



study abroad UNITED KINGDOM

Manchester Metropolitan University (MMU)

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Location

MMU is in the heart of Manchester, England, a diverse city of 2.5 million, located in the country's northwest. A city of young people, 65% of Manchester's population is under 45. With many cafés, restaurants, great shopping, direct air access to the US and Europe, and major rail access within the UK, Manchester is an excellent place to live while you study.

The University

With seven campuses, including five in the Manchester area, and 80,000 students, MMU is the UK's largest university, but with the feel of a small community of scholars and learners. Students get to interact closely with their professors. Most students at MMU are from the UK, but many also come from around the globe.

Course Options

With more than 30 programs of study, including art, health, business, sport science, clothing design, English, geography, history, and the sciences, MMU has virtually something for every student.

Accommodations & Meals

MMU has 18 residence halls, all with excellent facilities. Some halls include meal plans, while others are considered 'self-catering', where students purchase their own food and are able to prepare it in shared kitchens. Manchester also has a wealth of restaurants, ranging from American to Indian. The city is famed for its 'Curry Mile', a string of Indian restaurants within walking distance of MMU.

Students' Union

MMU has a very active students' union—membership in the union is mandatory, but free for all students. Among other benefits, membership in the students' union gives you access to inexpensive student group travel opportunities within the UK and in Europe.

Eligibility & Application

Any full-time SDSU student at the sophomore level or above and in good academic standing may apply for the MMU program. Students in any major may apply, but are encouraged to consult with their respective academic advisor before beginning the application process. There is no minimum GPA, but students with a 2.5 GPA or better are more likely to be accepted into the program. In addition to an application form, students are required to submit official transcripts, two letters of reference, and a written statement of purpose as part of the application process. Spaces are limited and admission to the program is competitive. Deadlines for application are March 15 for Fall semester or full-year admissions, and September 15 for Spring semester admissions.

Costs & Financial Aid

The cost of the SDSU-MMU program is approximately 15-25% more than what you would pay to attend SDSU, depending upon housing and other choices (see the SDSU Office of International Affairs for a detailed budget breakdown). Students pay SDSU tuition and fees here, and pay for housing and meals at MMU. Additional costs include international airfare, passport (and visa, for full-year students), and personal expenses, including additional travel. This program is eligible for state and federal financial aid. Please consult the SDSU Office of Financial Aid for details.

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