



# PATHWAYS 2024/25

## INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

The International Foundation Programme offers an excellent opportunity to fully prepare students for undergraduate studies and life in the UK. It's designed to help international students develop their English language, academic skills and subject-specific knowledge. You will study alongside international students and you will be guided by academics, tutors and support staff who specialise in supporting our international students.

<b>Level</b>	Foundation – NQF Level 3	
<b>Start dates</b>	October and January	
<b>Duration</b>	2 terms (8 months)	3 terms (10 months)
<b>Tuition fee</b>	£11,500	£14,000
<b>Mode of study</b>	Full time - seminars, lectures, workshops, and tutorials	
<b>Class hours per week</b>	16-20 hours	
<b>Maximum class size</b>	18	
<b>Assessment</b>	Coursework, presentations, portfolios, projects and in-class tests	
<b>GCSE/IGCSE</b>	5 Passes 9 to 4 (48 UCAS points) from either 1 A Level and 1 AS or a minimum of 2 AS Level qualifications.	
<b>Age requirements</b>	17 – must turn 18 within 3 months of starting your pathway programme	
<b>English Language Requirements</b>	IELTS 5.0 (with no single element below 4.5) – (2-term IFP)	
	IELTS 4.5 (with no single element below 4.0) – you will need to complete an additional term of English before joining the International Foundation Programme (3-term IFP)	

- Build your intercultural skills and integrate with UK student life
- 6 subject-specific pathways, guaranteeing you entry to one of over 60 undergraduate degrees at the University of South Wales
- Study in a fully embedded Pathway College where you're part of the university campus from day one [8i9 4592990.891s 0 EFF0ei ec1heA 5](#)



