

# Leeds Metropolitan University United Kingdom

## Fact Sheet



### Website

Leeds Metropolitan University homepage:

<http://www.leedsmet.ac.uk/>

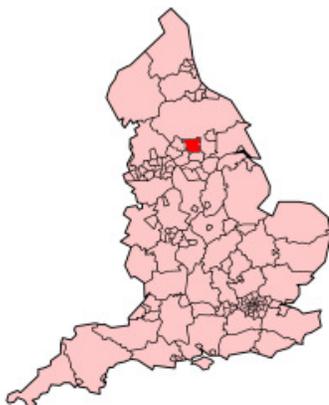
Webpage for International Exchange students:

[http://www.leedsmet.ac.uk/international/index\\_International\\_Exchangees.htm](http://www.leedsmet.ac.uk/international/index_International_Exchangees.htm)

### Location

Leeds, United Kingdom

The recreational and social facilities at Leeds Met are excellent. Leeds is an exciting and lively city, large enough to have many leisure activities, yet small enough to have everything within easy reach. The county of Yorkshire has a reputation for friendliness, and is located in the centre of the UK – making it easy to visit other cities in the UK and use direct air links to several European cities, so weekends in Paris, Amsterdam or Barcelona for example are easy and relatively inexpensive.



### Accommodation costs

Costs vary for different types of accommodation and facilities; typically rent is between £62 – £105 per week. Higher priced accommodation usually comprises en-suite facilities and some University residences have gym facilities.

### Costs

The cost of living in Leeds is lower than other parts of the UK, particularly London and the south. Don't forget that you'll also get a student discount at many shops, restaurants, cinemas, clubs and you can also take advantage of the Leeds Card, offering a huge range of benefits for a tiny annual fee.

[http://www.leedsmet.ac.uk/intemat/livinginleeds\\_value.htm](http://www.leedsmet.ac.uk/intemat/livinginleeds_value.htm)

### Currency

The United Kingdom monetary system is based on the pound sterling. The pound is divided into 100 pence (pennies). All transactions are made using coins in denominations of 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50 pence and 1, and bills in denominations of 5, 10, 20, and 50 pounds.

### Visas

All US nationals require a visa/entry clearance to study in the UK, even if you are coming to the UK for 6 months or less. If you do not have the correct entry clearance or visa then you will not be allowed to enter the UK and may be asked to return home. It is important you enter the UK on a student/prospective student visa as the immigration rules do not allow visa nationals to change visa status to that of student whilst in the UK. **For more information see:** <http://www.leedsmet.ac.uk/intemat/prearrival/immigrationandvisas/doineedtoapplyforavisa.htm>

### Disciplines

During your studies you will take part in seminar and tutorial work where the emphasis is on open discussion and debate with both your fellow students and academic staff. Assessment of your overall academic performance will include your participation and involvement in these discussions and debates.

### Structure of University

The University is one of the largest and most popular in the UK with over 52,000 students. Partnerships with further education colleges mean Leeds Met has over 100,000 associate students. Leeds Met has a vibrant and growing international community with over 4,000 international students from well over 100 countries. There are many reasons why students choose to study at Leeds Metropolitan University.

### Average semester work-load

Our undergraduate programs are made up of individual modules, so you may be able to 'mix and match' your course to a certain extent.

Whilst most courses have 'core' modules which cannot be changed, you may be able to choose relevant optional modules that suit you. Many of our courses are available part-time.

### Courses

The University offers high-quality, internationally recognised courses. Our [online prospectus](#) contains descriptions of all courses.

### General Semester dates

Fall: August to December and Spring: January to May

### For More Information Contact:

Course Enquiries

Leeds Metropolitan University

Civic Quarter

Leeds, LS1 3HE

United Kingdom For general course enquiries and literature request

Email: [course-enquiries@leedsmet.ac.uk](mailto:course-enquiries@leedsmet.ac.uk)

For advice on applying and course specific literature

Email: [internationaloffice@leedsmet.ac.uk](mailto:internationaloffice@leedsmet.ac.uk)