



St Mary's
University
London



Postgraduate prospectus

An historic, safe campus in leafy West London



River Thames

← Twickenham

Strawberry Hill House

Main campus entrance

Teddington and Kingston →



Halls of Residence



Refectory/Café



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Welcome



Professor Anthony McClaran
Vice-Chancellor

Welcome to St Mary's. In one of the largest and most diverse cities in the world, we have created a welcoming academic community, where everyone is included and valued.

We aim to prepare our students to be highly employable – and to make a significant impact on the society in which they will be employed.

Underpinned by strong foundations in the Catholic faith, since 1850 our mission has been to provide high-quality academic and professional education. We have a commitment to breadth of knowledge, to forming the whole person, and to seeing higher education not simply in instrumental terms but also in terms of the development of character. We are proud to take an approach which understands the place of ethics within higher education.

St Mary's curriculum is designed to give the best student experience and outcome, developed by our outstanding academic teams, and based on cutting-edge research. Our teaching programmes have been judged by Ofsted to be 'Outstanding' – and 100% of our PGCE students are in employment six months after graduating.

Alongside our excellent teaching, research is a growing strength. The majority of St Mary's research submissions were rated World Leading or Internationally Excellent within the Research Excellence Framework 2021.

Congratulations on taking the next step in higher education. Please do get in touch with our team for any support you may need on your journey into postgraduate study.

Considering postgraduate study?



Sports Centre on campus

Improve your employability, enhance your CV, develop your knowledge and skills, and stand out in a competitive job market.



Study flexibly

Full-time degrees provide some flexibility, with personalised timetables or time during the week when you don't have to be on campus. Part-time study is also a popular option.



Become an expert

You'll be able to learn from experts – and to become an expert in your own right if you choose to progress your studies. Focusing on a subject you love and growing your expertise in that area can be highly rewarding.



Change your career

Your master's programme could help you change direction to a new and more rewarding career.



Study whilst you work

Most programmes offer the opportunity to study part-time and some have lectures and seminars in the evenings or on weekends, or make use of distance learning. In some cases, you may find your employer is able to fund or part-fund your course.



Progress in your career

For some jobs, master's level qualifications are a necessity. In other careers, you'll also find increasing your skill set can set you up for more specialist or senior roles.

**20%
Discount**

If you have previously studied at St Mary's, you can claim up to 20% off your tuition fees with the St Mary's Alumni discount.



Strawberry Hill House



Strawberry Hill House is a Gothic Revival villa that sits in the University's grounds, to the side of many of the main teaching rooms.



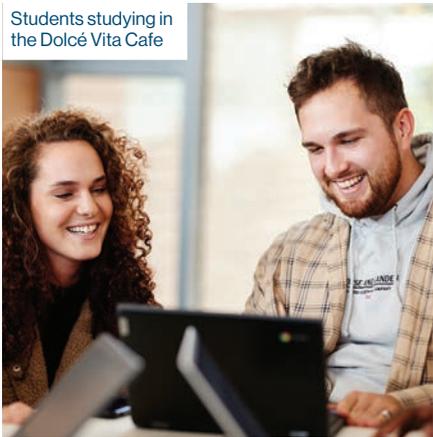
The Student Heart connects social and study spaces in the centre of campus. You can grab a coffee or pizza, rest in a quiet corner, or head into a small meeting room with your study group.



The Student Heart

On campus

Students studying in the Dolcé Vita Cafe



Our campus, with its extensive green spaces and striking neo-Gothic and modern buildings, has a warm, friendly atmosphere and a strong sense of community.

The space is designed to inspire learning, but also to help you make friends and feel at home.

We have been on this site since 1925, and our buildings have been developed to meet the needs of around 5,000 students. The University is based on an accessible single campus, with our additional sports facilities just a 10-minute walk away.

Main Reception





Teaching in the Performance Education Centre

Study

24hr study options

Open 24 hours and with wifi throughout, with bookable group study rooms, some equipped with touchscreen presentation technology, as well as printing and scanning services. Laptops are also available to loan.

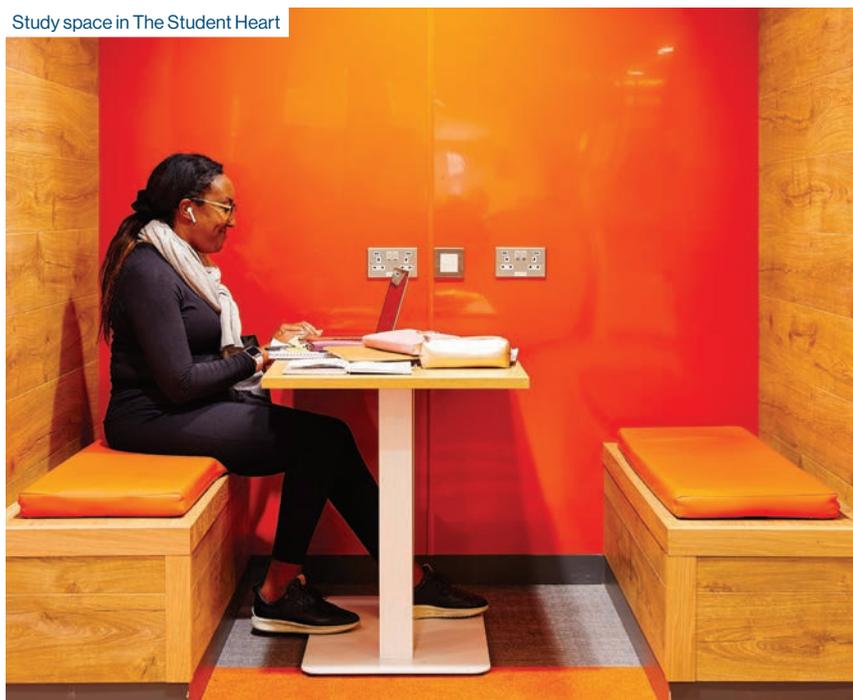
Inclusive and flexible

The environment you learn in will be inclusive in practice, not just in spirit. We've structured our degree programmes by looking at how our current students are progressing and achieving, and how satisfied they are.

Removing barriers to success

We are working on narrowing and removing identified barriers to access, success, and progression. Initiatives include removing and reducing exams where possible.

Study space in The Student Heart



My lecturers knew my name and had an open-door policy, they were all super approachable and always available when I needed them. Their support helped me achieve a first-class degree. Basically, there was always someone to go to whenever I had any difficulties, meaning I could not only graduate, but get a good grade.

Meg Griessel, Public History MA and current PhD Student





St Mary's Online

Fully flexible online learning

St Mary's has a range of fully online postgraduate courses, with a discount of 10 per cent for our alumni. We offer 14 industry-focused MBA degrees, and MA and MSc pathways across a number of subjects.

Gain in-demand skills to help take your career in leadership and management to the next level. St Mary's Online enables you to study with the expertise and support of St Mary's academics.

There is no need to attend in person or make time for live online lectures, content is pre-created for you to access and work through independently, fitting around your existing work and life commitments.

With the ability to pay for individual modules one at a time, it's a flexible and affordable route to achieve a postgraduate qualification.



Your online MBA

Develop your full potential and open doors to truly global career opportunities with St Mary's 100% online MBA.

Designed to give successful and ethical business leaders a cross-functional understanding of the business environment and the vision to see opportunities in the global marketplace.

In our digital classroom, you will apply the theories you learn to real-world workplace challenges, collaborate and work effectively in teams, enhance your communication skills, sharpen your analytical thinking, and navigate business challenges in a global economy.

[Find out more](#)

Online and blended Masters Degrees

Online learning

Distance learning, or online learning, allows you to study for your postgraduate degree from home.

This is often popular with international students or anyone with prior work or personal commitments that mean they may find it difficult to attend face-to-face sessions.

Blended learning

Blended learning is a combination of online and the face-to-face learning.

A blended learning degree will have scheduled sessions that you will need to attend on campus, but much of the course will be online.

Our courses

We offer courses in a variety of subjects, including:

- business and management
- education
- computer science
- public health
- psychology
- sport science
- theology

[Find out more](#)





Sports Journalism MA student in the TV studio on campus

Careers and support



Careers

Our careers team are here to help you before you've joined, when you're here, and even after you've finished your postgraduate studies. Consultants are available throughout the year on campus or through phone or video calls.



Placements

Your master's degree may include one of our unique and innovative work placement modules, from a range of specialised areas.

A placement will help you to understand how to apply your subject practically, build the employability skills that employers are looking for, grow your network, and grow in confidence.

We have a dedicated Placement Team within Employability Services to help you identify your interests and expectations and guide you to suitable opportunities to apply for.



Mission and values

Our Catholic mission and values inspire us to provide opportunities to complement your learning through charitable service to the community, volunteering, and, in many programmes, modules focusing on ethics and community service.

Employers are looking for candidates who can demonstrate a contribution to the community, have an awareness of ethics, character and leadership, and are able understand how the world works outside their own discipline. That is why our Employability Services team works closely with academics across all postgraduate programmes to make all volunteering and charitable service opportunities as fulfilling as possible.



Student support

Completing a master's degree is challenging. That's why we are here to help you sort out any minor challenges, or occasional major issues, that come up along the way. Student Services is open every working day, running wellbeing and support services for the use of all students.

Disability and dyslexia

Our Disability and Dyslexia Team can support students during their time at St Mary's and through their application process.

We also support students with disabilities, specific learning differences (SpLD), mental health conditions, medical conditions and students on the autistic spectrum.

The team can also offer guidance for completing applications for the Disabled Students Allowance (DSA) and provide students with individual support, where needed.





Our degrees

At St Mary's, you can study a range of postgraduate courses delivered by experts, with flexible options to suit your lifestyle and aspirations.

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The information contained in these course pages is accurate at time of publishing and subject to change.

Please refer to the university website for the most up-to-date information.

[Find out more](#)

Business and communication

The business world never stands still, and with a postgraduate qualification from St Mary's, you'll be able to adapt to any challenge that comes your way.

Our academics are experts in their fields, and with their links to industry and professionals, they will be a valuable resource to you.

"A Master's qualification from St Mary's will have a real impact on you and your future career. Whether you're a UK or international student, you'll benefit from the networks you'll build in London – one of the world's global financial centres – and at St Mary's, a warm, supportive university community."

*Professor Karen Sanders,
Head of the School of
Business and Communication*



Courses

Diplomacy and International Relations MA

International Business Management MSc

International Finance and Accounting MSc

International Sports Journalism MA

Human Resource Management (Online) MSc

Management and Leadership (Online) MSc

Management with Business Analytics (Online) MSc

Marketing MSc

Marketing Management (Online) MSc

Supply Chain Management (Online) MSc

Sports Journalism MA

Sports Management MSc



For complete, current information about our courses, visit our website.

[Find out more](#)

MBA courses

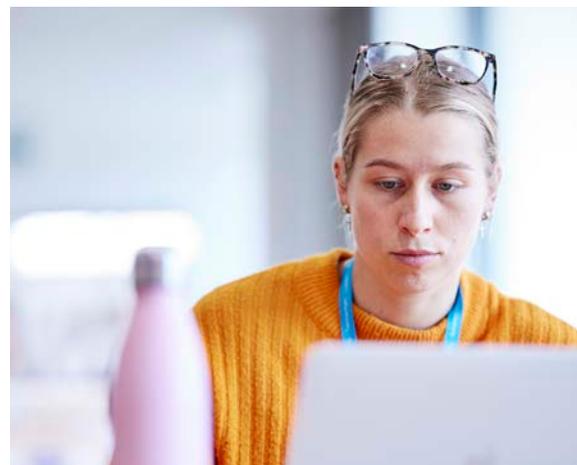
Business Administration MBA

Digital Strategy MBA

Healthcare Management MBA

International Business Practice PGCert

Project and Programme Management MBA



Law and society

If you are passionate about solving real-world issues and investigating the drivers behind social equality, consider your postgraduate options in law and society.

Academics have designed our programmes to give you the vital skills you'll need to succeed in your career and help you build your network.

“Our lecturers are here to support you in exploring, debating and influencing important issues – within law and in wider society. We encourage you to ask big questions. Whether you’re passionate about social equality, criminal law, or advocacy, you’ll be encouraged by our experts to develop those vital skills you’ll need for your career.”

*Charley Dugdale,
Senior Lecturer in Law*



For complete, current information about our courses, visit our website.

[Find out more](#)

Courses

Human Trafficking, Modern Slavery, Migration and Organised Crime MA

International Business Law LLM

Law Conversion LLM



Theology and liberal arts

Study on our historic London campus where you can understand literary icons, investigate major historical events, or explore the nuances of religion.

With programmes also running from our Edinburgh campus, and with flexible study options too, there's an option to suit your aspirations.

“St Mary’s has a reputation for having an intimate and friendly community. I love coming to work every day where my teaching skills are valued, but my personal outlook is as well.”

Dr Richard Mills, Senior Lecturer in Literature and Popular Culture



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[Find out more](#)

Courses

Applied Catholic Theology (Edinburgh) MA

Bioethics and Medical Law MA

Catholic Applied Theology MA

Catholic Social Teaching MA

Christian Spirituality MA

Diplomacy and International Relations MA

Professional Doctorate in Ministry DMin

Public History MA

Theology MA



PGCE: Teacher training

Our one-year, PGCE Primary and PGCE Secondary courses provide excellent preparation for a teaching career in a primary school setting.

Recognised as one of the highest quality providers of training for primary teachers in the country, our Primary and Secondary Initial Education courses are judged 'outstanding' by Ofsted.

“Leaders ensure that St Mary’s University’s ethos and values of inclusivity, generosity of spirit, respect and excellence underpin their work with trainees.

They prioritise trainees’ well-being, which ensures that trainees and newly qualified teachers (NQTs) are exceptionally well cared for and valued by the partnership.”

Ofsted, 2019

For complete, current information about our courses, visit our website.

[Find out more](#)

Courses

All the following PGCE Secondary courses are offered full time and part time. They can all also include an additional SEND pathway.

PGCE Secondary Computer Science with QTS

PGCE Secondary English with QTS

PGCE Secondary Geography with QTS

PGCE Secondary History with QTS

PGCE Secondary Mathematics with QTS

PGCE Secondary Modern Foreign Languages with QTS

PGCE Secondary Physical Education with QTS

PGCE Secondary Religious Education with QTS

PGCE Secondary Science (Biology) with QTS

PGCE Secondary Science (Chemistry) with QTS



I got into teaching after having worked in a few industries from healthcare to media – I’ve always enjoyed helping others learn in whatever capacity that has been.

St Mary’s has always offered me fantastic support and it has a unique energy that I haven’t found anywhere else. The University has some of the leading tutors for teaching as well as a rich history of being a teaching college.

I have been able to secure myself a job here in England and hope to teach internationally in the future. My ambition is to be a subject or year lead and I think St Mary’s has given me the right tools to do that.

Tom Roper, PGCE Student

We aim to develop the pedagogical and practical skills necessary to be an outstanding teacher, as well enhance your subject knowledge. Training is designed to meet the needs of each trainee, to support and develop skills, knowledge and attributes needed to start a teaching career.

Placements are organised and co-ordinated by our Placements Office Team in collaboration with the hundreds of partner schools that support our training programme.

Programmes include two master’s-level modules leading to 60 credits at postgraduate level. You will have the opportunity to further your postgraduate studies in your career, as these credits are transferable.

PGCE Secondary Science (Physics) with QTS

PGCE Secondary Sociology with QTS

PGCE Primary with QTS
(Full Time and Part Time)

Choice of pathways: English, Maths, Physical Education or SEND

Apprenticeship PGCE with QTS
(Primary and Secondary Pathways)

iPGCE

iPGCE with iQTS

iQTS (Primary and Secondary Pathways)

PGCE only (Primary)

PGCE only (Secondary)

Education

Whether you want to become a teacher, step into a leadership role within a school, or work within the wider education sector, you have come to the right place. St Mary's has been successfully training teachers since 1850.

For complete, current information about our courses, visit our website.

[Find out more](#)

Courses

Catholic School Leadership: Principles and Practices MA PGCert

Education MA PGCert

Education: Coaching and Mentoring MA

Education: Inclusive Practice MA PGCert

Education: Leading Innovation and Change MA PGCert

Education: Pedagogy MA PGCert

Education: Physical Education MA PGCert

Education: Religious Education MA PGCert

Education: Comparative and Global Studies (CGSE) MA, PCCert

Education: Special Educational Needs and Disabilities MA, PGCert

“I completed my BA before owning a mobile phone. Therefore, as I enrolled in the MA Education at St Mary's, it had been over two decades since I had felt the nervous energy of an essay deadline.

I selected the Leading Innovation and Change pathway, seeking a year of study that would broaden my academic horizons and connect theory to my professional practice.

The reality far exceeded my expectations. I joined a supportive peer group, diverse in experience and rich in perspectives.

Expert academic tutors fostered my reflective growth, challenging my thinking with tailored feedback and engaging tutorials. They introduced me to a wealth of academic literature, supporting the development of my critical voice and deepening my understanding of ethical scholarship.”

Lucy Wood



Education: Supervision in Education MA, PGCert

Education (Online) MA

Education Leadership (Online) MA

Education Technology (Online) MA

PGCert Mentoring & Coaching

Professional Doctorate in Education EdDoc

Leadership in Catholic Educational Contexts

MBA



Sport science and sports coaching

With the skills, qualifications, and contacts you gain on your postgraduate degree, you'll be able to further your career as a practising professional.

Thanks to our top-of-the-range labs and facilities used by Olympians, you will be working with pro equipment, and, with a teaching team who have worked in the industry, our expertise will help you succeed.

“At St Mary’s we have an open-door policy, which I think is so valuable so that students know we are here to support them. My own experience in education taught me the value of a good lecturer-student relationship and how important this is to get the best out of students.”

Jade Salim, Head of School for Sport, Exercise and Applied Science



For complete, current information about our courses, visit our website.

[Find out more](#)

Courses

Applied Sport and Exercise Biomechanics MSc

Applied Sports and Exercise Physiology MSc

Applied Sport Psychology MSc

Applied Strength and Conditioning Science MSc

Performance Football Coaching (Distance Learning) MSc

Professional Doctorate in Strength and Conditioning DS&C

Sports, Health and Applied Science MRes

Strength and Conditioning – (Distance Learning) MSc



Computer science

Designed to adapt and evolve to meet the ever-changing challenges industry faces, further your career with a Master’s programme that offers pathways to give you the creative and flexible skills needed to thrive in the fast-paced world of data and computing.

In a brand-new hub at the heart of the University’s historic Twickenham campus, you’ll have access to ultra-modern technology and industry experts.

“Our programme emphasises the development of critical thinking, problem-solving, and communication skills. Teaching is centred around active learning and engagement, with a focus on real-world applications and problem-solving.”

Prins Butt, Associate Professor in Computer Science



For complete, current information about our courses, visit our website.

[Find out more](#)

Courses

Computer Science MSc

Computer Science (Online) MSc

Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence (Online) MSc

Computer Science with Cyber Security (Online) MSc

Computer Science with Data Analytics (Online) MSc

Computer Science with Software Engineering (Online) MSc



Health sciences

St Mary's postgraduate degrees are set up to give you everything you need to become an autonomous practitioner.

With physiotherapy programmes accredited by the Chartered Society of Physiotherapy and the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC), and nutrition courses accredited by the Association for Nutrition (AfN), you'll have the skills and knowledge you need on paper as well as in practice.

“Our postgraduate programmes are delivered in small groups by academics with extensive experience working in a variety of healthcare settings. Our academic teams combine their teaching with clinical work or groundbreaking health-related research enabling students to be at the cutting edge of learning in their field.”

For complete, current information about our courses, visit our website.

[Find out more](#)

Courses

Applied Sports Nutrition MSc

Chronic Disease Management MSc

Human Nutrition MSc

Occupational Therapy (Pre-Registration) MSc

Physiotherapy Pre-registration MSc

Psychology of Mental Health and Wellbeing (Online) MSc

Psychology with Counselling (Online) MSc

Public Health MSc

Sport Rehabilitation (Pre-Registration) MSc



Psychology

Accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS), our postgraduate courses cover aspects of the human experience, motivation, and influences.

Further your career in counselling, clinical work, education, coaching, or mental health work on a course that is taught in small groups, with access to industry-standard equipment.

“Our team are actively researching developments in psychology, making a significant contribution to international and national debate across a range of fields which they use to provide contemporary theoretical and applied insights to enrich the learning experience for our postgraduate students.”

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[Find out more](#)

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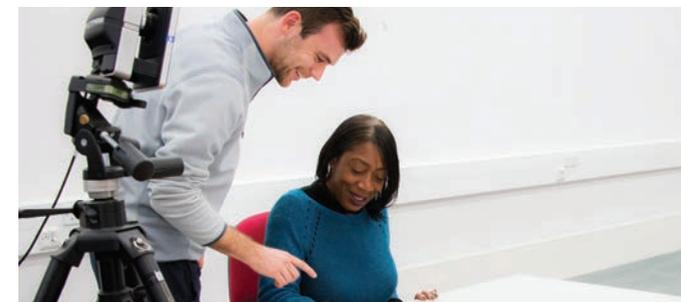
Psychology (Conversion) MSc

Psychology of Mental Health and Wellbeing (Online) MSc

Psychology of Mental Health MSc

Psychology (Online) MSc

Psychology with Counselling (Online) MSc



Research degrees

We have a thriving PhD programme with all students supported by a supervisory team of active researchers in the student's subject area.

In addition, a number of our students are working in important cross-disciplinary fields such as the relationship between theology and public policy and the provision of health services in prisons.

All potential PhD or MPhil students must first complete an online application form, which will include details of their proposal. Programmes have two intakes each year in October and February.

Professional Doctorates

Dmin Professional Doctorate in Ministry

Ed Doc Professional Doctorate in Education

DS&C Professional Doctorate in Strength and Conditioning

Doctorate in Business Administration (Distance Learning)

Professional Doctorate in Public Affairs and Social Policy (Distance Learning)

MRes Social Research Methods (Distance Learning)

For complete, current information about our courses, visit our website.

[Find out more](#)



Doctoral College

All research degree students at St Mary's are part of the Doctoral College, where you can study for a PhD, MPhil or a Professional Doctorate in Education (EdD).

The Doctoral College ensures high standards of supervision for all students with a supervision team of at least two experienced academics and a Researcher Development Programme for first-year PhD students.

The work of PhD students is fully integrated into the work of our teams. Not only will you be invited to partake in seminar programmes, full-time students will also be part of school research clusters so that they can obtain wider experience of university research outside their supervisory team.

In order to suit your own personal schedule, St Mary's runs two intakes for doctoral students each year – one beginning in October and one starting in February.

Later in your studies, you will have an opportunity to participate in the Career Development Programme and take advantage of the Experts in Residence who have been appointed from different walks of life to provide help and guidance.

Offers and applications



Apply today

Applications are completed through our online application forms. Scan the QR code below to learn how to apply and start the application process. Information about the documents you'll need to submit will be listed on those forms. Any supporting documents can be uploaded online, or emailed to apply@stmarys.ac.uk.

Interested in applying?

To view the postgraduate application process, visit our website.

 [Find out more](#)

Deadlines

We review and respond to applications throughout the year and recommend applying at least two months before the course is due to begin. Some of our programmes have limited numbers and will close early if they become full. We may also be able to accept applications for some programmes within a shorter deadline depending on availability and your individual circumstances.

References and supporting statements

You'll need to upload at least one reference, and a supporting statement as part of your application. The reference should be from a tutor at your current education institution, or if you have not been in education during the last five years, a professional reference from your most recent employer.



Your offer

Your application will be reviewed by the Admissions Team and the Programme Director for the postgraduate degree you've applied for.

When evaluating your suitability for the course, they may consider:

Your interest in and commitment to the course

Your academic background and qualifications

Your professional interests and experience

For some programmes, the Programme Director may want to interview you before making an offer.

Conditional offers

Your offer may contain conditions such as completing a satisfactory DBS check. If English is not your first language you may also have to prove that you meet our English language requirements as a condition of your offer.

Accepting your offer

You can accept your offer to study at St Mary's online. If you have any queries, please contact the team at apply@stmarys.ac.uk

Fees and funding

Funding your degree

Getting financially prepared for postgraduate study will help you make the most of your Master's Degree. The tuition fees for postgraduate study varies, depending on your course and whether you are a UK or International Student.

To find up-to-date information about funding your degree, visit our website: www.stmarys.ac.uk/tuition-fees

[Find out more](#)

Postgraduate Master's Loan through Student Finance England

Loans are available to home postgraduate students under the age of 60. Students studying a one or two-year full-time course, or a part-time course with a minimum 50% intensity rate are usually eligible for funding. If you're studying a distance learning course you'll need to be living in England on the first day of the first academic year of your course.

Currently studying at SMU?

Current students also have access to the [Guide to Alternative Postgraduate Funding](#), you can take a look at this helpful tool on our website.

[Find out more](#)

Scholarships

Information about all scholarships and bursaries at St Mary's can be found at stmarys.ac.uk/scholarships.

stmarys.ac.uk/scholarships



A big investment

Starting a master's degree is a big financial decision, which could have a significant impact on your future career.

18%

Postgraduates are around 18% more likely to be in a professional role and more likely to be in senior roles and better paid. (Graduate outcomes Survey, HESA, 2020.)

26%

26 per cent of postgraduates are likely to be earning over £39,000 per year upon graduating versus seven per cent of first-degree graduates.

20% Discount

If you have previously studied at St Mary's, you can claim up to 20% off your tuition fees with the St Mary's Alumni discount.



International students

St Mary's is a diverse, vibrant and inclusive community, where everyone is welcomed and valued.

The University has all the advantages of a great London location, and the peace and security of a self-contained campus.

We want all international postgraduate students to have an enjoyable and fulfilling experience here. St Mary's offers pastoral, academic and language support as well as social events, and an orientation programme to help you settle during the first few weeks.

📍 Applying online

Visit the relevant course page and click through to apply online. Applications should be accompanied by two references and a copy of the certificate of your highest qualification.

For English language requirements, please see the individual programme page. Requirements for IELTS score typically range from 6.0 overall with no less than 5.5 in any section, to 7.0 overall with no less than 6.5 in any section.

Our International Admissions Team can help with any questions, simply email international@stmarys.ac.uk



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St Mary's has opened many opportunities for me both professionally and academically. After finishing my MA Catholic School Leadership, I have been chosen as one of the All Hallows Scholars for my PhD research on the formation of female leaders. With the support and guidance of the academics here, I have been able to present and publish my insights on subjects I am passionate about.

Joey Oliva, PhD Student



Your part of London



You'll feel at home in one of the safest and most beautiful parts of London. Located in the green and picturesque London borough of Richmond-upon-Thames, our campus is steeped in history.

With a diverse and forward-thinking community, St Mary's is a place where you'll fit in.

Arts

Do you have a passion for the arts? From our theatre on campus to the Exchange in Twickenham, Richmond's Orange Tree Theatre to the West End, there's no shortage of productions close by.

Nightlife

In addition to events and venues on campus, you can walk to Richmond and Kingston for pubs, nightclubs, bars, and live music venues – with special deals for St Mary's students.

Sport

We're famous for sport, and as a student here you might spot athletes like Adelle Tracey or Max Verstappen on campus. The banks of the Thames are also perfect for running, rowing, or even fishing. Twickenham Stadium, the home of English Rugby, is also walking distance from campus.

Nature

There are acres of space to explore within the University grounds, including woodland and vegetable gardens. Needs more space? We're set between the two Royal Parks of Bushy and Richmond.



Green space

There are 12 acres of green space on campus, with a further 12 at nearby Teddington Lock campus



Gateway to the world

Campus is just six miles from Heathrow Airport

Sport and societies

Sport

Sport is incredibly important to many of our students. We aim to provide a supportive, unique, and inspirational sporting experience for all students. We provide a high-quality experience at all levels, from first steps into physical activity, to world-class performance.

We have 24 sports clubs at St Mary's that compete across a range of competitions, including in the British Universities & Colleges Sport (BUCS) league events and London University Sports Leagues (LUSL). Joining a club is a fantastic way to integrate into university life.

The on-campus Fitness and Conditioning Suite includes a wide selection of cardio and resistance machines, as well as a free weight area with six Olympic-standard weightlifting platforms and plenty of room for movement and conditioning exercises.

Students' Union

St Mary's Students' Union (SMSU) is a registered charity run by students, for students. SMSU offers representation for all students, advice and guidance, societies, activities, and events. They're here to make sure that you get the best out of your time at St Mary's.

Events

SMSU run a variety of events to give you new experiences – whether that's supporting your team, joining the Pride, Creative Writing, or Fishing Society; or dancing the night away at Summer Ball.



25+ 24

Societies

Sports teams



How to find us...



By train and tube

Travel directly to Strawberry Hill Station from London Waterloo. The journey takes about 30 minutes and there are four trains an hour. Strawberry Hill Station is five minutes' walk from the University. There are also more frequent trains to Twickenham Station, which is a 20-minute walk or a short bus ride away.

Travel by the District Line to Richmond Underground Station, and then either take the train to Strawberry Hill or one of two buses which stop near the University.



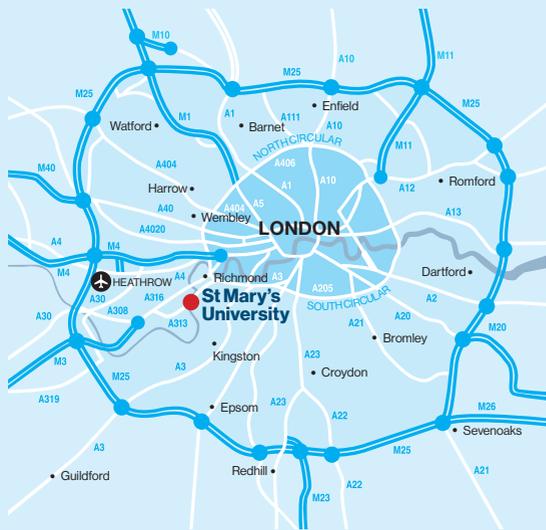
By bus

You can catch the R68 at Richmond Station or in Twickenham to a stop near the University. The 33 bus travels from Hammersmith, via Richmond to our entrance. The 285 runs from Heathrow Airport to Teddington. It's a short walk down Waldegrave Road to the University.



By car

Please use www.theaa.com for full route details. If you are using a sat nav, the postcode for our Strawberry Hill campus is TW1 4SX.



Disclaimer

We make every effort to ensure that information relating to our degree programmes is as accurate as possible. An up-to-date summary of course information can be found in the relevant specification section of the programme webpage.

St Mary's does not guarantee or accept responsibility for any loss or damage howsoever arising which may be suffered as a result of unforeseen circumstances relating to the programme, course or elective module availability.

Unforeseen circumstances include; (the list is not exhaustive)

Industrial action taken by the University staff or third parties.

The unexpected departure of specialist staff members.

Acts of terrorism.

Damage or interruption to building facilities or equipment.

Severe weather conditions.

The acts of any local government or authority.

When the numbers recruited for a course are so low that it is not operationally possible to deliver an appropriate quality of education for students enrolled on it.

In these circumstances, the University will provide as much notice as possible and will take all reasonable steps to minimise the loss and disruption, for example by providing an alternative course or offering the affected students the opportunity to move to another institution.

St Mary's will use all reasonable efforts to provide the course in accordance with the description in the prospectus and on the website for the relevant academic year. However, changes to course content, delivery and assessment procedures may be necessary to comply with the requirements of an external accrediting or reviewing body. This will enable St Mary's to deliver a better quality of educational experience to students enrolled on the course.

Optional modules may change to keep up with the demand and developing issues in the relevant discipline or to reflect the research interests of teaching staff in current affairs.

St Mary's will try to keep the changes to a minimum necessary to achieve the required value of experience and will communicate with those students who are affected in advance about any changes that are required. If St Mary's changes your course or it is unavailable and you are not satisfied with the changes, you will be given the opportunity to withdraw from the programme and, if required, given reasonable support to transfer to another provider.

Important Matters to Consider Before Making an Application

Programme and Module Changes
In some situations, it might be necessary for changes to be made to your programme of study after you join us. Students are part of any consultation around module or programme changes, and when operational changes, such as staff or module substitutions, are made, any student of the affected programme(s) will be notified.

Programme and module changes could be triggered for a number of reasons such as developments in the subject area, responsive changes in light of student feedback, changes to the academic staff, external requirements from regulators or accrediting bodies or updates in teaching and assessment methods.

It is advised that students and applicants check their relevant programme specification regularly on the University website for the most up-to-date information and for any changes before applying for a course – and again before accepting any offer to study at the University.

Module Availability

It is possible that a module listed on the website will not be able to run due to reasons beyond our control, such as the availability of specialist academics or low interest from the student cohort. It is also possible the module availability will be limited by maximum class sizes. Rest assured that you will be contacted in advance if your module choices are affected by any of these issues, and you will be offered an alternative relevant module.

Programme Closure

It is possible that the decision is taken to close a programme part way through the application cycle. This could be for one of many reasons, such as staff changes, low recruitment or regulatory changes. In the event of a programme closing, applicants will be contacted, and assistance will be provided to find a suitable alternative programme. When possible, applicants will be offered a place of study on another relevant programme at the University.

In these circumstances, St Mary's will provide notice as soon as possible and will take all reasonable steps to minimise any disruption to you, for example, moving you to another course or institution.

Validation and Revalidation

We have robust internal approval procedures to ensure that our programmes of study offer a high-quality student academic experience.

There are two approval procedures:

Validation: for programmes that are new to the University
Revalidation: for existing programmes that are reviewed every five years.

Any programme that is awaiting the outcome of these approval processes will be marked as either 'subject to validation' or 'subject to revalidation' on the website.

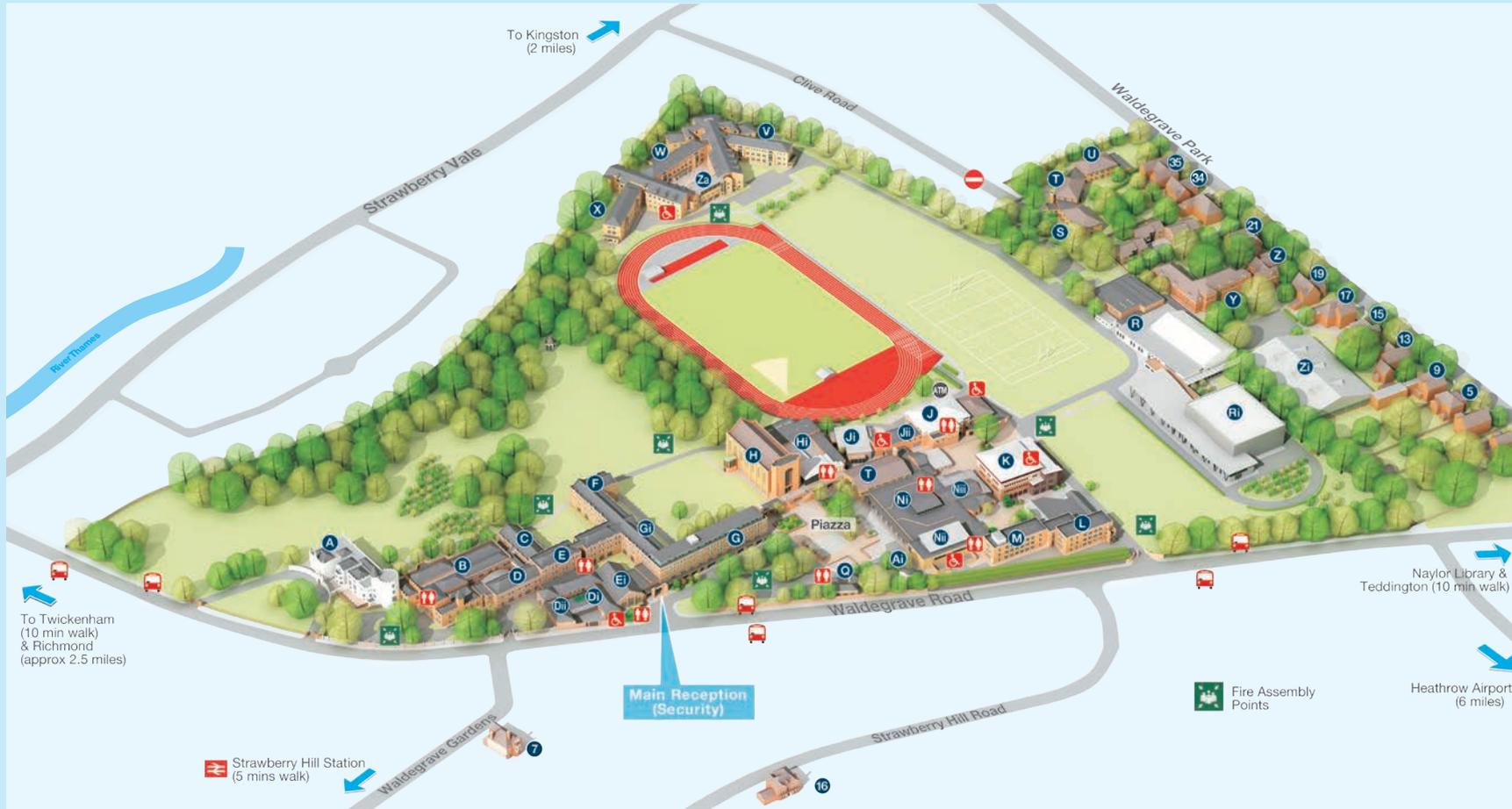
The majority of programmes with either 'subject to validation' or 'subject to revalidation' status are approved; however, approval is not guaranteed and should the programme not go ahead you will be informed by the University and assistance will be provided to those who have been offered a place to find a suitable alternative course.

Terms and Conditions

All offers of study are subject to our terms and conditions of acceptance.

These can be found at: www.stmarys.ac.uk/policies

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Administration	B
Bar	J
Careers Service and Centre for Workplace Learning	Jii
Chapel	H
Chapel in the Woods	Ai
Chaplaincy Centre	Q
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Drama Studios	C, D, Di
Fees Office	J
Health Centre	D
International Office	Gi
Library and Learning Technology	Hi
Library 24 Hour Study Hub	Hii
Mail Room	Dii
Reception	Ei
Refectory	Ni
Registry	J
Security – at Main Reception	Ei
Shannon Suite	Nii
Sport Centre (Gymnastics Centre, Multi-use Studio, Performance Education Centre, Sports Injuries Clinic)	R
Sport and Health Services	R
Sports Hall and Fitness and Conditioning Suite	Ri
Strawberry Hill House and Grounds	A
Student Services	J
Student Wellbeing Service	J
Students' Union	K
Tennis Centre (Beirne Hall)	Zi
Theatre	T
Waldegrave Suite	B
Laundrette	L

Halls of Residence

16 Strawberry Hill Road	16
Benedict XVI House	7
Cashin	Z
Clive	S,T,U
Cronin	Y
De Marillac	Za
Doyle	V
Graham	X
Old House	G
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