

Project Unit

- **information about the programme,**

A foundation year gives you the opportunity to get an understanding of your field of interest before progressing to the full three-year degree programme. As well as subject knowledge, you'll get used to the HE context and gain the skills needed for higher level study.

Computer Science with an Integrated Foundation Year is a one year programme designed to improve your mathematical and scientific understanding and skills to a level where you will be able to start a degree in the [Department of Computer Science](#) in one of the following subject areas:

Computer Science and Mathematics

Computer Science and Mathematics with Industrial Experience

Computer Science

Computer Science with Industrial Experience

On the Foundation Year you will study mathematics, physics and (where appropriate) chemistry. In addition, you will take modules in Academic Skills and ICT (Information and Communications Technology). You will also complete a group project, related to your intended degree programme and supervised by an academic from your future Department.

- **information about the Computer Science department, the facilities, and the staff,**

Your focus is the Foundation Studies Office, where staff provide day to day support. The dedicated Common Room offers you a place to study, prepare coursework, carry out work using the computers, or simply socialise. There is a strong sense of community within the student body and excellent tutorial support. Computer Science with an Integrated Foundation Year is delivered on the University campus by University staff.

With strong links with the Department of Computer Science, the environment for study is essentially the same as for undergraduate study on degree programmes in engineering and associated disciplines. You will find that this assists greatly in easing your move into first year of your chosen degree programme on successful completion of the foundation year.

- **changes to your learning experience compared to Sixth Form,**

- **new skills you have learned,**

- **your personal and group reflection on your experience so far about programme - have you found**

it useful? enjoyable? challenging? Has it made you more enthusiastic about Computer Science?

- **social aspects, such as clubs, societies, and Manchester in general**

There's an activity to suit everyone's interests at the Students' Union, whether you're a committed fundraiser, fancy yourself as the next Nick Grimshaw, have a passion for volunteering or simply want to meet like-minded people.

With 400 societies offering everything from knitting to scuba diving, you're sure to find the right society for you. If there isn't, you'll get help to create your own

- **accommodation**

Manchester has a variety of student accommodation across the campus stretching from City to Fallowfield areas

The University of Manchester has halls of residence in three campuses

Want to be at the heart of our bustling university campus, with lectures and study spaces on your doorstep? Then the City accommodation is the place for you. Set within the university campus, green spaces and metropolitan streets, residents on the north of the campus are only five minutes' walk from the heart of the city centre, while for those south of the campus, it's only a short journey via one of the many buses that travel along the Oxford Road corridor.

- [Denmark Road](#)
- [George Kenyon Hall](#)
- [Horniman House*](#)
- [Weston Hall](#)
- [Whitworth Park](#)

Approximately 2.5km south of the main university campus, Fallowfield is a vibrant suburb where thousands of students live happily alongside permanent residents - creating a real sense of community. Almost a town within a city, Fallowfield is well-known for its lively social scene, meaning you'll have no shortage of opportunities to make friends. There is also a great mix of shops, cafes and bars and a frequent bus service to and from the City Centre, making it an ideal location to live.

- [Ashburne Hall](#)
- [Oak House](#)
- [Richmond Park](#)
- [Sheavyn House](#)

- [Unsworth Park](#)
- [Uttley House](#)
- [Woolton Hall](#)

Victoria Park is situated between City and Fallowfield residential areas, so halls here are ideally placed for both academic and social activities. The city centre is equally accessible - only 10 minutes by bus. Next to Victoria Park is Rusholme - fondly known as The Curry Mile. Colourful and cosmopolitan, its many restaurants and shops offer an unparalleled range of cuisine and produce. Here you'll find plenty of small supermarkets, as well as some larger, well-known supermarkets including Lidl, Tesco and Sainsburys' nearby.

- [Brook Hall](#)
- [Burkhardt House](#)
- [Canterbury Court](#)
- [Daisy Bank Hall](#)
- [Dalton-Ellis Hall](#)
- [Hulme Hall](#)
- [St Anselm Hall](#)