

WELCOME TO YORK TAUGHT POSTGRADUATE CHECKLIST



UNIVERSITY
of York

THINGS TO DO FIRST

When your place is confirmed, we send joining instructions to your personal email account. This contains your University of York username and password.

1. Set up your University IT accounts

- Set up your IT account and security questions at idm.york.ac.uk.
- Download the Duo Mobile app in order to log into University systems: york.ac.uk/it-services/services/duo
- Set up two-factor authentication on your University Google account: york.ac.uk/it-services/google

2. Complete your enrolment

Use your username and password to access your student record at evision.york.ac.uk and complete the enrolment tasks:

- Enrol
- Upload your photo for your Uni card
- Upload proof of eligibility to study in the UK (including UK students)
- Set up direct debit payments for University accommodation and fees (if applicable)

3. Sort your accommodation

- Apply for University accommodation, or accept your offer if you've pre-booked. Make sure you tell us on your application form if you have any additional requirements: york.ac.uk/study/accommodation
- If you are not applying for University accommodation, get help finding somewhere to live: york.ac.uk/study/accommodation/private-sector.

4. Sort your finances

If you're applying for student finance, check you have returned the signed declaration.

5. Let us know of any additional requirements

Let us know of any requirements or adjustments we can make. This may include disability or mental health support. york.ac.uk/disability york.ac.uk/opendoor

6. Complete the online induction

Work through activities to complete your online induction and learn more about what studying at York will be like. york.ac.uk/pg-induction

7. Join the Facebook group – and beware imitations

Join the only official Facebook group for postgraduates starting their studies at York in autumn 2024. facebook.com/groups/uoypostgrads24

THINGS TO DO TO PREPARE TO ARRIVE

1. Check your moving in date

Postgraduate arrival activities begin 9 September 2024 but your course or accommodation start date may differ. Your accommodation won't be available before your start date. If you're living on campus, check your accommodation offer email to see if you need to book an arrival slot.

2. Check what to bring

See our list of things you will need to bring – and what not to bring, too. york.ac.uk/pg-what-to-bring

3. Check how to get to York

We have information about how to get to York and what to do when you first arrive. york.ac.uk/pg-arrivals



THINGS TO DO TO PREPARE FOR STUDENT LIFE



- 1. Check your University email regularly**

You will receive all correspondence from the University through your York Gmail account. Log in using your email address and IT password.
york.ac.uk/it-services/services/email
- 2. Download the MyUoY app**

After you have completed enrolment, you will be able to see your calendar on the MyUoY app. The app also helps you with things like news updates, events and finding your way across campus.
york.ac.uk/students/computing/myuoy-app
- 3. Check your department welcome information**

Your department will be in touch with information about how you can prepare for your studies.
york.ac.uk/prepare-pg-study
- 4. Get connected before you arrive**

You can set up your computer, phone or tablet to connect to the University's wireless network (eduroam) before you arrive.
york.ac.uk/it-services/services/wifi
- 5. Get your vaccinations**

We recommend that you are up to date with vaccines. Arrange these with your doctor.
nhs.uk/nhs-services/getting-medical-care-as-a-student
- 6. Prepare your finances**

It's a good idea to plan in advance how you will make your money last. For budgeting tools and more, find out how you can sign up for Blackbullion for free with your uni email address.
york.ac.uk/students/finance/managing-your-money
- 7. Look out for scams**

Learn current scams we know of, plus how to recognise scams and protect yourself against them.
york.ac.uk/students/help/scams
- 8. Find out where you can meet people and find support**

Chat with a current student:
york.ac.uk/study/chat

Download the TalkCampus app to talk with other students from around the world:
york.ac.uk/students/health/help/247support

THINGS TO DO IN YOUR FIRST WEEK

- 1. Make sure your contact details are up to date on your student record:**
evision.york.ac.uk
- 2. Know where you need to be by checking events, your timetable and the campus map on the MyUoY app:**
york.ac.uk/students/computing/myuoy-app
- 3. Collect your Uni Card:**
york.ac.uk/students/studying/unicard
- 4. Register with a doctor:**
nhs.uk/service-search/find-a-GP
- 5. Find out bus routes:**
york.ac.uk/about/transport-maps-parking/bus-rail-taxi
- 6. Find out what to do if your student loan hasn't arrived:**
york.ac.uk/students/finance/student-loans

