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Right to Work: academic year 2025/26

To whom it may concern,

This letter explains the work conditions on a Student visa for those studying an Undergraduate programme at the University of Exeter.

The letter is intended to be used in conjunction with a Status Certificate Letter which confirms registration as a student at the University of Exeter and programme details.

Limited to 20 hours per week

Undergraduate students are limited to 20 hours per week during term time. A week is considered in this context to run from Monday to Sunday.

2025/6 academic year:

Autumn term: Monday 22 September - Friday 12 December

Spring term: Monday 5 January - Friday 27 March Summer term: Monday 27 April - Friday 12 June

Not limited to 20 hours per week

Students are able to work full-time during Christmas, Easter and summer vacation periods.

Vacation periods in 2025/6 academic year:

Saturday 13 December – Sunday 4 January Saturday 28 March – Sunday 26 April Saturday 13 June – Sunday 20 September

Students are also able to work more than 20 hours per week before and after their studies. See 'period of study' dates in the status certificate letter.

Placements: if a programme contains an official placement, students are able to work full time during their placement dates.

Other restrictions

Students must not fill a permanent full-time vacancy while on a Student visa.

Students must not be self-employed while on a Student visa.

Further information for employers

- <u>Student Sponsor Guidance- Document 2: Sponsorship Duties- Version 06/2025</u> refer to section 6 'working while studying'.
- Right to work checks: an employer's guide
- UKCISA
- Checking a job applicant's right to work

Current University advice on Student visa work conditions can be found on: www.exeter.ac.uk/students/international/visaconditions/workingintheuk/

I hope this is clear but please do contact us should you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

Jim Price

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(This letter cannot be amended on an individual basis.)

