Which FACTORS are most important for you, when choosing where you study for your degree?

CXK Careers

Top Tip: Use this guide to help you decide what your TOP FIVE FACTORS are.

Learning

Lectures	Seminars	Tutorials	Practical	Academic	Sandwich Year
Fixed Syllabus	Fixed Syllabus with some optional modules	Optional Syllabus	Student Satisfaction Rate	Tutor Contact Time	Distance Learning
In Person Learning	Hybrid Learning (mixture of In Person & Distance Learning)	Trips and Visits	Industry links	Term or Year Abroad	Accredited by professional body (E.g. BPS)
Exam Exemptions (E.g. Accountancy)	Good Graduate Employment After Graduating	Research Quality	Exam Based Assessment	Course Work Assessment	Viva Assessment
Assessment by Performance (E.g. Music or Drama)	Assessment by Presentation or Final Project	Final Exhibition Assessment (E.g. Art or Design)	Non-aligned University (not Russell, Million Plus or University Alliance Groups	Sector Specialist HEI (E.g. Art, Drama or Music)	Million Plus Group
Russell Group	University Alliance Group				

Social

Pubs	Nightclubs	Cafes
Museums	Libraries	Liberal Culture
Comedy Clubs	Art Activities	Live Music
Drama	Societies & Clubs	Conservative Culture
Adventure Sports	UOTC	Sport Facilities (E.g. Gyms)
Team Sports (BUCS)	Active Student Union	Radical or Progressive Culture

Living

Cost of Living	City	Campus Based
Distance from Accommodation to Campus	Town	Non-Campus Based
Halls Available	Countryside	Satellite Campus
Same or Neighbouring county as home	Seaside	College Campus (HEI)
Far from home (different country?)	Additional Bursaries &/or grants	Additional Support E.g. Careers Guidance, Counselling or Additional Needs
Good Public Transport	Sponsored Degree	Availability of Part Time Work

Note: This is not a definitive list, just a starting point for your research. If you aren't sure what some of these options are, speak to your independent Careers Advisers in school or college, or speak to a National Careers Service Adviser - 0800 900 100