Programmes at Aberystwyth</b>	<a href="https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/global-opportunities/study-at-aberystwyth/short-programmes-aber/">https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/global-opportunities/study-at-aberystwyth/short-programmes-aber/</a>