

# City of Manchester





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## Landmarks

Manchester is a city with many different landmarks, from historical landmarks to sports stadiums, there is a wide variety of landmarks that the city has to offer.



One of the most famous landmarks in Manchester is the Manchester cathedral, known for its architecture and history within, housing WWII paintings and even stories of sarcophagus, it is an iconic landmark within Manchester.



Football is big within Manchester, housing two top tier football clubs in Manchester United and Manchester City. Both stadiums are iconic landmarks for the city – Old Trafford and The Etihad Stadium.



## Facts on the city

Manchester is a city that has a past steeped in history and therefore has many interesting facts about it. Some notable ones are:

- Manchester started the industrial revolution when they opened the Bridgewater Canal in 1761, allowing Manchester to become the biggest stopping point for the textile industry.
- Famous bands are from Manchester. Some notable ones are: Oasis, Stone Roses and The Smiths.

# The University



## Known for:

Manchester University is known for 25 Nobel prizes within the university, some notable alumni who have won Nobel prizes are: James Chadwick, Ernest Rutherford and Arthur Haden.

Alongside this, the first atom that was split was in Manchester University by Ernest Rutherford.

As of 2022, Manchester University is 13<sup>th</sup> in the University league tables and is one of the most well known universities globally.

## Top Courses:

Manchester University has many courses it is notable for. Some examples are:

Engineering

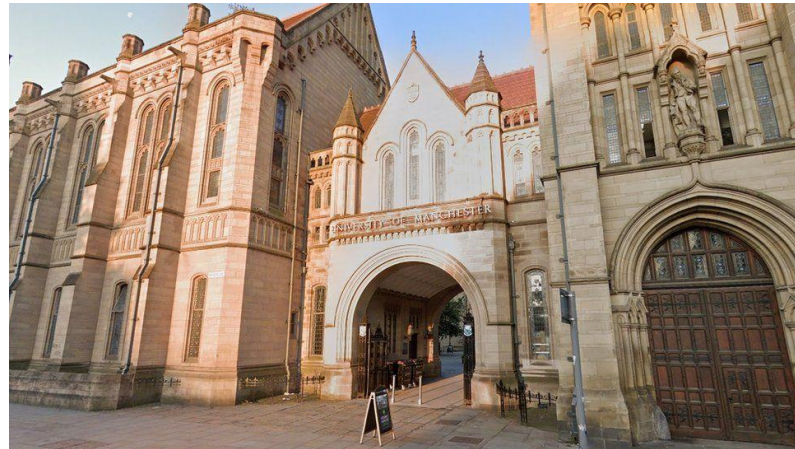
Marketing

Medicine

Nursing

Pharmacy

East and South Asian Studies



## Facilities

Facilities of a University are important for students to learn. Therefore, the University has world class facilities, including a library with over 4 million books and journals, online access to eBooks that are accessible to every student and almost 4000 computers on campus.

University has many sports suites and facilities for students too. These are on offer for a cut price to students. These include: gyms, swimming pools and courts all available on campus.

# Manchester Culture

## Introduction

Manchester the city witnessed its success during the industrial revolution in the 19<sup>th</sup> century – shaping the city's pioneering attitude.

Presently, the city of Manchester has many successes within the sports, music and artistic scenes.



## Nightlife

Manchester is one of the most well known cities in the UK for its music and nightlife. There are many different types of bars and clubs within Manchester. From Factory (a club known for indie music and bass type music) to the Gay Village known for its strong LGBT friendly area, there is usually a club in Manchester that suits your tastes.

## Food

The city offers a wide variety of food and drink that comes from many different countries globally. Known for its second biggest Chinatown only to Manchester and the renowned 'Curry Mile' there is cuisine from almost every culture within the city.



## Sports

Within the city, sports is a big part of the culture, specifically football. Hosting two of the biggest football clubs in the world presently in Manchester United and Manchester City.

Alongside this, Manchester is also the host to many national centres of different sports like cycling, taekwondo and water polo.

