Welcome, students from the USA

An international community
The University of Bristol is friendly, exciting and diverse, with one in four of our students coming from outside the UK. Many students from the USA study here, and we would love for you to join us.

A world of opportunities
Societies are a great way to meet like-minded friends and share your culture with others. Our student clubs include the International Students Network and over 400 more for different interests and hobbies.

A diverse city
The city of Bristol is home to people from 187 countries, speaking 91 languages. A friendly, safe city with historic and quirky British culture, Bristol offers an amazing student experience.

Inspirational alumni
Our international network of over 150,000 alumni includes more than 6,000 students from the USA, who are employed at organisations including LabCorp, Facebook, Blue Origin, the US government and universities around the US.

‘My programme and the University have far exceeded my expectations. Bristol has a wonderful community feel that encourages you to get involved with a wide variety of clubs, activities and events. I received excellent support while preparing for my studies as an international student.’

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(MSc Global Wildlife Health and Conservation)
Entry requirements
We accept a wide range of qualifications for undergraduate and postgraduate courses. The table below will give you an idea of the typical requirements for each study level.

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| **Undergraduate** (BA, BEng, BSc, BDS, BVSc, LLB, MArts, MEng, MSci, MBChB) | High school diploma (or equivalent) with a GPA of 3.2 minimum (3.4 for competitive courses) and a total of three from the following list:  
  - New SAT (evidence-based reading and writing section only) with a minimum of 650  
  - ACT with a minimum score of 24  
  - Any AP subject(s) with a score of at least 4 (more commonly 5)*  
  - A full-year honors-level course at B+ or a full-year college-level course at B+ or higher. Note: each AP counts towards the three; acceptable examples would include three APs or two APs and one SAT.  
  *Some courses require a specific test score:  
  - Any course asking for maths must have AP Calculus BC at grade 5  
  - Engineering courses accept either AP Physics 1, AP Physics 2 or both AP Physics C tests to meet the subject requirement. | bristol.ac.uk/undergraduate |
| **Postgraduate taught** (Master’s: MSc, MA, MRes, LLM) | Undergraduate (bachelor’s) degree that is equivalent to a UK upper second class degree (also known as a 2:1). This is equivalent to a CGPA of 3.2 or above. | bristol.ac.uk/postgraduate |
| **Postgraduate research** (PhD) | A 2-year master’s degree from the USA or a 1-year master’s from the UK. A research proposal may be required. | bristol.ac.uk/postgraduate |

Specific entry requirements are listed on individual course pages online. Please find further information about applying on our website at bristol.ac.uk/study-usa.

Scholarships
In addition to University of Bristol scholarships, funding opportunities for US students include Fulbright Scholarships, Marshall Scholarships and Rotary Foundation Scholarships. US loans are also accepted. For the latest information, please visit bristol.ac.uk/international-scholarships.

Find out more
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