INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

WELCOMING STUDENTS FROM CHINA
The International Foundation Programme (IFP) is an access programme for international students. It provides an opportunity to gain a prestigious University of Reading degree or pursue undergraduate studies at other highly ranked universities.
Why did you choose the IFP at Reading?
I chose the IFP at Reading because I wished to enter Henley Business School. As far as I know, it is one of the best business schools in England.

How was your support before and after arrival?
Before I came to the UK, I was worried about forgetting some important documents, but the IFP answered all of my questions through email. Now that I am here, I have had help from the Information Technology Department, from my academic tutors, and can also get help from other students whenever I need it.

What is your favorite thing about the IFP and the University of Reading?
The best thing about the IFP is that the teachers are very kind and I think the modules that I take now will help me a lot when I take my undergraduate degree.

My favourite thing about the University of Reading is the campus environment, because I love the open space and the greenery everywhere.

Find out more about student life on the IFP: reading.ac.uk/ifp
REASONS TO CHOOSE THE IFP AT THE UNIVERSITY OF READING

• Access to over 250 undergraduate courses: [www.reading.ac.uk](http://www.reading.ac.uk)

• Progress to degrees in Business, Finance, Accounting, Science, Law, Architecture and many more

• A university owned foundation programme with 35 years’ experience

• 96% IFP pass rate*

• Reading is ranked 205th worldwide and 29th in the UK**
   with 150 years of history

• Only 30 minutes from London by train

• Meet friends from a diverse mix of nationalities and cultures

• Choose to start in either September, January or July ***

• Study subject modules relevant to your degree

• Teaching is by expert University of Reading lecturers

• Reading IFP is recognised by many leading UK universities****

• IFP Country Scholarships available: [reading.ac.uk/ifp](http://reading.ac.uk/ifp)

• Live on an award-winning campus in our University halls of residence

• Access to all the University’s academic, welfare, social and sports facilities

Find out more from our IFP videos: [reading.ac.uk/ifp](http://reading.ac.uk/ifp)

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*Nearly 100% of students pass the programme and around 80% gain access to their chosen degree at Reading.

**QS World University Rankings 2020

***September and January IFP entry points; July and September International Foundation and Language Programme (IFLP) entry points

****Reading is part of the University Pathway Alliance enabling IFP students to progress to a number of high ranking UK universities.
POPULAR DEGREES AVAILABLE TO IFP STUDENTS*

BSc Accounting and Finance  
BA Business and Management  
BSc Finance and Investment Banking  
BSc Real Estate  
LLB Law  
BA Economics  
MPharm Pharmacy  
BSc Food Science  
BSc Chemistry  
MSci Speech and Language Therapy  
BSc Psychology  
BSc Architecture  
BEng Architectural Engineering

MEng Architectural Engineering  
BSc Construction Management  
BSc Quantity Surveying  
BSc Building Surveying  
BSc Biological Sciences  
BEng Biomedical Engineering  
BSc Agriculture  
BSc Consumer Behaviour and Marketing  
BSc International Development  
BSc Mathematics  
BSc Mathematics and Statistics  
BSc Computer Science  
BSc Meteorology and Climate

*IFP students can choose from over 250 undergraduate degrees at the University of Reading and these are some of the most popular. For a full list see reading.ac.uk.
PROGRAMMES AND ENTRY POINTS

The International Foundation Programme (IFP):

- **IFP September (9 months):** for all degrees* including Business, Law, Sciences and the Built Environment degrees
- **IFP January (7 months):** for Business, Law and Built Environment degrees with the exception of Architecture and Architectural Engineering.

The International Foundation and Language Programme (IFLP):

- **July (11 months):** 8 weeks of English language before joining the September IFP
- **September (11 months):** 11 weeks of English language before joining the January IFP

The four-year LLB Law with International Foundation Year (M1Q3):

- For students who do not have the qualifications for direct entry onto the three-year LLB Law course.

See [www.reading.ac.uk/ifp](http://www.reading.ac.uk/ifp) for programme details, fees and entry requirements

*Except Film theatre, art and design degrees.
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