

PARENTS' GUIDE

Key dates and information guiding
you through your child's journey
to university.



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Your support and guidance is important in helping your child to secure their place at university. We have created a guide of key dates to give you an insight into the student's journey to Northumbria University.

UK No.1 for graduate start-ups

* Based on estimated turnover and number of jobs created (HEBCIS 2016/17)

"I really love living in Newcastle because it's such a friendly place to be."

Beatrice Holiday,
BA Primary Education student

"I don't worry at all when she's on campus."

Anne Robinson,
Mother of BA Primary Education student

Silver teaching excellence award



* Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF)



24hr security and the Safe Zone smart phone app

"When you've got your daughter at university and they're enjoying it, that's the best thing possible for any parent."

Jill Ross,
Mother of LLB Law Foundation student

"I knew as soon as I came to Northumbria, it was the right place for me."

Madeline Brown,
LLB Law Foundation student

Top 10 for graduates in Employment

* Based on total number of graduates in professional jobs, source: DLHE 16/17

NU Experience Days – Book Now

Exclusive events for Northumbria's undergraduate offer holders, designed to be more focused on the course your son or daughter has applied for.

- Detailed overview of subjects through interactive sessions;
- Meet academic staff and students;
- Find out what it's like to be a part of your child's course community;
- Explore the campus, accommodation and city;
- Learn more about student life, funding and affordability.

Your child can book now at
northumbria.ac.uk/nuexperience



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- Preparation Tips:**
- 1** Make sure your child is registered at a doctors near their new home.
 - 2** TV license – don't forget your child will need one.
 - 3** Pots and pans – check your child's accommodation before buying useful items.
 - 4** Bedding – make sure your child packs the right size bedding.

2019 Academic Planner

	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Wed			1 Exam period							Wed
Thur			2			1				Thur
Fri	1		3	Prom season starts!		2			1	Fri
Sat	2		4	1		3			2	Sat
Sun	3		5	2		4	1		3	Sun
Mon	4	1	6	3	1	5	2		4 Northumbria Graduate Jobs & Placements Fair	2
Tue	5	2	7	4	2	6 SQA results day	3	1	5 ↓	3
Wed	6	3	8	5	3	7	4	2 Careers Workshops	6 Careers Workshops	4 Careers Workshops
Thur	7	4	9	6	4	8	5	3	7	5
Fri	8	5	10	7	5	9	6	4	8	6
Sat	9	6	11	8	6	10	7	5	9	7
Sun	10	7	12	9	7	11	8	6	10	8
Mon	11	8 Easter Break	13	10	8	12	9	7	11	9
Tue	12	9	14	11	9	13	10	8	12	10
Wed	13 NU Experience Day	10	15	12	10	14	11	9 Careers Workshops	13 Careers Workshops	11 Careers Workshops
Thur	14	11	16	13	11	15 A-Level results day. Clearing Hotline Open +44 (0)800 085 1085	12	10	14	12
Fri	15	12	17	14	12	16	13	11	15	13
Sat	16	13	18	15	13	17	14	12	16	14
Sun	17	14	19	16	14	18	15	13	17	15
Mon	18	14	20	17	15	19	16	14	18	16
Tue	19	16	21	18	16	20	17	15	19	17
Wed	20	17	22	19	17	21	18	16 Careers Workshops	20 Careers Workshops	18 Careers Workshops
Thur	21	18	23	20	18	22 GCSE results day	19 Moving In	17	21	19
Fri	22	19	24	21	19	23	20 Freshers' Week	18	22	20
Sat	23	20	25	22	20	24	21	19	23	21
Sun	24	21	26	23	21	25	22	20	24	22
Mon	25	22	27	24	22	26	23	21	25	23 Winter Break
Tue	26	23	28	25	23	27	24 Societies Fair	22	26	24
Wed	27	24	29	26	24	28	25	22 Careers Workshops	27 Careers Workshops	25
Thur	28	25	30	27	25	29	26	24	28	26
Fri	29	26 ↓	31 ↓	28	26	30	27	25	29	27
Sat	30 NU Experience Day	27	End of May: Expected Student Finance Application Deadline	29	27	31	28	26	30	28
Sun	31	28		30 UCAS final application deadline	28		29	27	30	29
Mon		29			29		30 Teaching Starts. Northumbria Part-Time Jobs Fair.	28		30 ↓
Tue		30			30			29		31 Winter Break ends: 10/01/2020
Wed					31			30		
Thur								31		