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Student Population by EDI Group

2024/25

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Introduction

The University of Nottingham's Careers and Employability Service is dedicated to supporting the diverse student and graduate population at the University to access expert careers advice, employability skills and employment opportunities.

As a global university, we are proud of the diversity across our campuses and work hard to support organisations to access high-quality talent across all backgrounds.

The aim of this student population report is to provide employers with specific data to support with equality, diversity and inclusion (EDI) objectives, targeted activity and ultimately increase the number of opportunities available to our students and graduates.

The report has been produced by the Business Information team within the Careers and Employability Service. The figures included in the report originate from the population information published internally by the University of Nottingham's Planning, Performance and Strategic Change directorate.

The figures in this document were extracted on 25.02.25. Please note that PPSC may on occasion have a need to update the specifics within a population throughout the year therefore, figures may differ slightly to what is in this document.





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Faculty	%	Population
Arts	13.0%	4,757
Engineering	15.3%	5,568
Medicine and Health Sciences	21.8%	7,958
Science	21.1%	7,708
Social Sciences	28.8%	10,500

Ethnicity	%	Population
Arab	2.7%	978
Asian	27.8%	10,137
Black	8.3%	3,011
Mixed	5.9%	2,147
Other	1.0%	359
White	50.2%	18,330
Not Known	4.2%	1,530
BAME	47.6%	16,632



Fee Status	%	Population
Home	76.1%	27,767
International	23.9%	8,725

Gender	%	Population
Female	55.3%	20,190
Male	44.0%	16,058
Other	0.7%	244

Disability	%	Population
Disabled	23.3%	8,512

Widening Participation*	%	Population
WP	31.8%	7,754

Mature**	%	Population
Mature	16.6%	6,061



36,491

Total Students



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2024/25 Faculty of Arts Population

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Faculty/School	%	Population
American and Canadian Studies	3.0%	143
Classics and Archaeology	9.8%	466
Cultural, Media and Visual Studies	15.6%	743
English	22.3%	1,060
Foundation Arts	0.8%	40
History	17.9%	850
Liberal Arts	2.5%	117
Modern Languages and Cultures	12.9%	613
Music	2.1%	98
Philosophy	13.2%	627

Ethnicity	%	Population
Arab	0.7%	35
Asian	17.6%	837
Black	5.0%	239
Mixed	7.1%	336
Other	0.9%	41
White	64.7%	3,078
Not Known	4.0%	192
BAME	32.6%	1,488

Fee Status	%	Population
Home	81.6%	3,882
International	18.4%	875

Gender	%	Population
Female	66.6%	3,168
Male	32.5%	1,544
Other	1.0%	46

Disability	%	Population
Disabled	31.2%	1,485

Widening Participation*	%	Population
WP	25.6%	911

Mature**	%	Population
Mature	11.3%	538



4,757

Total Students



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Faculty/School	%	Population
Architecture and Built Environment	17.3%	962
Chemical and Environmental Engineering	12.2%	681
Civil Engineering	6.6%	367
Electrical and Electronic Engineering	16.0%	891
Engineering Research	8.5%	474
Foundation in Engineering	6.8%	377
Mechanical, Materials and Manufacturing Engineering	32.6%	1,817

Ethnicity	%	Population
Arab	5.3%	293
Asian	31.6%	1,761
Black	9.4%	525
Mixed	5.3%	295
Other	1.3%	72
White	42.8%	2,382
Not Known	4.3%	241
BAME	55.3%	2,946

Fee Status	%	Population
Home	71.0%	3,956
International	29.0%	1,612

Gender	%	Population
Female	29.4%	1,636
Male	69.5%	3,871
Other	1.1%	62

Disability	%	Population
Disabled	18.0%	1,005

Widening Participation*	%	Population
WP	32.3%	1,188

Mature**	%	Population
Mature	15.4%	859



5,569
Total Students



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Faculty/School	%	Population
Health Sciences	17.5%	1,392
Life Sciences	21.6%	1,722
Medicine	42.2%	3,355
Veterinary Medicine and Health Sciences	18.7%	1,489

Ethnicity	%	Population
Arab	2.4%	193
Asian	21.2%	1,690
Black	8.9%	709
Mixed	5.8%	460
Other	0.8%	60
White	57.6%	4,589
Not Known	3.3%	260
BAME	40.4%	3,112

Fee Status	%	Population
Home	89.1%	7,089
International	10.9%	869

Gender	%	Population
Female	73.3%	5,829
Male	26.5%	2,106
Other	0.3%	22

Disability	%	Population
Disabled	27.8%	2,216

Widening Participation*	%	Population
WP	36.4%	2,187

Mature**	%	Population
Mature	24.7%	1,962



7,958
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Faculty/School	%	Population
Biosciences	17.8%	1,368
Chemistry	9.2%	710
Computer Science	23.7%	1,830
Mathematical Sciences	12.4%	956
Pharmacy	11.8%	911
Physics and Astronomy	7.9%	610
Psychology	17.1%	1,321

Ethnicity	%	Population
Arab	3.3%	257
Asian	30.0%	2,310
Black	6.9%	529
Mixed	5.3%	408
Other	1.0%	77
White	48.8%	3,762
Not Known	4.8%	367
BAME	48.8%	3,581

Fee Status	%	Population
Home	74.6%	5,752
International	25.4%	1,956

Gender	%	Population
Female	50.4%	3,881
Male	48.6%	3,746
Other	1.1%	81

Disability	%	Population
Disabled	24.3%	1,874

Widening Participation*	%	Population
WP	32.5%	1,620

Mature**	%	Population
Mature	13.3%	1,023



7,706

Total Students



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2024/25 Faculty of Social Sciences Population

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Faculty/School	%	Population
Economics	12.0%	1,255
Education	13.4%	1,410
Geography	6.7%	702
Law	14.4%	1,512
Business School	33.7%	3,535
Politics and International Relations	9.5%	1,000
Sociology and Social Policy	10.3%	1,086

Ethnicity	%	Population
Arab	1.9%	201
Asian	33.7%	3,539
Black	9.6%	1,012
Mixed	6.2%	648
Other	1.0%	110
White	43.0%	4,520
Not Known	4.5%	470
BAME	54.9%	5,510

Fee Status	%	Population
Home	67.5%	7,087
International	32.5%	3,414

Gender	%	Population
Female	54.1%	5,676
Male	45.6%	4,792
Other	0.3%	32

Disability	%	Population
Disabled	18.4%	1,932

Widening Participation*	%	Population
WP	29.9%	1,849

Mature**	%	Population
Mature	16.0%	1,678



10,500
Total Students



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Employer Enquiries

If you require further information or would like to explore how we can help you recruit our students and graduates, please contact the Careers and Employability Service's Business Development Manager, Matthew Vincent via

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- To see our full range of services and explore how businesses can connect, collaborate and innovate with us, go to the University of Nottingham's [website for business](#).
- If you have any queries relating to the data in this report, please contact the Careers and Employability Service's Business Information team via bit@nottingham.ac.uk.

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