

WELCOME, STUDENTS FROM KENYA

Founded in 1876, the University of Bristol has a global reputation for high-quality education and research.

Wide-ranging expertise

The University offers around 600 undergraduate and postgraduate degrees across a wide range of subjects.

An international community

Bristol is home to over 30,000 undergraduates and postgraduates. Nearly 33% of our students come from outside the UK.

We have around 50 students from Kenya currently studying here, and would love for you to join us.

A diverse city

Bristol is a friendly, vibrant place with a distinctive culture and rich history. Our multicultural city is home to people from more than 185 countries, speaking 90 languages. There are a number of restaurants where East African food is available.

A world of opportunities

You can celebrate cultural events, share experiences and connect with students from around the world at Bristol's Global Lounge.

Societies are another great way to meet like-minded friends and share your culture with others. Our 350+ student clubs include African & Caribbean Society, East African Society and many more.

Bristol Students' Union runs regular events, starting from Welcome Week, for you to find friends and build your community.

Inspirational alumni

Our international alumni network includes more than 300 graduates in Kenya. Past Bristol students are employed at organisations including Ericsson, the Government of Kenya, Wildlife Direct, the Ministry of Education, the Kenya Embassy, Moi University, PwC, Teachers Service Commission, the University of Nairobi and Anjarwalla & Khanna.

'I enjoyed interacting with classmates and lecturers. Being surrounded by supportive people made the experience easier and more enjoyable. The lecturers went above and beyond to help in our studies. I left with not only a degree but also many memories and experiences that I will forever cherish.'

Saum, Kenya

Assistant Engineer at MIBP Consulting Engineers Ltd
(MSc Water and Environmental Management graduate)



TOP10
in the UK*

54TH
in the world*



APPLYING TO BRISTOL

Entry requirements

We accept a wide range of qualifications. You can find specific entry requirements on individual course pages online. The table below will give you an idea of the typical requirements for each study level.

Please contact us to check your specific entry requirements and ask any questions before applying.

English language requirements

You will need to show proof of your English language ability. We accept a wide range of qualifications and tests which are listed on our English language profile pages. Courses have different requirements, and more information can be found on our course pages online.

If you have studied at a Kenyan high school or university, you may be exempt from having to provide evidence of English language ability. The KCSE can also be used to meet English requirements. Please check our English language profile pages.

Degree type	Accepted qualifications	More information
International Foundation Programme	KCSE minimum of 5 subjects with grade B (or above) You may be asked to achieve a particular grade in required subjects	bristol.ac.uk/ifp
Undergraduate (Bachelor's: BA, BEng, BSc, BDS, BVSc, LLB, MArts, MEng, MSci, MBChB)	One of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• High school qualifications combined with a successfully completed appropriate foundation/bridging programme• First year of a Kenyan university bachelor's degree from accredited institutions• Kenyan university diploma from accredited institutions• International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma• British A-levels	bristol.ac.uk/undergraduate
Postgraduate taught (Master's: MSc, MA, MRes, LLM)	An accredited undergraduate (bachelor's) degree equivalent to a UK upper second-class degree (also known as a 2:1)	bristol.ac.uk/postgraduate
Postgraduate research (PhD)	Master's degree from a government recognised institution	bristol.ac.uk/postgraduate

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Scholarships

Our Think Big scholarship scheme supports international students from around the world. We are investing up to £3.5 million in University of Bristol scholarships for overseas students in 2025.

Other funding opportunities may be available from partners and sponsors.

For the latest information and to apply, visit: bristol.ac.uk/international-scholarships

Tuition fees

Tuition fees will depend on your course and your fee status. For the latest information about tuition fees, visit: bristol.ac.uk/tuition-fees

Find out more
bristol.ac.uk/study-kenya-25

Visit our Kenya webpage to:

- Find out how to apply
- Get more information about entry requirements
- See a list of our education representatives (agents) in your country

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