



# Swansea University Prifysgol Abertawe

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## Where is Swansea?

- Located on the stunning natural coastline of South Wales in the UK
- Just 3 hours away from London
- 1 hour away from Wales' International Airport and a short flight to visit many of the capital cities of Europe.

JUST 3 HOURS  
FROM LONDON BY TRAIN

Swansea offers a **thriving** city location, set within a stunning area of **outstanding natural beauty**

Swansea is a **Dual Campus University**, and is the **closest University to a beach in the world**



1 HOUR FROM WALES'  
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT



# Why Swansea?

1. Remarkable location
2. Reputation – Welsh Uni of the Year 2025
3. Students Union
4. Health and Wellbeing
5. Sports and Societies





# Swansea City

- A small safe city with a population of approx. 250,000
- **A short distance from our campuses** and a **vibrant hub** with a great choice of shops, cafes, restaurants and bars and an indoor market that's home to all sorts of local delicacies
- A number of **cultural places** to visit: the Dylan Thomas Centre, the National Waterfront Museum and Glynn Vivian Art Gallery
- **A beautiful maritime quarter**
- The Swansea.com Stadium home to Swansea City football club
- Swansea Arena – thriving entertainment Arena opened in 2022!







# Our University



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- Founded in 1920
  - The UK's first campus university
  - Dual campus, on a beach and in a park
  - One mile from city centre
  - 17,500 students: 3,500 international & EU
  - Students from over 130 countries
  - 2,500 staff
  - 11 Schools split across 3 Faculties
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**Singleton Park Campus**

**Bay Campus**





# Singleton Campus

An aerial photograph of the Singleton Campus, showing a large complex of modern university buildings with flat roofs and glass facades. The campus is surrounded by lush green trees and lawns. In the background, a wide, sandy beach meets the ocean under a clear sky. The overall scene is bright and sunny, suggesting a clear day.

- 2/3 of students are taught on Singleton Campus



# Course Overview on Singleton Campus



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- **School of Culture and Communication:** English Language and Literature, Modern Languages, Media & Communication, History & Classics
- **School of Social Sciences:** Politics and International Relations, Philosophy, Education, Criminology, Social Sciences
- **School of Law**
- **School of Psychology**
- **School of Health and Social Care:** Health and Social Care, Osteopathy, Social Work
- **School of Biosciences Geography and Physics:** Biosciences, Geography, Geo-Informatics, Marine Biology, Physics, Zoology
- **Swansea University Medical School:** Applied Medical Sciences, Medical Biochemistry, Medical Genetics



# Bay Campus

- Opened in 2016
- £450m investment
- Directly on the beach



# Course Overview on Bay Campus



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- **School of Aerospace, Civil, Electrical, General and Mechanical Engineering**
- **School of Engineering and Applied Sciences:** Chemistry, Chemical Engineering, Biomedical Engineering, Materials Science and Sport and Exercise Science
- **School of Management:** Accounting, Business, Finance, Management, Marketing
- **School of Social Sciences:** Economics
- **School of Maths and Computer Science**



# Student Support



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- **Pre-Arrival Administrative Support**
  - Go Global Team
- **Academic Support while in Swansea:**
  - Tutors
  - College Staff
- **Non-Academic Support while in Swansea:**
  - International@CampusLife
  - Visas/Immigration
  - Wellbeing Centre
  - Disability Services
  - Faith Provision





# Events / Student life



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## Go Global team:

- Orientation
- Christmas party
- End of year party at the end of the year
- Other cultural events (Bonfire Night 5<sup>th</sup> November, St, David's Day 1<sup>st</sup> March)
- Buddy Scheme

## International@CampusLife:

- Events and monthly trips (all year round)
- Trips around Swansea, Tenby, Cardiff, Bristol
- Film nights, quiz nights, group meals, exercise classes
- Volunteering opportunities – beach cleans, dog walking and more!





# Sports



- Sport is popular at Swansea
- Sports clubs to suit every interest
- Varsity- Swansea v Cardiff is the biggest student sports event in Wales

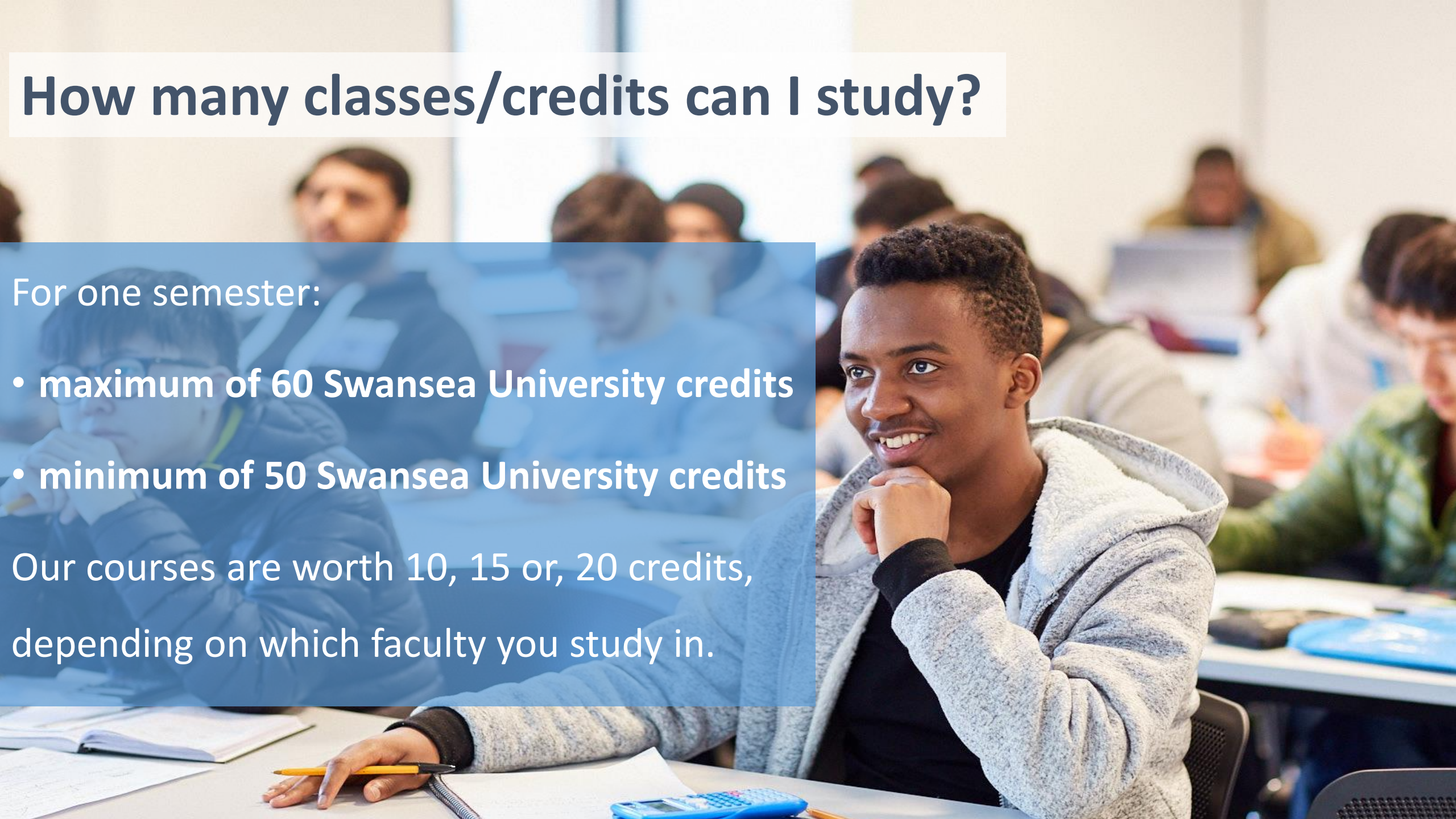


# How many classes/credits can I study?

For one semester:

- maximum of 60 Swansea University credits
- minimum of 50 Swansea University credits

Our courses are worth 10, 15 or, 20 credits, depending on which faculty you study in.





# How and when can I apply?



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1. You must be nominated by your home university for the relevant academic period, i.e. Fall, Spring or full academic year
2. Once nominated, apply to Swansea online  
(<https://www.swansea.ac.uk/studyabroad/factsheet/>)
3. Application deadlines are published on our factsheet

# Semester Dates



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## Semester 1 (Fall)

End of September to late January

## Semester 2 (Spring)

End of January to early June





# Accommodation Costs for 2024/25\*



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University accommodation costs on average:

**Minimum £140 per week** depending on your campus and room choice

Also some off-campus options available

<https://www.swansea.ac.uk/accommodation/>

*\*costs are subject to change*



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