



Life at Leeds is the student e-newsletter brought to you by the student communications team. The newsletter aims to help you make the most of your time at Leeds. Send your thoughts and any feedback to studentcommunications@leeds.ac.uk

It's ok to not be ok

There might be times when you're struggling with life at University and would like some additional support. To remind you of the support that's available, we've created a [moment on the student Twitter account](#) highlighting a few of the tweets that we believe may help. You can also find out more about [the services and resources that are available to you](#) through the support section on the student website.

Study support for students

From personal tutors, workshops and student representatives to recordings of teaching sessions and details of room bookings, we have a large network of people and facilities available that can help support you with your studies. Visit the [study support page](#) for more info.

Sky Plaza, Clay Pit Lane – emergency exercise

On Tuesday 24 October, there will be an emergency exercise at Sky Plaza, Clay Pit Lane, LS2 8AR (opposite First Direct Arena). Emergency services will be around the building during the exercise and some smoke generators will be used to simulate a fire incident within the building. For your own safety, please avoid this area if possible. The exercise will start around 9am with an approximate end time around 12.30pm.

Important dates over the next few weeks

- [Resit application](#) – Monday 23 October.

- Students who started at University in September – the deadline for your first accommodation instalment is Monday 23 October. Visit the [how to pay](#) page to process your payment or the [accommodation page](#) to find out what to do if you're struggling to pay.
 - Religious commitments during exams – the deadline for students who are unable to attend exams on Sabbath and holydays to [submit notification of their religious commitments](#) by Friday 27 October.
 - 50 places are available on the [Intercultural Ambassadors Programme](#). The deadline for completing the application form is Sunday 22 October.
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Study abroad fair

Spending time studying abroad can be a rewarding and life changing experience, giving you a unique opportunity to explore the world, discover different cultures and enhance your career prospects. Don't worry if you missed the fair this week – more information about [studying abroad is available on the student website](#).

Autumn volunteer fair

Don't worry if you missed the fair, all of the volunteering roles you can get involved with during your time in Leeds are available on the [Leeds for Life website](#). All of the organisations that were at the fair are all registered and advertise their roles on there.

A round up of other events on campus

- As part of Black History Month, the [Union are putting on a series of events](#) that range from films, drag artists and discussions on a wide range of issues.
- Visit the [library events page](#) to find out about activities such as the [weekly Sketch Club](#) (every Friday 12.30 – 3.30pm)
- Global community and Great Food at Leeds cooking demonstrations that show you how to cook Halloween and Bonfire Night themed dishes. [Book your place now](#)
- Check out the [Subject Strengths](#) to see if Special Collections holds materials which would help with your degree.
- Unity Brunch Club – Thursday 19 October from 10.30am – 11.30am, Ziff Building, Level 12 Common Room.
- Meet new people and share information and ideas about how to make the most of living in Leeds through Coffee Connections. Book your place through [Lifelong Learning Centre website](#).

Remember to keep an eye on our [student calendar](#) for new and updated events.

In case you missed it

- You can now take virtual tours of our libraries thanks to new [Google maps](#) update.
 - A [list of social spaces that you can visit](#), relax, study and meet up in was shared our [current student Facebook group](#).
 - Also shared in the group, the perfect bucket list for this season – [cafés on campus](#) that you can grab a drink to go, or settle down with your laptop and refuel.
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Don't forget to follow us on social

Stay updated with University happenings by joining our [Facebook group for current students](#) and by following [@UoLStudents](#) on Twitter.

You can also visit students.leeds.ac.uk for everything you'll need while you're at Leeds.
