

# Welcome & Orientation Programme for International Students

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2022**

We look forward to welcoming you to Bangor and have put in place an orientation programme which will enable you to get to know the University, meet staff, and other students. Due to the current covid-19 situation, the programme will be a combination of online sessions and some 'in-person' events.

This programme complements the University central programme, which is available here: <https://www.bangor.ac.uk/welcome2021/>

This will explain how to fully enrol at the University, as well as giving details of events organised by your School.

It is very important that you check your Bangor email address when this is set up, as all information regarding arrivals, welcome and registration, as well as information from your academic School during your time at the University will be sent to that email.

For more information and advice on all aspects of living in Bangor and the support provided by the University, see:

<https://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support>

Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> January		
Time	Activity	Location
11:00 & 15:00	Airport Pick-Up from Manchester Airport. For more information and to book a place, see: <a href="https://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support/airport-pickup">www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support/airport-pickup</a>	Manchester Airport

Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> January		
Time	Activity	Location
From 10:00	<b>Erasmus, Exchange &amp; Study Abroad Compulsory Induction session</b> available via the IEC Study Abroad & Exchange students 21/22 Microsoft teams' group – all students involved will be invited to join this group.	Via Microsoft Teams
12:00	Walking Tour – Discover Bangor with our International Student Ambassadors. This will be repeated through the week, but routes may differ weather depending.	Outside Rathbone Hall, College Road
ALL DAY	International Student Support Team available to help for advice and information: Email: <a href="mailto:internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk">internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk</a> Office open 10am - 4pm	Via Email. Online, individual, appointments can be arranged.

Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> January		
Time	Activity	Location
10:00	<p><b>Welcome Information Session for International Students</b> - Important information about Visas, registering with the GP, registering with the Police, opening a bank account &amp; self-isolation rules</p> <p><i>Zoom log on details can be found here:</i>  <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86025320070?pwd=b1gxUE95OTBDSnJiK3Q3TUNQTE9kZz09">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86025320070?pwd=b1gxUE95OTBDSnJiK3Q3TUNQTE9kZz09</a>            Meeting ID: 860 2532 0070            Passcode: bangor2022</p>	Via Zoom
12:00	Walking Tour – Discover Bangor with our International Student Ambassadors. This will be repeated through the week, but routes may differ weather depending.	Outside Rathbone Hall, College Road
15:00	<p>Covid-19 rules for living and studying in Bangor</p> <p><i>Zoom log on details can be found here:</i>  <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89138095980?pwd=RnJLZytxSUE2K0ISRm9GMDZpYW9BQT09">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89138095980?pwd=RnJLZytxSUE2K0ISRm9GMDZpYW9BQT09</a>            Meeting ID: 891 3809 5980            Passcode: bangor2022</p>	Via Zoom
19:00	<p>Social Event – International QUIZ Night!</p> <p><i>Zoom log on details can be found here:</i>  <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85179837281?pwd=QIVEd29XTmkwbWxsYVplWkhCOUdxQT09">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85179837281?pwd=QIVEd29XTmkwbWxsYVplWkhCOUdxQT09</a>            Meeting ID: 851 7983 7281            Passcode: bangor2022</p>	Via Zoom
ALL DAY	<p>International Student Support Team available to help for advice and information:            Email: <a href="mailto:internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk">internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk</a></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Office open 10am - 4pm</p>	Via Email. Online, individual appointments can be arranged.

Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> January		
Time	Activity	Location
10:00	<p>“Croeso i Gymru” Session - A presentation on the history of Bangor, the culture of Wales and local places of interest</p> <p><i>Zoom log on details can be found here:</i>  <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84236220068?pwd=SzJSczJwWnBxMVJTMmxSMmV2OUZDUT09">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84236220068?pwd=SzJSczJwWnBxMVJTMmxSMmV2OUZDUT09</a>            Meeting ID: 842 3622 0068            Passcode: bangor2022</p>	Via Zoom

12:00	Walking Tour – Discover Bangor with our International Student Ambassadors. This will be repeated through the week but routes may differ weather depending.	Outside Rathbone Hall, College Road
15:00	Social Event - Meet new students and ask questions to your International Student Ambassadors  <i>Zoom log on details can be found here:</i> <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81294595106?pwd=REdla05DbDhMTDAzaXlaUGJ1MVA5Zz09">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81294595106?pwd=REdla05DbDhMTDAzaXlaUGJ1MVA5Zz09</a> Meeting ID: 812 9459 5106 Passcode: bangor2022	Via Zoom
ALL DAY	International Student Support Team available to help for advice and information: Email: <a href="mailto:internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk">internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk</a>  Office open 10am - 4pm	Via Email. Online, individual appointments can be arranged.

Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> January		
Time	Activity	Location
10:00	<b>General Information Session for International Students</b> - Important information about Visas, registering with the GP, registering with the Police, opening a bank account, self-isolation rules and settling in questions & answers.  <i>Zoom log on details can be found here:</i> <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83392214717?pwd=cGQ5N2ZTZFY3VEEdsdFAzRjc5SjJlMUT09">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83392214717?pwd=cGQ5N2ZTZFY3VEEdsdFAzRjc5SjJlMUT09</a> Meeting ID: 833 9221 4717 Passcode: bangor2022	Via Zoom
12:00	Walking Tour – Discover Bangor with our International Student Ambassadors. This will be repeated through the week but routes may differ weather depending.	Outside Rathbone Hall, College Road
15:00	Top Tips for Successful Studies at Bangor – Worried about new teaching styles and evaluation methods at Bangor University? Join this session!  <i>Zoom log on details can be found here:</i> <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85678343124?pwd=QmgrY1JiazVGM2YrNWVIMGIKM3R1UT09">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85678343124?pwd=QmgrY1JiazVGM2YrNWVIMGIKM3R1UT09</a> Meeting ID: 856 7834 3124 Passcode: bangor2022	Via Zoom
19:00	Social Event – International Bingo Night  Join us in BarUno for a night full of prizes (if Covid rules allow it)	Bar UNO, Ffriddoedd Village

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**How to contact the International Student Support Team:**  
 Email: [internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:internationalsupport@bangor.ac.uk) Telephone: 01248 382882/388070  
 Facebook: [www.facebook.com/bangoruniversityinternational](http://www.facebook.com/bangoruniversityinternational)  
 Instagram: [www.instagram.com/bangorinternational](http://www.instagram.com/bangorinternational)




**Checklist and Useful Information:**

**Registering with the University:**

**Step 1:** Enrol online, full details can be found here:

<https://my.bangor.ac.uk/welcome2021/registration.php.en>

**Step 2:** Complete your ID checking, full details can be found here:

<https://my.bangor.ac.uk/student-administration/sturec/Proof-of-identity.php.en>



**Collecting your Biometric Residence Cards (BRP visa):**

For information on how to collect your BRP card, email the Academic Engagement Team at:

[academicengagement@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:academicengagement@bangor.ac.uk)

**Connecting to the University's WI-FI:**

ID and password for your Wi-Fi connection should have been provided to you after your online enrolment. Please use the following format as your Wi-Fi ID: [username@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:username@bangor.ac.uk) (example: [afp24@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:afp24@bangor.ac.uk)).

**Collecting your Student ID Card:**

For information on how to collect your Student ID Card, email:

[student-admin@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:student-admin@bangor.ac.uk)

**Registering with the Police (If this is a condition of your stay in the UK):**

For details on how to register with the Police, check

<https://www.bangor.ac.uk/international/support>

**Register with a Doctor:**

Bodnant Medical Centre is near to the University's Ffriddoedd Accommodation. To complete your online registration form with this Medical Centre, follow this link:

<https://www.mysurgerywebsite.co.uk/regforms/gpreregistration1.pdf>

**University Halls of Residence:**

To confirm your arrival date & time, or if there are any issues with your accommodation once you have moved in, please contact: [halls@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:halls@bangor.ac.uk)

**IMPORTANT** – if you intend to move into University Halls accommodation during the Christmas vacation (17<sup>th</sup> December – 3 January), please contact the Halls Office to confirm arrangements for key collection and support. Please contact [halls@bangor.ac.uk](mailto:halls@bangor.ac.uk)