

# Undergraduate Open day

Saturday 26 April 2025



Scan the QR code to view the course talk and taster schedule.

MAKE WAVES Welcome to Southampton Solent University's open day, we're so excited to welcome you to our state-of-the-art campus and hope your visit enables you to get a real feel of what it's like to be a student here.

During your visit you'll see why we have been awarded triple gold for teaching excellence (TEF 2023) with tours of our amazing facilities, by speaking to our academics about our courses, visiting the accommodation and meeting with our support teams who can answer any questions you have on student life here at Solent.

If you have any questions during your visit, speak to one of our friendly Student Ambassadors, or visit one of the Information points located within the Spark, where one of the team will be very happy to help you.

We hope you have a fantastic day!

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Plan your day around the course sessions and then decide what other activity you might want to schedule into your day.

Our free shuttle bus from East Park Terrace down to our Chantry residence departs from outside the library every 30 minutes until 3pm.

Find a flyer in your goody bag for special open day catering promotions, discounts and deals. Complimentary refreshments are served in the Spark throughout the day.

Have your personal statement checked by our team and master the art of self-promotion. Find them in the Spark Atrium. Our multi faith space can be found in MBL04 (the library) and our sensory room is in JM108, accessed through the Spark atrium.

part of that commitment we recognise the important role we have to play in promoting sustainability and improving the quality of the environment for students, staff and the wider community.

Solent is committed to climate

and social justice – and as

To find out more visit www.solent.ac.uk/about/environment-sustainability













## **East Park Terrace**

- 1 Entrance
- 2 Welcome and registration
- 3 Information hub
- 4 Southampton city hub
- 5 Course information hub
- 6 Support services hub
- 7 Shuttle bus departure point (outside the library)
- 8 Maritime Simulation Suite
- 9 Re:S
- JM social space Media hatch demos

- 1 Library information hub
- 12 Complimentary food stalls
- 13 Solent Sport information hub
- 4 Alumni information hub
- 15 Campus tour departure point
- 16 Research hub
- 17 Complimentary ice cream
- 18 Competition stand
- Postgraduate hub (The Bridge, level 4)



Visit our Re:So store located in the Spark level 1 – and find out more about our unique retail initiative.



# **Building names**

The Spark (TS) | Solent Sports Complex (SB) | Sir John Everett Millais (JM) | Solent Library (ML) | Michael Andrews (A) Reginald Mitchell (RM) | Sir Christopher Cockerell (CC) | Herbert Collins (HC)

# **Catering outlets**



## East Park De

## JM building Open 8.30am-3pm

Offering freshly brewed Starbucks coffee, a variety of cold drinks along with sandwiches, snacks and cakes, jacket potatoes and soup.



## Costa Coffee

## Andrews building Open 9am-3pm

Freshly brewed Costa coffee as well as a range of food items including breakfast rolls, lunchtime meal deals, snacks and cakes.



## The Doc

## Andrews building | Open 11am-2pm

Offering an array of food options all under one roof. Check your goody bag for the latest offers available. The restaurant operates a click-and-collect service via the Everyday app.



## C-Store

## Andrews building | Open 9am-3pm

Our on campus convenience store, offering groceries, confectionery, sandwiches, snacks, drinks and coffee.



wheelchair rugby.

General Presentations	Duration	Location	Times
Welcome to Southampton Solent University: Our Vice Chancellor, Professor James Knowles, welcomes you to Southampton Solent.	30 mins	Jane Austen	9.30am
Admissions – next steps: Everything you need to know about the application process for 2025 and beyond, UCAS, deadlines and your next steps.	30 mins	Palmerston	11.30am
Funding your studies and cost of living support: Find out more about available funding and support and learn how Solent supports students through the cost of living crisis.	30 mins	Jane Austen	2.25pm
Sport at Solent: Join the team who will be covering everything Sport at Solent, from sport excellence and BUCS to school games, active campus and student sporting opportunities.	20 mins	Palmerston	2.25pm

Drop-in areas	Location	Times
<b>Course Information Hub:</b> Speak to the academic teams and find out more about your course of interest.	The Spark Atrium	9am-3pm
Support Services Information Hub, including: Admissions and Enrolment, Accommodation, Solent Careers and more.	The Spark Atrium	9am-3pm
Solent Library: Pop in to meet the team and find out more.	Solent Library	9.30am-3pm
<b>Sport at Solent:</b> Head to the Solent Sports Complex to hear from the team about sports, gym membership and clubs at Solent.	Solent Sports Complex	9am-3pm
Maritime Simulation Suite: Meet the team, take a tour and experience our 360 degree simulator.	Andrews concourse	9am-3pm

Tours	Location	Times
<b>Campus tour:</b> Head to the Andrews Building to join a tour. You can also visit the information hub in the Spark Atrium for answers to any campus-related questions pre and post tour.	Andrews Building	9.30am-3pm
Student residences: These tours last around 15 minutes and are run by our Residence Life Assistants. Students can tour the residence with one other guest only. See page 8 for more information.	Kimber residence (ensuite) and Chantry residence (non-ensuite)	9.30am-3.30pm
Accessible campus tours: All our campus tours are fully accessible, however these tours are at a slower pace, more descriptive and can be adapted to suit any additional needs.	Andrews Building	Anytime between 9.30am-2pm
<b>City tours:</b> Explore our beautiful city with Go Southampton. Visit the team at the Southampton City hub to join the tour. This tour will take approximately 40 mins.	Leaving from Southampton City Hub stand in the Spark atrium.	11.25am

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# Course talks and tasters

During your visit you will be able to attend both a course talk and a course taster. Both sessions are run by our academic course teams.

Course talks run at 10.15am-11.15am.

Course tasters run from 12.15pm and may last up to 2 hours.

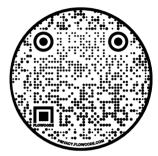
If you have not attended an open day before, please ensure you attend the course talks. If you miss the course talk, then our academic teams will be available to speak to throughout the day on the course information hub in the Spark Atrium.

The afternoon course taster will provide a fun, hands-on experience, offering you the chance to find out for yourself what life is like as a Solent student.

If you are interested in a foundation year that doesn't have a scheduled course talk and/or taster, please attend the session for the undergraduate course you wish to study.

# Scan the QR code to find your course talk and taster session.

If you are unsure on how to find your course session, please visit the information hub in the Spark Atrium. Our Student Ambassadors will walk you to your room and can answer any queries you may have on the way.



Please note parents/supporters are welcome to the course talks (space permitting), but we encourage student attendance only at the course tasters. Therefore, during this time parents/supporters are welcome to attend the parent tours and talks.

## Parent tours and talks

**Tours:** Join our Heads of Department, who will take you on a guided tour, showing you some of the amazing facilities we have here at Southampton Solent.

**Talks:** Our department talks offer the chance to meet with our Heads of Departments and ask them any questions you may have about our campus facilities, employability, student support and much more.

Department	Session	Location	Time
Art and music	Talk	TS517A/B	12.15pm-1.15pm
Business and law	Talk	TS111	12.15pm-1.15pm
Film and media	Tour	TS515	12.15pm-1.15pm
Maritime	Tour	TS511	12.15pm-1.15pm
Science and engineering	Talk	TS302	12.15pm-1.15pm
Social sciences and nursing	Talk	TS414A/B	12.15pm-1.15pm
Sport and health	Talk	TS202	12.15pm-1.15pm





## **Accommodation tours**

We have two residences open today from 9.30am – 3.30pm. Head down to our Chantry residence if you wish to take a tour. Afterwards, you can also visit the Kimber residence. The Kimber residence offers ensuite accommodation, and the Chantry residence offers non-en-suite, so we recommend visiting both to compare. The map on page 10 details the walking route and the locations of our residences, all of which are a 10–20 minute walk from the campus.

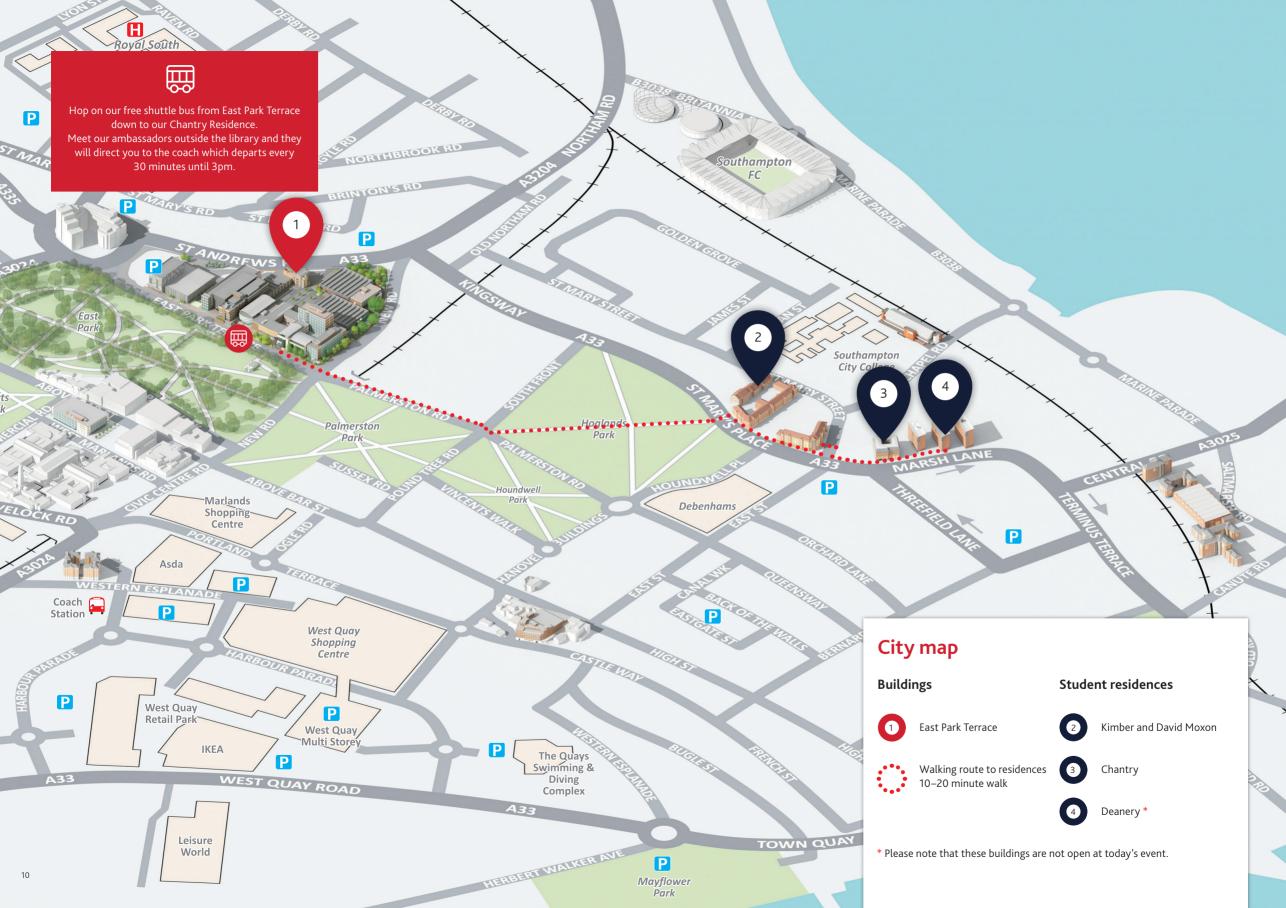
## Prefer to take the coach?

Hop on our free shuttle bus from East Park Terrace down to our Chantry residence. Meet our ambassadors outside the library and they will direct you to the coach which departs every 30 minutes until 3pm.

## Find out more

Visit our friendly accommodation team in the Spark Atrium who can answer any questions you may have.





# Plan your day

## Presentations Tours Talks **Drop-in sessions** Accessible campus Support septices Solent Library Sport at Solent Course tailed Residences Parent talk Parent tour 9am 9.15am 9.30am 9.45am 10am 10.15am 10.30am 10.45am 11am 11.15am 11.30am 11.45am 12pm 12.15pm 12.30pm 12.45pm 1pm 1.15pm 1.30pm 1.45pm 2pm 2.15pm 2.30pm 2.45pm 3pm 3.15pm 3.30pm 3.45pm

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# Spin the wheel and win...

Try your luck on our prize wheel located in the Spark Atrium, with a range of fantastic instant win prizes including popcorn, water bottles, chocolate and vouchers.

Good luck!

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