## University of Bristol Erasmus+ Programme Fact Sheet 2019-20

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### Academic Calendar (2019-20)
- **Autumn Semester:** 23 September 2019 – 24 January 2020  
  *(Autumn Semester Orientation on 22 September 2020)*  
- **Spring Semester:** 22 January 2020 – 15 June 2020  
  *(Spring Semester Orientation on 22 January 2020)*

### Application Deadline
- **Autumn Semester:** 26 July  
- **Spring Semester:** 22 November

### Nomination of Students
Please send a list of nominated students to global-opportunities@bristol.ac.uk including name and email address. We will follow up with information to students about how to apply. We don’t have a specific nomination deadline but please be advised that it can take 3-4 weeks to process applications.

### Study Guides & Unit Options
Please direct all your students to our Study Guides before they apply. The Study Guides contain important information about unit options and should be read carefully.  
https://www.bristol.ac.uk/global-opportunities/at-bristol/erasmus/study-options/

### English language proficiency requirements
We require all students to have a minimum B2 English language level. For students travelling to the UK on an EU passport, we do not require an English language certificate. For students who require a visa to travel to the
UK, we require proof of English language level for UK Visa and Immigration purposes. Please see the Visa pages of our website for more details: [https://www.bristol.ac.uk/global-opportunities/at-bristol/erasmus/application-process/](https://www.bristol.ac.uk/global-opportunities/at-bristol/erasmus/application-process/)

**Duration of exchange:**
Bristol accepts exchange students both for semester-long and year-long exchanges; please refer to the Erasmus+ Study Guides for specific details. [http://www.bristol.ac.uk/global-opportunities/at-bristol/erasmus/study-options/](http://www.bristol.ac.uk/global-opportunities/at-bristol/erasmus/study-options/)

**Documents required for exchange application:**
- Signed ECTS Learning Agreement
- Visa request form (for non-EU students)
- English language certificate (for non-EU students)

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**Visa Information**
Non-EU Students coming for more than 6-months must apply for a Tier IV General Student Visa.
Non-EU students coming for less than 6-months will receive a Student Visitor Visa letter.
Students will need to contact global-opportunities@bristol.ac.uk as early as possible to arrange a visa.
Please note that UK Visa and Immigration may require formal evidence of English language level in the form of an approved language exam such as IELTS.
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**Accommodation**
Unfortunately, we cannot guarantee Erasmus+ students a place in university accommodation, so we strongly recommend that Erasmus+ students start investigating private rental options as early as possible. The Accommodation Office can help with finding private housing.
Accommodation costs vary greatly: private housing can cost from £375 to £600 per month, not including bills. **We strongly recommend that students arrive a few weeks before the start of term to find private accommodation.** Erasmus+ students are welcome to apply for a place in University accommodation once they have received an official offer letter from us, but it is important to remember that they are not guaranteed a place.
[http://www.bristol.ac.uk/accommodation/undergraduate/placements.html](http://www.bristol.ac.uk/accommodation/undergraduate/placements.html)