

Student Support Services

When you come and study at Anglian College London we aim to look after you well, with a range of student services to make your stay enjoyable, so you can concentrate on the most important thing – learning.

Passports and visas

The College is happy to help overseas students with passport and visa formalities. If your student visa is due to expire during your study, be sure to inform the College authorities at least 6 weeks before the date of expiry and the College will help you arrange an extension. Although we do not provide legal advice on immigration matters, we may refer you to local immigration advisors who are officially registered.

Progress reports

If requested four weeks in advance, the College may send a student's academic progress report to the Home Office or to an employer, outlining the student's attendance and grades achieved in recent examinations. While we are pleased to notify the students of their progress and data held in our systems about them, our communications with outside bodies are private and do not require to be disclosed. We reserve a right not to provide references, attendance certificates or reports if a student's attendance is below 80%.

Health and insurance

Overseas students who are in the UK for 6 months or longer are entitled to medical treatment under the National Health Service (NHS) and therefore medical insurance is not necessary. Upon arrival in London, you should register with a doctor as soon as you can. To confirm your student status and period of study your Certificate of Registration should normally suffice, but the College can provide a formal letter to take to the doctor if required.

Accommodation

The College has special arrangements with local landlords, accommodation companies and estate agents,

which provide rooms for our students for periods of two weeks or more. It is common practice in the UK to rent housing for at least six months, but our accommodation arrangements allow you to leave after just two weeks and make your own arrangements, like most modern students. If you wish to continue beyond the two weeks for which your accommodation is booked by the College, you ought to have a separate arrangement in place with the landlord when you arrive in the UK. The accommodation is self-catering and requires you to have your own bed linen. Please visit our website for more details.

Jobs & Careers Advice

Our careers service provides students with advice on looking for jobs in London, on writing and designing a CV, as well as on performing well at job interviews. The College also posts on its notice board job vacancies sent to it by local employers and employment agencies.

Student Welfare Service

We do our best to help students with all their needs during their stay in London, advising those who have problems at work or in their accommodation, and providing lists of local doctors and dentists, plus places of worship for all faiths.

Opening a UK Bank Account

Our staff will be happy to assist you with letters of introduction to any of the main high street banks.

Airport transfers – Meet-and-Greet service

This service includes a registered taxi service with an experienced and reliable driver who will meet you in the Arrivals area of the airport terminal carrying a sign with your name on it and take you to your booked accommodation. Return transfers from the accommodation to the airport are also available on request. If you wish the College to organise these services for you, please send in your request and flight details to Admissions along with the associated fees at least two weeks in advance.

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