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INTERNATIONAL PATHWAY PROGRAMMES

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If you are looking to come and study at Northumbria University, but wanting to develop your subject knowledge and English language skills before entry on to your chosen undergraduate or postgraduate degree, then our pathway programmes are perfect for you.

Each of our pathway programmes are designed to prepare you for your next steps in studying at a UK university and are taught by staff who are used to supporting international students through this important transition.

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English for University Studies

Designed specifically for international students, the English for University Study (EUS) offers you an opportunity to explore what it is like to study at University. This programme is applicable for those of you who have had little opportunity to learn a subject in English or are looking for a more gradual introduction into studying at University.

📖 Level	English Language	
📅 Start dates	January and July	July
🕒 Duration	3 months	6 months
£ Tuition fee	£4,000	£8,000
✅ English language requirements	IELTS 5.5 with no element less than 4.0	IELTS 5.0 with no element less than 4.0
🖥 Mode of study	Full-time - seminars, practical activities, directed learning and independent learning	
🕒 Class hours per week	20 hours	
👥 Average class size	16	
📋 Assessment methods	In-class tests	
✅ Entry requirements	You must be 16 or older to study this programme	
£ Financial support	Please check pathway.northumbria.ac.uk/scholarships-and-bursaries for more details and full terms and conditions	

During the EUS programme you will develop not only your everyday English language confidence but also the skills required to join an academic course at University. You will practice your newly acquired English skills alongside other like-minded international students in a friendly and supportive environment. Whilst this is a standalone course, you are encouraged to explore the courses on offer at Northumbria.

For more information about our English for University Studies Programme and the range of progression options available to you, please visit: northumbria.ac.uk/pathway-EUS

International Foundation Programme

The International Foundation Programme is the perfect preparation to develop your English language and subject specific knowledge before studying an undergraduate degree at Northumbria University. While helping to bridge the gap between your current academic and English skills and the level required for your chosen undergraduate programme, you will study on campus, benefiting from access to all the university facilities and services that you can expect throughout the duration of your studies.

Pathway	Leads to
Applied Science pathway	Progress onto courses in Biology, Chemistry, Forensic Science, Nutrition and Sports Science
Art, Design and Media pathway	Progress onto an undergraduate degree in Art, Design or Multimedia
Business and Law pathway	Progress onto a business-related undergraduate degree
Computing pathway	Progress onto courses in Computer Science, Cyber Security, Artificial Intelligence, Computer Networks and IT for Business
Engineering pathway	Progress onto courses in Automotive Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechanical and Automotive Engineering, Mechanical Engineering and Civil Engineering* <small>*to progress onto Civil Engineering requires a minimum of 55% in Academic modules including 65% in Maths Modules and a minimum of 60% in each English module. Please note that there are limited spaces on this programme and any application will be assessed on a case by case basis</small>
Humanities and Social Science pathway	Progress onto courses in a range of subjects from English Language and History, Politics and Sociology to Mass Communication, Psychology and Surveying

📖 Level	Foundation - NQF Level 3		
📅 Start dates	March	October, January	July, October
🕒 Duration	6 months	9 months	12 months
£ Tuition fee	£10,000	£15,500	£19,500
✅ English language requirements	IELTS 5.5 with no single element below 5.0, from a UKVI Approved centre	IELTS 5.0, with no single element below 4.0, from a UKVI Approved centre	IELTS 4.5, with no single element below 4.0, from a UKVI Approved centre
🖥 Mode of study	Full-time - Seminars, lectures, workshops, labs and tutorials		
✅ Class hours per week	Up to 24 hours		
👥 Average class size	20		
📋 Assessment methods	Coursework - including portfolios, essays, presentations and in-class tests (Applied Science includes exams)		
✅ Entry requirements	5 GCSE/IGCSE passes at grade A-C, or equivalent		
£ Financial support	Please check pathway.northumbria.ac.uk/scholarships-and-bursaries for more details and full terms and conditions		

Upon successfully passing this programme, and subject to any specific university entry requirements, you will be guaranteed a place on your chosen undergraduate degree at Northumbria University.

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International Year One - Business*

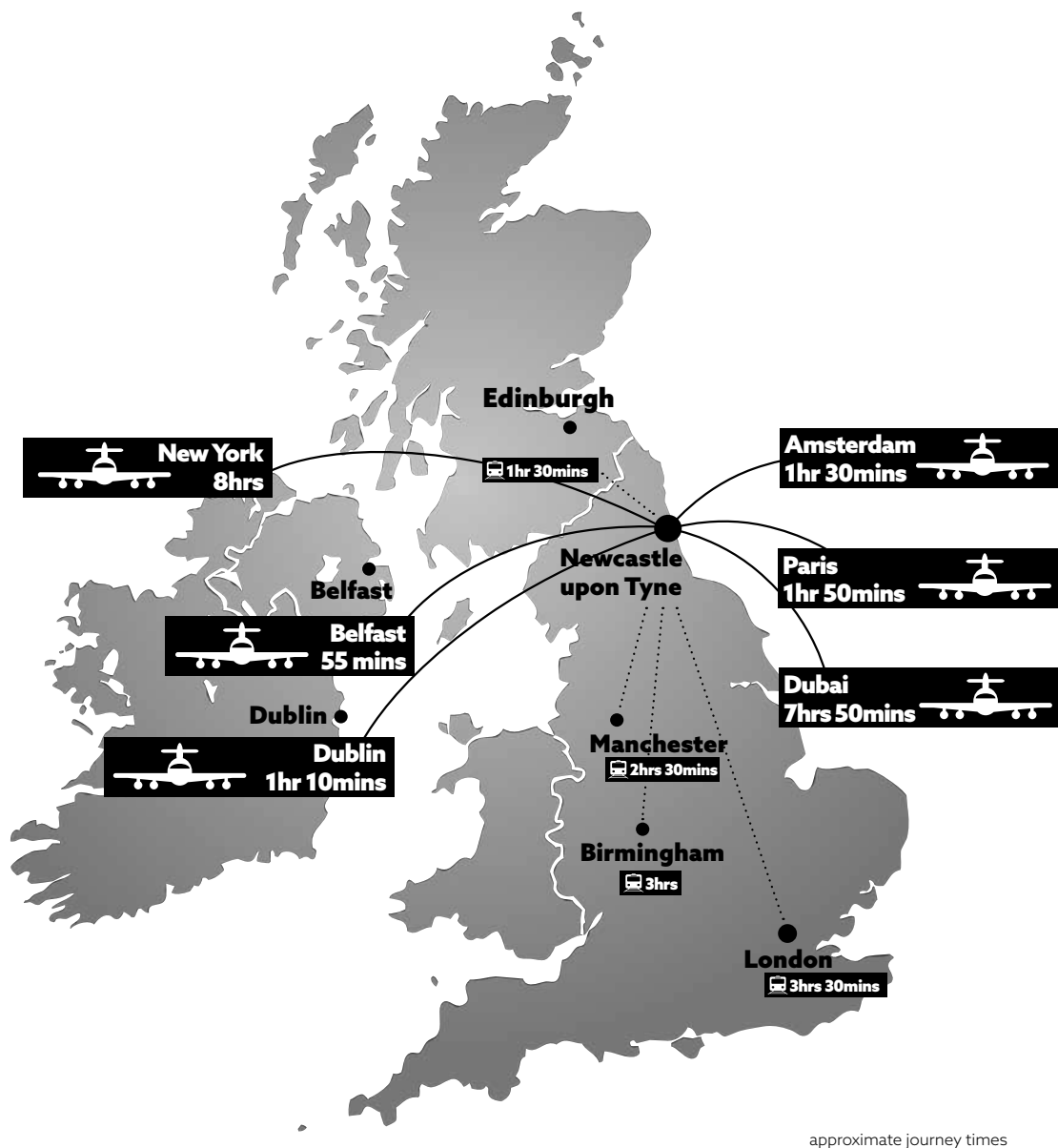
The International Year One - Business is a degree preparation programme for international students who want to study on one of the many Northumbria University undergraduate business degrees, but don't quite have the right entry qualifications to gain direct entry in to year one.

The programme is the equivalent of the first year of an undergraduate degree and on successful completion of the International Year One, you will join directly into year two of your chosen programme of study. By choosing an International Year One you will still be able to complete your degree in three years (or four if your target degree includes a placement year).

📖 Level	Level 4 - 1st Year of Undergraduate Degree	
📅 Start dates	October and January	October and July
🕒 Duration	9 months	12 months
£ Tuition fee	£15,500	£19,500
✅ English language requirements	IELTS 5.5 with no element less than 5.5	IELTS 5.5 with no element less than 5.0
🖥 Mode of study	Full-time - seminars, lectures, tutorials and workshops	
🕒 Class hours per week	24 hours	
👥 Average class size	18	
📋 Assessment methods	Coursework and exams - including portfolios, essays, reports, reflection, exams, poster presentation and group work	
✅ Entry requirements	Good High School Grades or equivalent	
£ Financial support	Please check pathway.northumbria.ac.uk/scholarships-and-bursaries for more details and full terms and conditions	

In order to progress onto your chosen undergraduate degree you must achieve 40% on your programme. Upon successful completion and subject to specific entry requirements, you can go on to join the second year of a range of business undergraduate degrees at Northumbria University.

For more information about our Year One - Business programme please visit: pathway.northumbria.ac.uk/international-year-one



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*Please note: The International Year One – Business is undergoing revalidation in November 2020, for the purpose of further aligning to the Business School at Northumbria University. Changes are anticipated to course content and modules and will come into effect from the October 2021 intake. Please refer to this course page for the most up-to-date information. As soon as the updates are confirmed we will update this course page and inform applicants at the earliest opportunity.