



Fact sheet: Chelmsford

General information

Type of institution: Self-contained college campus

Proximity between accommodation, classrooms, and dining hall: 2 to 5-minute walk

Age range: 11 to 17

Length of partnership with PLUS: Since 2012

Address

Main address: Writtle College, Lordship Rd, Writtle, Chelmsford CM1 3RR, United Kingdom

Check-in

Check-in location: Main Reception, then into Main Hall for key collection.

Check-in time: From 12:00

Check-out time: By 9:00

Procedures for after hours check-in and emergencies: Contact Campus Manager

Accommodation

Types of rooms available: Single rooms with ensuite or shared bathroom facilities.

Room furnishings and appliances: Single or double bed, desk, chair, shelving, storage, table,

Kitchen facilities and appliances: Kettle, microwave, toaster, hob, fridge, storage, table, chairs

Common area facilities and features: The communal space is part of the shared kitchen facility and include a table and chairs or sofas and a coffee table.

Toilet and shower facilities ratio to beds: From 1:1 to 1:6

Towel availability: Yes

Room security and locking: Rooms are lockable.

Key replacement charges: £25.00

Cleaning frequency for bedrooms and bathrooms: Weekly

Other Facilities

Overview of sports facilities available: Indoor sports hall, dance studio, outdoor football pitch and basketball court

Multi-faith prayer room location: In the building of the Bar and the Recreational Centre.

Laundry

Location: Circuit Laundry in Harvey 1 Residence

Cost: Standard wash from £2.60 and a tumble dry from £1.50. Ironing station available.

Payment method: Via the Circuit Laundry App; registration necessary. Tip: check machine availability via the app.

Meal Provision

Name and location of dining hall: Garden Room Restaurant

Contents of a packed meal: Sandwich, biscuit, crisps, fruit, water

Security

Location: Duty officers patrol the campus.

Operating hours: 24/7

Telephone: To be disclosed at the beginning of the programme.

CCTV available: Yes

Wi-Fi

Connection instructions: Each student will receive an individual log in upon check-in.

Local Amenities

On-site amenities: 2 Starbucks cafés, restaurant, convenience store.

Local establishments: The adjacent village of Writtle has a Co-op supermarket, a fish&chips shop, traditional pubs and restaurants, and a charming duck pond. Chelmsford has a lively city centre with all the usual high street shops, banks, cinemas, as well as a Tesco supermarket.

Local parks and recreational areas: Parks and flower gardens within the campus grounds.

Banks and ATMs: In central Chelmsford.

Local police: Chelmsford Police Station, New St, Chelmsford CM1, +441245491491

Health Care

Nearest hospital: Chelmsford & Essex Hospital, New London Rd, Chelmsford CM2 0QH (6 min taxi)

Nearest dentist: MY Dentist Elton House, Victoria Road, Chelmsford CM1 1NZ, (7-min taxi)

Nearest pharmacy location: Village Pharmacy, 52 The Green, Writtle, Chelmsford CM1 3DU, United Kingdom (10-min walk)

Local Transport

Bus stop location: Prestons Garage, Ongar Road (10-min walk), bus no.32. Buses run from Train station name and location: Chelmsford Train Station (40-min walk)

Local taxi companies: Chelmsford Taxibus +441245350350; A1 Cars +441245838383

Taxi pick-up point: Front of the main building, outside reception