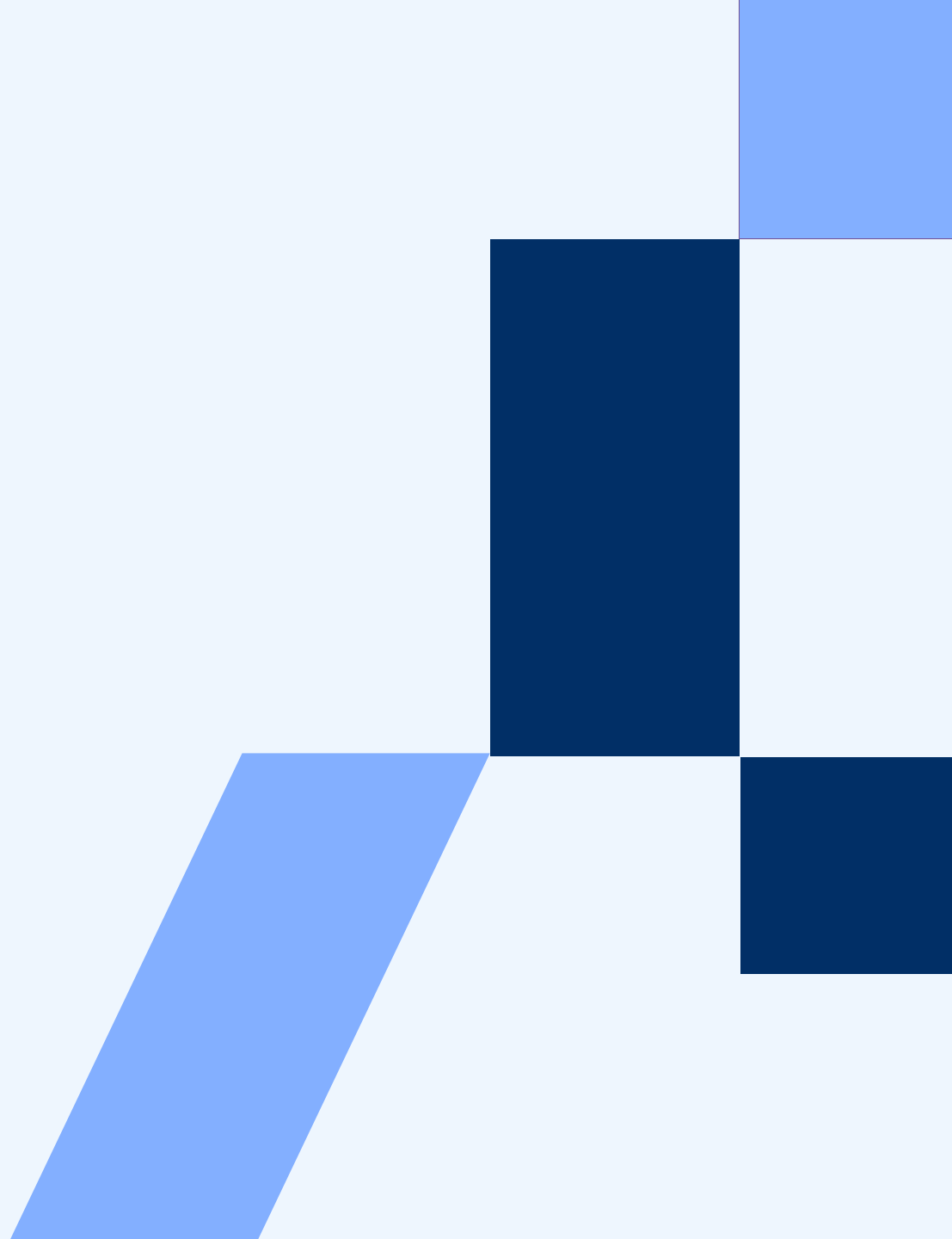


Arrivals 2025



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Pre-Arrival

Kent Global Connect is a series of online webinars designed to help students learn more about the University and student life in the UK.

<https://www.kent.ac.uk/global/kent-global-connect>

Students who signed up and could not attend will have access to the recordings from the sessions.



Navigating UK Study Course

<https://www.kent.ac.uk/welcome/international-students/navigating-uk-study>

Designed in partnership with our International Student Advisory Board to help students settle in with essential skills and knowledge to succeed and get ahead on settling in the UK

Sunday 21 September – Saturday 4 October

The week before Welcome Week includes sessions to help settle in, register early, meet other international students, discover more about the UK Higher Education, explore our campus and adapt to your new home.

£390, includes all tuition, entrance fees and travel for the visits to Canterbury Cathedral and Leeds Castle, a Canterbury boat tour, welcome dinner on Sun 21 Sep, breakfast on Mon 22 Sep, and £50 catering credit on your student account for the rest of your meals.

Application deadline extended to Wednesday 10 September 2025.



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WELCOME TO KENT

We hope you're looking forward to starting at Kent. To help you get started and turn any nerves you may have into excitement, here is everything you need to take your next step with confidence.

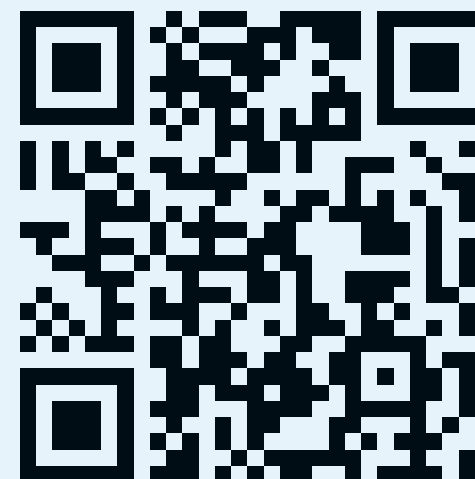


New students



International students

Welcome Pages



Arrivals Weekend – 27/28 September

- Airport Transfer Service will operate from London Heathrow and London Gatwick on Saturday 27 and Sunday 28 September.
- Service to Canterbury campus, even if living off campus.
- Encourage students to arrive in the UK over Arrivals Weekend to take advantage of this service.
- We will meet flights that land between 06.00hrs and 16.00hrs.
- Cost is £50 per person.
- Any queries about this service, please contact AirportTransfers@kent.ac.uk





Airport Transfers

<https://www.kent.ac.uk/welcome/international-students/arrange-your-travel>



Arrivals Hub

The Arrivals Hub will be open in the Templeman Library from Saturday 27 September to Tuesday 21 October:

- **Saturday 27th September – 10am-5pm**
- **Sunday 28th September – 10am-4pm**
- **Monday 29th September to Tuesday 21st October – 9.30am-4.30pm (Monday-Friday)**

It brings together administrative teams to help new or returning students in person. The Arrivals Hub will be split into colour coded and numbered zones:

1. [Immigration](#)
2. [ID card](#)
3. [Finance](#)
4. [Qualification checks](#)

Welcome Week

Designed for new international students, our **Global Hangout** events will take place during Welcome Week to help students connect and meet other students whilst enjoying music, refreshments and fun activities.

These are free events.

Canterbury Campus: [Tuesday 30th September](#), drop in, between 12-3pm

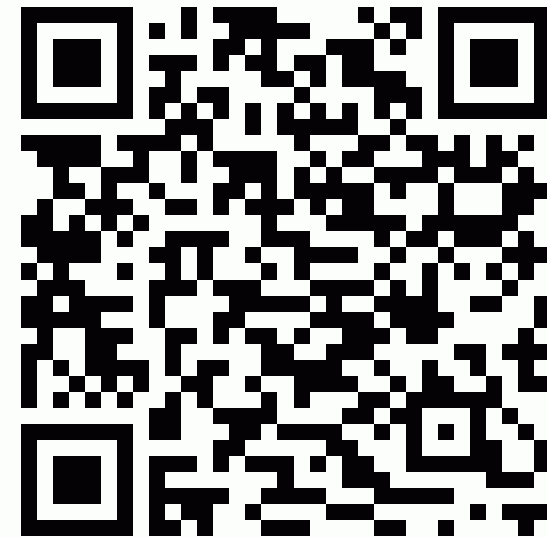
Medway Campus: [Monday 6th October](#), drop in, between 12-2.30pm

Sign up here

Canterbury: <https://www.tickettailor.com/events/globalandlifelonglearning/1778421>

Medway: <https://buytickets.at/globalandlifelonglearning/1846772>

Global Hangouts



Welcome Fair

Our Welcome Fairs are led by our student unions, but many professional services will also have stalls at these events. Students can find out more about the range of societies, clubs, and sports teams that they can become involved with while at Kent.

- [Canterbury Campus](#): Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd October, 10-4pm
- [Medway Campus](#): Tuesday 7th October, 10-4pm

Global Opportunities will have a stand at the Canterbury campus for international students. We will be available to tell them about the support we can provide including free English Language and Academic Skills classes, International Student Advisory Board plus the Global Opportunities available to them to enhance their personal and professional development alongside their studies.

Any questions?

Contact us at: GlobalOpportunities@kent.ac.uk



**Thank
You.**

