

Imperial College
London

YOUR UNDERGRADUATE **OPEN DAYS**

Wednesday 28 and Thursday 29 June 2023



WHAT WILL YOUR FUTURE SELF DO AT IMPERIAL?

We hope you'll use today to find out!

Silhouette – Mila,
Design Engineering
(USA/Singapore)

Photograph –
The Department
of Computing's
iCub robot

WELCOME TO IMPERIAL

We know choosing the right university is both important and complex. That's why we've organised a full day of tours and talks that will help you make your decision.

We'll be offering lots of practical advice on topics including the application process, writing personal statements, and managing student finance, to name just a few.

On the academic side, you'll get an opportunity to learn more about your subject area, meet departmental staff and discover some of our world-class facilities.

But life at Imperial is so much more than labs and lectures. You'll hear from not only the Imperial College Union about their clubs, societies, activities and events, but also from current students about their university experience.

There'll also be time to visit some of our accommodation and you can use our app to take a self-guided tour of our South Kensington Campus.

Whatever questions you have, we'll help you find the answers.

MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR DAY

- There are often queues for the tours so leave plenty of time to make sure you can get to the talks you want to attend. **Page 11**
- The information fairs, tours and library drop-in are available throughout the day so be sure to visit between talks and sessions. **Pages 7, 11 and 16**
- Make sure you stay well fuelled and hydrated throughout the day – free tea and coffee is available, and you can buy lunch from one of the many catering outlets available. **Page 5**
- Not sure where to start? Pop by one of our Welcome Points for some top tips – look for the **i** on the map. **Page 14**

Enjoy your Open Day!

VIRTUAL OPEN DAYS

If there's something you've missed or want to see again, register for our Virtual Open Days from 17–28 July at imperial.ac.uk/study/visit/undergraduate/open-days



CHECK IN

Please do check in at one of our Welcome Points – at the College Main Entrance (**map ref: B2**) or Dangoor Plaza (**map ref: A3**) – to let us know you've arrived. This doesn't have to be as soon as you arrive on campus as we know that the desk can get quite busy at times. Feel free to come back at a time that fits with your schedule – even if that's after your first talk. We'll be here between 9.00 and 16.00.

Show your QR code to our staff either on a mobile device or as a printout. You can find your QR code or barcode on your booking confirmation email or by logging into our booking system at imperial.ac.uk/study/visit/undergraduate/open-days/june-open-days

If you didn't register for the Open Day before arriving, don't worry, please do still come to a Welcome Point and we can make sure you have all the information you need.

CONNECT TO WIFI

Free WiFi is available throughout Imperial. Search for WiFi networks on your device, connect to 'The Cloud' network and follow the instructions.

COLLECT YOUR FREE TOTE BAG

Get a copy of our Undergraduate Study Guide with your free tote bag when you check in.

PHOTOGRAPHY

A photographer is on campus to record memories of our Open Day. By attending this event you consent to these photos or videos being used for Imperial College London publicity. If you don't want to be photographed, pick up a red sticker from a Welcome Point and wear it prominently throughout the day.

LEFT LUGGAGE

- ▶ Sheffield Building (West), Level 2
9.00–16.00, **map ref: A2**

If you have any heavy luggage you can store it safely in our left luggage, facility in the Sheffield Building. Imperial does not take responsibility for any loss or damages.

NEED HELP AT ANY POINT?

You'll see our friendly staff volunteers and student ambassadors throughout the day in their bright yellow t-shirts at Welcome Points and across campus. They're on hand if you need information, directions or help.

Our student ambassadors are also wearing stickers with their course on; a great chance to chat to current Imperial students.

FOOD AND DRINK

There are plenty of catering outlets on campus open for you to sit down for a drink, grab a bite to eat or pick up some snacks.

You can find a selection of the cafés and pop-up food tents below, but look out for the food and drink icons on the campus map to find your nearest outlet.

- ▶ College Café
8.00–23.00, **map ref: B2**
- ▶ Library Café
8.00–18.00, **map ref: A3**
- ▶ The Loud Bird
8.00–16.00, **map ref: B3**
- ▶ The Roastery (Senior Common Room)
8.00–18.00, **map ref: A2**
- ▶ The Bakery (Junior Common Room)
8.00–16.00, **map ref: B2**
- ▶ Dangoor Plaza pop-up
11.30–15.00, **map ref: A3**
- ▶ Dalby Court pop-up
11.30–15.00, **map ref: B2**
- ▶ FiveSixEight Union bar
12.00–23.00, **map ref: A1**

REFILL YOUR WATER BOTTLE

Any of the cafés on campus can refill your water bottle for you, or visit the water refill point in the Senior Common Room.

FREE TEA AND COFFEE

- ▶ Queen's Tower Rooms
Sheffield Building (West)
map ref: A2

Getting the most out of your Open Day can be thirsty work, so enjoy a free tea or coffee on us.

You can check in anytime throughout the day – it doesn't have to be on arrival.



OUR SOUTH KENSINGTON CAMPUS

CAMPUS ACCESSIBILITY

Visit the link below to visit the AccessAble access guides and download a map of the accessible route for the campus. You can also pick up a paper copy of the accessible route map from one of the Welcome Points. imperial.ac.uk/estates-facilities/buildings/accessibility

QUIET ZONE

With so many visitors and things to see and do, we know that Open Days can be quite overwhelming at times. If you need some space to gather your thoughts or need a moment of peace and calm, please do visit our Quiet Zone room in SALC 2 (Level 5, Sherfield Building; **map ref: A2**)

PRAYER ROOMS

Islamic Prayer rooms are located in the Chaplaincy Multi-Faith Centre at 15 Prince's Gardens (**map ref: C2**). If you would like to access these rooms, please speak to staff at the Welcome Point in the College Main Entrance who will be able to give you access. Please use the marshalled crossing points to cross Exhibition Road.

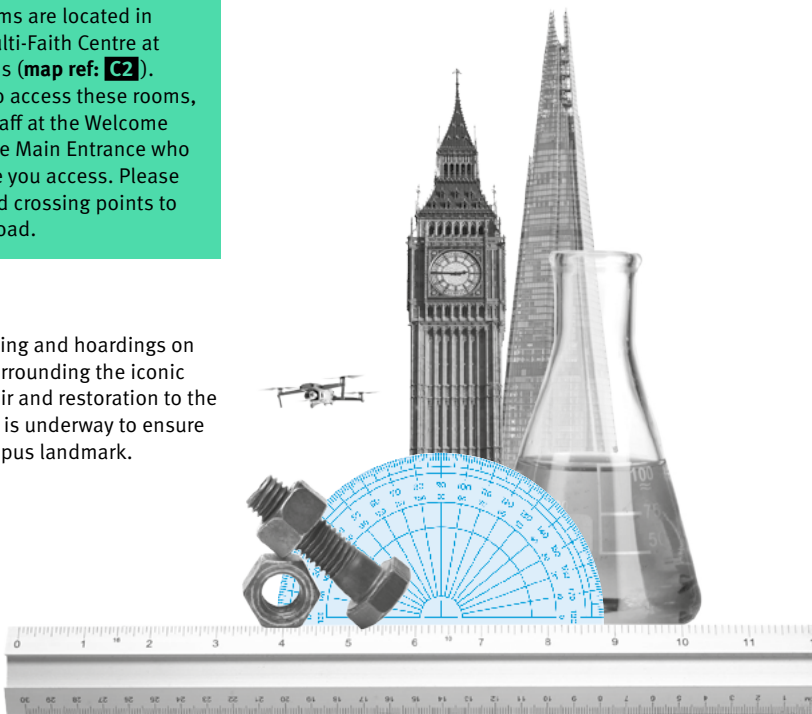
CAMPUS WORKS

You'll notice scaffolding and hoardings on the Queen's Lawn surrounding the iconic Queen's Tower. Repair and restoration to the masonry and roofing is underway to ensure the future of our campus landmark.

SOAK UP THE SIGHTS

While you're in South Kensington, why not take the chance to explore our local area? Our South Kensington Campus is surrounded by some of London's most famous cultural attractions and parks. From the College Main Entrance, turn right onto Exhibition Road and within minutes you'll reach three of the world's finest museums* – the Science Museum, the Natural History Museum and the V&A. Turn left and you'll soon find yourself in Kensington Gardens and Hyde Park, two beautiful Royal Parks. Head left down Prince Consort Road and you'll find the Royal Albert Hall where Imperial's graduation ceremonies take place.


*Entry is free but advance booking may be required.



FAIRS

Running from 9.30–16.30 throughout the day

SUBJECT INFORMATION

 Queen's Tower Rooms, Sherfield Building (West), Level 1, **map ref: A2**


You will find staff and current students from all of our academic departments at the subject information fair. If you're unsure about which course to apply to, have specific questions about a degree, or weren't able to make it to a departmental session – this is the place to go. Once you're checked-in this is a great starting point for your day, and importantly where you'll find the free tea, coffee and bottled water.

- ▶ Aeronautics
- ▶ Bioengineering (Biomedical Engineering and Molecular Bioengineering)
- ▶ Business School (Economics, Finance and Data Science)
- ▶ Centre for Languages, Culture and Communication (covering humanities, languages and science communication)
- ▶ Chemical Engineering
- ▶ Chemistry
- ▶ Civil and Environmental Engineering
- ▶ Computing
- ▶ Dyson School of Design Engineering
- ▶ Earth Science and Engineering (Geology, Geophysics and Planetary Science)
- ▶ Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- ▶ Life Sciences (Biochemistry and Biotechnology, and Biological Sciences)
- ▶ Materials
- ▶ Mathematics
- ▶ Mechanical Engineering
- ▶ Medical Biosciences (Biomedical Science)
- ▶ Medicine
- ▶ Physics

Ask the Centre for Languages, Culture and Communication about Imperial Horizons and I-Explore modules.



SUPPORT SERVICES AND STUDENT LIFE

 Senior Common Room, Sherfield Building (West), Level 2, **map ref: A2**

You may know what subject area you are interested in, but we know you have other questions about studying at Imperial. Where will I live? What support is available? Do you accept my qualification? Can you help me find a job or start a business? What sports and societies are available? At our Support Services and Student Life information fair you'll be able to find the answers to all those questions and more by speaking directly to staff that are experts in their area.

- ▶ Admissions
- ▶ The Blyth – Centre for Music and Visual Arts
- ▶ Careers Service
- ▶ Disability Advisory Service
- ▶ Enterprise Lab
- ▶ Imperial College Union
- ▶ Move Imperial
- ▶ Student Accommodation Office
- ▶ Student Counselling and Mental Health Service
- ▶ Student Finance
- ▶ Student Hub

SUBJECT SESSIONS

Each session lasts up to 90 minutes and we recommend that you arrive at the meeting point 10 minutes before the session start time. Due to limited capacity you may only bring one guest to each department session and only if you have booked a seat for them while registering for the Open Day.



Advance booking required

DEPARTMENT	TIME	MEETING POINT AND MAP REF.
Aeronautics	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room 300, City and Guilds Building B2
Bioengineering Biomedical Engineering Molecular Bioengineering	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room 1.31, Royal School of Mines B2
Business School Economics, Finance and Data Science	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	LG-100, Business School B2 Room 500, City and Guilds Building B2 (29 June)
Chemical Engineering	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Lecture Theatre 1 (room 250), ACEX Building A2 (access from Sherfield Walkway)
Chemistry	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	RCS 101, Lecture Theatre C, Royal College of Science Building B3
Civil and Environmental Engineering	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room 301, Skempton Building B3 (28 June) Room 201, Skempton Building B3 (29 June)
Computing	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room 308, Huxley Building A2 (access from Sherfield Walkway or Queen's Gate)
Dyson School of Design Engineering	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Ground Floor Lecture Theatre, Dyson Building B3
Earth Science and Engineering Geology, Geophysics and Planetary Science	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room G38, Royal School of Mines B2

Details correct at time of publication. More details about the Open Day can be found online at imperial.ac.uk/study/visit/undergraduate/open-days/june-open-days

Electrical and Electronic Engineering	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room 408, Electrical and Electronic Engineering Building B2
Life Sciences Biochemistry and Biotechnology	15.00	Room G34, Sir Alexander Fleming Building B3
Life Sciences Biological Sciences	10.00, 12.30	Room G34, Sir Alexander Fleming Building B3
Materials Materials Science and Engineering	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room G20, Royal School of Mines B2
Mathematics	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Clore Lecture Theatre, Huxley Building A2
Mechanical Engineering	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room 200, City and Guilds Building B2
Medical Biosciences Biomedical Science	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Room G28, Sir Alexander Fleming Building B3
Medicine	10.00, 15.00 12.30	Room G16, Sir Alexander Fleming Building B3 Great Hall, Sherfield Building (West) A2
Physics	10.00, 12.30, 15.00	Lecture Theatre 1, Blakett Laboratory A2 (access through Huxley Building or Prince Consort Road)

You can check which sessions you have booked by checking your confirmation email or logging in to your booking. You will hear presentations from academic staff and get detailed information on the courses and facilities at Imperial, as well as application guidance. If you haven't been able to book a session, or still have questions later, you can speak to the department directly at the subject information fair throughout the day. **Page 7**



DEPARTMENT DROP-INS

Some departments have drop-in sessions available. If you're interested in any of these subject areas we recommend you go along to these more informal sessions to gain further insight into the department.

No advanced booking required



DEPARTMENT	TIME	MEETING POINT AND MAP REF.
Bioengineering Informal drop-in and department tours (first come, first served basis)	11.00–11.30 (28 June) 11.30–12.00 (29 June) 13.30–14.00 (28 and 29 June) 16.00–16.30 (28 and 29 June)	Outside room 1.31, Royal School of Mines B2
Bioengineering Taster lecture	11.45–12.15 (28 June) 11.00–11.30 (29 June)	Room 1.31, Royal School of Mines B2
Chemistry Informal drop-in	9.30–16.30	Room 237, Common Room foyer, Chemistry Building A3
Chemistry Teaching laboratory showcase	10.00–12.30 13.30–16.00	Briscoe laboratory, Chemistry Building A3
Economics, Finance and Data Science Informal drop-in	9.30–16.30	LG-19A/B, Business School B2
Earth Science and Engineering Interactive displays and informal drop-in	9.30–16.30	Room G41, Royal School of Mines B2
Medicine Informal drop-in	10.30–15.00	Ground Floor Seminar Rooms, Sir Alexander Fleming Building B3
Mathematics Informal drop-in	11.00–12.00 13.30–14.30	Room 341/2, Huxley Building (28 June) A2 Room 414, Huxley Building (29 June) A2
Physics Informal drop-in	9.30–16.30	Outside Blackett Laboratory LT1 A2

TOURS

Take part in one of our tours to explore more of what our campus has on offer. Tours can be very popular so if there is a queue you may want to consider coming back later in the day.

ACCOMMODATION TOURS

9.30–15.30 no advance booking necessary

📍 Tour Tent, Dalby Court, **map ref: B2**

Join a student-led tour of one of the three halls of residence closest to our South Kensington Campus: Beit, Eastside and Southside. Look out for the bright orange t-shirts on Dalby Court.

Tours leave the Tour Tent regularly from 9.30 until 15.30 – simply turn-up and join the next available tour. Each tour lasts approximately 30 minutes and visits a bedroom and communal facilities. You can leave the tour at any time.



ETHOS SPORTS CENTRE TOURS

9.30–12.30 and 13.30–15.30 subject to availability

📍 Ethos Sports Centre, **map ref: C2**

Student-led tours of Ethos Sports Centre leave from outside the Ethos reception approximately every 15 minutes during the tour hours. Tours last around 10 minutes. Please use the marshalled crossing points to cross Exhibition Road when walking to Ethos.



SELF-GUIDED CAMPUS TOUR

Download our tour app – **Welcome to Imperial**

Our South Kensington Campus is easy to explore yourself with our self-guided walking tour route starting from the College Main Entrance – download the 'Welcome to Imperial' app in the App Store or Google Play, and select the Campus Tour guide. Visit the Welcome Point at the College Main Entrance if you need support with accessing the app or tour.



TALKS

We have a range of general talks on offer throughout the day, many of them repeated on multiple occasions. You don't need to book onto these talks, but the capacity in the lecture halls is limited, so do arrive early to guarantee you get a seat.

No advanced booking required

WELCOME TALK

Find out what makes an Imperial education special and how to make the most of your Open Day.

HELP FINDING ACCOMMODATION

Learn about Imperial halls of residence and private housing options for your first year and beyond.

MEET OUR STUDENTS

Get an insight into life at Imperial from a panel of current students, followed by an interactive Q&A.

APPLYING TO IMPERIAL

Find out more about our admissions and selection process, and what we look for in an applicant.

STUDENT FINANCE

Learn about the cost of university study and the financial support available from Imperial and the UK government.

PERSONAL STATEMENTS

Get top tips on producing an important part of your UCAS application – an excellent personal statement.

CAREERS

Hear more about the huge range of careers support available for every Imperial student from their very first day.

STUDENT LIFE

Learn about the huge range of activities, societies, clubs and support available from Imperial College Union.

📍 Great Hall
Sherfield Building (West)
Level 2, **map ref: A2**

Welcome Talk	9.20–9.40
Applying to Imperial	10.15–10.45
Personal Statements	11.00–11.30
Help Finding Accommodation	14.00–14.30
Applying to Imperial	14.45–15.15
Student Finance	15.30–16.00
Student Life	16.15–16.45

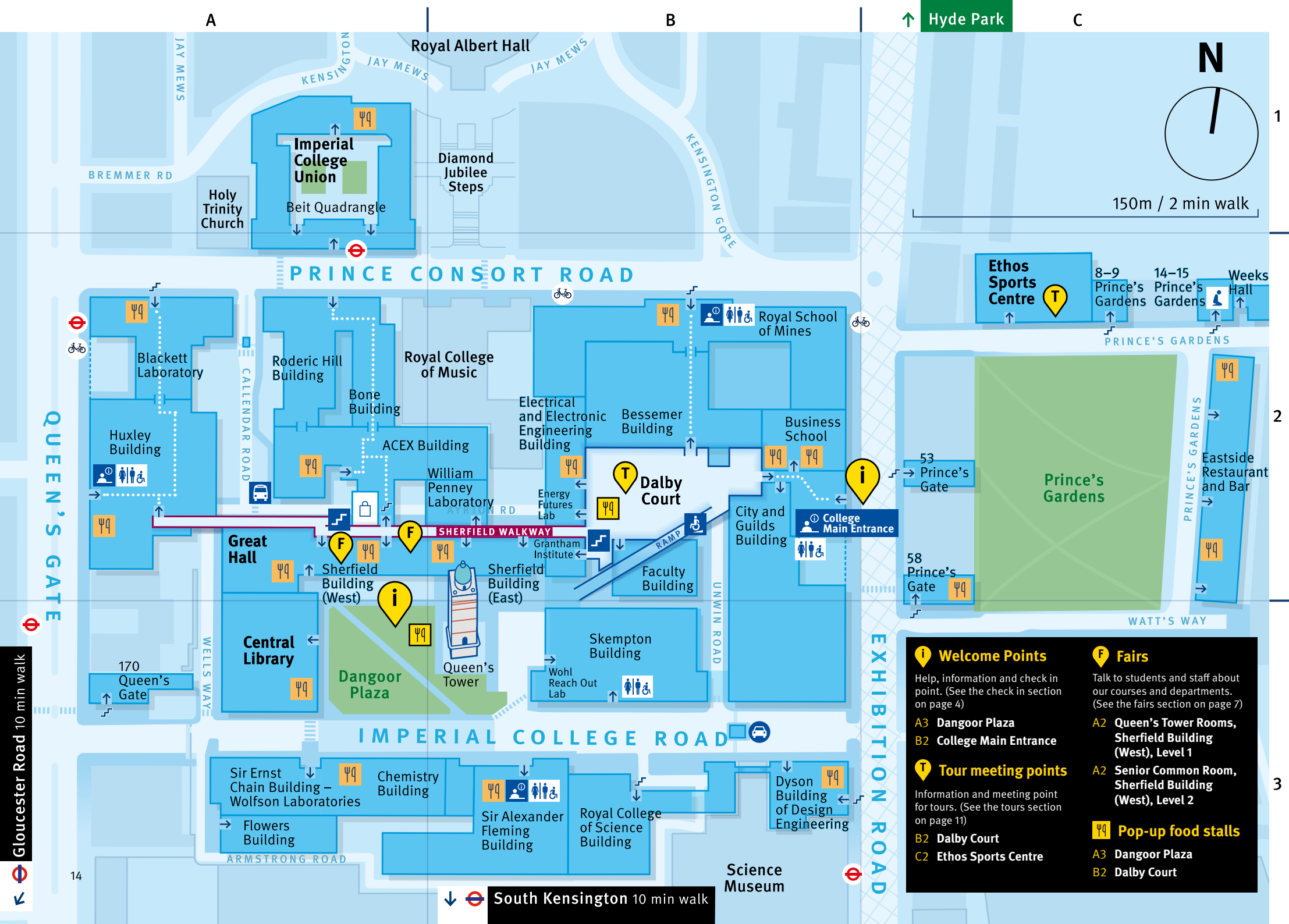
📍 Read and Pippard Lecture Theatres
Sherfield Building (West)
Level 5, **map ref: A2**

Student Life	10.30–11.00
Meet our Students	11.15–11.45
Careers	12.00–12.30
Student Finance	12.45–13.15
Student Life	13.30–14.00
Meet our Students	14.15–14.45
Help Finding Accommodation	15.00–15.30
Personal Statements	15.45–16.15

📍 G16 Lecture Theatre
Sir Alexander Fleming Building
Ground Floor, **map ref: B3**

Applying to Imperial	12.15–12.45
Welcome Talk	13.00–13.20
Personal Statements	13.45–14.15





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↑ Hyde Park

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150m / 2 min walk

PRINCE CONSORT ROAD

QUEEN'S GATE

IMPERIAL COLLEGE ROAD

EXHIBITION ROAD

- i Welcome Points**
Help, information and check in point. (See the check in section on page 4)
 - F Fairs**
Talk to students and staff about our courses and departments. (See the fairs section on page 7)
 - T Tour meeting points**
Information and meeting point for tours. (See the tours section on page 11)
 - Ψq Pop-up food stalls**
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| A3 Dangoor Plaza | A2 Queen's Tower Rooms, Sherfield Building (West), Level 1 |
| B2 College Main Entrance | A2 Senior Common Room, Sherfield Building (West), Level 2 |
| B2 Dalby Court | |
| C2 Ethos Sports Centre | |
| | A3 Dangoor Plaza |
| | B2 Dalby Court |

Gloucester Road 10 min walk

South Kensington 10 min walk

Science Museum

Ethos Sports Centre
8-9 Prince's Gardens
14-15 Prince's Gardens
Weeks Hall

Prince's Gardens
Eastside Restaurant and Bar
53 Prince's Gate
58 Prince's Gate

Imperial College Union
Beit Quadrangle
Holy Trinity Church

Diamond Jubilee Steps

Royal College of Music

Royal School of Mines

Blackett Laboratory

Roderic Hill Building

Bone Building

Electrical and Electronic Engineering Building

Bessemer Building

Business School

Huxley Building

CALENDAR ROAD

ACEX Building

William Penney Laboratory

Energy Futures Lab

Grantham Institute

Dalby Court

Faculty Building

College Main Entrance

Great Hall

Sherfield Building (West)

Sherfield Building (East)

City and Guilds Building

Skempton Building

Central Library

Dangoor Plaza

Queen's Tower

Wohl Reach Out Lab

170 Queen's Gate

Sir Ernst Chain Building - Wolfson Laboratories

Chemistry Building

Sir Alexander Fleming Building

Royal College of Science Building

Dyson Building of Design Engineering









ARMSTRONG ROAD


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Buildings

- C2 14–15 Prince's Gardens
- A2 ACEX Building
- A1 Beit Quadrangle ♿
- B2 Bessemer Building
- A2 Blakett Laboratory
- A2 Bone Building
- B2 Business School
- A3 Central Library
- A3 Chemistry Building
- B2 City and Guilds Building ♿
- B3 Dyson Building of Design Engineering
- C2 Eastside Restaurant and Bar ♿
- B2 Electrical and Electronic Engineering Building
- C2 Ethos Sports Centre
- B2 Faculty Building
- A2 Great Hall
- A2 Huxley Building ♿
- A1 Imperial College Union ♿
- C2 Prince's Gardens
- B3 Queen's Tower
- B2 Royal School of Mines
- B3 Royal College of Science Building
- B2 Sherfield Building (East)
- A2 Sherfield Building (West)
- B3 Sir Alexander Fleming Building ♿
- B3 Skempton Building ♿
- B3 Wohl Reach Out Lab

Key

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|  Chaplaincy Multi-Faith Centre |  Building entrance/exit via steps only |
|  Imperial College Union Shop |  Toilets (see above) |
|  Food and drink (see page 5) |  Health Centre |
|  Internal route |  Underground station |
|  Building entrance |  Vehicle entrance |
| |  Bus stop |

 For more information about the accessibility of our buildings search Imperial College London at www.accessable.co.uk

DON'T MISS

EXPLORE THE LIBRARY

10.00–16.00

Central Library, map ref: **A3**

Visit our Central Library to see our facilities and areas for group, quiet and silent study. Friendly library staff will be waiting to welcome you and tell you about the support they offer to students.

IMPERIAL COLLEGE UNION

Imperial College Union building, map ref: **A1**

Come and see the home of the Imperial College Union in their main building on the Beit Quadrangle off Prince Consort Road, with the FiveSixEight Union bar (open from 12.00) just next door. If you want to find out about what is on offer at the Students' Union, join our Student Life talk and visit the Union stand in the student life fair to find out more.

VIRTUAL OPEN DAYS


If your visit has left you hungry for more, why not check out our Virtual Open Days?


- ▶ Join live departmental sessions 17–28 July.
- ▶ Hear from staff and students in on-demand sessions.
- ▶ Revisit our talks and tasters on-demand.
- ▶ Experience a virtual campus tour.

Register on our Open Days webpage for live sessions and to gain access to on-demand talks and tasters at imperial.ac.uk/study/visit/undergraduate/open-days

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