

Sunderland in numbers

Sunderland is an ideal destination to study, live and explore as an international student. It blends the city, the seaside, and the countryside with the energy of a large city yet the charm of a little town.

From award-winning beaches to beautiful parks and hundreds of activities to try, Sunderland has something to suit everyone. With an international and multicultural community, you will feel right at home.

Sunderland is only

30 minutes

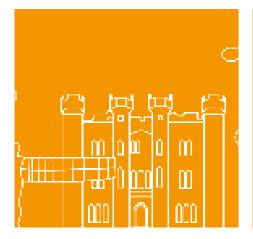
away from Newcastle Upon Tyne.



The Stadium of Light has

10th

largest capacity of any English football stadium.



just3.5 hoursfrom London by train.



The Sunderland Empire Theatre accommodates

2,200 people

making it one of the largest venues in the North East.



Home to Sunderland Football Club with space for

49,000 spectators.

Living Costs Sunderland vs London

Other than being an amazing city to live in with various things to explore, Sunderland is based in the North East of England, one of the most affordable regions in the UK, making **ON**CAMPUS Sunderland one of the best value options available to you.

See below for a comparison of how the cost of studying at Sunderland compares to the cost of study in London, and how your living costs may vary over the course of one year.

Average price:

University Gym Membership



Sunderland £10.00 per month London £20.00 per month

Rent (En-suite studio)



Sunderland £99.33 per week London £312.76 per week

Coffee



Sunderland £1.50 London £2.50

Theatre ticket



Sunderland £20.00 London £25.00 Bus ticket



Sunderland £4.00 for a day travelcard London £5.90 for a day travelcard

Sandwich



Sunderland £2.00 London £3.95

Living in Sunderland



7th safest place to live in the UK.

Accent Group, 2021





Sports and activities

The Stadium of Light, only 21 minutes by train from the city centre, is home to Sunderland Football Club. It seats 49,000 people, making it a great destination for any football fans to enjoy a game

The University's CitySpace is a £12 million sports and social facility with 70 station fitness gym, 6 badminton courts and an indoor climbing wall.

The Students' Union has over 40 societies, which are a great way to get involved in university life and make friends. **ON**CAMPUS Sunderland students have access to Student Union facilities from day one.

Places of worship

There are over 15 places of worship within 5 miles of Sunderland city centre. The University of Sunderland was also named University of the Year for Social Inclusion (The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide 2021), making it a diverse and welcoming city.

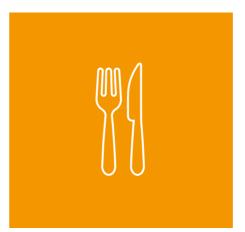
The City Campus has prayer facilities for Muslim students and the St Peter's Campus has an Interfaith Chaplaincy Centre dedicated for all faiths. There are several faith-based societies available for students to join which reflects the University's diversity and multicultural community.

Living in Sunderland

Sunderland offers plenty to do and see during your time as a student. It also has a fantastic and diverse culinary scene, with a wide variety of places to eat and drink on a student budget.

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Places to eat



If you are a fan of steak, visit **Miller & Carter Steakhouse** for the best steak in town.









Enfes Restaurant offers Mediterranean cuisines like Kebab and it has been voted as the "Traveller's Choice 2021" (TripAdvisor).











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Things to do



Visit the **National Glass Centre** and explore the different exhibition galleries, artists' studios and production facilities.





The Bridges shopping centre is your go-to place for popular high street brands and lots of restaurant options.





Enjoy the beautiful coastline at hidden gems such as **Seaburn** and **Roker beaches**.

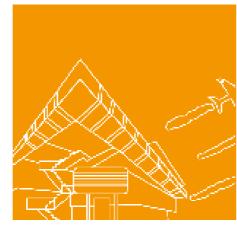












Take a walk around **Mowbray Park** which sits at the heart of the city and has 2 tennis courts and a walking track.



Instagrammable Sunderland

Visit some of the most Instagramable spots in Sunderland and start sharing your favourite places with #oncampus #Sunderland.

Scan the QR codes to walk through these places on Google maps before you visit in real life.



























