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SLC application support, global events, pizza and plagiarism

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Spring is almost here!

We hope you enjoyed all that Feel Good February had to offer - maybe you even came away with a new habit or hobby?

Many of you will have received assessment marks in [myUWE](#). We hope they were what you were expecting - but if they weren't and you'd like to talk them through, our [Student Support Advisers](#) are on hand.

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International Women's Week

International Women's Week starts next Monday, so look out for a range of events and activities happening across the University and the city.

This year's global theme for the week is 'Each for Equal', which aims to encourage everyone to challenge stereotypes, fight bias, broaden perceptions, improve situations and celebrate women's achievements.

Take a look at the events [The Students' Union](#) and the [University](#) have got lined up for the week!



Our Grounds Team have beee-n busy

One of our Creative and Professional Writing students, Lydia, caught up with the University's Grounds Team.

She found out what they've been up to, the awards they've been winning - including a DEFRA Award in recognition of their hard work on the Frenchay's Beeline Project - and what they've got lined up for the future.

[Read on](#)

Events

Student loan application support

Our Student Money Service is running a series of drop-ins to help you complete your student loan application - just pop in to the [Student Centre](#) on Frenchay Campus on any of the following dates:

Tuesday 3 March, Tuesday 17 March, Thursday 19 March, Tuesday 24 March and Thursday 26 March. Drop in between 09:30 and 12:00.

What have pizza and plagiarism got in common?

We'll be eating one whilst discussing the other! Join a focus group to discuss plagiarism, following on from the survey 'Why do students plagiarise and purchase essays?', which over 250 of you completed (thank you!).

Financial Capability Module

The [Financial Capability Module](#) is a series of three workshops to help you budget and manage your money, blending the practical with the theoretical.

We have expert guest speakers lined up, you'll come away with financial skills for life and each workshop concludes with a quiz and the opportunity to win prize - what's not to love?

Bath Employment Spring School for Autism 2020

If you're an autistic student (with or without a diagnosis), then you may be interested in this two day event, providing support and guidance to students making the transition from university to work.

Monday 16 March, 17:00-18:00
4D24, Frenchay Library

[Email to register](#)

ssTuesday 31 March and Wednesday 1 April
University of Bath.
Free to attend.

[Book your place](#)

Global events

Pop in to the [Global Café](#) to meet students from around the world or sign up to a [day trip](#) to explore another part of the UK!

All events are open to everyone - most are free but you'll just need to book your place.

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Join the Higher Education Pedagogies, Policy and Practice Research Network

The [Academic Practice Directorate](#) run a network which aims to enhance learning and teaching in higher education through the critical enquiry of contemporary pedagogies (yes, you may need to Google that one!), policy and practice - and they're looking for students to get involved.

[Sign up online](#) or email [Helen King](#) from the Academic Practice Directorate.

In case you missed it

Did you know some of our law students helped an innocent man escape the death penalty?

Morris Kabeira was imprisoned in the Kamiti Maximum Security Prison in Kenya for 13 years for a crime he didn't commit. In 2018 Morris finally achieved the justice he deserved and was released as an innocent man, aided by the work of the [African Prisons Project](#), a programme some of our law students support through pro bono work.

[Tune in](#) to hear Morris's account of his story, recorded at his recent trip to the University.

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VOTING IN THE LEADERSHIP RACE NOW OPEN

The power is now in your hands - you have the chance to vote for the individuals who you think will bring about positive change to your student experience and UWE Bristol!

There are five full-time positions to vote for as well as a range of part-time voluntary roles. You have until **22:00 on Thursday 5 March** to have your say! The results will be announced from 19:00 on Friday 6 March in Union 2.

Grab yourself a cuppa, have a look at the manifestos and get voting!

[Cast your vote](#)

NEW INTERNATIONAL MEAL DEAL

We're delighted to confirm that after feedback from last year's Food Fest, we'll be launching a Thursday international meal deal special in Union 2 on Frenchay Campus.

The offer will include a meal from a different cuisine, which will change on a weekly basis. This new meal deal is a chance to broaden your food horizons and eat your way around the globe, so get involved!

Head down to Union 2 and ask the team what this week's special is.

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Dynamic content

Arnolfini

Arnolfini exhibitions

Arnolfini has a range of events lined up for the spring.

Why not check out [Assembly by Angela Mesiti](#)? Filmed in international senate chambers, it's a large-scale video installation imagining a community of movement, poetry and song.

Plus, did you know you can order books from the [Arnolfini bookshop online](#)?

Take a look at what's on

Open call to final year Fine Art students

Contribute to an exhibition questioning the ethical, social and environmental responsibility of artistic practice.

Deadline for proposals: **Wednesday 11 March.**

[Find out more \(PDF\)](#)

Are you wanting to improve your writing skills?

Two professional writers, Emylia and Andrew, chosen by the Royal Literary Fund, are on hand to provide one-to-one writing skills sessions for students in the Department of Health and Social Sciences.

They're here to help you express your thoughts and develop your own voice and writing style.

They're able to:

- talk to you about the way you structure your arguments
- suggest how you can write clearer and more compelling prose
- help you present your written work better
- discuss work you're doing for current assignments
- give you feedback on assignments you've completed

[Book an appointment](#)